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December 10, 1981

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Sentry Oil Exploration Co. Re: CASE NO. 7396  
5633 Villa Drive ORDER NO. R-6854  
Lubbock, Texas 79412

Applicant:

OCD

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Yours very truly,

*Joe D. Ramey*  
JOE D. RAMEY  
Director

JDR/fd

Copy of order also sent to:

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

CASE NO. 7396  
Order No. R-6854

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT SENTRY OIL EXPLORATION  
COMPANY AND LAWYERS SURETY CORPORATION TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE  
WHY THE FARR WELL NO. 1, LOCATED IN UNIT G OF SECTION 6,  
TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 34 EAST, UNION COUNTY, NEW MEXICO,  
SHOULD NOT BE ORDERED PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A  
DIVISION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on December 2,  
1981, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 24th day of December, 1981, the Division  
Director, having considered the record and the recommenda-  
tions of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

That the subject well having been transferred to and  
accepted by the landowner for conversion to a water well, Case  
No. 7396 should be dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Case No. 7396 is hereby dismissed.



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Case No. 7396  
Order No. R-6854

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

*Joe D. Ramey*  
JOE D. RAMEY,  
Director

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO  
2 December 1981

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

The hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Sentry Oil Exploration Company and Lawyers Surety Corporation to appear and show cause why Farr Well No. 1 should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE  
7396

BEFORE: Daniel S. Nutter

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Oil Conservation  
Division:

W. Perry Pearce, Esq.  
Legal Counsel to the Division  
State Land Office Bldg.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

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MR. NUTTER: The hearing will come to order, please.

The first case this morning will be case Number 7396.

MR. PEARCE: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Sentry Oil Exploration Company and Lawyers Surety Corporation to appear and show cause why Farr Well No. 1, located in Unit G of Section 6, Township 31 North, Range 34 East, Union County, New Mexico, should not be ordered plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-Approved plugging program.

Mr. Examiner, the Division has been informed that this well has been turned over to the landowner and is being converted to a water well and the Division therefor requests that this case be dismissed.

MR. NUTTER: Case Number 7396 will be dismissed.

(Hearing concluded.)

## C E R T I F I C A T E

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

SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R.

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO  
4 November 1981

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

In the matter of the hearing  
called by the Oil Conservation  
Division on its own motion to  
permit Sentry Oil Exploration  
Company, et al, to appear and  
show cause why Farr Well No. 1  
should not be plugged and abandoned  
in accordance with a Division-ap-  
proved plugging program.

CASE  
7396

BEFORE: Daniel S. Nutter

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

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Division:

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

W.N.M.C.F.



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MR. NUTTER: The hearing will please  
come to order.

We'll call first this morning Case Number  
7396, which is in the matter of the hearing called by the  
OCD on its own motion to permit Sentry Oil Exploration Com-  
pany and Lawyers Surety Corporation to appear and show cause  
why a certain well should not be ordered plugged.

Mr. Pearce, what --

MR. PEARCE: We have received notifica-  
tion that case is to be continued until December the 2nd  
Hearing.

MR. NUTTER: Case Number 7396 will be  
continued to the Examiner hearing scheduled to be held at  
this same place at 9:00 o'clock a. m. December 2nd, 1981.

(Hearing concluded.)

## C E R T I F I C A T E

I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation 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 C.S.R.

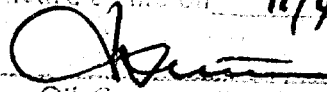
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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct transcript of the proceedings in the hearing of Case No. 7396 heard by me on 11/4/81.



Oil Conservation Division

Examiner



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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October 26, 1981

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Sentry Oil Exploration Company  
5633 Villa Drive  
Lubbock, Texas 79412

Lawyers Surety Corporation  
1820 Regal Row  
Dallas, Texas 75235

Re: Farr Well No. 1, located  
in Unit G of Section 6,  
Township 31 North, Range  
34 East, Union County  
Plugging Bond

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the docket of the Examiner  
Hearing to be held on Wednesday, November 4, 1981, at  
9:00 a.m. in the Oil Conservation Division Conference  
Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico.  
Case 7396 concerns the above captioned subject matter.

Sincerely,

W. PERRY PEARCE  
General Counsel

WPP/fd  
enc.



Dockets Nos. 36-81 and 37-81 are tentatively set for November 19 and December 4, 1981. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 4, 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:

- CASE 7396: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Sentry Oil Exploration Company and Lawyers Surety Corporation to appear and show cause why Parr Well No. 1, located in Unit G of Section 6, Township 31 North, Range 34 East, Union County, New Mexico, should not be ordered plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.
- CASE 7380: (Continued and Readvertised)
- Application of Bird Oil Corporation for an unorthodox location, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox Entrada location of a well to be drilled 2110 feet from the North line and 1120 feet from the East line of Section 10, Township 22 South, Range 9 West, the SE/4 NE/4 of said Section 10 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 7397: Application of Belco Petroleum Corporation for downhole commingling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Atoka and Strawn production in the wellbore of its Kimbley Well No. 1, located in Unit G of Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 28 East.
- CASE 7398: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a Wolfcamp-Penn well, to be drilled 660 feet from the South and West lines of Section 23, Township 26 South, Range 30 East, Ross Draw Area, the S/2 of said Section 23 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 7399: Application of Texaco, Inc. for a Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the North Vacuum Abo West Unit Area, comprising 2000 acres, more or less, of state lands in Township 17 South, Range 34 East.
- CASE 7400: Application of Texaco, Inc. for a pressure maintenance project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a pressure maintenance project in its North Vacuum Abo West Unit Area by the injection of water into the Abo formation through 13 wells located in Sections 15, 21, 22, 27, 28 and 34, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, North Vacuum - Abo Pool.
- CASE 7401: Application of Morris R. Antweil for an unorthodox oil well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a well to be drilled 2410 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 21, Township 18 South, Range 38 East, Hobbs Grayburg-San Andres Pool, the SW/4 NW/4 of said Section 21 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 7384: (Continued from October 21, 1981, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Morris R. Antweil for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Abo formation underlying the NE/4 SW/4 of Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 38 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 7402: Application of MGF Oil Corporation for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Strawn formation underlying the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 39 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 7403: Application of Arco Oil and Gas Company for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of the Jalmat and Langlie Matt:xx production in the wellbore of its E. L. Steeler WN Well No. 5, located in Unit J of Section 19, Township 23 South, Range 37 East.

CASE 7359: (Continued from October 7, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Energy Reserves Group for creation of a new gas pool and an unorthodox location, Roosevelt County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks creation of a new Cisco gas pool for its Miller Con Well No. 1, located in Unit M of Section 12, Township 6 South, Range 33 East.

Applicant further seeks approval for an unorthodox location for its Miller "A" Well No. 1-Y, to be drilled 1800 feet from the South line and 1700 feet from the East line of Section 11 of the same township. The S/2 of said Section 11 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7383: (Continued from October 21, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Upper Pennsylvanian formation underlying the NW/4 of Section 19, Township 19 South, Range 25 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 7404: Application of TXO Production Corporation for an unorthodox well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of an infill well to be drilled 2000 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 18, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, Catclaw Draw-Morrow gas pool.

CASE 7405: Application of Carl Schellinger for dual completion and an unorthodox location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of his Campbell Station Unit Well No. 1, to produce gas from the Abo and Pennsylvanian formations. Applicant further seeks approval of the unorthodox Pennsylvanian location of said well 660 feet from the South and West lines of Section 34, Township 8 South, Range 27 East, the S/2 of said Section 34 to be dedicated to the Pennsylvanian and the SW/4 to the Abo.

CASE 7406: Application of Depco, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Abo formation underlying the SE/4 of Section 23, Township 5 South, Range 24 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 7407: Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Abo formation underlying the NE/4 of Section 23, Township 5 South, Range 24 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 7408: Application of Doyle Hartman for directional drilling, a non-standard proration unit, an unorthodox well location and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to directionally drill his Justis Well No. 10, the surface location of which is 1940 feet from the North line and 120 feet from the West line of Section 20, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, in such a manner as to bottom said well in the Jalmat Gas Pool at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 19, Township 25 South, Range 37 East. Applicant further proposes to simultaneously dedicate said well and the Bettis, Boyle and Stovall Justis Well No. 1 to an 80-acre non-standard proration unit comprising the E/2 NE/4 of said Section 19.



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August 25, 1981

*Case 7396*

Sentry Oil Exploration Company  
5633 Villa Drive  
Lubbock, Texas 79412

Subject: Farr Well No. 1  
G-6-31N-34E, Union  
County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Your subsequent report of plug and abandonment for the captioned well cannot be approved until certain defects have been remedied. Kindly refer to Rules 117, 202, and 1105 of the Oil Conservation Division Regulations. Likewise, please note the conditions under which the permit for drilling (C-101) was granted.

Yours truly,

*Carl Ulvog*

CARL ULVOG  
District IV Supervisor

CU/jc

#### **RULE 117. WELL LOG, COMPLETION AND WORKOVER REPORTS**

Within 20 days after the completion of a well drilled for oil or gas, or the recompletion of a well into a different common source of supply, a completion report shall be filed with the Division on Form C-105. For the purpose of this rule, any hole drilled or cored below fresh water or which penetrates oil or gas-bearing formations or which is drilled by an "owner" as defined herein shall be presumed to be a well drilled for oil or gas.

#### **RULE 202. PLUGGING AND ABANDONMENT**

##### **A. PLUGGING**

Before any well is abandoned, it shall be plugged in a manner which will permanently confine all oil, gas, and water in the separate strata originally containing them. This operation shall be accomplished by the use of mud-laden fluid, cement and plugs, used singly or in combination as may be approved by the Division. The exact location of abandoned wells shall be shown by a steel marker at least four inches in diameter set in concrete, and extending at least four feet above mean ground level. The name and number of the well and its location (unit letter, section, township, and range) shall be welded, stamped, or otherwise permanently engraved into the metal of the marker. Seismic, core or other exploratory holes drilled to or below sands containing fresh water shall be plugged and abandoned in accordance with the applicable provisions recited above. Permanent markers are not required on seismic holes.

Within thirty days following the completion of plugging operations on any well, a record of the work done shall be filed with the Division in TRIPLICATE, on Form C-103. Such report shall be filed by the owner of the well and shall include the date the plugging operations were begun along with the date the work was completed; a detailed account of the manner in which the work was performed; the depths and lengths of the various plugs set; the nature and quantities of materials employed in plugging operations; the amount, size and depth of all casing left in the hole and the weight of mud employed in plugging the well and any other pertinent information. No plugging report submitted on Form C-103 shall be approved by the Division unless such report specifically states that pits have been filled and the location levelled and cleared of junk. The filing of Form C-105, Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log is also necessary to obtain Division approval of a plugging report.

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Form C-123  
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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO OPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR.  
USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

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2. Name of Operator SENTRY OIL EXPLORATION COMPANY	8. Farm or Lease Name FARR
3. Address of Operator 5633 VILLA DRIVE LUBBOCK, TEXAS 79412	9. Well No. 1
4. Location of Well UNIT LETTER G 1650 FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 1650 FEET FROM THE EAST LINE, SECTION 6 TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH RANGE 34 EAST N.M.P.M.	10. Field and Pool, or Well WILDCAT
15. Elevation (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.) 4755	12. County UNION

16. Check Appropriate Box To Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data  
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

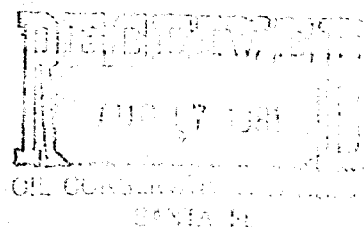
PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK ☐ PLUG AND ABANDON ☐  
TEMPORARILY ABANDON ☐ CHANGE PLANS ☐  
PULL OR ALTER CASING ☐ OTHER ☐

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

REMEDIATION WORK ☐ ALTERING CASING ☐  
COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. ☐ PLUG AND ABANDONMENT ☒  
CASING TEST AND CEMENT JOB ☐ OTHER ☐

17. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work) SEE RULE 1103.

STARTED DRILLING ON JULY 13, 1981, SET SURFACE CASING OF 8 5/8" TO DEPTH OF 350'. CEMENT DRIED 18 HOURS AND BEGAN DRILLING. AT 680' WE LOST CIRCULATION AND FEARED LOSING TOOLS IN HOLE. NOTIFIED WESTERN TO PLUG A LOST CIRCULATION HOLE. WE PLACE 100' OF CEMENT ON THE BOTTOM AND PLACED 100' AT THE TOP OF THE HOLE.



18. I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNED KIRK PACK *Kirk Pack* TITLE OPERATOR DATE 8-12-81

APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

HERBIE  
ORDERS  
Dismissed

MS.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

*[Signature]*

CASE NO. 7396  
Order No. R-6854

*[Handwritten initials]*

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT SENTRY OIL EXPLORATION  
COMPANY AND LAWYERS SURETY CORPORATION TO APPEAR AND SHOW  
CAUSE WHY FARR WELL NO. 1, LOCATED IN UNIT G OF SECTION 6,  
TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 34 EAST, UNION COUNTY, NEW MEXICO,  
SHOULD NOT BE ORDERED PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE  
WITH A DIVISION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on December 2,  
1981, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S.  
Nutter.

NOW, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of December, 1981, the Division  
Director, having considered the record and the recommenda-  
tions 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 <sup>the</sup> subject well having been transferred to and  
accepted by the landowner for conversion to a water well,  
Case No. 7396 should be dismissed.

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

(1) That Case No. 7396 is hereby dismissed

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

JOE D. RAMEY,  
Director

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