# STATE OF NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATIONS OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NOS. 23585 & 23586

#### **CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne" or "Applicant") submits its Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division ("Division").

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#### **STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

In Case No. 23585, Mewbourne seeks an order pooling uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised

of the W/2 W/2 of Sections 21 and 28, Township 18 South, Range 35 East in Lea County, New Mexico. The unit will be dedicated to the proposed Belgian Blue 28/21 State Com #501H (B2MD) well, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 28 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 21.

In Case No. 23586, Mewbourne seeks an order pooling uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Sections 21 and 28, Township 18 South, Range 35 East in Lea County, New Mexico. The unit will be dedicated to the proposed Belgian Blue 28/21 State Com #523H (B2NC) well, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 28 to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 21.

The wells are located 17 miles west of Hobbs, New Mexico.

### **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

| Witness        | Occupation         | <b>Estimated Time</b> | <b>Exhibits</b> |
|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Brad Dunn      | Landman            | Affidavit             | Approx. 5       |
| Jordan Carrell | Geologist          | Affidavit             | Approx. 6       |
|                | PROCEDURAL MATTERS |                       |                 |

Applicant requests that the Division consolidate these matters for hearing. Applicant will present these matters by affidavit if there is no opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on the following counsel of record by electronic mail on July 13, 2023:

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QUESTIONS

Action 240067

#### **QUESTIONS**

| Operator:        | OGRID:                                   |
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| MEWBOURNE OIL CO | 14744                                    |
| P.O. Box 5270    | Action Number:                           |
| Hobbs, NM 88241  | 240067                                   |
|                  | Action Type:                             |
|                  | [HEAR] Prehearing Statement (PREHEARING) |

#### QUESTIONS

| Testimony                                                                   |               |  |
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| Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony. |               |  |
| Number of witnesses                                                         | Not answered. |  |
| Testimony time (in minutes)                                                 | Not answered. |  |