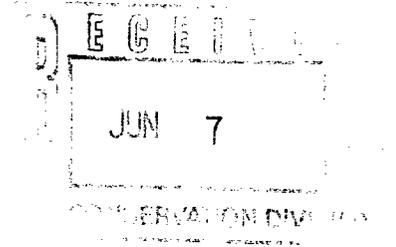


STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL
COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS
WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO



CASE NO. 11,548

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 requests permission to drill a well at an unorthodox location to test the Morrow formation. The Morrow well unit is the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 33, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, and the well will be located 1650 feet FNL and 660 feet FWL. The primary target of the well is the North Dagger Draw-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool, and the well location is orthodox for that pool. However, the total depth of the well will be in the Morrow formation, necessitating approval of the unorthodox location.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Steve Cobb (landman)	10 min.	1. Land plat 2. Waiver letters 3. Notice affidavit
 (geologist)	10 min.	1. Structure map 2. Isopach 3. Cross-section

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

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