

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
TO REOPEN CASE NO. 13158 FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 13,158 (Reopened)

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1-21-04

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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OPPONENT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant commenced the La Huerta "30" Well No. 1, as approved in Order No. R-12057, but had to abandon the location due to mechanical problems and move the surface location. Applicant seeks pooling of the new location for the La Huerta "30" Well No. 1Y.

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the top of the Cisco formation to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the S½ of Section 30, Township 21 South, Range 27 East, NMPM to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 320-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Burton Flat-Morrow Gas Pool. The unit is to be dedicated to applicant's La Huerta "30" Well No. 1Y, to be drilled from a surface location approximately 823 feet from the south line and 945 feet from the east line (Unit P) of Section 19, Township 21 South, Range 27 East, NMPM to an orthodox bottomhole location in the SE¼SE¼ (Unit P) of Section 30. 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.

OPPONENTPROPOSED EVIDENCEAPPLICANT

WITNESSES
Paul Haden
(landman)

EST. TIME
10 min.

EXHIBITS
Approx. 4

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WITNESSES

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EXHIBITS

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,



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