Page 1

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:

CASE NOS: 22245

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

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF VIRTUAL PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

DECEMBER 2, 2021

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

This matter came on for virtual hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, HEARING OFFICER WILLIAM BRANCARD and TECHNICAL EXAMINERS DEAN McCLURE and DYLAN ROSE-COSS on Thursday, December 2, 2021, through the Webex Platform.

Reported by: Irene Delgado, NMCCR 253

PAUL BACA PROFESSIONAL COURT REPORTERS

500 Fourth Street, NW, Suite 105

Albuquerque, NM 87102

505-843-9241

1		
		Page 2
1	APPEARANCES	
2	For the Applicant:	
	JAMES BRUCE	
4	P.O. Box 1056 Santa Fe, NM 87504-1056	
	505-982-2151 jamesbruce@aol.com	
6		
7	CASE CALLED	
8	STATUS CONFERENCE	03
9 1	REPORTER CERTIFICATE	
10		
11		
12		
13		
14		
15		
16		
17		
18		
19		
20		
21		
22		
23		
24		
25		

Page 3

- 1 HEARING EXAMINER BRANCARD: Call Case 22245,
- 2 Mewbourne Oil Company, and that may be the same issue. Is
- 3 that correct, Mr. Bruce?
- 4 MR. BRUCE: That is correct. Jim Bruce for
- 5 Mewbourne Oil Company, same situation just additional time
- 6 needed to be added to the publication notice, and that has
- 7 been accomplished, so the matter can be taken under
- 8 advisement.
- 9 HEARING EXAMINER BRANCARD: All right. And I
- 10 think we had asked when whether your client had any
- 11 additional information on the one person they were seeking
- 12 to pool who you assumed was deceased, but --
- 13 MR. BRUCE: Yes. I have asked my client for
- 14 that, and unfortunately they did not get back to me. I will
- 15 get back to you ASAP.
- 16 HEARING EXAMINER BRANCARD: Okay. Are there any
- 17 other interested persons in Cases 22 -- in Case Number
- 18 22245?
- 19 (No audible response.)
- 20 HEARING EXAMINER BRANCARD: Hearing none, we will
- 21 take it under advisement, and the record left open for any
- 22 additional information on that notice party.
- MR. BRUCE: Thank you.

24

25

Page 4 STATE OF NEW MEXICO 2. COUNTY OF BERNALILLO 3 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE 5 I, IRENE DELGADO, New Mexico Certified Court 6 7 Reporter, CCR 253, do hereby certify that I reported the 8 foregoing virtual proceedings in stenographic shorthand and 9 that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript 10 of those proceedings to the best of my ability. I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by 11 nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case 12 13 and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this 14 case. 15 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Virtual Proceeding was of reasonable quality. 16 Dated this 2nd day of December 2021. 17 18 /s/ Irene Delgado 19 Irene Delgado, NMCCR 253 20 License Expires: 12-31-21 2.1 22 23 2.4 25