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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico

IN THE MATTER OF:

Case No. <u>1127</u>

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

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DEARNLEY-MEIER & ASSOCIATES Court Reporters 605 Simms Bldg. Albuquerque, New Mexico

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico January 16, 1957

IN THE MATTER OF:

Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for the creation of a new oil pool in Lea County, New Mexico.

(d) Creation of a new oil pool for Tubb production, designated as the Tubb oil pool, and described as: Case No. 1127

Township 21 South, Range 37 East Section 10: SE/4 SW/4

BEFORE: Honorable Edwin L. Mechem Mr. Murray Morgan Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

MR. PORTER: We will move on to Case 1127.

(Mr. Cooley, attorney for the Oil Commission, read the title of the within case.)

J<u>OHN</u> W. <u>RUNYA</u>N,

a witness, having been sworn as a witness in all the nomenclature cases in which he appeared as such, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. COOLEY

Q State your name and position, please, for the record.

A John W. Runyan, geologist, New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

Q Un your official capacity as a geologist for the Oil Conservation Commission, have you had an opportunity to study

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the proposed creation of a new oil pool ? Tubb production? A Yes, sir, I have and my recommendation is to dismiss

this case for further stud

MR. COOLEY: May Case 1127 be dismissed as recommended? MR. PORTER: Is there any objection to the dismissal of case 1127? Case 1127 will be dismissed.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)) ss. COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

I, Dorothy B. Myers, Court Reporter and Notary Public within and for the County of Santa Fe, State of New Mexico, do hereby certify the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the Oil Conservation Commission for the State of New Mexico was reported by me in shorthand and reduced to typewritten transcript by me, and that the same is a true and correct record of said proceedings to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability. WITNESS my hand and seal this 24th day of January, 1957.

Notary Public - Court Reporter

My commission expires: August 3, 1960

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BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO - · CASE NO. 1127 TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING OCTOBER 17, 1956 DEARNLEY-MEIER AND ASSOCIATES COURT REPORTERS 605 SIMMS BUILDING TELEPHONE 3-6691 ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMISSION SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO OCTOBER 17, 1956

IN THE MATPER OF: CASE 1127: Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New . Mexico. (d) Creation of a new oil pool for Tubb. production: designated as the Tubb Oil Pool, and described: as: Township 21 South, Range 37 Fast Pection 10: SE/4 SW/4 21. S. 15 Mite Are Dr. West Dr. Mo. c. . (conney) alker TRA STATEMENT PROCEEDINGS Mr. Part F: (117. + "Huned enger M. MORLEY: dealleragtern. New Mexico nomenclature case evolution for the evolution of a new pool to fee County, New Mexico. (Titness sworn.) We doubtly: tale mean nervice occupation for the record. Me. 2019 1: about, sugare de Conservation Commission. secledict. 10. Childy: the gebore of boty then evaluated as an ex-

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DEARNLEY METER & ASSOCIATES INCOMPORATED GENERAL LAW REPORTED ALBUQUERQUE SANTA FC 3 0691 2-1869 make a study of the Tubb Gil Pool?

MR. RUNYON: Yes, sir, I have, but due to the lack of information available to the Commission at this time, I recommend that the Case 1127 be extended to the regular hearing in January, 1957.

MR. PORTER: Do you think there will be a possibility of additional information by that time, Mr. Runyon?

MR. RUNYON: Yes, sir, there should be.

MR. PORTER: Is there any objection to Mr. Runyon's motion for continuance of this case? It will be continued to the regular January, 1957 hearing.

MR. WALKER: Let the record show that Mr. Runyon was the same Mr. Runyon that testified in Case 1166.

MR. PORTER: Is there anything else to come before the Commission? The hearing stands adjourned.

(Witness excused.)

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO) : ss COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

I, THURMAN J. MOODY, Notary Public in and for the County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission was reported by me in stenotype and reduced to typewritten transcript by me and/or under my personal supervision, and that the same is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

WITNESS my Hand and Seal, the <u>31st</u> day of <u>Octobu</u>, 1956, in the City of Albuquerque, County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico.

Thurman Amon Notary / Public

My Commission Expires:

April 3, 1960.

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BEFORE THE **Gil Conservation Commission** SANTA FE. NEW MEXICO September 13, 1956 , IN THE MATTER OF: 1127 CASE NO._ TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS DEARNLEY-MEIER AND ASSOCIATES COURT REPORTERS 605 SIMMS BUILDING TELEPHONE 3-6691 ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico September 13, 1956

IN THE MATTER OF:

Southeasern New Mexico nomenclature case : calling for the creation of a new pool in Lea) County, New Mexico. : Case No. 1127

(d) Creation of a new oil pool for Tubb pro-: duction, designated as the Tubb Oil Pool) and described as:

> Township 21 South, Range 37 East Section 10: SE/4 SW/4

BEFORE :

Mr. E. S. (Johnny) Walker Mr. A. L. Porter

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

MR. PORTER: The next case on the docket is Case 1127.

<u>R. F. MONIGOMERY</u>

called as a witness, having been previously duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. COOLEY:

Q State your name for the record.

A Randall Montgomery.

Q Your position?

A Proration Manager for the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

Q Have you previously testified before the Commission in an

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A Yes, sir, I have.

Q In your position as proration manager for the Southeastern District of New Mexico, have you made a study of oil production from the Tubbs Formation?

A Yes, sir, I have, and it is still a mystery, so I recommend that we extend Section (d) of Case 1127 to the next regular hearing.

MR. PORTER: Is that a motion to continue this part of that case until the October hearing?

A Yes, sir.

MR. PORTER: Without objection that portion of the case will be continued.

(Witness excused.)

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

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SS.

I, ADA DEARNLEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS, the 28th day of September, 1956.

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My Commission Expires: June 19, 1959

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BEFORE THE **Gil Conservation Commission** SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO August 15, 1956 IN THE MATTER OF: CASE NO. 1127 TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS DEARNLEY-MEIER AND ASSOCIATES COURT REPORTERS 605 SIMMS BUILDING TELEPHONE 3-6691 ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico August 15, 1956

IN THE MATTER OF:

Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case call-) ing for the creation of new pools and the ex-) tension of and deletion of certain areas from) existing pools in Lea, Chaves and Eddy Counties,) New Mexico.

(a) Creation of a new oil pool for Wolfcamp production, designated as the Caudill-Wolfcamp pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANCE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 9: NW/4

(b) Creation of a new oil pool for Devonian production, designated as the Gross Devonian pool, and described as:

> TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 34: NW/4

(c) Creation of a new oil pool for Delaware production, designated as the Jennings Delaware pool, and described as:

> TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 33: SE/4

(d) Creation of a new oil pool for Tubb produc-) tion, designated as the Tubb Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 10: SE/4 SW/4

(e) **Creation** of a new oil pool for San Andres production, designated as the Young San Andres Pool, and described as:

> TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 HAST, NMPM Section 29: NE/4

(f) Extension of the Blinebry Gas Pool to include:

> TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 29: E/2

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(h)	Extension of the Cave Pool to include:)	
	TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 8: W/2))))	
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	TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 34: N/2, SE/4)) 	
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(1)	Extension of the South Eunice Pool to include:)))	
	TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 3: NE/4)))))	
(m)	Extension of the North Gladiola Devonian Pool to include:))))	
	TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 31: E/2 Section 32: SW/4))))	
(n)	Extension of the Grayburg-Jackson Pool to include:)	
	TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 15: E/2 SE/4)) }	
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_	TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 FAST, HMPH Section 25: S/2, S/2 NW/4))	
	(q) Extension of the Roberts Fool to include:		
	TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 3: W/2		
	(r) Extension of the Skaggs Pool to include:		÷
	TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RALOF 38 EAST, NMPM Section 5: W/2 W/2		
	(s) Extension of the Townsend-Wolfcamp Pool to include:		
	TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM Section 32: S/2 S/2		
	TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EASE, NMPM Section 8: SE/4 SW/4 Section 17: NW/4 NE/4)	
	(t) Delete from the Eidson-Pennsylvanian Pool the following:		
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	BEFORE: Honorable John F. Simms, Jr. Mr. E. S. (Johnny) Walker Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING		
	MR. PORTER: The next case on the Docket is Ca	ase 1127.	
	(The witness was sworn by Mr. Walker.)		
	RANDALL MONTGOMERY		
	Called as a witness, having been first duly sworn, test	tified as	
	follows:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	DIRECT EXAMINATION		
	By MR. GURLEY:		
	Q Will you state your name and occupation, pleas	se, sir?	
	A Randall Montgomery, geologist, New Mexico Oil	Conservation	
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Commission.

Q Are you the same Randall Montgomery who has testified on numerous occasions before the Conservation Commission? 4

A Yes, sir.

G Have you, in your official capacity, had an opportunity to study the proposed creation of a new oil pool for Wolfcamp production, designated as the Caudill-Wolfcamp pool?

A Yes, sir, I have and I recommend that the request be granted as advertised, based on the recent discovery of Magnolia Petroleum Company, Gann Wright #1 in Unit F of Township 15 South, Range 36 East, recompleted June 16, 1956, in the Wolfcamp, top of the perforation was 10,292.

MR. FORTER: Mr. Montgomery, I have one question: do we have a Caudill? We have a Caudill-Devonian--do we have a Caudill-Pennsylvanian?

A Yes, but it is not producing. This well formerly produced a small amount from the Pennsylvanian and was plugged and re-entered in the Wolfcamp.

Q And are you basing your recommendation on Exhibit 1?

A Yes, sir.

Q Which was prepared by you?

A It was prepared under my direction.

2 Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed creation of a new pool for Devonian production, designated as the Cross Devonian pool?

A Yes, sir, and I recommend that it be granted as advertised, based on a recent discovery of the United States Smelting, Refining and Mining Company, Superior State in Unit F of Section 4, Town-

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ship 13 South, Range 32 East, completed May 31, 1956 in the Devonian formation. The top of the perforation was 12,338 feet and I have prepared Exhibit 2.

Q Was that Exhibit prepared under your direction?

A Yes, sir.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed creation of a new oil pool for Delaware production designated as the Jennings Delaware pool?

A Yes, sir, and I recommend that it be created as advertised, based on a recent discovery by Westates Petroleum Corporation, Jennings Federal #1 in Unit 1, Section 33, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, completed in the Delaware on May 23, 1956. The top of the perforation was 4,621, and Exhibit 3 outlines the area.

Q Was the Exhibit prepared under your direction?

A Yes sir,

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed creation of a new pool for Tubb production designated as the Tubb Oil Pool?

A I have, and I recommend that the unit as described in Section (d) of the Case be continued until next month.

MR. GURLEY: We would like to move that paragraph (d) of this case be continued until the next monthly regular hearing.

MR. PORTER: Without objection, it will be continued.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed creation of the new oil pool for San Andres production, designated as the Young San Andres Pool?

A Yes, I have, and recommend that it be created as advertised, based upon the recent discovery of the McCurdy-Trammell joint account, Barton #1 in Unit A, Section 29, Township 13 South, Range 32

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East, completed on May 31, 1956, in the San Andres. The depth of the casing shoe is 4,047 feet. Exhibit 5 outlines the area.

Q Was the Exhibit prepared under your direction?

A Yes, sir.

MR. PORTER: Mr. Montgomery, we have a Young pool at the present time; what is the producing formation in that?

A Queen.

MR. PORTER: Thank you.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Blinebry Gas Pool?

A Yes sir, I have, and I recommend that Section (f) be extended as advertised. The area covered is outlined by Exhibit 6.

Q Was that prepared under your direction?

A Yes, sir.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Caprock-Queen Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that Caprock be extended as advertised and also an unadvertised portion being Section 4 of the East half of the Northwest quarter, Township 14 South, Range 41 East, covered by Exhibit 7.

Q Was that exhibit prepared under your direction?

A Yes sir.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Cave Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that it be extended as advertised plus the Northeast quarter of Section 7, which was unadvertised and is outlined on Exhibit 8.

Q Was that exhibit prepared under your direction?

DEARNLEY MEIER & ASSOCIATES INCORFORATED GENERAL LAW REPORTENS ALBUQUERQUE SANTA FC 2-5691 2 1960 A Yes, sir.

G Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Eumont Pool?

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A Yes sir, and I recommend that it be extended as advertised and also in the unadvertised portion, being Section 19, Township 22 South, Range 37 East and the North half of the Southeast quarter of that section.

Q And is that contiguous to the advertised section?

A It is contiguous to what is already in the pool and I further recommend the extension of a further unadvertised portion in Township 22 South, Range 37 East, being the east half of Section 7, All of Sections 8, 9 and 10. The extensions are outlined on Exhibits 9 and 10.

Q Were those exhibits prepared under your direction?

A Yes, sir.

Q Have you had an opportunity, in your official capacity, to study the proposed deletion of the Eunice Morument Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that that portion as advertised be deleted from the Eunice Pool. The area is shown on Exhibit 11.

Q Exhibit 11 was prepared under your direction?

A Yes, sir.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed deletion from the Jalmat Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that that portion outlined in Section (k) be deleted from the Jalmat Pool as shown on Exhibit 12.

Q Was Exhibit 12 prepared under your direction?

A That's right.

Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension

DEARNLEY-MEIER & ASSOCIATES INCORPORATED G: NERAL LAW REPORTERS ALBUQUERQUE - SANTA FE 3-6691 2-1869 of the South Eunice Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that it be extended as advertised on Exhibit 13, which was prepared under by direction.

Q Thank you. Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the North Gladiola Devonian Pool?

A Yes, and I recommend that field be extended as advertised. Exhibit 14 was prepared under my direction.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Grayburg-Jackson Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that field be extended as advertised and as shown on Exhibit 15, which was prepared under my direction.

Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Crayburg Keely Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that the pool be extended as advertised and shown on Exhibit 16 which was prepared under my direction.

G Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Hardy Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend that it be extended as advertised the area is shown on Exhibit 17, which was prepared under my direction.

9 Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Roberts Pool?

A Yes sir, Fxhibit 18 shows this and I recommend that it be extended as advertised. The Exhibit was prepared under my direction.

Q And is shown on Exhibits 19 and 20?

A On Exhibit 18.

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Q Have you had an opportunity to study the proposed extension of the Skaggs Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend the extension as advertised. EXhibit 19 was prepared under my direction.

Q Have you made a study of the porposed extension of the Townsend-Wolfcamp Pool?

A Yes sir, and I recommend the extension as advertised, plus acreage contiguous to the pool already in the pool, being Section 12 of the north half of the northwest quarter, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, and also the southeast quarter of Section 12, Township 16 South, Range 35 East. This is shown on Exhibits 20 and 21, prepared under my direction.

Q Have you made a study of the proposed deletion from the Eidson-Pennsylvanian Pool?

A Yes, I have, and I recommend that it be deleted as advertised. Exhibit 22 was prepared under my direction.

MR. GURLEY: I would like to move that Exhibits 1-22 be admitted into evidence.

MR. MONTGOMERY: With the exception of Exhibit 4.

MR. GURLEY: Yes, with the exception of Fxhibit 4.

MR. PORTER: Which has to do with the Tubbs extension that

has been continued?

MR. GURLEY: That's right.

TR. PORTER: Without objection, the Exhibits will be admitted. Does anybody have anything further? If not the case will be taken under advisement.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO) : SS COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

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Court Reporter

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

> CASE NO. 1127 Order No. R-877-A

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER CALLING FOR THE CREATION AND EXTENSION OF CERTAIN POOLS IN LEA, CHAVES AND EDDY COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO, AND FOR THE DELETION OF SPECIFIC AREAS FROM CERTAIN POOLS IN LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on August 15, 1956, at 9 o'clock a.m. September 13, 1956, 9 o'clock a.m. October 17, 1953, and at 9 o'clock a.m. January 16, 1957, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 30^{tb} day of January, 1957, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony presented and the exhibits received at said hearing and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDE:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the proposed creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Tubb formation, advertised as the Tubb Oil Pool, should be dismissed pending further study.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(d) That the proposed creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Tubb formation, advertised as the Tubb Cil Pool to consist of the following described area:

> TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NHPM Section 10: SE/4 SW/4

-2-CRSC No. 2127 Order No. R-877-A

be and the same is hereby dismissed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

L hand EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

NURBAY E. MORGAN, Member

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A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary



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BEFORE THE CIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

> CASE NO. 1127 Order No. R-377

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER CALLING FOR THE CREATION AND EXTENSION OF CERTAIN POOLS IN LEA, CHAVES AND EDDY COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO, AND FOR THE DELETION OF SPECIFIC AREAS FROM CERTAIN POOLS IN LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

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NOW, on this <u>day</u> of September, 1956, the Conmission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony presented and the exhibits received at said hearing and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Wolfcamp formation, said pool to bear the designation Caudill-Wolfcamp Pool. Said Caudill-Wolfcamp Pool was discovered by Magnolia Petroleum Company Gann-Wright No. 1, located in the SE/4 of the NW/4 of Section 9, Township 15 South, Range 36 East, NMPM. It was recompleted June 16, 1956, in the Wolfcamp formation. The top of the perforations is at 10,292 feet.

(3) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Devonian formation, said pool to bear the designation Gross-Devonian Pool. Said Gross-Devonian Pool was discovered by United States Smelting Refining and Mining Company Superior State No. 1, located in the SE/4 of the NW/4 of Section 34, Township 13 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. It was completed May 31, 1956. The top of the perforations is at 12,338 feet. -2-Order No. R-877

(4) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Delaware formation, said pool to bear the designation Jennings-Delaware Pool. Said Jennings-Delaware Pool was discovered by Westates Petrol-um Corporation Jennings Federal No. 1, located in the NE/4 of the SE/4 of Section 33, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. It was completed May 23, 1956. The top of the perforations is at 4,621 feet.

(5) That the advertised creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Table formation should be continued to the September 13, 1956 hearing, pending further study.

(6) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the San Andres formation, said pool to bear the designation Young-San Andres Pool. Said Young-San Andres Pool was discovered by McCurdy-Trammell Joint Account Barton No. 1, located in the NE/4 of the NE/4 of Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. It was completed May 31, 1956. The depth of the casing shoe is 4,047 feet.

(7) That there is need for certain extensions to the Blinebry Gas Pool, the Eumont Gas Pool, the South Eunice Pool, the North Gladiola-Devonian Pool, the Hardy Pool, the Roberts Pool, the Skaggs Pool, and the Townsend-Wolfcamp Pool all in Lea County, New Mexico, the Cave Pool, the Grayburg-Jackson Pool, and the Grayburg-Keely Pool, all in Eddy County, New Mexico, and the Gaprock-Queen Pool in Chaves and Lea Counties, New Mexico; further that there is need for the deletion of certain areas from the Eunice-Monument Pool, the Jalmat Gas Pool, and the Eidson-Pennsylvanian Pool, all in Lea County, New Mexico.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(a) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Wolfcamp production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Caudill-Wolfcamp Pool consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM NW/4 Section 9

(b) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Devonian production be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Gross-Devonian Pool consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPH NW/4 Section 34

(c) That a new pool in Lee County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Jennings-Delaware Pool consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM SE/4 Section 33

-3-Order No. R-377

(d) That the proposed creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Tubb production be and the same is hereby <u>continued</u> to the September 13, 1956, hearing.

(e) That a new pool in Les County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for San Andres production be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Young-San Andres Pool consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM NE/4 Section 29

(f) That the Blinebry Gas Pool in Les County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM E/2 Section 29

(g) That the Caprock-Queen Pool in Chaves and Lea Counties, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

> TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM E/2 MW/4 Section 4 W/2 E/2 Section 17 SE/4 Section 34

(h) That the Cave Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM HE/4 Section 7 W/2 Section 8

(i) That the Eumont Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM N/2 & SE/4 Section 34

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, BANGE 37 EAST, NMPM E/2 Section 7 All Section 8 All Section 9 All Section 10 N/2 SE/4 Section 19

(j) That the Eunice-Monument Pool in Les County, New Mexico, as beretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby contracted by deletion of the following described area:

> TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM W/2 Section 34

-4-Order No. 2-877

(k) That the Jalmat Gas Pool in Lee County, New Mexico as herotofors classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby contracted by deletion of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM N/2 & SE/4 Section 34

(1) That the South Eunice Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is bereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM NE/4 Section 3

(n) That the North Gladiola-Devonian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

> TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM K/2 Section 31 SW/4 Section 32

(n) That the Grayburg-Jackson Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

> TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPH E/2 SE/4 Section 15

(o) That the Grayburg-Keely Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM S/2 SE/4 Section 15

(p) That the Hardy Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM S/2 & S/2 NW/4 Section 25

(q) That the Roberts Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM W/2 Section 8

(r) That the Skaggs Pool in Les County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and descrabed, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

> TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPN W/2 W/2 Section 8

-5-Order No. R-877

(s) That the Townsend-Wolfcamp Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM S/2 S/2 Section 32

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM SE/4 Section 1 SE/4 SW/4 Section 8 N/2 NW/4 Section 12 NW/4 NE/4 Section 17

(t) That the Eidson-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Maxico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby <u>contracted</u> by the deletion of the following described area:

> TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM SW/4 Section 8

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary



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Case 1127: (a) Creation of a new Fool

Case 1127: (b) Creation of a new Fool

County_____Pool_GROSS-DEVOWIAN

TOWNSHIP 13 South, RANGE 32 East, NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN 招 14 25 Producing Formation: Devonian Depth Range: 12-13 Purpose: To Create a new Pool for: United States Smelting Refining & Mining Co. Superior State in Unit F of 34-13-32 Comp. 5/31/56 in Devonian Top Perf.: 12,338 Proposed Boundary: Colored in Red NW/4 Sec. 34

Case 1127: (c) Creation of a new Pool

TOWNSHIP 25 South, RANGE 32 East, NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN 25 Producing Formation: Delaware Depth Range: 0-5 Purpose: To Create a new Pool for: Westates Pet. Corp. Jennings Federal #1 in Unit I 33-25-32 Comp. in Delaware 5/23/56 Top Perf. 4621 Proposed Boundary: Colored in Red SE/4 Sec. 33

County LEA Pool JENNINGS-DELAWARE

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Case 1127: (f) Extension of an existing pool

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Case 1127:-(h) Extension of an existing pool

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Existing Boundary: Colored in Red

Proposed Extension: Colored in Green 1/2 SE// Sec. 19 1/2 Sec. 7. 11 Sec. 8,2,10



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South, RANGE 37 East, TOWNSHIP 20 NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN 18 5 Producing Formation: Queen, Grayburg Depth Range: 0-5 Purpose: To extend the pool to include: Continental Oil Co. SEMU-Queen #52 in Unit F 25-20-37 Comp. in Queen 7/7/56 Top Perf. 3638 Continental Oil Co. State 25 #1 in Unit 0 25-20-37 . • Comp. 7/11/56 in Queen Top Perf. 3652 Existing Boundary: Colored in Red Proposed Extension: Colored in Green S/2, S/2 NM/4 Sec. 25

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Case 1127: (s) Extension of an existing pool . EART OF THIS CARD WALV. Pool TOWNSEND-WOLFCAM County______ TOWNSHIP_ 16 South RANGE 35 East NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN Æ 18 -14 18 23 . Purpose: To extend the pool to include: Austral Oil Expl. Co. Inc. State #1 in Unit R 1-16-35 Unadv. Comp. in kolfcamp 7/20/56 Top Perf. 10,546 Shell Oil Co. State ETA #6 in Unit N 8-16-35 Comp. in Wolfcamp 6/9/56 Top Perf. 10, 614 Stanolind Cil & Gas Co., State AL #1 in Unit D 12-16-35 Unadv. Comp. in Wolfcamp 7/25/56 Top Perf. 10,65% Pure Oil Cox State Lea "C" #2 in Unit B: 17-16-35 Comp. in Wolfcamp 6/5/56 Top Perf. 10,470 Existing Boundary: Colored in -Red Proposed Extension: Colored in Green SE/4 SW/4 Sec. 8, WW/4 ME/4 Sec. 17, 3E/4 Sec. 1, 1/2 151/4 Sec. 12

County LEA Pool EIDSON-PENNSYLVANTAN TOWNSHIP 16 South, RANGE 35 East, NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN 18 25 Purpose: No Eidson-Penn, wells in the area Existing Boundary: Colored in Red Proposed Deletion: Colored in Green 3W/4 Sec. 8

Case 1127: (t) Deletion from an existing pool