

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 A NONSTANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. CASE NO. 15886

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

January 11, 2018

Santa Fe, New Mexico

BEFORE: MICHAEL McMILLAN, CHIEF EXAMINER
WILLIAM V. JONES, TECHNICAL EXAMINER
DAVID K. BROOKS, LEGAL EXAMINER

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, Michael McMillan, Chief Examiner, William V. Jones, Technical Examiner, and David K. Brooks, Legal Examiner, on Thursday, January 11, 2018, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Porter Hall, Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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1 (8:30 a.m.)

2 EXAMINER McMILLAN: So the next case I
3 would like to hear is Case Number 15886, application of
4 Mewbourne Oil Company for a nonstandard oil spacing and
5 proration unit and compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New
6 Mexico.

7 Call for appearances.

8 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce of
9 Santa Fe representing the Applicant.

10 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Any other appearances?
11 Please proceed.

12 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, this case was
13 heard in December. It was continued for notice
14 purposes. There was one offset, OXY USA, Inc., which
15 had not returned a green card, and that was reflected in
16 original Exhibit 8. And I'm just submitting Exhibit 8A,
17 which is the green card for OXY, and I'd ask the
18 admission of Exhibit 8A and that the case be taken under
19 advisement.

20 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Exhibit 8A may now be
21 accepted as part of the record. And Case Number 15886
22 shall be taken under advisement.

23 Thank you.

24 (Mewbourne Exhibit Number 8A is offered and
25 admitted into evidence.)

1 (Case Number 15886 concludes, 8:31 a.m.)
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4 CERTIFICATE OF COURT REPORTER

5 I, MARY C. HANKINS, Certified Court
6 Reporter, New Mexico Certified Court Reporter No. 20,
7 and Registered Professional Reporter, do hereby certify
8 that I reported the foregoing proceedings in
9 stenographic shorthand and that the foregoing pages are
10 a true and correct transcript of those proceedings that
11 were reduced to printed form by me to the best of my
12 ability.

13 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Reporter's
14 Record of the proceedings truly and accurately reflects
15 the exhibits, if any, offered by the respective parties.

16 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither
17 employed by nor related to any of the parties or
18 attorneys in this case and that I have no interest in
19 the final disposition of this case.

20 DATED on ^ DATE, 2018.

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24 Certified Court Reporter
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