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

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

CASE NOS. 25661 & 25662

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Applicant") files this pre-hearing statement with the Oil Conservation Division pursuant to Division Rules.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

<u>Case No. 25661</u>: *Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico*: Mewbourne Oil Company ("Applicant") has filed an application with the Oil Conservation Division (the "Division") for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a non-standard spacing unit comprised of Lots 1-4 and the S/2N/2 (the N/2) of Section 5, and Lots 1-5, SE/4NW/4, and S/2NE/4 (the N/2) of Section 6, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit). Applicant proposes to drill the following wells in the Unit:

- (a) The Fresh Squeezed 6/5 Fed. Com. Well No. 404H, with a first take point in the SW/4NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 6 and a last take point in the SE/4NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 5;
- (b) The Fresh Squeezed 6/5 Fed. Com. Well No. 521H, with a first take point in the NW/4NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 6 and a last take point in the NE/4NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 5; and

(c) The Fresh Squeezed 6/5 Fed. Com. Well No. 523H, with a first take point in the SW/4NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 6 and a last take point in the SE/4NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 5.

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- (a) The Fresh Squeezed 6/5 Fed. Com. Well No. 408H, with a first take point in the SW/4SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 6 and a last take point in the SE/4SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 5;
- (b) The Fresh Squeezed 6/5 Fed. Com. Well No. 526H, with a first take point in the NW/4SW/4 (Unit L) of Section 6 and a last take point in the NE/4SE/4 (Unit I) of Section 5; and
- (c) The Fresh Squeezed 6/5 Fed. Com. Well No. 528H, with a first take point in the SW/4SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 6 and a last take point in the SE/4SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 5.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells, and the allocation of the cost thereof among the wells' working interest owners, designation of Applicant as operator of the wells and the Units, approval actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure, and setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

Witnesses	Estimated Time	Exhibits
Josh Anderson (Landman)	10 minutes	Approx. 5
Charlie Crosby (Geologist)	10 minutes	Approx. 5

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

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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.	