

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

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

CASE NOS. 25109 & 25110

APPLICANT’S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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 (“Mewbourne”)

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APPLICANT’S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Under **Case No. 25109**, Mewbourne seeks to pool the uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation (Pearl; Bone Spring; South [49865]) underlying a 1,572.79-acre, more or less, non-standard horizontal well spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation underlying Lots 3-4, E/2 SW/4, and SE/4 (S/2 equivalent) of irregular Section 7, Lots 1-4, E/2 W/2, and E/2 (entire Section equivalent) of irregular Sections 18 and 19, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks to initially dedicate the above-referenced spacing unit to the proposed **Black Pearl 7/19 Fed Com #526H**, to be drilled horizontally from a surface location in NW/4 SE/4 (Unit J) of irregular Section 7, a first take point in NW/4 SE/4 (Unit J) of irregular

Section 7 and last take point the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of irregular Section 19; and **Black Pearl 7/19 Fed Com #528H**, to be drilled horizontally from a surface location in NE/4 SE/4 (Unit I) of irregular Section 7, a first take point in NE/4 SE/4 (Unit I) of irregular Section 7 and last take point the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of irregular Section 19.

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Applicant has filed a separate administrative application for approval of a non-standard spacing unit. The completed interval for the wells will comply with statewide setbacks for oil wells. Mewbourne has sought but been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of these lands from all interest owners in the subject spacing units.

APPLICANT’S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Peyton Warren, Landman	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 5
Charles Crosby, Geologist	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Mewbourne requests that these matters be consolidated for hearing and intends to present these cases by self-affirmed statement if there is no opposition at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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Testimony	
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Number of witnesses	2
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