

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL  
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 11,956

AFFIDAVIT REGARDING NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO        )  
COUNTY OF SANTA FE        ) ss.

James Bruce, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein.

2. I am an attorney for Applicant.

3. Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the Application filed herein.

4. Notice of the Application was provided to the interest owner at its correct address by mailing it, by certified mail, a copy of the Application. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipt are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rule 1207.

  
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James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 1st day of April, 1998, by James Bruce.

  
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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  
3/14/2001

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Mewbourne EXHIBIT 1

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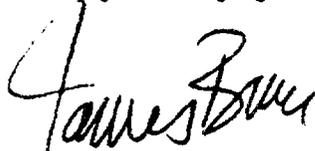
**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Natomas North America, Inc.  
c/o Michael C. Forrest  
717 North Harwood Street  
Dallas, Texas 75201

Dear Sirs:

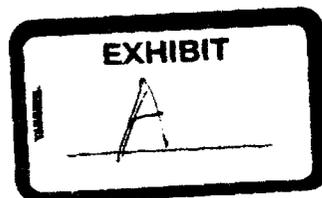
Enclosed is a copy of an application for compulsory pooling filed at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Mewbourne Oil Company regarding the N $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 35, Township 23 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This matter will be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, April 2, 1998 at the Division's offices at 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. As an interest owner in the well unit, you have the right to appear at the hearing and participate in the case. Failure to appear at the hearing will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,



James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne  
Oil Company



**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

3. Article Addressed to:

Michael C. Forrest  
 Natomas North America, Inc.  
 717 North Harwood Street  
 Dallas, Texas 75201

5. Received By: (Print Name)

*Michael C. Forrest*

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

*M. C. Forrest*

PS Form 3800, December 1994

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Domestic Return Receipt

- I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):
- Addressee's Address
  - Restricted Delivery
- Consult postmaster for fee.

4a. Article Number

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4b. Service Type

- Registered
- Express Mail
- Return Receipt for Merchandise
- COD

7. Date of Delivery

MAR 16 1998

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

Z 432 546 200

US Postal Service  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**

No insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

Sent to Natomas North America, Inc.	
Street & Number 717 N. Harwood St.	
Post Office, State, & ZIP Code Dallas, TX 75201	
Postage	\$ 2.55
Certified Fee	1.35
Special Delivery Fee	
Restricted Delivery Fee	
Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered	MAR 16 1998
Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address	MAR 16 1998
TOTAL Postage & Fees	\$ 3.90
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