

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

**APPLICATION OF MESQUITE SWD, INC.  
TO AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
SWD-1696 FOR A SALT WATER DISPOSAL  
WELL IN EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 16308**

**MESQUITE'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Mesquite SWD, Inc. ("Mesquite") submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT**

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**STATEMENT OF CASE**

In Case No. 16308, Mesquite seeks an order from the Division amending Administrative Order SWD-1696 to permit an increase in the diameter of the injection tubing in its Mesa Verde SWD Well No. 3 to allow for the use of 7-inch tubing inside the surface and intermediate casings and 5 ½ inch tubing inside the liner and to increase injection rates. The subject well is located in Unit N of Section 13, Township 24 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

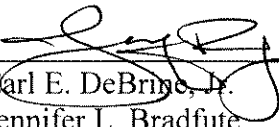
## PROPOSED EVIDENCE

### MESQUITE:

<u>WITNESS</u>	<u>ESTIMATED TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Riley Neatherlin – Operations	Approx. 15	Approx. 5
Kate Zeigler - Geologist	Approx. 15	Approx. 4
Scott Wilson - Engineer	Approx. 20	Approx. 11
Susan Bilek - Seismologist	Approx. 15	Approx. 7
Stephen Nave – Fishing Expert	Approx. 15	Approx. 5

Respectfully submitted,

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