

Dockets Nos. 17-84 and 18-84 are tentatively set for April 25 and May 9, 1984. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 11, 1984

8:00 a.m. - OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CONFERENCE ROOM,
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Examiner or Michael E. Stogner, Alternate Examiner:

- CASE 8136: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Bloomfield Oil and Gas Company and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Burgin Well No. 9 located 2430 feet from the North line and 1920 feet from the East line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.
- CASE 8137: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for amendment of Division Order R-6175-A, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order R-6175-A to include the E/2 of Section 32, Township 25 South, Range 24 East, as part of the Washington Ranch Storage Project area.
- CASE 8120: (Continued from March 14, 1984, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Santa Fe Energy Company for an unorthodox well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox well location 990 feet from the North line and 1330 feet from the West line of Section 27, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, the N/2 of said Section 27 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 8138: Application of Marbob Energy Corporation for an unorthodox well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox oil well location 1165 feet from the South line and 978 feet from the East line of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, Red Lake Queen-Grayburg-San Andres Pool, the SE/4 SE/4 of said Section 27 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 7945: (Continued from March 14, 1984, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of J. Cleo Thompson and James Cleo Thompson, Jr., a Partnership, for statutory unitization, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order unitizing, for the purposes of a secondary recovery project, all mineral interests in the Grayburg-San Andres formation underlying the West Square Lake Unit Area encompassing 3,500 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands underlying portions of Sections 26, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of Township 16 South, Range 30 East, and Sections 2 and 4 of Township 17 South, Range 30 East. The unitized interval would be the Grayburg-San Andres formation between the depths of 2818 feet and 3150 feet in Newmont Oil Company's Etz "C" Well No. 1 located in Section 34, Township 16 South, Range 30 East. Among the matters to be considered at the hearing will be the necessity of unit operations; the designation of a unit operator; the determination of the horizontal and vertical limits of the unit area; the determination of the fair, reasonable, and equitable allocation of production and costs of production, including capital investment, to each of the various tracts in the unit area; the determination of credits and charges to be made among the various owners in the unit area for their investment in well and equipment; and such other matters as may be necessary and appropriate for carrying on efficient unit operations, including, but not necessarily limited to, unit voting procedures, selection, removal, or substitution of unit operator, and time of commencement and termination of unit operations.
- CASE 8139: Application of BBC, Inc. for salt water disposal, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Delaware formation in the open-hole interval from 2,800 feet to 3,750 feet in its SWD Well No. 1 located 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 18, Township 20 South, Range 28 East.
- CASE 8140: Application of C. W. Trainer for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface through the Wolfcamp formation underlying the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 15, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, and the W/2 SW/4 of the section in the Bone Spring formation, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said 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 charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8141: Application of C. W. Trainer for compulsory pooling Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface through the Wolfcamp formation underlying the NW/4 NE/4 of Section 22, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, and the W/2 NE/4 of the section in the Bone Spring formation, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said 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 charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8142: Application of W. B. Martin & Associates, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the base of the Pictured Cliffs formation down to and including the base of the Dakota formation to be dedicated to the following described wells on the Martin-Whittacker Lease at standard locations thereon, all in Township 23 North, Range 4 West:

No. 35 - NE/4 in the Mesaverde and NE/4 NE/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 15;

No. 28 - NW/4 in the Mesaverde and NE/4 NW/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 15;

No. 29 - SW/4 in the Mesaverde and SW/4 SW/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 15;

No. 30 - SE/4 in the Mesaverde and SW/4 SE/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 15;

No. 31 - NE/4 in the Mesaverde and NE/4 NE/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 16;

No. 32 - NW/4 in the Mesaverde and NE/4 NW/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 16;

No. 33 - SW/4 in the Mesaverde and SW/4 SW/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 16;

No. 34 - SE/4 in the Mesaverde and SW/4 SE/4 in the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota, Section 16.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the wells and a charge for risk involved in drilling said wells.

CASE 8130: (Continued from March 28, 1984, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Martindale Petroleum Corporation for special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the promulgation of special pool rules for the East Hobbs Pool in Township 18 South, Range 39 East, including a gas-oil ratio limitation of 5,000 cubic feet of gas per barrel of oil. A retroactive effective date is also sought for such special pool rules to remedy current overproduction in this pool.

CASE 8095: (Continued from March 14, 1984, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Cities Service Oil & Gas Corporation for amendment of Division Order No. R-4808, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order R-4808 which authorized the Empire-Abo Pressure Maintenance Project to abolish the present maximum daily project allowable and to establish a new maximum daily project allowable of 4 mmcf per day.

CASE 8151: Application of Union Texas Petroleum Corporation for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Wild Horse-Gallup and Basin-Dakota production in the wellbore of its Jicarilla "H" Well No. 12 located 1210 feet from the North line and 690 feet from the East line of Section 17, Township 26 North, Range 4 West.

CASE 8152: Application of Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation for surface commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the surface commingling of Ballard-Pictured Cliffs gas production from its Edna Well No. 2 with Devils Fork-Gallup casinghead gas production from its Edna Well No. 1 in Section 7, Township 24 North, Range 6 West.

CASE 8153: Application of Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation for extension of vertical limits, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the extension of vertical limits of the Counselors-Gallup Oil Pool to include the Dakota formation in Township 23 North, Range 6 West, and for the redesignation of this pool as the Counselors Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool.

CASE 8154: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating and extending the vertical and horizontal limits of certain pools in Chaves, Eddy, Lea and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico:

- (a) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Bone Spring production and designated as the East Avalon-Bone Spring Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Yates Petroleum Corporation Stonewall EP State Well No. 7 located in Unit D of Section 30, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 30: NW/4

- (b) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Bone Spring production and designated as the East Featherstone-Bone Spring Pool. The discovery well is the Amoco Production Company Best Gas Com Well No. 2 located in Unit P of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 35 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM
Section 23: SE/4

- (c) CREATE a new pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Wolfcamp production and designated as the Foor Ranch-Wolfcamp Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Elk Oil Company Runyan State Well No. 2 located in Unit C of Section 24, Township 9 South, Range 26 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM
Section 24: N/2

- (d) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Strawn production and designated as the Hardin Tank-Strawn Gas Pool. The discovery well is The Superior Oil Company Olson Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 35, Township 25 South, Range 34 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM
Section 35: S/2

- (e) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Blinebry production and designated as the Nadine-Blinebry Pool. The discovery well is the Morris R. Antweil C. P. Bordages Well No. 1 located in Unit O of Section 28, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM
Section 28: SE/4

- CASE 8143: Application of Marline Petroleum Corporation for a special gas-oil ratio limitation, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a special gas-oil ratio limitation of 7,000 cubic feet of gas per barrel of oil for the East Bishop-Canyon Pool and the cancellation of accrued overproduction.
- CASE 8144: Application of Zia Energy, Inc. for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Seven Rivers-Queen formations in the open-hole interval from 3650 feet to 3800 feet in its Cities Federal Well No. 1 located 2301 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 20, Township 22 South, Range 36 East.
- CASE 8145: Application of Zia Energy, Inc. for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Seven Rivers-Queen formations in the open-hole interval from 3650 feet to 3801 feet in its Closson Well No. 3 located 660 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 20, Township 22 South, Range 36 East.
- CASE 8146: Application of OGR Operating Company, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Roosevelt County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Fusselman formation underlying the S/2 NW/4 of Section 9, Township 6 South, Range 34 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said 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 charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 8070: (Continued from March 14, 1984, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Robert M. Edsel, Inc. for directional drilling, non-standard proration unit, creation of a new oil pool, and special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the directional drilling of its Scott Well No. 2 from a surface location 2310 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 1, Township 15 South, Range 36 East, to a bottomhole location in the Wolfcamp formation at an approximate vertical depth of 10,800 feet within a 100 foot radius of a point 3370 feet from the South line and 1670 feet from the West line of said Section 1 and for approval of a non-standard 80-acre proration and spacing unit consisting of the SE/4 NW/4 and the NE/4 SW/4 of said Section 1. Applicant further seeks the creation of a new Wolfcamp oil pool with special pool rules including a provision for 80-acre spacing and proration units.
- CASE 8124: (Continued from March 14, 1984, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Robert M. Edsel, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the SE/4 NW/4 and NE/4 SW/4 of Section 1, Township 15 South, Range 36 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said 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 charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 8147: Application of Getty Oil Company for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Glorieta and Blinebry production in the wellbore of its State "BA" Well No. 5 located 660 feet from the North line and 560 feet from the West line of Section 36, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, Vacuum Field.
- CASE 8148: Application of Union Texas Petroleum Corporation for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of all Blanco-Mesaverde, undesignated Gallup, Ojito Gallup-Dakota, and Basin-Dakota production underlying portions of Sections 2, 3, 4, 8, and 9 of Township 25 North, Range 3 West.
- CASE 8149: Application of Union Texas Petroleum Corporation for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of all Blanco-Mesaverde, Tapacito-Gallup Associated, and Basin-Dakota production underlying Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 of Township 26 North, Range 5 West.
- CASE 8150: Application of Union Texas Petroleum Corporation for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Blanco-Mesaverde, Tapacito-Gallup Associated, and Basin-Dakota production in the wellbore of its Jicarilla "H" Well No. 7-E located 790 feet from the North and West lines of Section 19, Township 26 North, Range 4 West. Applicant also seeks an administrative procedure for downhole commingling in the subject pools without a public hearing.

- (f) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Bone Spring production and designated as the South Red Bluff-Bone Spring Pool. The discovery well is the Maddox Energy, Flower Draw 2 State Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 2, Township 26 South, Range 28 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 2: NE/4

- (g) EXTEND the vertical limits of the East Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include the Atoka formation and redesignate pool as the East Atoka Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool.
- (h) EXTEND the vertical limits of the Springer Basin-Morrow Gas Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico to include the Atoka formation and redesignate pool as the Springer Basin Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool.
- (i) EXTEND the Airstrip-Upper Bone Spring Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 36: NW/4

- (j) EXTEND the Antelope Ridge-Atoka Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 2: SE/4

- (k) EXTEND the Bell Lake-Atoka Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM

Section 25: SE/4

- (l) EXTEND the Boyd-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 15: W/2

Section 22: N/2

- (m) EXTEND the Byrnes Tank-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM

Section 5: S/2

Section 8: W/2

- (n) EXTEND the Bull's Eye-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 25: E/2

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM

Section 7: S/2 S/2

- (o) EXTEND the Chaveroo-San Andres Pool in Roosevelt and Chaves Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 8: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 10: SW/4

- (p) EXTEND the Dagger Draw-Strawn Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 32: S/2

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 5: W/2

- (q) EXTEND the West Dark Canyon-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 13: E/2

Section 24: NE/4

- (r) EXTEND the Diamond Mound Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM

Section 33: W/2

- (s) EXTEND the Double X-Delaware Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 22: SW/4

- (t) EXTEND the Eagle Creek-San Andres Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 31: NE/4

Section 32: NW/4

- (u) EXTEND the South Empire-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 2: N/2

- (v) EXTEND the South Empire-Wolfcamp Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 36: E/2 SE/4

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 1: NE/4

- (w) EXTEND the South Kemnitz Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 27: N/2

- (x) EXTEND the North Loving-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 21: W/2

- (y) EXTEND the Pearl-Queen Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM

Section 14: SE/4

- (z) EXTEND the Pitchfork Ranch-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 4: N/2

- (aa) EXTEND the Scharb-Bone Spring Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM

Section 3: SW/4

Section 5: NE/4

- (bb) EXTEND the Tomahawk-San Andres Pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 18: SE/4

Docket No. 15-84

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - THURSDAY - APRIL 12, 1984

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION-9 A.M. - ROOM 205
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

CASE 7827: (De Novo)

Application of Millard Deck Estate for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Langlie-Mattix and Jalmat production in the wellbore of the following three wells: Possh Wells Nos. 1 in Unit C; 3 in Unit k; and 4 in Unit B, all located in Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 36 East.

Upon application of Doyle Hartman, this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

CASE 8088: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Llano, Inc. for special well testing requirements or expansion of its gas storage project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order requiring testing of the Morrow formation at Llano's option by use of a Repeat Formation Tester in the L & B Oil Company's Federal Well No. 1 to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 5, Township 22 South, Range 34 East. In the alternative, applicant seeks the extension of its gas storage project to include the Morrow formation under all of said Section 5.

CASE 8049: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commissioner Hearing)

Application of Western Oil Producers, Inc. for an unorthodox location and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox location 330 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 4, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, and simultaneous dedication of the S/2 SE/4 of said Section 4 to the well in the Scharb-Bone Springs Pool. At the request of Western Oil Producers, Inc., this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

CASE 8155: Application of Jack J. Grynberg for compulsory pooling, unorthodox location, and simultaneous dedication, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface down through and including the Ordovician formation underlying the W/2 of Section 18, Township 9 South, Range 27 East. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said 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 charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Applicant further seeks approval of an unorthodox well location 660 feet from the South and West lines of said Section 18, the W/2 of the section to be simultaneously dedicated to this well and to the Seymour State Com Well No. 1.

CASE 8156: Application of TXO Production Corp. for permission to drill in the Potash-Oil Area, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks permission to drill a well located 2310 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 16, Township 20 South, Range 32 East, which area is within the designated potash area as established and regulated by Order No. R-111-A. Applicant proposes to drill the well to a depth of 2700 feet to test the Yates formation.

CASE 8057: (De Novo)

Application of Belco Development Corporation for an unorthodox location and directional drilling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the directional drilling of a well at an unorthodox surface location 660 feet from the South line and 100 feet from the West line of Section 8, Township 23 South, Range 31 East, with deviation commencing at a depth of approximately 8430 feet, to a bottomhole location in the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations within a 100 foot radius of a point 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 7, Township 23 South, Range 31 East. Upon application of Noranda Exploration, Inc. and Permian Potash, this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

CASE 8109: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde Pools of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of the wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8132: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde pools of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of the wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8111: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Southland Royalty Company for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde pools of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8133: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Gulf Oil Exploration for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde Pools of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8134: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Ladd Petroleum Corp. for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota Pool of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8135: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Veryl F. Moore for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Pictured Cliffs formation of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5, NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe Office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8104: (Continued from March 29, 1984, Commission Hearing)

Application of Tenneco Oil Company for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde Pools of Northwest New Mexico and the Catclaw Draw Field of Southeast New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

CASE 8105: (Continued from March 29, 1984 Commission Hearing)

Application of Conoco Inc. for exemption from the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act (NMPA). Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the exemption from the NMPA of certain infill wells in the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde Pools of Northwest New Mexico as provided in Section 62-7-5 NMSA, 1978. To be considered will be the granting of these exemptions from the date of the filing of the application. A list of wells for which exemptions are being sought may be obtained by contacting the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office. In the absence of objection, any such application for exemption which meets the criteria set forth in OCD Order R-5436 will be granted.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 18, 1984

8:00 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CONFERENCE ROOM,
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Examiner, or Michael E. Stogner, Alternate Examiner:

- ALLOWABLE:
- (1) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for May, 1984, from fifteen prorated pools in Lea, Eddy, and Chaves Counties, New Mexico.
 - (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for May, 1984, from four prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico.