

**BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY  
TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21217, EDDY COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.**

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION**

Mewbourne Oil Company applies for an order amending Order No. R-21217, and in support thereof states:

1. Order No. R-21217 pooled all mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2S/2 of Section 25 and the S/2SE/4 of Section 26, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

2. Applicant proposes to drill the Foxhole 25/26 W0PO Fed Com. Well No. 1H to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation, with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of 25 and a final take point in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 26. Order No. R-21217 designates Applicant as operator of the well.

3. This matter was heard on February 6, 2020, and Order No. R-21217 was entered on April 7, 2020 using the "interim form of order." A newer, amended order template was described in a letter of the Division Director date April 9, 2020 (the "Amended Order Template").

4. Applicant requests that Order No. R-21217 be amended to conform to the Amended Order Template.

5. Paragraph 19 of Order No. R-21217 requires the operator to commence the well within one year of the date of issuance. Paragraph 20 of Order No. R-21217 provides that the

order will terminate if the well is not timely commenced, unless the operator “obtains an extension by an amendment of this Order for good cause shown.”

6. Applicant requests an extension of the drilling deadline due to market conditions which have altered drilling schedules until commodity prices improve, and due to the corona virus situation. Thus good cause exists for Applicant’s request for an extension.

7. Applicant requests an extension of the well commencement deadline to April 7, 2022.

**WHEREFORE**, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order amending Order No. R-21217 (i) to conform to the Amended Order Template, and (ii) to extend the well commencement deadline to April 7, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,



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