BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE CIL COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION AND TO CONTRACT AND EXPAND CERTAIN POGL BOUNDARIES, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 9862

APPLICATION

Mewbourne Oil Company hereby applies for an order approving an unorthodox gas well location, contracting the boundaries of the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, and expanding the boundaries of the West Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool, and in support thereof states:

1. Applicant is a working interest owner in the W2 of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

2. Applicant proposes to drill its Gin No. 1 Well at a location 990 feet from the south line and 660 feet from the west line of Section 9, to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation (approximately 9,100 feet).

3. The W_2^1 of Section 9 shall be dedicated to the well.

4. The W_2^1 of Section 9 is currently within the boundaries of the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool.

5. Applicant seeks to have the boundaries of the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Cas Pool contracted by deleting therefrom the W_2^1 of Section 9, and expanding the boundaries of the West Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool to include the W_2^1 of Section 9.

6. The granting of this application is in the interests of conservation, the prevention of waste, and the protection of correlative rights.

7. Applicant requests that this matter be heard at the February 7, 1990 Examiner Hearing.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that, after hearing, the Division enter its order approving the requested unorthodox gas well location, and contracting and expanding pool boundaries as described above.

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