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.

Case No. 16499

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation in a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2S/2 of Section 35 and the S/2S/2 of Section 34, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Wishbone 35/34 B2PM State Com. Well No. 1H, a horizontal well with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 35 and a final take point in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 34. 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.

OPPONENT

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

<u>WITNESSES</u> <u>EST. TIME</u> <u>EXHIBITS</u>

Paul Haden 15 min. Approx. 6 (landman)

Jordan Carrell 15 min. Approx. 4 (geologist)

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

If there is no opposition, applicant will submit this case by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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