

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

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND APPROVAL
OF NON-STANDARD SPACING UNIT,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 23638

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

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INTERESTED PARTIES

None at this time.

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Mewbourne seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a 639.4-acre, more or less, non-standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Sections 6 and 7, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico (“Unit”). The Unit will be dedicated to the **Beefalo 7/6 State Com #716H (W1OB)** well (“Well”), to be drilled

from a surface hole location in NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 18 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 6.

The completed interval of the Well will be orthodox. Mewbourne seeks approval of a non-standard spacing unit to provide flexibility regarding the placement of surface facilities and the ability to consolidate those facilities to the greatest extent possible. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

The Well is located approximately 18 miles west of Hobbs, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Witness	Occupation	Estimated Time	Exhibits
Brad Dunn	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 6
Jordan Carrell	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant will present this matter by affidavit if there is no opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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Testimony	
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