# 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. 24705 - 24706

### **PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne") as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

#### **APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT** 

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OTHER PARTIES

OTHER PARTIES' ATTORNEYS

# STATEMENT OF THE CASE

# **APPLICANT**

Case No. 24705: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a non-standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of Sections 27, 28, and 29, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to: (a) The Pinta 29/27 Fed. Com. Well No. 528H, with a first take point in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 29 and a last take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 27; (b) The Pinta 29/27 Fed. Com. Well No. 618H, with a first take point in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 29 and a last take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 27; and (c) The Pinta 29/27 Fed. Com. Well No. 613H, with a first take point in the SW/4NW/4 of Section 29 and a last take point in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 27. Applicant also requests that existing pooling Order Nos. R-22327, as amended, and R-22328, as amended, be vacated.

Case No. 24706: Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a non-standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of Sections 27, 28, and 29, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to: (a) The Pinta 29/27 Fed. Com. Well No. 711H, with a first take point in the

NW/4NW/4 of Section 29 and a last take point in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 27; and (b) The Pinta 29/27 Fed. Com. Well No. 716H, with a first take point in the NW/4SW/4 of Section 29 and a last take point in the NE/4SE/4 of Section 27.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells.

### **OPPONENT**

### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

### **APPLICANT**

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<u>EXHIBIT</u>
Braxton Blandford (landman)	10 min.	Approx. 5
Tyler Hill (geologist)	10 Min.	Approx. 8

### **OPPONENT**

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<b>EXHIBIT</b>
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### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

The cases will be presented by affidavit if unopposed.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 369509

### **QUESTIONS**

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MEWBOURNE OIL CO	14744
P.O. Box 5270	Action Number:
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#### QUESTIONS

Testimony		
Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.		
Number of witnesses	Not answered.	
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.	