## BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21412, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## **APPLICATION**

Mewbourne Oil Company applies for an order amending Order No. R-21412, and in support thereof, states:

- 1. Order No. R-21412 pooled all mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 of Section 20 and the S/2 of Section 19, Township 22 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico,
- 2. Applicant proposes to drill (a) the Little Giants 20/19 W0PM Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, (b) the Little Giants 20/19 W0PM Fed. Com. Well No. 2H, and (c) the Little Giants 20/19 W0IL Fed. Com. Well No. 3H. Order No. R-21412 designates applicant as operator of the wells.
- 3. This matter was heard on July 3, 2020, and Order No. R-21412 was entered on July 29 2020. Paragraph 19 of the order requires the operator to commence the well within one year of the date of issuance. Paragraph 20 of Order No. R-21412 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."
- 4. Applicant requests an extension of the drilling deadline due to market conditions which have altered drilling schedules, and due to the coronavirus situation. Thus good cause exists for Applicant's request for an extension.
- 5. Applicant requests an extension of the well commencement deadline to July 29, 2022.

**WHEREFORE**, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order amending Order No. R-21412 to extend the well commencement deadline to July 29, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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