

CASE NO.

7667

APPLICATION,
TRANSCRIPTS,
SMALL EXHIBITS,
ETC.

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

16 December 1982

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Yates Petroleum Corpor-
ation for compulsory pooling, Chaves
County, New Mexico.

CASE
7667

BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets, Examiner

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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2 MR. STAMETS: We'll call next Case 7667.

3 MR. PEARCE: That is on the application of
4 Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves
5 County, New Mexico.

6 MR. STAMETS: At the request of the appli-
7 cant this case will be dismissed.

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9 (Hearing concluded.)
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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

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a correct and true transcript of the hearing
heard by me on 12/16/82 at 7:06 PM

Richard L. Ham, Examiner
Oil Conservation Division

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
27 October 1982

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Yates Petroleum Cor-
poration for compulsory pooling,
Chaves County, New Mexico.

CASE
7667

BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets

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Division:

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For the Applicant:

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2 MR. STAMETS: Call next Case 7667.

3 MR. PEARCE: That is on the application
4 of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves
5 County, New Mexico.

6 Mr. Examiner, we have received a re-
7 quest from the applicant in this matter that it be continued
8 until the hearing presently scheduled for December the 16th,
9 1982.

10 MR. STAMETS: The case will be so con-
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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete record of the proceedings in the Examiner hearing of Case No. 7667 heard by me on 10-27-82
Richard R. [Signature] Examiner
Oil Conservation Division

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
15 September 1982

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Yates Petroleum Corpor-
ation for compulsory pooling, Chaves
County, New Mexico.

CASE
7667

BEFORE: Daniel S. Nutter

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Oil Conservation
Division:

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For the Applicant:

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2 MR. NUTTER: We'll call now Case Number
3 7667.

4 MR. PEARCE: That case is on the applica-
5 tion of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling,
6 Chaves County, New Mexico.

7 MR. NUTTER: Applicant has requested that
8 this case be continued.

9 Case Number 7667 will be continued to the
10 Examiner Hearing scheduled to be held at this same place at
11 9:00 o'clock a. m. October 27th, 1982.

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13 (Hearing concluded.)
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Sally W. Boyd CSR

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
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heard by me on 9/15 1982

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January 4, 1983

Re: CASE NO. 7667
ORDER NO. R-7166

Applicant:

Yates Petroleum Corporation

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
Director

JDR/Ed

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCD	<u>x</u>
Artesia OCD	<u>x</u>
Aztec OCD	

Other _____

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. 7667
Order No. R-7166

APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on December 16, 1982, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 3rd day of January, 1983, 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. 7667 is hereby dismissed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION


JOE D. RAMEY,
Director



SEAL

Dockets Nos. 1-83 and 9-83 are tentatively set for January 5 and January 19, 1983. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 11 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - THURSDAY - DECEMBER 16, 1982

9 A.M. - MORGAN HALL - 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 January, 1983, from fifteen prorated pools in Lea, Eddy, and Chaves Counties, New Mexico.
- (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for January, 1983, from four prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico.

CASE 7753: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for the reclassification of marginal gas wells in the prorated gas pools of Northwest New Mexico and the suspension of certain proration rules. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, proposes that there not be any marginal wells in the four prorated gas pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties, during January, February, and March 1983, and to accomplish this, seeks the reclassification of all marginal wells in said pools as non-marginal wells effective January 1, 1983, said wells to become non-marginal with a zero net over/under produced status as of January 1, but to be eligible for reclassification to marginal after March 31, if their production-allowable history from January 1 through March 31 so justifies. Applicant also proposes that all non-marginal wells in December, 1982, would continue to be classified as non-marginal at least until March 31, and would continue to accumulate their net over/under produced status. Further, applicant proposes that no well would be reclassified as marginal until after the March, 1983, production has been reported, when all provisions of Rule 16-A of the Special Rules for prorated gas pools in Northwest New Mexico as promulgated by Order No. R-1670, as amended, would be again applicable. Applicant further proposes that Rule 15B of the prorated gas pool rules which pertains to the shutting-in of wells which are six times over-produced would be suspended for the period from January through June of 1983 to accommodate those wells which may be subject to shut-in as the result of assignment of lower than normal allowables during the first six months of 1983.

CASE 7716: (Continued from November 10, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Slaughter Canyon Unit Area, comprising 3,840 acres, more or less, of Federal lands in Township 26 South, Range 26 East.

CASE 7754: Application of Chace Oil Company, Inc. for downhole commingling, Sandoval County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Gallup, Tootie, Greenhorn and Dakota production in the wellbore of its Cicarilla 15 Well No. 2 located in Unit 1 of Section 20, Township 23 North, Range 3 West.

CASE 7755: Application of Sovereign Oil Co. for directional drilling and unorthodox location San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to directionally drill its proposed 32-6 Well No. 1 from a surface location 1750 feet from the north line and 800 feet from the west line of Section 9, Township 32 North, Range 6 West, by kicking off from the vertical at a depth of 1500 feet and drilling in a southerly direction in such a manner as to penetrate the Pictured Cliffs formation at an unorthodox location within 50 feet of a point 1500 feet from the north line and 800 feet from the west line and to penetrate the Mesaverde formation at an unorthodox location within 200 feet of a point 1300 feet from the north line and 800 feet from the west line, all in said Section 9, dedicating the N/2 of said Section 9 to the well to the Mesaverde and the NW/4 to the Pictured Cliffs.

CASE 7756: Application of C & E Operators, Inc. for two non-standard proration units, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of two 160-acre non-standard gas proration units comprising the SW/4 of Section 7 and the NW/4 of Section 18, respectively, both in Township 30 North, Range 11 West, Blanco Mesaverde Pool.

CASE 7728: (Continued from November 10, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of TXO Production Corporation for a non-standard gas proration unit, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of a 160-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the NW/4 of Section 31, Township 24 North, Range 9 West, Basin-Dakota Pool.

- CASE 7757: Application of Dowle Hartman for an unorthodox gas well location and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a gas well to be drilled at least 1,350 feet but not more than 1750 feet from the North line and at least 130 feet but not more than 30 feet from the West line of Section 33, Township 24 South, Range 37 East, Palmat Gas Pool, the NW/4 of said Section 33 to be simultaneously dedicated to said well and to applicant's Northshore Woolworth Wells Nos. 3 and 5, located in Units B and C, respectively, of said Section 33.
- CASE 7758: Application of Capana Oil Corporation for a non-standard proration unit and an unorthodox location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of an Abo test well to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 1320 feet from the West line of Section 32, Township 17 South, Range 39 East, and a 66.87 acre non-standard proration unit comprising the SE/4 SW/4 and Lot 4 of said Section 32 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 7759: Application of Conoco, Inc. for a pressure maintenance project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the classification of its State H-35 Lease comprising the E/2 NW/4 and NE/4 of Section 35, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, Vacuum Grayburg-San Andres Pool, as a pressure maintenance project area based on water injection wells cooperatively drilled and operated by applicant and offsetting operators along the lease boundary of said State H-35 Lease. Applicant further seeks the promulgation of special rules for said project, including the assignment of a basic pressure maintenance project allowable to said lease and the assignment of a share of the water injection credit allowable earned by the cooperative lease line injection wells. Applicant further seeks approval for the drilling of two wells at the following unorthodox locations: 1345 feet from the North line and 1210 feet from the East line and 1295 feet from the North line and 1615 feet from the West line of said Section 35, said wells to be initially completed as producing wells with approval to be later converted to water injection in the pressure maintenance project.
- CASE 7760: Application of Sun Exploration and Production Company for a non-standard proration unit and an unorthodox location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a Wolfcamp-Pennsylvanian Test well to be drilled 660 feet from the South and East lines of Section 17, Township 7 South, Range 26 East, Pecos Slope Field, to be dedicated to a 160-acre non-standard proration unit comprising the SE/4 of said Section 17.
- CASE 7761: Application of Texaco Inc. for two non-standard proration units and unorthodox locations, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for two 160-acre non-standard Skaggs-Abo gas proration units comprising the S/2 NE/4 and N/2 SE/4 of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, to be dedicated to its C. H. Weir "A" Well No. 12 at an unorthodox location 2307 feet from the North and East lines of said Section 12, and the S/2 NW/4 and N/2 SW/4 of Section 12 to be dedicated to its C. H. Weir "A" Well No. 14, located 1980 feet from the South line and 1315 feet from the West line of said Section 12.
- CASE 7762: Application of Texaco Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 SW/4 of Section 27, Township 16 South, Range 37 East, Casey Field, 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 7763: Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface through the Abo formation underlying the NW/4 and from the Wolfcamp through the Ordovician formations underlying the E/2 of Section 18, Township 9 South, Range 27 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 7665: (Continued and 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 from the Wolfcamp through Mississippian formations underlying the N/2 of Section 35, Township 13 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 7594: (Continued from October 27, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for statutory unitization, Lea 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 that portion of the Bone Spring formation described as the Carbonate unit between the first and second Bone Spring Sands underlying the Young Deep Unit, encompassing 560 acres, more or less, of Federal lands underlying portions of Sections 3, 4, 9 and 10, Township 18 South, Range 32 East.

CASE 7742: (Continued from December 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Overland Energy, Inc. for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Gallup formation underlying the NW/4 NE/4 of Section 10, Township 29 North, Range 15 West, 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.

CASES 7708 and 7709: (Continued from November 23, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in each of the following cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case to form a standard 160-acre gas proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case will be the cost of drilling and completing the unit 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 7708: NE/4 Section 9, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7709: SE/4 Section 22, Township 6 South, Range 25 East

CASE 7726: (Continued from November 23, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down to and including the Abo formation underlying the SE/4 of Section 9, Township 6 South, Range 26 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 7727: (Continued from November 23, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Stevens Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down to and including the Abo formation underlying the SE/4 of Section 9, Township 6 South, Range 26 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.

CASES 7528 and 7529: (Continued from October 27, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of JJ-CC, Limited for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in each of the following two cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case 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 7528: NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7529: NE/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7667: (Continued from October 27, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation 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 NW/4 of Section 1, Township 3 South, Range 24 East, to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit 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 7752: (Continued from December 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating, abolishing, and extending certain pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico:

- (a) CREATE a new pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Gallup production and designated as the Gavilan-Gallup Oil Pool. The discovery well is the Northwest Exploration Company, Gavilan Well No. 1 located in Unit A of Section 26, Township 25 North, Range 2 West, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM

Section 26: NE/4

- (b) ABOLISH the Bloomfield-Chacra Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described.
- (c) ABOLISH the Harris Mesa-Chacra Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described.
- (d) ABOLISH the Largo-Chacra Pool in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described.
- (e) EXTEND the Otero-Chacra Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 20: W/2

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 5: NW/4 and SE/4

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 27: SW/4

Section 32: All

Section 33: E/2

Section 34: N/2

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM

Section 7: All

Section 8: All

Section 9: SW/4

Section 16: NW/4

Section 17: N/2

Section 18: N/2

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM

Section 3: N/2

Section 4: N/2

Section 12: E/2

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM

Section 29: SW/4

Section 30: S/2

Section 31: All

Section 32: W/2

Section 33: All

Section 34: S/2

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 7: E/2
Sections 8 through 16: All
Section 17: E/2
Section 20: E/2
Sections 21 through 26: All
Sections 35 and 36: All

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 30: S/2
Sections 31 through 35: All

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM

Section 15: W/2
Section 16: All
Section 20: E/2
Section 21: All
Section 22: W/2
Section 25: SW/4
Section 27: NW/4
Section 28: N/2
Section 36: All

- (f) EXTEND the Aztec-Fruitland Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 8: E/2

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM

Section 10: E/2

- (g) EXTEND the Bullard-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba, Sandoval, and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM

Section 5: N/2 and SW/4

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 21: SE/4
Section 27: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 15: SW/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 20: SW/4

- (h) EXTEND the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM

Section 18: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 13: NW/4
Section 14: S/2 NE/4

- (i) EXTEND the Blanco-Fruitland Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM

Section 11: SW/4
Section 14: NW/4

- (j) EXTEND the Blanco Mesaverde Pool in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM
Section 34: E/2

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM

Section 21: S/2
Section 25: W/2

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM

Section 7: All

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NMPM

Section 34: N/2

- (k) EXTEND the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba, Sandoval, and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 2: S/2

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 34: SW/4

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 17: SW/4
Section 18: All

- (l) EXTEND the Chacon-Dakota Associated Pool in Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 36: SE/4

- (m) EXTEND the Devils Fork-Gallup Associated Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM

Section 15: E/2 NE/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 11: W/2 NE/4
Section 12: NE/4 and N/2 SE/4

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM

Section 21: SE/4
Section 22: SW/4
Section 27: W/2
Section 28: NE/4
Section 34: NW/4

- (n) EXTEND the Dufers Point-Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM

Section 3: N/2 SW/4
Section 4: N/2 SE/4

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 7: S/2
Section 33: SE/4

- (o) EXTEND the Escrito-Gallup Associated Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 8: SW/4
Section 17: NW/4
Section 34: NE/4

- (p) EXTEND the Flora Vista-Gallup Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM

Section 1: SE/4

- (q) EXTEND the Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM

Section 35: All

- (r) EXTEND the Gavilan-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM

Section 16: NE/4

- (s) EXTEND the Gobernador-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 31: NW/4

- (t) EXTEND the Gonzales-Masaverde Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 3: S/2

- (u) EXTEND the Kutz-Fruitland Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 26: NW/4
Section 27: NE/4

- (v) EXTEND the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM

Section 32: SE/4

- (w) EXTEND the South Lindrich Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 3: SE/4, E/2 NE/4, and SW/4 NE/4

- (x) EXTEND the West Lindrich Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 5: All

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 12: S/2

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 32: SW/4

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM

Section 15: W/2

- (y) EXTEND the Lybrook-Gallup Oil Pool in Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM

Section 29: NW/4 NW/4

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 3: E/2

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM

Section 35: NE/4 SE/4

- (z) EXTEND the Ojo Fruitland-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 15 WEST, NMPM

Section 35: SW/4

- (aa) EXTEND the Otero-Gallup Oil Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 9: SE/4

Section 10: SW/4 SW/4

Section 22: NW/4 NW/4

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 27: SE/4

- (bb) EXTEND the Rusty-Chacra Pool in Sandoval County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 1: NE/4

- (cc) EXTEND the San Ysidro-Mancos Oil Pool in Sandoval County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 28: NW/4 NW/4

Section 29: N/2 NE/4 and NW/4 and N/2 SW/4

- (dd) EXTEND the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 34: SE/4

Section 35: SW/4



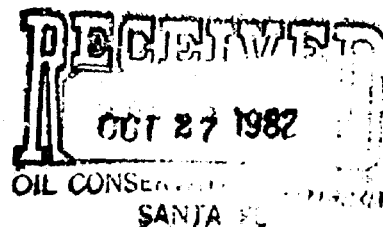
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Re: Examiner Hearing Settings

Dear Mr. Nutter:

In confirmation of our telephone conversation, we request that the following case be vacated from the October 27, 1982, hearing and set down for hearing on December 15, 1982, to coincide with Mr. Grynberg's Case No. 7528 covering the same acreage. Our case is as follows:

Case No. 7667, Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico, in NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 2 1/4 East, N.M.P.M. (Mike Harvey "TR" Federal No. 3).

We appreciate your consideration in this matter.

Yours very truly,

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Randy G. Patterson
Land Manager

RGP/bh

cc: Mr. Chad Dickerson

Dockets Nos. 35-82 and 36-82 are tentatively set for November 10 and November 23, 1982. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - TUESDAY - OCTOBER 26, 1982

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

CASE 7656: (Continued from September 22, 1982, Commission Hearing)

Application of Cities Service Company for determination of reasonable well costs, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, pursuant to the provisions of Section 70-2-17 C, NMSA, 1978 Comp., and Paragraph (5) of Division Order No. R-6781, seeks a determination of reasonable well costs for two wells drilled under the provisions of said Order No. R-6781 by Doyle Hartman on lands pooled by said order.

Docket No. 34-82

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 27, 1982

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

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

CASE 7703: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Cortez Corporation, United States Fire Insurance Company and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Fair Well No. 1, located in Unit D of Section 24, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7638: (Continued from October 13, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Cibola Energy Corporation, American Employers Insurance Company and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Simms Ranch Well No. 1, located in Unit N, Section 9, the Clyde Berlier Well No. 1, located in Unit K and the Clyde Berlier Well No. 2, located in Unit F, both in Section 21, the Mora Ranch Well No. 3 located in Unit M and the Mora Ranch Well No. 4 located in Unit M, both in Section 5, all in Township 21 North, Range 21 East, Mora County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7686: (Continued from September 29, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Energetics Corporation, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Hanes Corporation Well No. 1, located in Unit F of Section 9, Township 24 South, Range 2 East, Dona Ana County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7710: Application of Getty Oil Company for a unit agreement, Sierra County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the West Elephant Butte Unit Area, comprising 25,968 acres, more or less, of State, Federal, and fee lands in Townships 12 and 13 South, Ranges 4 and 5 West.

CASE 7704: Application of Mesa Petroleum Co. for an unorthodox well location, Chavez County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox location 158 feet from the South line and 2055 feet from the East line of Section 33, Township 5 South, Range 25 East, Undesignated Abo Pool, the SE/4 of said Section 33 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7785: Application of Johnson and Price for an unorthodox location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox location 1500 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 22, Township 15 South, Range 38 East, Medicine Rock-Bowman Pool, the W/2 NE/4 of said Section 22 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7786: Application of Johnson and Price for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down to and including the Permian formation underlying the W/2 NE/4 of Section 22, Township 15 South, Range 38 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 1500 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the East line of said Section 22. 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 7692: (Continued from September 29, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Forister & Sweatt for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Southeast Chaves Queen Gas Area underlying the E/2 of Section 5, Township 13 South, Range 31 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox 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 7707: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for salt water disposal, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres formation in the perforated interval from 4,009 feet to 4,217 feet in its Champlin "UL" Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 12, Township 8 South, Range 31 East.CASES 7708 and 7709: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in each of the following cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case, each to form a standard 160-acre gas proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case will be the cost of drilling and completing the unit 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 7708: NE/4 Section 9, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7709: SE/4 Section 22, Township 6 South, Range 25 East

CASE 7711: Application of Julian Ard for the amendment of Division Order No. R-6903, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order No. R-6903 which said order pooled all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the E/2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, to provide that all of the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations would be pooled thereunder.CASE 7681: (Continued and Readvertised)

Application of Cibola Energy Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a gas well for any formation down to and including the Ordovician formation to be drilled 330 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 13, Township 9 South, Range 27 East, with the NE/4 or the E/2 of said Section 13 to be dedicated to the well as appropriate.

CASE 7696: (Continued from October 13, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Arco Oil and Gas Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Mississippian through Ellenburger formations underlying the E/2 of Section 31, Township 20 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.

CASES 7712, 7713, and 7714: Application of Sanders Oil & Gas Company for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in each of the following cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case, each to form a standard 160-acre gas proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case will be the cost of drilling and completing the unit 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 7712: SE/4 Section 21

CASE 7713: SE/4 Section 21

CASE 7714: SE/4 Section 31

All in Township 8 South, Range 26 East.

CASES 7528 and 7529: (Continued from September 29, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of JJ-CC, Limited for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in each of the following two cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case, each to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case 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 7528: NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7529: NE/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7667: (Continued from September 15, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation 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 NW/4 of Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit 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 7652: (Continued from September 15, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Conoco, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Cisco formation underlying all of partial Sections 34 and 35, Township 20 1/2 South, Range 23 East, underlying a previously approved 688-acre non-standard proration unit, to be dedicated to a well at a previously approved unorthodox location which is to be re-entered. Also to be considered will be the cost of re-entering 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 re-entering said well.

CASE 7594: (Continued from August 18, 1982 Examiner Hearing)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for statutory unitization, Lea 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 that portion of the Bone Spring formation described as the Carbonate unit between the first and second Bone Spring Sands underlying the Young Deep Unit, encompassing 560 acres, more or less, of Federal lands underlying portions of Sections 3, 4, 9 and 10, Township 18 South, Range 32 East.

Dockets Nos. 31-82 and 32-82 are tentatively set for September 29 and October 13, 1982. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING WEDNESDAY-SEPTEMBER 15, 1982

9 A.M. - MORGAN HALL, 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 October, 1982, from fifteen prorated pools in Lea, Eddy, and Chaves Counties, New Mexico.
- (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for October, 1982, from four prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico.

CASE 7638: (Continued and Readvertised)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Cibola Energy Corporation, American Employers Insurance Company and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Simms Ranch Well No. 1, located in Unit N, Section 9, the Clyde Berlier Well No. 1, located in Unit K and the Clyde Berlier Well No. 2, located in Unit F, both in Section 21, the Mora Ranch Well No. 3 located in Unit M and the Mora Ranch Well No. 4, located in Unit M, both in Section 5, all in Township 21 North, Range 21 East, Mora County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7637: (Continued from August 18, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit K.A.F. Enterprises, Fireman's Fund Insurance Company and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Shaw Well No. 1, located in Unit M, Section 18, Township 4 North, Range 8 East, Torrance County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7635: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit CO₂-In-Action, Travelers Indemnity and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Trigg Well No. 3 located in Unit J, Section 25, Township 15 North, Range 28 East, San Miguel County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7636: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit CO₂-In-Action, Travelers Indemnity and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Amistad No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 18, and the Amistad No. 2 located in Unit D of Section 7, both in Township 19 North, Range 36 East, Union County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7673: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Almost Texas Unit Area, comprising 3,840 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 26 South, Range 31 East.

CASE 7664: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Little Cuevo Unit Area, comprising 13,407 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 17 South, Range 18 East.

CASE 7674: Application of Trican Energy, Inc. for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Javelina Basin Unit Area, comprising 3,840 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 25 South, Range 34 East.

CASE 7675: Application of Texaco Inc. for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Justis Blinbry, Justis Tubb-Drinkard, and Justis Devonian production in the wellbore of its G. L. Erwin "A" Federal Well No. 2 located in Unit K, Section 35, Township 24 South, Range 37 East.

- CASE 7676: Application of Tenneco Oil Company for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Delaware formation in the perforated interval from 4970 feet to 4982 feet in its Jennings Fed. Well No. 3 located in Unit B of Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 32 East.
- CASE 7677: Application of Anadarko Production Company for a waterflood expansion, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to expand its Teas Yates Waterflood Project by converting two wells located in Unit F of Sections 13 and 14, Township 27 South, Range 33 East and drilling three new injection wells at unorthodox locations in Units M of Section 11 and Unit L of Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, and Unit E of Section 18, Township 20 South, Range 34 East.
- CASE 7678: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for a pressure maintenance project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a pressure maintenance project in the Vacuum Grayburg-San Andres Pool by the injection of water into the Grayburg San Andres formation through eight injection wells to be drilled at unorthodox locations in Section 35, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, as follows: 2630 feet from the South line and 1330 feet from the West line; 2630 feet from the South and West lines; 2630 feet from the South line and 1330 feet from the East line; 1310 feet from the South line and 1330 feet from the West line; 1310 feet from the South line and 10 feet from the East line; 10 feet from the South line and 1310 feet from the East line; 1330 feet from the North line and 1310 feet from the West line; and 1330 feet from the North line and 10 feet from the West line. Applicant also proposes two production wells at unorthodox locations in said Section 35 as follows: 1310 feet from the South line and 700 feet from the East line and 1310 feet from the South and East lines.
- CASE 7630: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing - This Case will be Dismissed)
- Application of Ralph Nix for an oil treating plant permit, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the SW/4 NE/4 of Section 18, Township 19 South, Range 26 East.
- CASE 7671: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Texas Eastern Developments, Inc. for an exception to Rule 307, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks an exception to Rule 307 of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit it to draw a vacuum on the Shiprock Gallup Oil Pool reservoir through 16 wells in Sections 16 and 17, Township 29 North, Range 18 West. Applicant further seeks an administrative procedure whereby it could extend the proposed vacuum system to include additional wells in the same reservoir.
- CASE 7679: Application of C & K Petroleum, Inc. for the amendment of Order No. R-4857-A and for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order No. R-4857-A to provide that the lands pooled by said order shall be the W/2 SE/4 of Section 27, Township 16 South, Range 37 East, dedicated to its Ship 27 Well No. 2 located in Unit O in said Section 27. Applicant further seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 SE/4 of the aforesaid Section 27, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled in Unit P of said Section 27. 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 7680: Application of Unichem International, Inc. for an exception to Order No. R-3221, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an exception to Order No. R-3221 to permit the commercial disposal of produced brine into several unlined surface pits located in Section 11, Township 23 South, Range 29 East.
- CASE 7681: Application of Cibola Energy Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of an Ordovician gas well to be drilled 330 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 13, Township 9 South, Range 27 East, the E/2 of said Section 13 to be dedicated to the well.

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CASE 7682: Application of Cibola Energy Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a Mississippian gas well drilled 330 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 34, Township 11 South, Range 28 East, the W/2 of said Section 34 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7683: Application of S & I Oil Company for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Gallup formation underlying the E/2 SE/4 of Section 12, Township 29 North, Range 15 West, to be dedicated to a well 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 7684: Application of R. E. Lauritsen for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Gallup and Dakota formations underlying the W/2 of Section 11, Township 29 North, Range 15 West, 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 7685: Application of Cimarron Energy Corporation for an unorthodox location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a Pennsylvanian test to be drilled 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 22 East, the S/2 of said Section 34 to be dedicated to the well.

CASES 7528 and 7529: (Continued and Resubmitted)

Application of Jack J. Grynberg for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in each of the following two cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case, each to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case 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 7528: NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

CASE 7529: NE/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East

(Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

CASES 7666, 7667, 7668, and 7669: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in each of the four following cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case, each to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case 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 7666: SW/4 Section 3;

CASE 7667: NW/4 Section 4;

CASE 7668: NW/4 Section 14;

All of the above being in Township 5 South, Range 24 East and

CASE 7669: NW/4 Section 2, Township 9 South, Range 35 East.

CASE 7670: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the W/2 of Section 26, Township 14 South, Range 27 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 7652: (Continued from August 18, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Conoco Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Cisco formation underlying all of partial Sections 34 and 35, Township 20 1/2 South, Range 23 East, underlying a previously approved 688-acre non-standard proration unit, to be dedicated to a well at a previously approved unorthodox location which is to be re-entered. Also to be considered will be the cost of re-entering 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 re-entering said well.

CASE 7672: (Continued from September 1, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating, assigning discovery allowable, contracting, and extending certain pools in Chaves, Eddy, Lea and McQuinn Counties, New Mexico:

- (a) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Brushy Canyon production and designated as the Brushy Draw-Brushy Canyon Pool. Further, to assign approximately 25,410 barrels of discovery allowable to the discovery well, the J. C. Williamson UCBHW Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 25, Township 26 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM
Section 25: SW/4

- (b) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico classified as an oil pool for San Andres production and designated as the Hobbs Channel-San Andres Pool. The discovery well is the Bass Enterprises Production Company Humble City Unit Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 36, Township 17 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 36: NW/4

- (c) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Humphreys Mill-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Florida Exploration Company Reno Com Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 11, Township 25 South, Range 35 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM
Section 11: N/2

- (d) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Abo production and designated as the Justis-Abo Pool. The discovery well is the Santa Fe Energy Company Carlson B-25 Federal Well No. 3 located in Unit O of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 25: SE/4

- (e) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Upper Pennsylvanian production and designated as the McMillan-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Southland Royalty Company Pecos River Federal 20 Com Well No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 20, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: E/2

- (f) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Strawn production and designated as the Hoxley Canyon-Strawn Gas Pool. The discovery well is W. A. Muncie, Jr., Jurnegan State Well No. 1 located in Unit C of Section 8, Township 24 South, Range 25 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM
Section 8: N/2

- (g) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Tubb production and designated as the West Nadine-Tubb Pool. The discovery well is the Tamarack Petroleum Company, Inc. Kornegay A Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 9, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM
Section 9: NW/4

- (h) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Pitchfork Ranch-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the HNG Oil Company Maders 32 State Com Well No. 1 located in Unit C of Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 34 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM
Section 32: W/2

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TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM
Section 34: SW/4

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TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 12: NE/4

- (k) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Tubb production and designated as the Teague-Tubb Pool. The discovery well is the Alpha Twenty-One Production Company Lea Well No. 2 located in Unit A of Section 17, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 17: NE/4

- (l) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Devonian production and designated as the Townsend-Devonian Pool. The discovery well is the Kimbark Oil and Gas Company New Mexico 1-4 State Com Well No. 1 located in Unit N of Section 4, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM
Section 4: Lots 1, 12, 13, and 14

- (m) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Bone Spring production and designated as the Welch-Bone Spring Pool. The discovery well is the Quana Petroleum, Inc. Ray B Federal Com Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 9, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM
Section 9: SW/4

- (n) CONTRACT the horizontal limits of the Buckeye-Abo Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, by the deletion of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM
Section 3: W/2 NW/4

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- (o) CONTRACT the horizontal limits of the Vacuum-Abo Reef Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, by the deletion of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM
Section 3: E/2 NW/4

- (p) EXTEND the Antelope Sink-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, NMPM
Section 13: N/2
Section 14: N/2

- (q) EXTEND the West Arkansas Junction-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: NW/4

- (r) EXTEND the Atoka-Yaso Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM
Section 26: E/2

- (s) EXTEND the Bilbrey-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM
Section 5: NW/4
Section 6: E/2

- (t) EXTEND the Bunker Hill-Penrose Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM
Section 14: N/2 S/2 and NE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM
Section 3: S/2
Section 4: All

- (v) EXTEND the Comanche Stateline Tansill-Yates-Seven Rivers-Queen Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Section 26: NW/4
Section 27: NE/4 and E/2 NW/4

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

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 35: S/2
Section 36: W/2

- (x) 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 NE/4

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM
Section 31: NW/4 and S/2 NE/4

- (y) EXTEND the Forty Miner Ridge-Bone Spring Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM
Section 16: SE/4

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TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Section 2: Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, and S/2
Section 11: NW/4

- (aa) EXTEND the Northeast Lovington-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: NW/4

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TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM
Section 19: W/2

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TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM
Section 30: SE/4
Section 31: N/2 NE/4

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM
Section 15: S/2

- (dd) EXTEND the Race Track-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 18: NE/4 and S/2 SE/4

- (ee) EXTEND the Eces Draw-Wolfcamp Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM
Section 23: S/2
Section 26: N/2

- (ff) EXTEND the West Sand Dunes-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM
Section 17: S/2
Section 20: All

- (gg) EXTEND the Saunders Perno-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM
Section 21: NE/4

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 22, 1982

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

The following cases were continued from the August 26, 1982, Commission Hearing:

CASE 7656: Application of Cities Service Company for determination of reasonable well costs, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, pursuant to the provisions of Section 70-2-17 C, NMSA, 1978 Comp., and Paragraph (5) of Division Order No. R-6781, seeks a determination of reasonable well costs for two wells drilled under the provisions of said Order No. R-6781 by Doyle Hartman on lands pooled by said order.

CASE 7657: Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for non-rescission of Order No. R-6873, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the non-rescission of Order No. R-6873, which order pooled certain lands to be dedicated to a proposed Ordovician test well to be drilled thereon, being the W/2 of Section 18, Township 9 South, Range 27 East. Said order provided that should the unit well not be drilled to completion, or abandonment, within 120 days after commencement thereof, operator shall appear and show cause why the pooling order should not be rescinded.

CASE 7658: (Readvertised)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for a dual completion and downhole commingling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of its Seymour State No. 1 located in Section 18, Township 9 South, Range 27 East, in such a manner that Abo perforations from 4912 feet to 4929 feet would be commingled with Upper Atoka perforations from 5926 feet to 5952 feet and the aforesaid intervals dually completed with Lower Atoka perforations from 6008 feet to 6048 feet and produced through parallel strings of tubing.

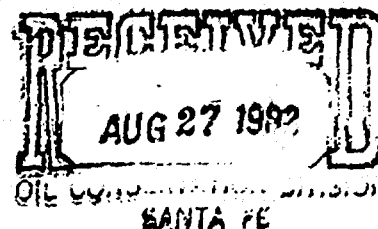
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August 24, 1982

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Re: September 1, 1982 Examiner Hearing

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Please continue the following cases set for the September 1, 1982 Examiner Hearing until the Examiner Hearing of September 15, 1982:

1. Case No. 7630, Application of Ralph Nix for an oil treating plant permit, Eddy County, New Mexico, located in SW/4 NE/4 Section 18, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
2. Case No. 7664, Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Little Cuevo Unit Area, comprising 13,407 acres of State and Fee lands in Township 17 South, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M.
3. Case No. 7666, Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico, in SW/4 Section 3, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M. (Tesuque "TQ" Federal No. 1).
- ✓ 4. Case No. 7667, Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico, in NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M. (Mike Harvey "TR" Federal No. 3).
5. Case No. 7668, Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico, in NW/4 Section 14, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M. (Lillie "RB" Federal No. 2).

Dockets Nos. 29-82 and 30-82 are tentatively set for September 15 and September 29, 1982. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - THURSDAY - AUGUST 26, 1982

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

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Docket No. 28-82

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 1, 1982

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

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

CASE 7635: (Continued from August 18, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit CO₂-In-Action, Travelers Indemnity and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Frigg Well No. 3 located in Unit J, Section 25, Township 15 North, Range 28 East, San Miguel County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7636: (Continued from August 18, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit CO₂-In-Action, Travelers Indemnity and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Amistad No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 18, and the Amistad No. 2 located in Unit D of Section 7, both in Township 19 North, Range 36 East, Union County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 7659: Application of Sun Exploration and Production Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a Pennsylvanian gas well drilled 660 feet from the North and West lines of Section 21, Township 7 South, Range 26 East, the W/2 of said Section 21 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7660: Application of Penley Petroleum, Inc. for salt water disposal, Roosevelt County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres formation in the perforated interval from 3862 feet to 3874 feet in its State Well No. 1 located in Unit B of Section 16, Township 7 South, Range 33 East.

CASE 7661: Application of George Sardella and Gary Flemens for an oil treating plant permit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the NW/4 NE/4 of Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 33 East.

CASE 7630: (Continued from August 4, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Ralph Nix for an oil treating plant permit, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the SW/4 NE/4 of Section 18, Township 19 South, Range 26 East.

CASE 7662: Application of Carter Foundation Production Company for a waterflood project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to expand its Blaine-Cade Waterflood Project by converting its Mattix Federal Wells Nos. 2, 5, 6, located in Units C, E, and D, respectively, in Section 3, Township 24 South, Range 37 East, by the injection of water into the Queen formation.

CASE 7639: (Continued from August 18, 1982 Examiner Hearing)

Application of Acoma Oil Corporation for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Wantz Abo, Drinkard and Blinberry Pool production in the wellbore of its S. J. Starkeys Lease Well No. 2, located in Unit B of Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 37 East.

CASE 7663: Application of Dugan Production Corporation for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Dakota formation underlying the S/2 of Section 18, Township 30 North, Range 14 West, 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 7648: (Continued and Readvertised)

Application of Petroleum Corp. of Delaware for a dual completion, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of its Superior Federal Well No. 6 located in Unit M of Section 6, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, East Burton Flat Field, to produce oil from the Strawn formation through the casing-tubing annulus and gas from the Morrow formation through tubing.

CASE 7651: (Continued from August 18, 1982, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Mortex Gas & Oil Company for the amendment of Order No. R-6903, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order No. R-6903 to provide that non-consenting working interest owners shall have thirty days following final adjudication of title in which to pay their proportionate share of well costs.

CASE 7644: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Little Cuevo Unit Area, comprising 13,407 acres, more or less, of State and Fee lands in Township 17 South, Range 18 East.

CASE 7655: (Continued from August 18, 1982 Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface down through the Abo formation underlying the NW/4 of Section 20, Township 7 South, Range 26 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 7645: 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 Mississippian formation underlying the N/2 of Section 35, Township 13 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.

CASES 7666, 7667, 7668, and 7669: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in each of the four following cases, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Abo formation underlying the lands specified in each case, each to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered in each case 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 7666: SW/4 Section 3;

CASE 7667: NW/4 Section 4;

CASE 7668: NW/4 Section 14;

All of the above being in Township 5 South, Range 24 East and

CASE 7669: NW/4 Section 2, Township 9 South, Range 25 East

CASE 7670: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the W/2 of Section 26, Township 14 South, Range 27 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 7648: (Continued from August 18, 1982 Examiner Hearing)

Application of Rio Pecos Corporation for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the top of the Wolfcamp to the base of the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the W/2 of Section 35, Township 18 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 7642: Application of Doyle Hartman 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 Jalmat Pool, underlying a previously approved 120-acre non-standard proration unit comprising the S/2 NE/4 and NE/4 NE/4 of Section 20, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a previously approved unorthodox location. 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 7671: Application of Texas Eastern Developments, Inc. for an exception to Rule 307, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an exception to Rule 307 of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit it to draw a vacuum on the Shiprock Gallup Oil Pool reservoir through 16 wells in Sections 16 and 17, Township 29 North, Range 18 West. Applicant further seeks an administrative procedure whereby it could extend the proposed vacuum system to include additional wells in the same reservoir.

CASE 7649: Application of Southern Union Exploration Company for retroactive exemption, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the retroactive exemption from Section 5 of the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act of the following Basin Dakota infill wells: Jicarilla A No. 13-E in Unit M of Section 13 and Jicarilla A No. 10-E in Unit G of Section 23, both in Township 26 North, Range 4 West, and Jicarilla K No. 15-E in Unit A of Section 1, Township 25 North, Range 5 West, all in Rio Arriba County, and the Hodges No. 15-E in Unit J of Section 27, Township 26 North, Range 8 West in San Juan County. Also the following Ballard-Pictured Cliffs replacement well in San Juan County: Newcom No. 10-E in Unit M of Section 20, Township 26 North, Range 8 West. Each of the aforesaid wells was subject to the New Mexico Natural Gas Pricing Act until exempted from same by the Division on July 23, 1982, and applicant seeks the retroactive exemption of each of said wells to date of first delivery into the pipeline which ranges from December 24, 1980 to January 11, 1982.

CASE 7672: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating, assigning discovery allowable, contracting, and extending certain pools in Chaves, Eddy, Lea, and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico:

- (a) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Brushy Canyon production and designated as the Brushy Draw-Brushy Canyon Pool. Further, to assign approximately 25,410 barrels of discovery allowable to the discovery well, the J. C. Williamson UCBHM Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 25, Township 26 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM
Section 25: SW/4

- (b) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico classified as an oil pool for San Andres production and designated as the Hobbs Channel-San Andres Pool. The discovery well is the Bass Enterprises Production Company Humble City Unit Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 36, Township 17 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 36: NW/4

- (c) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Humphreys Mill-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Florida Exploration Company Reno Com Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 11, Township 25 South, Range 35 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM
Section 11: N/2

- (d) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Abo production and designated as the Justis-Abo Pool. The discovery well is the Santa Fe Energy Company Carlson S-25 Federal Well No. 3 located in Unit O of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 25: SE/4

- (e) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Upper Pennsylvanian production and designated as the McMillan-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Southland Royalty Company Pecos River Federal 20 Com Well No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 20, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: E/2

- (f) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Strawn production and designated as the Mosley Canyon-Strawn Gas Pool. The discovery well is W. A. Moncrief, Jr., Jurnegan State Well No. 1 located in Unit C of Section 8, Township 24 South, Range 25 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM
Section 8: W/2

- (g) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Tubb production and designated as the West Madine-Tubb Pool. The discovery well is the Tamarack Petroleum Company, Inc. Kornegay A Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 9, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM
Section 9: NW/4

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TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM
Section 32: W/2

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Examiner Hearing - SEPTEMBER 1, 1982

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- (q) EXTEND the West Arkansas Junction-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: NW/4

- (r) EXTEND the Aloka-Yaso Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM
Section 26: E/2

- (s) EXTEND the Hilbrey-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM
Section 5: NW/4
Section 6: E/2

- (t) EXTEND the Banker Hill-Penrose Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM
Section 14: N/2 S/2 and NE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM
Section 3: S/2
Section 4: All

- (v) EXTEND the Comanche Stateline Fensili-Yates-Seven Rivers-Queen Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Section 26: NW/4
Section 27: NE/4 and E/2 NW/4

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

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 35: S/2
Section 36: NE/2

- (x) 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 NE/4

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM
Section 31: NW/4 and S/2 NE/4

- (y) EXTEND the Forty Miner Ridge-Bone Spring Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM
Section 16: SE/4

- (z) EXTEND the Hardy-Tubb Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Section 2: Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, and S/2
Section 11: NW/4

- (aa) EXTEND the Northeast Lovington-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: NW/4

- (bb) EXTEND the West Milnesand-Pennsylvanian Pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM
Section 19: W/2

- (cc) EXTEND the South Peterson-Pennsylvanian Associated Pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM
Section 30: SE/4
Section 31: E/2 NE/4

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM
Section 15: S/2

- (dd) EXTEND the Race Track-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 18: NE/4 and S/2 SE/4

- (ee) EXTEND the Ross Draw-Wolfcamp Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM
Section 23: S/2
Section 24: N/2

- (ff) EXTEND the West Sand Dune-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM
Section 17: S/2
Section 20: All

- (gg) EXTEND the Saunders Permian-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM
Section 21: NE/4

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF :
YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR :
COMPULSORY POOLING, CHAVES COUNTY, : CASE NO. 7667
NEW MEXICO :
:

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
: SS.
COUNTY OF EDDY)

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that on the 23rd day of August, 1982, the undersigned did mail in the United States Post Office at Artesia, New Mexico, true copies of the following instruments:

1. Application for Compulsory Pooling of mineral interests in the Mike Harvey "TR" Federal No. 3 Well; located in NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M., Chaves County, New Mexico; and
2. Docket reflecting hearing on such Application at the Oil Conservation Division in Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the 1st day of September, 1982;

in securely sealed postage prepaid envelopes addressed to the following named party:

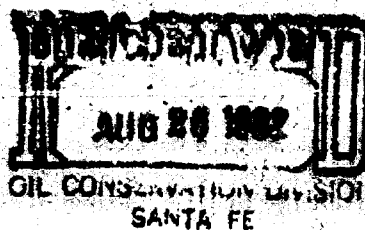
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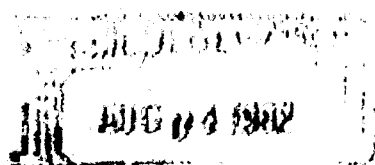
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 23rd day of
August, 1982.

Patricia Ferguson
Notary Public

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF :
YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR :
COMPULSORY POOLING, CHAVES COUNTY, : CASE NO. 7662
NEW MEXICO :
_____ :

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Yates Petroleum Corporation, by its attorneys, and in support hereof, respectfully states:

1. Applicant has the right to drill its Mike Harvey "TR" Federal No. 3 Well as a gas well, to a depth sufficient to test the Abo formation, which is to be located at a lawful location in NW/4 Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M., Chaves County, New Mexico.

2. The applicant intends to dedicate the NW/4 of said section to this well, and there is an interest owner in the proration unit who has not agreed to pool its interest. The party who has not agreed to pool its interest, and its address is as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
JJ-CC, Ltd., a Colorado limited partnership	1050 17th Street, Suite 1950 Denver, Colorado 80265

3. Applicant should be designated the operator of the well and the proration unit.

4. To avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, to protect correlative rights and to afford to the owner of each interest in said unit the opportunity to recover or receive without unnecessary expense, its just and fair share of the gas in said unit, all mineral interests, whatever they may be, from the surface to the base of the Abo formation, underlying the NW/4 of said Section 4, should be pooled.

5. That any non-consenting working interest owner that does not pay its share of estimated well costs should have withheld from production its share of the reasonable well

costs, plus an additional 200% thereof as a reasonable charge for the risk involved in the drilling of the well.

6. Applicant should be authorized to withhold from production the proportionate share of a reasonable supervision charge for drilling and producing wells attributable to each non-consenting working interest owner.

WHEREFORE, applicant prays:

A. That this application be set for hearing before an examiner and that notice of said hearing be given as required by law.

B. That upon hearing the Division enter its order pooling all mineral interests, whatever they may be, from the surface to the base of the Abo formation, underlying the NW/4 of said Section 4, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M., Chaves County, New Mexico, to form a 160-acre spacing unit dedicated to applicant's well.

C. And for such other and further relief as may be just in the premises.

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

By: 
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Orders

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. 7667
Order No. R-7166

RFL

APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on December 16, 1982, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this _____ day of December, 1982, 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. 7667 is hereby dismissed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

JOE D. RAMEY,
Director

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