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

APPLICATIONS OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY TO EXTEND TIME TO COMPLETE DRILLING OPERATIONS UNDER ORDER NOS. R-23522 and R-23521, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NOS. 25617 - 25618 ORDER NOS. R-23522 and R-23521

# CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

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None.

# STATEMENT OF THE CASES

In Case No. 25617, Applicant requests a one-year extension of time, until October 23, 2026, to complete drilling operations for the wells authorized by Order No. R-23522. The Division issued Order R-23522 in Case No. 24706 on October 23, 2024. Order No. R-23522: (1) pooled uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a 1,920-acre, non-standard

horizontal spacing unit comprised of Sections 27, 28, and 29, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, Eddy County, New Mexico; (2) dedicated the unit to the **Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 711H** and **Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 716H** wells; and (3) designated Applicant as operator of the unit and Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 711H and Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 716H wells.

In Case No. 25618, Applicant requests a one-year extension of time, until October 23, 2026, to complete drilling operations for the wells authorized by Order No. R-23521. The Division issued Order No. R-23521 in Case No. 24705 on October 23, 2024. Order No. R-23521: (1) pooled uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 1,920-acre, non-standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of Sections 27, 28, and 29, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, Eddy County, New Mexico; (2) dedicated the unit to the Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 528H, Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 613H and Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 618H wells; and (3) designated Applicant as operator of the unit and Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 528H, Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 613H, and Pinta 29/27 Fed Com 618H wells.

Good cause exists for the requested one-year extension of time to complete drilling the Pinta 29/27 Fed Com wells, because the wells have been spud, however, Mewbourne is still in the process of drilling and completing the wells.

### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Witness	Occupation	<b>Estimated Time</b>	Exhibits
Braxton Blandford	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 2

#### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Applicant intends to consolidate these cases for presentation at hearing, and will present the cases by affidavit if there is no opposition to its applications.

# Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 511746

#### **QUESTIONS**

Operator:	OGRID:
MEWBOURNE OIL CO	14744
P.O. Box 5270	Action Number:
Hobbs, NM 88241	511746
	Action Type:
	[HEAR] Prehearing Statement (PREHEARING)

#### QUESTIONS

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