

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

**APPLICATION TO AMEND ORDER
NOS. R-21804 AND R-21805 TO EXTEND
TIME FOR PAYING ESTIMATED COSTS**

Case No. 22439

**MOTION TO ALLOW FILING OF RESPONSE TO MOTION TO DISMISS
NO LATER THAN APRIL 4, 2022**

Applicant hereby moves that it be allowed until April 4, 2022, to file a response to Mewbourne's motion to dismiss in the above-referenced matter. In support of this motion, Applicant states as follows:

1. The above matter is currently set for a contested hearing on April 21, 2022.
2. The prehearing order in this matter provides that any motions to dismiss must be filed by March 21, 2022 and shall be addressed at the hearing.
3. Mewbourne timely filed its motion to dismiss on April 18, 2022.
4. 19.15.4.16(C) NMAC provides that the division examiner "shall allow interested parties an opportunity, reasonable under the circumstances, to respond to the motion."
5. Undersigned counsel will be out of the office and unavailable from approximately noon on Wednesday, March 23 until Monday, March 28, 2022.
6. Allowing a response to the motion to dismiss to be filed no later than April 4, 2022, is reasonable under the circumstances, because the motion will not be heard until April 21, 2022.
7. Undersigned counsel has conferred with Mewbourne counsel, who does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that it be allowed until April 4, 2022, to file a response to Mewbourne's motion to dismiss.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on March 22, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading was served on the following:

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