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

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21186, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 21809

MOTION TO CORRECT ORDER

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne") moves the Division to correct Order No. R-21186-A, and in support thereof, states:

- 1. Order No. R-21186, issued in Case No. 21058, pooled the N/2N/2 of Section 25 and the N/2NE/4 of Section 26, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, for purposes of drilling the Foxhole 25/26 WOAB Fed. Com. Well No. 1H. The order was dated April 14, 2020.
- 2. In Case No. 21809 Mewbourne applied to amend the pooling order to extend the drilling deadline to April 14, 2022. The application is attached as Exhibit A. This application was granted by Order No. R-21186-A, dated April 13, 2021. The order is attached as Exhibit B.
- 3. There are two typos in Order No. R-21186. First, in Finding Paragraph 1, the Original order number is given as R-218186. Second (most importantly), in Ordering Paragraph 7, the deadline is extended only until April 14, 2021. Mewbourne requests that these two typos be corrected.
- 4. Applicant commenced the well before April 14, 20<u>22</u>, but not before April 14, 20<u>21</u>.

WHEREFORE, Mewbourne requests that Order No. R-21186-A be corrected as to the two items noted in paragraph 3 above.

Respectfully submitted,

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BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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APPLICATION

Mewbourne Oil Company applies for an order amending Order No. R-21186, and in support thereof states:

- 1. Order No. R-21186 pooled all mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2N/2 of Section 25 and the N/2NE/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 W0AB Fed Com. Well No. 1H to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation, with a first take point in the NE/4NE/4 of 25 and a final take point in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 26. Order No. R-21186 designates Applicant as operator of the well.
- 3. This matter was heard on February 6, 2020, and Order No. R-21186 was entered on April 14, 2020 using an "interim form of order." A newer, amended order template was described in a letter of the Division Director dated April 9, 2020 (the "Amended Order Template").
- 4. Applicant requests that Order No. R-21186 be amended to conform to the Amended Order Template.
- 5. Paragraph 19 of Order No. R-21186 requires the operator to commence the well within one year of the date of issuance. Paragraph 20 of Order No. R-21186 provides that the

EXHIBIT

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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, and due to the coronavirus situation. Thus good cause exists for Applicant's request for an extension.
- 7. Applicant requests an extension of the well commencement deadline to April 14, 2022.

WHEREFORE, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order amending Order No. R-21186 (i) to conform to the Amended Order Template, and (ii) to extend the well commencement deadline to April 14, 2022.

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IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR COMPULSORY POOLING SUBMITTED BY MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY

CASE NO. 21809 ORDER NO. R-21186-A

ORDER

The Director of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("OCD"), having heard this matter through a Hearing Examiner on April 8, 2021, and after considering the testimony, evidence, and recommendation of the Hearing Examiner, issues the following Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Mewbourne Oil Company ("Operator") submitted an application ("Application") requesting an extension to drill the well(s) as required by Order R-218186.
- 2. Operator identified the owners of uncommitted interests in oil and gas minerals in the Unit and provided evidence that notice of the Application was given.
- 3. The Application was heard by the Hearing Examiner, during which Operator presented evidence through affidavits in support of the Application. No other party presented evidence at the hearing.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 4. OCD has jurisdiction to issue this Order pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 70-2-17.
- 5. Operator satisfied the notice requirements for the Application and the hearing as required by 19.15.4.12 NMAC.
- 6. OCD satisfied the notice requirements for the hearing as required by 19.15.4.9 NMAC.

ORDER

- 7. The period to drill the well is extended until April 14, 2021.
- 8. This Order shall terminate automatically if Operator fails to comply with Paragraph 7 unless prior to termination Operator applies, and OCD grants, to amend Order R-21186 for good cause shown.
- 9. OCD retains jurisdiction of this matter for the entry of such orders as may be deemed necessary.
- 10. The remaining provisions of Order R-21186 remain in force or effect.



STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Date: 4/13/2021

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