

CASE 7255: GULF OIL CORPORATION FOR  
COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW  
MEXICO

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Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case No.

7255

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO  
20 May 1981

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Gulf Oil Corporation  
for compulsory pooling, Lea County,  
New Mexico.

CASE  
7255

BEFORE: Daniel S. Nutter

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Oil Conservation  
Division:

Ernest L. Padilla, Esq.  
Legal Counsel to the Division  
State Land Office Bldg.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

1 MR. NUTTER: We'll call next Case Number

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4 MR. PADILLA: Application of Gulf Oil  
5 Corporation for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

6 MR. NUTTER: Applicant in this case has  
7 requested dismissal.

8 Case Number 7255 will be dismissed.

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I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY CERTIFY that  
the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conserva-  
tion Division was reported by me; that the said transcript  
is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing, prepared  
by me to the best of my ability.

Sally W. Boyd CSR

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
a complete record of the proceedings in  
the Examiner hearing of Case No. 7265  
heard by me on 5/30 1981.

[Signature] Examiner  
Oil Conservation Division

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 7255  
Order No. R-6695

APPLICATION OF GULF OIL CORPORATION  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on May 20, 1981,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 22nd day of May, 1981, the Division  
Director, having considered the record and the recommendations  
of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

That the applicant's request for dismissal should be  
granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 7255 is hereby dismissed.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year herein-  
above designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

*Joe D. Ramey*  
JOE D. RAMEY  
Director



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Gulf Oil Exploration and Production Company

J. M. Thacker  
GENERAL MANAGER PRODUCTION  
SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

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May 20, 1981

State of New Mexico  
Energy and Minerals Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Joe D. Ramey

Gentlemen:

Re: Examiner Hearing Case 7255  
May 20, 1981  
Compulsory Pooling  
Scott "E" Federal Com Well No. 1  
W/2 Sec. 28, T-18-S, R-32-E Lea  
County, North Lusk Morrow Pool

This will confirm telephone request on May 19, 1981 to your Mr. Dan Nutter that the subject Case be dismissed without prejudice.

Yours very truly,

*F. H. Martin*

F. H. Martin  
Technical Manager

CFK/da

cc: W. V. Kastler - Houston  
R. C. Anderson - Hobbs  
S. H. Martin - Bldg.



A DIVISION OF GULF OIL CORPORATION

Docket Nos. 17-81 and 18-81 are tentatively set for June 3 and 17, 1981. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MAY 20, 1981

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

The following cases will be heard before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner, or Richard L. Stamets, Alternate Examiner:

- ALLOWABLE: (1) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for June, 1981, from fifteen prorated pools in Lea, Eddy, and Chaves Counties, New Mexico.
- (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for June, 1981, from four prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico.

CASE 7242: (Readvertised)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox Wolfcamp-Mississippian location of its McDonald Well No. 1 to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 33, Township 13 South, Range 36 East, the S/2 of said Section 33 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7243: (Readvertised)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian and Mississippian formations underlying the S/2 of Section 33, Township 13 South, Range 36 East, for a gas completion and/or all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian-Devonian formations underlying the SE/4 SE/4 of said Section 33 for an oil completion. 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 7253: Application of Bandera Energy Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the E/2 of Section 27, Township 16 South, Range 35 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 7254: Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Mesaverde formation underlying the W/2 of Section 27, Township 16 South, Range 35 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 7255: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the top of the Wolfcamp formation to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the W/2 of Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 32 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 7256: Application of Petro-Lewis Corporation for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Blinbry, Drinkard, and Abo production in the wellbore of its Gulf Sarkeys Well No. 2 located in Unit F of Section 25, Township 21 South, Range 37 East.

CASE 7257: (This case will be dismissed and a different well will be docketed for hearing later.)

Application of Cities Service Company for a salt water disposal well, McKinley County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Entrada formation at approximately 5300 feet in its Federal "M" Well No. 1 in Unit F of Section 21, Township 19 North, Range 5 West.

Gulf Oil Corporation and Production Company

J. M. Thacker  
GENERAL MANAGER PRODUCTION  
SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

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April 27, 1981

New Mexico Department of Energy & Minerals  
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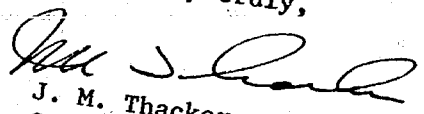
Attention: Mr. Joe D. Ramey

Gentlemen:

Gulf Oil Corporation respectfully requests that a hearing be scheduled on your Examiner Hearing Docket for May 20, 1981, to consider an order for compulsory pooling of all mineral interests in the formations at depths below 5,000', not to exceed the base of the Morrow at 13,000', underlying the W/2 of Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.

The above standard 320 acre unit is to be dedicated to the Scott "E" Federal Com. Well No. 1. The proposed well is to be located at a regular location in Unit K, 1980' from the south and west lines of Section 28. Also to be considered will be allocation of well costs, charges for supervision, designation of a applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling the well.

Yours very truly,

  
J. M. Thacker  
General Manager Production

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A DIVISION OF GULF OIL CORPORATION

4-77-81

Rick Lyons Gulf Oil Corp  
Midland TX

Application of Gulf Oil Corp  
for Compulsory Pooling

Seek to pool all mineral interests  
from 5000 feet to base of Morrow formation  
W/2 28-7185-R32E NMPM  
Lea County, SD well location

Gulf Oper  
charges  
Risk

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

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DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove  
designated.