

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

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

**CASE NOS. 25424-25425**

**MEWBOURNE'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne" or "Applicant") submits this consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT**

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("Mewbourne")

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**APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

Under these consolidated cases, Mewbourne seeks orders pooling for the referenced acreage, all in Township 18 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in the Bone Spring formation (Reeves; Bone Spring [51870]) as follows:

- In **Case No. 25424**, Mewbourne seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interest owners in a standard 320-acre, more or less, well spacing unit underlying the W/2 W/2 of Sections 14 and 23, and to initially dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to the proposed **Picanha 23/14 State Com 521H** well, to be drilled

from a surface hole location and first take point in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 23, to a last take point in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 14; and

- In **Case No. 25425**, Mewbourne seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interest owners in a standard 320-acre, more or less, well spacing unit underlying the E/2 W/2 of Sections 14 and 23, and to initially dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to the proposed **Picanha 23/14 State Com 523H** well, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 23, a first take point in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N), and to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 14.

The completed interval for the wells will comply with statewide setbacks for oil wells. Mewbourne has sought but been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of these lands from all interest owners in the subject spacing units. The pooling of uncommitted interest owners in the proposed spacing unit will allow Applicant to obtain a just and fair share of the oil and gas underlying the subject lands, avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, will prevent waste, and will protect correlative rights.

#### **APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**


<b>WITNESS Name and Expertise</b>	<b>ESTIMATED TIME</b>	<b>EXHIBITS</b>
Peyton Warren, Landman	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 4
Charles Crosby, Geologist	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 3

#### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Mewbourne requests that these matters be consolidated for hearing and intends to present these cases by self-affirmed statement if there is no opposition at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 481668

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