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.

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Oil Conservation Division

CASE NO. 11,831

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

Applicant seeks an order pooling all formations spaced on 40, 80, 160, and 320 acres, from 5000 feet subsurface to the base of the Morrow formation, underlying the W% §4 - T18S - R28E. There are several interest owners who have not agreed to voluntarily join in applicant's proposed well, which will be at an orthodox location in the SW% §4.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

<u>APPLICANT</u>

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Steve Cobb (landman)	10 min.	 Land plat Ownership list Correspondence AFE Notice affidavit
Ralph Moore (geologist)	10 min.	 Structure map Production map Isopach
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

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