BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-22188, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

APPLICATION

Mewbourne Oil Company applies for an order amending Order No. R-22188, and in support thereof states:

- 1. Order No. R-22188 pooled all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Woofcamp formation underlying a (proximity tract) horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 of Section 1 and the S/2 of Section 2, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.
- 2. Applicant proposes to drill the Desert Eagle 1/2 W0PM Fed Com. Well No. 1H to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation, with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 1 and a last take point in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 2. The wellbore will be located approximately 1310 feet from the south lines of Sections 1 and 2. Order No. R-22188 designates Applicant as operator of the well.
- 3. This matter (Case No. 22240) was heard on April 21, 2022, and Order No. R-22188 was entered on July 11, 2022. Paragraph 19 of Order No. R-22188 requires the operator to commence the well within one year of the date of issuance. Paragraph 20 of Order No. R-22188 provides that the order will terminate if the well is not timely commenced, unless the operator "obtains an extension by amending this Order for good cause shown."
- 4. Applicant plans on drilling the well, but would like an extension in order to collect more data from well results in the area, including some recently drilled by Applicant.

Applicant will apply what it learns from these results in order to increase productivity and prevent economic waste. Thus good cause exists for Applicant's request for an extension.

Applicant requests an extension of the well commencement deadline of Order No.
R-22188 to July 11, 2024.

WHEREFORE, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order amending Order No. R-22188 to extend the well commencement deadline to July 11, 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

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