

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED  
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

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

Case No. 13,410

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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OPPONENT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the base of the Queen formation to the base of the Bone Spring formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, and in the following manner: The S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  to form a standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 80-acre spacing within that vertical extent; and the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within that vertical extent. The units are to be dedicated to applicant's proposed Pinta "29" Fed. Well No. 1, to be drilled at a location in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 29 (510 feet FSL and 1830 feet FEL). Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing 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

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drilling and completing the well.

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**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

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EXHIBITS

THIS MATTER WAS PREVIOUSLY HEARD, AND TESTIMONY PRESENTED, BUT CONTINUED DUE TO A CHANGE IN WELL LOCATION. APPLICANT WILL PRESENT AN AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF THE APPLICATION.

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**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

-None-

Respectfully submitted,



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