

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

**APPLICATIONS OF MEWBOURNE OIL  
COMPANY TO AMEND ORDERS, EDDY  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**Case Nos. 24672 & 24675-24677**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Mewbourne Oil Company (“Mewbourne”) as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

**APPLICANT**

Case No. 24672: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order amending Order Nos. R-22269, RR-22269-A, and R-22831 to extend the well commencement deadline one additional year, to September 2, 2025. Order No. R-22269, entered on September 2, 2022, pooled mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2N/2 of Section 25 and the N/2NE/4 of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 511H (f/k/a the Deep Ellum 25/26 B2AB Fed. Com. Well No. 1H) and also the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 611H (added under Order No. R-22831), horizontal wells with first take points in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 25 and last take points in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 26. Order No. R-22269 requires the commencement of drilling within one year of the date of the order unless the operator obtains an extension by amending the order for good cause shown. That period was extended one year by Order No. R-22269-A.

Case No. 24675: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order amending Order Nos. R-22270, R-22270-A, and R-22270-B, to extend the well commencement deadline one additional year, to September 2, 2024. Order No. R-22270, entered on September 2, 2022, pooled mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2N/2 of Section 25 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 513H (f/k/a the Deep Ellum 25/26 B2HG Fed. Com. Well No. 1H) and also the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 613H (added under Order No. R-22270-A), horizontal wells with first take points in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 25 and last take points in the SW/4NE/4 of Section 26. Order No. R-22270 requires the commencement of drilling within one year of the date of the order unless the operator obtains an extension by amending the order for good cause shown. That period was extended one year by Order No. R-22270-B.

Case No. 24676: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order amending Order No. R-22833, entered on August 17, 2023, to extend the well commencement deadline one year, to August 17, 2025. Order No. R-22833 pooled mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2S/2 of Section 25 and the N/2SE/4 of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 516H and the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 616H. Order No. R-22833 requires the commencement of drilling within one year of the date of the order unless the operator obtains an extension by amending the order for good cause shown.

Case No. 24677: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order amending Order No. R-22834, entered on August 17, 2023, to extend the well commencement deadline one year, to August 17, 2025. Order No. R-22834 pooled mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2S/2 of Section 25 and the S/2SE/4 of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 518H and the Deep Ellum 25/26 Fed. Com. Well No. 618H. Order No. R-22834 requires the commencement of drilling within one year of the date of the order unless the operator obtains an extension by amending the order for good cause shown.

OPPONENT

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

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EXHIBIT

Ariana Rodrigues  
(landman)

10 min.

Approx. 5

OPPONENT

WITNESSES

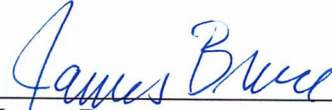
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**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

The cases will be presented by affidavit if unopposed.

Respectfully submitted,



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QUESTIONS

Action 365468

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**QUESTIONS**

<b>Testimony</b>	
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Number of witnesses	<i>Not answered.</i>
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