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.

JAMESBRUCE

Case No. 14,359

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Yeso formation underlying the NW/4NW/4 of Section 10, Township 20 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for all pools or formations developed on 40-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Undesignated Cemetary-Yeso Pool. The unit is to be dedicated to the proposed Long Draw "10" D Well No. 1, to be drilled at an orthodox location in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 10. 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 drilling and completing the well.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

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EXHIBITS

D. Paul Haden

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IF THIS MATTER IS UNOPPOSED IT MAY BE SUBMITTED BY AFFIDAVIT.

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,

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