#### **CASE NO. 24147**

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

#### **EXHIBIT LIST**

#### PART II

- 4. Affidavit of Mailing
  - 4-A: Notice Letter
  - 4-B: Certified Notice Spreadsheet
- 5. Affidavit of Publication
- 6. Application and Proposed Notice

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

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

Case Nos. 24146-24149

SELF-AFFIRMED	<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF</b>	NOTICE

COUNTY OF SANTA FE	)
	) ss
STATE OF NEW MEXICO	)

James Bruce deposes and states:

- 1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
- 2. I am an attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company.
- 3. Mewbourne Oil Company has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the applications filed herein.
- 4. Notice of the applications was provided to the interest owners, at their last known addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Exhibit 4-A.
  - 5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules.

I understand that this Self-Affirmed Statement will be used as written testimony in this case. I affirm that my testimony in paragraphs 1 through 5 above is true and correct and is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico. My testimony is made as of the date handwritten next to my signature below.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_

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EXHIBIT

JAMES BRUCE ATTORNEY AT LAW

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January 11, 2024

#### CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

To: Persons on Exhibit A

Ladies and gentlemen:

EXHIBIT 4-A

Enclosed are copies of four applications, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Mewbourne Oil Company, requesting the following relief:

Case No. 24146: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of N/2N/2 of Section 16 and the N/2NE/4 of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. The unit will be dedicated to the Mockingbird 16/17 Fed. Com. Well No. 521H, with a first take point in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 16 and a last take point in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 17.

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Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

#### EXHIBIT A

MRC Delaware Resources LLC Attn: NM Permian Land Manager 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1500 Dallas, TX 75240

WPX Energy Permian LLC Attn: Permian Land Manager 333 W. Sheridan Ave. Oklahoma City, OK 73102

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Richard K. Barr 8027 Chalk Knoll Drive Austin, TX 78735

Cal-Mon Oil Company 200 N. Loraine, Suite 1404 Midland, TX 79701

B&L Equipment P.O. Box 60476 Midland, TX 79711

Heirs of Virginia P. Monaghan 2610 W. Sunnyside Ave. Chicago, IL 60625

RLMPKM, LLC 200 N. Loraine, Suite 1404 Midland, TX 79701

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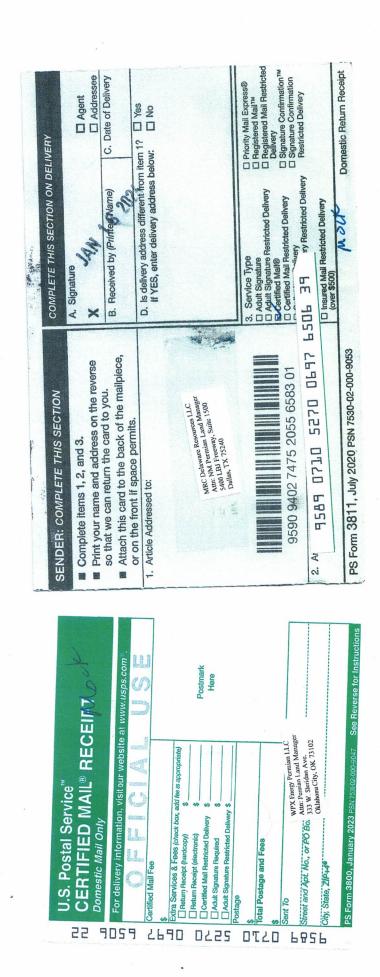
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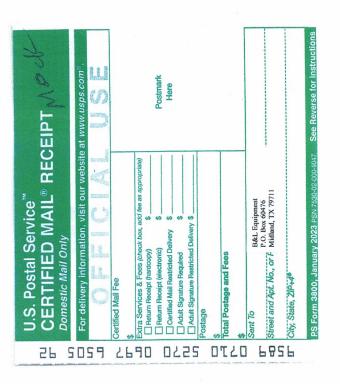
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#### **CASE NOS. 24146-24149**

### STATUS OF CERTIFIED NOTICE

INTEREST OWNER	MAILING DATE	RECEIPT DATE	CARD RETURNED
MRC Delaware Resources	January 11, 2024	January 16, 2024	Yes
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WPX Energy Permian LLC	January 11, 2024	January 17, 2024	Yes
H.R. Stasney	January 11, 2024	January 17, 2024	Yes
Richard K. Barr	January 11, 2024	February 24, 2024	Yes
Cal-Mon Oil Company	January 11, 2024	January 16, 2024	Yes
B&L Equipment	January 11, 2024	Unclaimed	No
Virginia P. Monaghan	January 11, 2024	Unknown	Yes
RLMPKM LLC	January 11, 2024	January 16, 2024	Yes
Jami Huber Owen	January 11, 2024	January 20, 2024	Yes
Jessica Seligman	January 11, 2024	January 22, 2024	Yes
Kenneth Gavin Seligman (a/k/a Ken Seligman)	January 11, 2024	Unknown	Yes

NOTE: All of the above persons were notified of the cases filed herein. However, only the persons highlighted in yellow are now being pooled.

EXHIBIT 4.13

## Carlsbad Current Argus.

# Affidavit of Publication Ad # 0005874894 This is not an invoice

JAMES BRUCE ATTORNEY AT LAW POBOX 1056

SANTA FE, NM 87504

I, a legal clerk of the Carlsbad Current Argus, a newspaper published daily at the City of Carlsbad, in said county of Eddy, state of New Mexico and of general paid circulation in said county; that the same is a duly qualified newspaper under the laws of the State wherein legal notices and advertisements may be published; that the printed notice attached hereto was published in the regular and entire edition of said newspaper and not in supplement thereof in editions dated as follows:

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Legal Clerk

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EXHIBIT 5

#### NOTICE

To: MRC Delaware Resources LLC, WPX Energy Permian LLC, H.R. Stasny, Richard K. Barr, Cal-Mon Oil Company, B&L Equipment, Virginia P. Monaghan, RLMPKM LLC, Jami Huber Owen, Jessica Seligman, and Kenneth Gavin Seligman (a/k/a Ken Seligman), or your heirs, devisees, successors, or assigns: Mewbourne Oil Company has filed four applications with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, requesting the following relief:

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#### BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

Case No. 24/47

#### APPLICATION

Mewbourne Oil Company applies for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, and in support thereof, states:

- 1. Applicant is an interest owner in the S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17 (containing 240 acres), and has the right to drill a well or wells thereon.
- 2. Applicant proposes to drill the Mockingbird 16/17 Fed. Com. Well No. 523H to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation, with a first take point in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 16 and a last take point in the SW/4NE/4 of Section 17.
- 3. Applicant has in good faith sought to obtain the voluntary joinder of all other mineral interest owners in the S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17 for the purposes set forth herein.
- 4. Although applicant attempted to obtain voluntary agreements from all mineral interest owners to participate in the drilling of the well or to otherwise commit their interests to the well, certain interest owners have failed or refused to join in dedicating their interests. Therefore, applicant seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17, pursuant to NMSA 1978 §70-2-17.

EXHIBIT 6

5. The pooling of all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17 will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste, and protect correlative rights.

**WHEREFORE**, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order:

- A. Pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation (Sand Tank; Bone Spring/Pool Code 96832) underlying the S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17;
- B. Designating applicant as operator of the well;
- C. Considering the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the well, and allocating the cost among the well's working interest owners;
- D. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
- E. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the well in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the well.

Respectfully submitted,

James Bruce

Post Office Box 1056

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

(505) 982-2043

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of S/2N/2 of Section 16 and the S/2NE/4 of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. The unit will be dedicated to the Mockingbird 16/17 Fed. Com. Well No. 523H, with a first take point in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 16 and a last take point in the SW/4NE/4 of Section 17. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the well. The unit is located approximately 9 miles southwest of Loco Hills, New Mexico.