## State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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November 21, 2016

Mr. Tim Harrington Mewbourne Oil company P.O. Box 7698 Tyler Tx. 75711

RE: <u>Administrative Order SWD-1511; First Extension of Deadline</u> Rio Bravo SWD Well No. 1 (API 30-015-20221) 1980 FNL, 1980 FEL; Unit G, Sec 15, T21S, R25E, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico Order Date: January 12, 2015 Injection into the Devonian formation; approved interval: 11300 feet to 12800 feet

Mr. Harrington:

Reference is made to your request on behalf of Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne") for an additional one year extension of the January 12, 2017 deadline to commence injection into the above named well for reasons outlined in the attached correspondence.

It is the Division's understanding from your request that there have been no significant changes in the information provided in the application submitted for review and approval of this order. These changes include the completion of new wells within the Area of Review that penetrated the approved injection interval and any changes in ownership.

The Division finds that granting this request to extend this administrative order is in the interest of conservation, will prevent waste, and will protect the environment.

All requirements of the above referenced administrative order and agreements in the application remain in full force and effect.

The deadline to commence injection for the existing order is hereby extended until January 12, 2018.

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Sincerely,

ID R. CATANACH Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia Office
SWD-1511
New Mexico State Land Office – Oil, Gas, and Minerals
Well File API 30-015-20221

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