

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

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

**CASE NOS. 25638 & 25641**

**JOINT MOTION TO VACATE PRE-HEARING ORDER AND SET CASE NOS.  
25638 & 25641 FOR AFFIDAVIT HEARING ON JANUARY 8, 2026**

Mewbourne Oil Company (“Mewbourne”), COG Operating LLC (“COG”) and Mongoose Minerals LLC (“Mongoose”) jointly move for an order vacating the pre-hearing order in the above captioned cases and setting Case Nos. 25638 & 25641 for hearing by affidavit on January 8, 2026.

As grounds for this motion, the Parties state:

1. Mewbourne filed the applications in Case Nos. 25594 and 25599 on August 12, 2025 and Case Nos. 25638 and 25641 on September 9, 2025.
2. Mongoose and ConocoPhillips Company filed objections to Case Nos. 25594 and 25599 on August 29, 2025. COG and Mongoose filed objections to Case Nos. 25638 and 25641 on September 24, 2025.
3. The Division issued a Pre-Hearing Order in Case Nos. 25594, 25599, 25638, and 25641 on September 25, 2025 following a status conference that same day.
4. The Pre-Hearing Order consolidated Case Nos. 25594, 25599, 25638, and 25641 for a contested hearing on December 9, 2025, and noted that if the objection is withdrawn, the cases can proceed by affidavit on January 8, 2026.
5. The Parties have been engaged in fruitful negotiations and, on November 10, 2025, COG and Mongoose withdrew their objections to Case Nos. 25638 and 25641.

6. Mewbourne moved to dismiss its applications in Case Nos. 25594 and 25599 on November 7, 2025, and the Division dismissed those cases in Order No. R-24089 on November 11, 2025. The Parties' intent is for Mewbourne to proceed by affidavit on Case Nos. 25638 and 25641.

7. The Parties jointly request, therefore, that Case Nos. 25638 and 25641 be set for hearing by affidavit on January 8, 2026.

WHEREFORE, the Parties respectfully request that the Division vacate the Pre-Hearing Order and the contested hearing currently set for December 9, 2025, and set Case Nos. 25638 and 25641 for hearing by affidavit on the Division's January 8, 2026 docket.

Jointly submitted,

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