

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

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

**Case No 15,638**

**AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE**

COUNTY OF SANTA FE    )  
  ) ss  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO )

James Bruce being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states

1       I am over the age of 18 and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein

2       I am an attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

3       Mewbourne Oil Company has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein

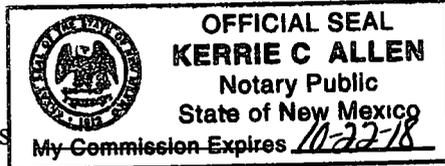
4       Notice of the application was provided to the interest owners, at their last known addresses by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Attachment A

5       Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules NMAC 19 15 4 9 and 19 15 4 12 C

  
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James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 1st day of March, 2017 by James Bruce

My Commission Expires



  
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Notary Public

EXHIBIT 17

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February 9 2017

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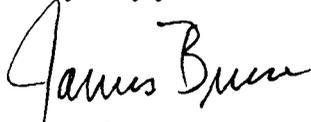
Ladies and gentlemen

Enclosed is a copy of an application for compulsory pooling, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Mewbourne Oil Company, regarding a Wolfcamp well in the E½ of Section 3, Township 24 South, Range 28 East NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico

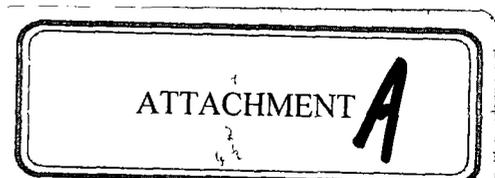
This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8 15 a m on Thursday March 2, 2017, in Porter Hall at the Division's offices at 1220 South St Francis Drive Santa Fe New Mexico 87505 You are not required to attend this hearing but as an owner of an interest who may be affected by the application, you may appear and present testimony Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date

A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, February 23, 2017 This statement must be filed with the Division's Santa Fe office at the above address and should include The names of the party and his or her attorney, a concise statement of the case the names of the witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing the approximate time the party will need to present its case and identification of any procedural matters that need to be resolved prior to the hearing

Very truly yours

  
James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company



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EXHIBIT

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J M Turney and husband Steve Turney  
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Fort Worth Texas 76109

Estate of John P Bates Deceased  
5214 Ridgewood Reef  
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