

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

**APPLICATIONS OF CHISHOLM ENERGY OPERATING, LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**Case No. 21849
Case No. 21850**

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

**Case No. 22161
Case No. 22162
Case No. 22163
Case No. 22164**

AMENDED AND RESTATED PRE-HEARING ORDER

This Amended and Restated Pre-Hearing Order follows a status conference held on August 5, 2021, before an Oil Conservation Division (“Division”) Hearing Examiner (“Examiner”), in which the hearing date was agreed to by all parties. A Pre-Hearing Order, which governed the cases above filed by Chisholm Energy Operating, LLC, was entered on May 7, 2021. At the status conference, Mewbourne Oil Company (“Mewbourne”) stated that it would be filing competing applications. Mewbourne filed the applications on August 10, 2021. The above referenced cases are consolidated for hearing.

1. The hearing will commence on November 4, 2021 following the completion of the Division’s regular hearing docket and continue as necessary through completion. If competing applications for compulsory pooling are timely filed prior to the hearing, the Examiner may consolidate the cases.

2. The hearing will be recorded and transcribed by a court reporter.

3. The hearing will be conducted using the virtual meeting platform; sign-in information will be sent to the parties closer to the date of the hearing. The Examiner may modify the format of the hearing consistent with the available resources and public distancing directives in place at the time of the hearing.

4. The parties shall file, with the pre-hearing statement required by 19.15.4.13.B NMAC, the following additional information, all of which is due by 5 p.m. no later than seven (7) calendar days before the hearing:

a. a list of material facts not in dispute;

- b. a list of disputed facts and issues;
- c. identification of the witnesses and their qualifications; and
- d. a full narrative of the direct testimony and exhibits for each witness.

5. Any evidentiary objections to the filed direct testimony or any exhibit shall be filed by 5 p.m. no later than two (2) calendar days before the hearing and will be addressed at the commencement of the hearing.

6. All witnesses filing direct testimony shall attend the hearing and will be subject to cross examination by counsel for the parties and the Division Examiners.

7. Any requests for continuances or status conferences shall be filed in writing through the Division fee portal.

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HEARING EXAMINER

Date: August 17, 2021