

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED  
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATIONS OF COLGATE CORPORATION  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 21072, 21074, 21075, and 21092

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

Colgate Corporation

APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY

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OPPONENTS

Mewbourne Oil Company

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Colgate Corporation ("Colgate") seeks orders pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation collectively underlying all of Section 25, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM and all of 30, Township 19 South, Range 30 East, NMPM.

OPPONENT

Mewbourne: Mewbourne is a working interest owner in the subject lands, and is sending proposal letters to the interest owners for wells conflicting with Colgate's, and will file counter-applications under which Mewbourne is the proposed operator. Thus, it opposes Colgate's's applications.

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

OPPONENT

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EXHIBITS

Mewbourne  
Tyler Jolly  
(landman)

20 min.

Approx. 12

Charles Crosby  
(geologist)

15 min.

Approx. 10

Travis Cude  
(engineer)

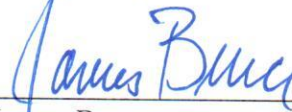
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**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Due to the current situation regarding contested Division cases, Mewbourne requests that the Division continue the above cases to a date after May 14, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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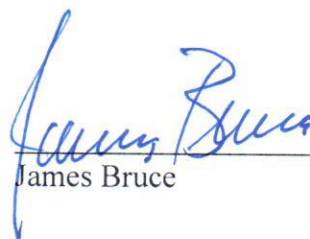
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