# STATE OF NEW MEXICO AND CONSERVATION DIVISION UNDER SEP -8 A 11: 02

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 AND AN UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 15,542

## PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

#### **APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT** 

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**OPPONENT** 

OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

#### **APPLICANT**

Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the E/2 of Section 26. Township 23 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, to form a standard 320 acre gas spacing and proration unit. The unit will be dedicated to the Iceman 26 W2AP Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, a horizontal well with a surface location 205 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line, and a terminus 330 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the east line, of Section 26. The producing interval will be unorthodox. 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

# <u>APPLICANT</u>

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

Corey Mitchell 10 min. Approx. 6 (landman)

Nate Cless or Jason Lodge 15 min. Approx. 4 (geologist)

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#### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,

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