# CASE NO.

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# STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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September 21, 1979

Corinne Grace P. O. Box 1418 Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220	Re:	CASE NO. 6545 ORDER NO. R-6105 Applicant:
		(OCD) Corinne Grace
Dear Sir:		
Enclosed herewith are two cop Division order recently enter		
Yours very truly,  JOE D. RAMEY  Director		
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Copy of order also sent to:		
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# STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

CASE NO. 6545 Order No. R-6105

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT CORINNE GRACE, TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE KUKLAH BABY WELL NO. 1 LOCATED IN UNIT G OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A DIVISION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

# ORDER OF THE DIVISION

# BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on August 22, 1979, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 19+h day of September, 1979, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

# FINDS:

That the subject case should be dismissed.

# IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 6545 is hereby dismissed.

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

> STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

JOE D. KAMEY

Director

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT Oil Conservation Division State Land Office Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 22 August 1979

# EXAMINER HEARING

# IN THE MATTER OF:

The hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause ) why the Kuklah Baby Well No. 1 in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division approved plugging program.

CASE 6545

BEFORE: Daniel S. Nutter

# TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

# APPEARANCES

For the Oil Conservation Division:

Ernest L. Padilla, Esq. Legal Counsel for the Division State Land Office Bldg. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

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and show cause why a certain well in Eddy County, New Mexico

should not be plugged and abandoned.

MR. PADILLA: Mr. Examiner, Ernest L. Padilla, for the Oil Conservation Division.

We request that this case be dismissed.

MR. NUTTER: Case Number 6545 will be

(Hearing concluded.)

REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, SALLY W. BOYD, a court reporter, DO HEREBY
CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Transcript of
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION State Land Office Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 25 July 1979

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Oil Conservation Division

Dockets Nos. 35-79 and 36-79 are tentatively set for September 5 and 19, 1979. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

### DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 22, 1979

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

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

CASE 6545: (Continued from July 25, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and blow cause why the Maklah Daby Well no. I located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

- CASE 6626: Application of T. H. McElvain 0il & Gas Properties for pool commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the commingling of Gallup and Dakota production in its Miller B Well No. 6 located in Unit G of Section 12, Township 24 North, Range 7 West.
- CASE 6627: Application of Caribou Four Corners, 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 a previously approved 64.32-acre non-standard unit comprising the NW/4 NW/4 and that portion of Lot 5 lying north of the San Juan River, all in Section 18, Township 29 North, Range 14 West, Cha Cha-Gallup Oil Pool, 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 6628: Application of Texaco Inc. for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Skaggs-Glorieta, Skaggs-Drinkard and East Weir-Blinebry production in the wellbore of its M. B. Weir "B" Well No. 9 located in Unit O of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 37 East.
- Application of l'illiard Oil & Gas, Inc. for directional drilling, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to directionally drill its Hanson Bonds Well

  No. 1 located 1650 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 20, Township

  9 South, Range 35 East, to a Devonian bottom hole location within 100 feet of a point 1325 feet

  from the North line and 430 feet from the East line of said Section 20.
- CASE 6630: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Basin-Dakota and BS Mesa-Gallup production in the wellbore of its San Juan 27-4 Unit Well No. 37 located in Unit N of Section 33, Township 27 North, Range 4 West.
- CASE 6631: Application of Reserve 011, Inc. for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Jalmat gas and Langlie Mattin 011 production in the wellbore of its Cooper Jal Weit Well No. 149-300 located in Unit J of Section 18, Tourship 24 South, Mange 37 East.
- Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for a dual completion, Eddy County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of its Frank State Well

  No. 1 located in Unit I of Section 7, Township 19 South, Range 23 East, to produce gas from the Abo
  and Morrow formations, Runyan Ranch Field, through the casing-tubing and through toling.
- CASE 6633: Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for a dual completion, Eddy County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of its Yates Federal
  Com Well No. 1-Y located in Unit J of Section 20, Township 17 South, Range 27 East, to produce
  gas from the Logan Draw-Cisco Canyon Gas Pool and an undesignated Morrow pool through the casingtubing annulus and through tubing.
- CASE 6634: Application of Durham Inc. for special pool rules or a spacing exception, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the promulgation of special pool rules for the Lake Arthur-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool to provide for 320-acre spacing rather than 160 acres. In the absence of objection, this pool will be placed on the standard 320-acre spacing for Pennsylvanian gas pools rather than the present 160-acre spacing. In the alternative applicant seeks to limit the application of the pool's rules to the horizontal limits of the pool, being the SW/4 of Section 31, Township 15 South, Range 27 East.

- CASE 6635: Application of Exxon Corporation for an unorthodox well location and simultaneous dedication, lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the simultaneous dedication of the W/2 of Section 31, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, Eumont Pool, to its Aggles State Well No. 4 located in Unit F, and to its Well No. 13, at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the West line, both in said Section 31.
- CASE 6636: Application of Exxon Corporation for an unorthodox well location and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the simultaneous dedication of all of Section 23, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Pool, to its New Mexico "G" State Well No. 5 located in Unit E, and to its Well No. 20, ct an unorthodox location in Unit M, both in said Section 23.
- CASE 6637: Application of Exxon Corporation for an unorthodox well location and simultaneous dedication, lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the simultaneous dedication of the E/2 of Section 10, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Pool, to its Knox Well No. 1 located in Unit J, and to its Well No. 13, at an unorthodox location 1650 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line, both in said Section 10.
- CASE 6638: Application of Ladd Petroleum Corporation for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Largo-Gallup and Basin-Dakota production in the wellbore of its Lindrith Well No. 24 located in Unit F of Section 4, Township 26 North, Range 7 West.
- CASE 6610: (Continued from July 25, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Koch Industries, Inc. for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water in the Rustler formation through the perforated interval from 1190 feet to 1210 feet in its Wills "A" Well No. 7 located in Unit E of Section 35, Township 26 South, Range 37 East, Khodes Field.

CASE 6579: (Continued from July 25, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of R. N. Hillin for an unorthodox well location and approval of infill drilling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of a Morrow gas well at an unorthodox location 800 feet from the South line and 2000 feet from the East line of Section 34, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the E/2 of said Section 34 which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6580: (Continued from July 25, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Continental Oil Company for a carbon dioxide injection project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to initiate a pilot carbon dioxide injection project in the Grayburg-San Andres formation in Units H and I of Section 20, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, Maljamar Pool, for tertiary recovery purposes.

CASE 6622: (Continued from August 8, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Adams Exploration Company for compulsory pooling. Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp-Penn formations underlying the M/2 of Section 15, Township 24 South, Range 28 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6639: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating and extending certain pools in McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, and San Juan Counties, New Mexico:

(a) CREATE a new pool in McKinley County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Mesaverde production and designated as the Star-Mesaverde Oil Pool. The discovery well is WTR Oil Company State Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 16, Township 19 North, Range 6 West, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 19 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, LMPM Section 16: NW/4

(b) CREATE a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Farmington production and designated as the Bisti-Farmington Pool. The discovery well is Dome Petroleum Corporation Hanlad Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 31, Township 26 North, Range 12 West, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM

Section 4: 11/2 and SE/4

N/2 Section 5: N/2

Section 6:

Section 9: ne/4 Section 10: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM Section 19: SW/4
Section 20: W/2

Section 31: W/2

(c) CREATE a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Fruitland production and designated as the Farmer-Fruitland Pool. The discovery well is Manana Gas,
Incorporated Bobbie Herrera Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 4, Township 30 North, Range 11 West, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

#### TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 4: SW/4

(d) CREATE a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Pennsylvanian production and designated as the Big Gap-Pennsylvanian Oil Pool. The discovery well is Bass Enterprises Production Company Navajo 20 Well No. 1 located in Unit 0 of Section 20, Township 27 North, Range 19 West, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

> TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 19 WEST, NMPM Section 20: SE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM Section 29: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 25: SE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 35: E/2

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

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, NMPM Section 9: E/2 SE/4
Section 10: SW/4

Section 15: N/2 NE/4

(h) EXTEND the Blanco Mesaverde Pool in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, MMPM

Section 4: N/2

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NYPM Section 30: All (Partial Section) Section 31: All (Partial Section)

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM

Section 16: W/2 Section 20: E/2 Section 21: NW/4

(1) EXTEND the Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, IMPM

Section 4: NW/4
Section 5: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 28: SW/4
Section 33: NM/4

TOWNSHIP 32 MORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 7: All (Partial Section) Section 8: E/2

Section 11: E/2

Section 12: All (Partial Section)

Section 13: NW/4

Section 14: N/2

(j) EXTEND the East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM Section 8: NE/4

Section 9:

(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 2 WEST, NMPM Section 18: E/2

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM Section 36: SE/4

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Section 30: All Section 31: All

Section 32: All

(1) EXTEND the Bloomfield-Farmington Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 25: N/2

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

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM Section 3: W/2

Section 10: W/?

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 25: SW/4 Section 26: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 31: S/2 Section 34: SW/4

(n) EXTEND the Choza Mesa-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 15: SE/4 Section 22: NE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM Section 26: SW/4

(p) EXTEND the Harper Hill Fruitland-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to in-

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, NMPM

Section 2: SE/4 TORNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, MARM Section 35: N/2 and SE/4

(q) EXTEND the Harris Mesa-Chacra Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 9 NEST, EMPM Section 5: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 32: E/2

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

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 32: NE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NNPM Section 26: SW/4

(t) EXTEND the La Plata-Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NMPM Section 32: N/2 and SW/4

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

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM Section 6: S/2 (Partial Section) Section 18: All (Partial Section)

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM Section 5: N/2 Section 6: N/2 Section 24: SE/4

Section 25: NE/4

(v) EXTEND the Otero-Chacra Pool in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM Section 3: All Section 4: All Section 10: N/2 and SE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM Section 20: SE/4
Section 21: E/2 and SW/4

(x) EXTEND the Straight Canyon-Dakota Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM Section 14: SE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, EMPM Section 29: S/2
Section 30: E/2
Section 32: N/2

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, KNEW Section 13: E/2 and SW/4 Section 14: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NAPM Section 18: E/2

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(z) EXTEND the Wild florse-Gallup Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, EMPN Section 16: 5/2

Docket No. 33-79

# DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - FRIDAY - AUGUST 24, 1979

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

CASE 6495: (DE NOVO) (Continued from June 6, 1979, Commission Hearing)

Application of Amax Chemical Corporation for the amendment of Order No. R-111-A, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-111-A to extend the boundaries of the Potenti-Oil Area by the inclusion of certain lands in Sections 23 and 24, Township 19 South, Range 29 - 1. Sections 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 23, 24, and 29, Township 19 South, Range 30 - 1, and Sections 7, 8, 17, 18, and 19, Township 19 South, Range 31 East, all in Eddy County, New Edge.

Upon application of Amax Chemical Corporation this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

Docket No. 34-79

# DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - TUESDAY - AUGUST 28, 1979

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

CASE 6555: (DE NOVO) (Continued from August 7, 1979, Commission Hearing)

Application of Jake L. Hamon for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North line and 566 feet from the Line time of Section 30. Township 20 South, Range 36 East, North Osudo-Morrow Gas Poel, all of said Section 30 to be dedicated to the well.

Upon application of Texas Oil & Gas Corp. this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT Oil Conservation Division State Land Office Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 27 June 1979

# EXAMINER HEARING

# IN THE MATTER OF:

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corrine Grace, Travelers Indemnity ) Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Baby ) CASE Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division- ) approved plugging program.

BEFOR: Daniel S. Nutter

# TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

# APPEARANCES

For the Oil Conservation Division:

Ernest L. Padilla, Esq. Legal Counsel for the Division State Land Office Bldg. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

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MR. NUTTER: We'll call first Case Number

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MR. PADILLA: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Baby Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

MR. NUTTER: Case Number 6545 will be continued to the Examiner Hearing scheduled to be held at this same place at 9:00 o'clock a. m., July 25th, 1979.

(Hearing concluded.)

# REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, SALLY W. BOYD, a court reporter, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that the said transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing, prepared by me to the best of my ability, knowledge, and skill, from my notes taken at the time of the hearing.

Sally W. Boya, C.S.R.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete record of the proceedings in the Examiner hearing of Case No. 6545 heard by me on 6/27 19.79.

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BEFOR: Daniel S. Nutter

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Sally W. Boyd, C.S.R.

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Dockets Nos. 29-79 and 31-79 are tentatively set for hearing on August 8 and 22, 1979. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

### DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - TUESDAY - JULY 24, 1979

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

CASE 6596: Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for pool creation and special pool rules, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new Upper Temmsylvanian gas pool to be designated as the Southeast Indian Basin-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool for its Southeast Indian Basin Well No. 1 located in Unit A of Section 23, Township 22 South, Range 23 East, and special pool rules therefor including 320-acre gas well spacing.

CASE 6597: Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Southeast Indian Basin Well No. 2, an Upper Pennsylvanian well to be drilled 660 feet from the North and Wes. lines of Section 24, Township 22 South, Pange 23 East, with the N/2 or all of said Section 24 to be dedicated to the well, depending on the outcome of Case No. 6596.

Docket No. 28-79

# DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JULY 25, 1979

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

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

CASE 6545: (Continued from June 27, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its commotion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Baby Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 6598: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Otero-Gallup and Basin-Dakota production in the wellbores of its Apache Federal Wells No. 8 located in Unit C of Section 8 and No. 9 located in Unit D of Section 17, both in Township 24 North, Range 5 West.

CASE 6599: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Fusselman and Montoya production, North Justis Field, in the wellbore of its W. A. Ramsay Well No. 4 located in Unit M of Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 37 East.

Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy Ccunty, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the P/2 of Cartin 10, Tambin 12 Court, Tamber 27 East, to be decided 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

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 Wolfcamp through Mississippian formations underlying the E/2 of Section 8, Township 14 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6602: Application of Tenneco 0il Company for an unorthodox well location, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Federal 33

C No. 2 Well 1010 feet from the North line and 1710 feet from the West line of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, South Empire-Wolfcamp Pool, the E/2 NW/4 of said Section 33 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6603: (This case will be continued to the August 8 hearing.)

Application of Conoco Inc. for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Penrose Skelly and Eumont production in the wellbore of its Hawk B-1 Well No. 12 located in Unit O of Section C, Township 21 South, Range 37 East.

- CASE 6604: Application of Cities Service Company for rescission of Division Order No. R-5921, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the rescission of Order No. R-5921 which order provided for the compulsory pooling of all of the mineral interests in the Penneylvanian formation underlying the S/2 of Section 8, Township 23 South, Range 20 East.
- CASE 6605: Application of Estoril Producing Corporation for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox gas well location, Lea 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 15, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North and West lines of said Section 15. 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 6564: (Continued and Readvertised)

Application of Herndon 011 & Gas Co. for an unorthodox oil well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its O. A. Woody Well No. 1 to be drilled 2310 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 35, Township 16 South, Range 38 East, Knowles-Devonian Pool.

- Application of Getty 0il Company for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water in the Yates formation in the open-hole interval from 3810 feet to 4169 feet in its State "AA" Well No. 1 located in Unit I of Section 35, Township 21 South, Range 34 East.
- CASE 6607: Application of Getty Oil Company for a dual completion, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of its Getty 36 State

  Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, to produce oil from
  the Wolfcamp formation and gas from the Morrow formation through parallel strings of tubing.
- CASE 6608: Application of Getty 0il Company for pool reation and special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new Wolfcamp oil pool for its Getty

  36 State Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, and special rules therefor, including 160-acre oil well spacing.
- Application of Napeco Inc. for pool creation and special pool rules, Eddy County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new Strawn oil pool for its Benson

  Deep Unit Well No. 1 located in Unit O of Section 33, Township 18 South, Range 30 East, and

  special rules therefor, including 160-acre spacing and standard well locations.
- CASE 6610: Application of Koch Industries, Inc. for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water in the Rustler formation through the perforated interval from 1190 feet to 1210 feet in its Wills "A" Well No. 7 located in Unit E of Section 35, Township 26 South, Range 37 East, Rhodes Field.
- Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the disposal or produced sale water in the Devonian formation through the perforated interval from 12,156 feet to 12,574 feet in its Reed Well No. 1 located in Unit H of Section 35, Township 13 South, Range 37 East, King Field.
- CASE 6487: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for approval of infill drilling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Shell E State Com Well No. 2 located in Unit N of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Cas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6471: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated 011 & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Freeman Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit C of Section 11, Township 31 North, Range 13 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6472: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated only & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Jenny Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit P of Section 13, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6473: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its McIntyre Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit K of Section 11, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6474: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Williams Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit C of Section 24, Township 31 North, Range 13 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6475: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Montoya Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit I of Section 35, Township 32 North, Range 13 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6535: (Continued from June 13, 1979, Exeminer Hearing)

Application of Torreon Oil Company for a waterflood project, Sandoval County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project in the Saw Luis-Mesaverde Pool by the injection of water into the Menefee formation through two wells located in Section 21, Township 18 North, Range 3 West, Sandoval County, New Mexico.

CASE 6579: (Continued from June 27, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of R. N. Hillin for an unorthodox well location and approval of infill drilling. Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of a Morrow gas well at an unorthodox location 800 feet from the South line and 2000 feet from the East line of Section 34, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the E/2 of said Section 34 which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6580: (Continued from June 27, 1979, Examiner Hearing) (This case will be continued to the August 22 hearing.)

Application of Continental Oil Company for a carbon dioxide injection project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to initiate a pilot carbon dioxide injection project in the Grayburg-San Andres formation in Units H and T of Section 20, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, Maljamar Pool, for tertiary recovery purposes.

CASE 6270: (Continued from July 11, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of Case 6270 being reopened pursuant to the provisions of Order No. R-5771 which order created the South Peterson-Fusselman Pool, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and provided for 80-acre spacing. All interested parties may appear and show cause why said pool should not be developed on 40-acre spacing units.

CASE 6590: (Continued from July 11, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Grace Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox gas well location, Low County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying Lots 9, 10, 15, and 16 and the 3E/4 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 4650 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section 6. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the costs thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.



# STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

June 29, 1979

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 (505) 827-2434

The Travelers Four Greenway Plaza East Houston, Texas 77046

Attention: John R. Dykstra

Gentlemen:

Your June 25 letter inquiring about Case No. 6545 has been received and is hereby acknowledged. Case No. 6545 has been continued to July 25, 1979, and involves Corinne Grace who is the principal under Bond No. 510 E 6227 by your company.

Very truly yours,

ERNEST L. PADILLA General Counsel

ELP/dr



June 25, 1979

Engergy & Minerals Dept. Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87501

# Gentlemen:

We received notification from your department that Case No. 6545 to be heard by either Richard L. Stamets or Daniel S. Nutter will be heard Wednesday, June 27, 1979. Please inform us as to the name of our principal who was involved in this particular case or the bond number which applies to this particular lease. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

John R. Dykstra Account Analyst Surety Department

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HOUSTON OFFICE OF THE TRAVELERS INSURANCE COMPANIES
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Dockets Nos. 25-79 and 26-79 are tentatively set for hearing on July 11 and 25, 1979. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JUNE 27, 1979

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. Stamets, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 6545: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

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CASE 6549: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for pool creation, discovery allowable, and special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. A plicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order creating a new Bonc Springs oil pool for its Lea "YH" State Well No. 1 located in Unit O of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 34 East. Applicant also seeks a discovery allowable and promulgation of special pool rules, including a provision for 80-acre spacing.

CASE 6563: (Continued from June 13, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Roy L. McKay for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the abovestyled cause, seeks approval for his North Woolworth Ranch Unit Area, comprising 1,280 acres, more or less, of State lands in Township 23 South, Range 35 East.

CASE 6548: (Continued from May 23, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of John F. Staver for salt water disposal, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Dakota formation through the open hole interval from 1408 feet to 1412 feet in his Table Mesa Well No. 22 located in Unit N and from 1394 feet to 1400 feet in his Table Mesa Well No. 23 located in Unit O, both in Section 34, Township 28 North, Range 17 West, Table Mesa-Dakota Oil Pool.

- CASE 6576: Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Townsend Unit Area, comprising 320 acres, more or less, of State lands in Township 15 South, Range 34 East.
- CASE 6577: Application of Oil Processing 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 NE/4 SE/4 of Section 8, Township 20 South, Range 37 East.
- CASE 6578: Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 of Section 28, Township 17 South, Range 27 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled in Unit G of said Section 28. 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 charge for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 6579: Application of R. N. Hillin for an unorthodox well location and approval of infill drilling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of a Morrow gas well at an unorthodox location 800 feet from the South line and 2000 feet from the East line of Section 34. Township 19 South, Range 28 Fast, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the E/2 of said Section 34 which cannot be so drained by the existing well.
- CASE 6580: Application of Continental Oil Company for a carbon dioxide injection project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to initiate a pilot carbon dioxide injection project in the Grayburg-San Andres formation in Units II and 1 of Section 20, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, Maljamar Pool, for tertiary recovery purposes.
- CASE 6581: Application of Belco Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox oil well location, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Warren-American
  State Well No. 2 660 teet from the South and West lines of Section 32, Township 9 South, Range 33 East,
  Flying "M"-San Andres Pool, the W/2 SW/4 of said Section 32 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6592: Application of Belco Petroleum Corporation for a non-standard provation unit and unorthodox oil well location, Lea County, New Nexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for a 40-acre non-standard provation unit comprising the NE/4 SW/4 of Section 31, Township 9 South, Pange 33 Fast. Flying "M"-San Andres Pool, to be dedicated to its Federal 31 Well No. 2 to be drilled at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the South and West lines of said section.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION State Land Office Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 23 May 1979

# EXAMINER HEARING

# IN THE MATTER OF:

the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Baby Well No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should ) not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

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MR. STAMETS: The hearing will now come to order. We will call first case number 6545.

MR. PADILLA: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Baby Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

MR. STAMETS: And we have --- the Division has requested that this case be continued to June 27th and it will be.

(Hearing concluded.)

### REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, SALLY WALTON BOYD, a Court Reporter, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that said transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing, prepared by me to the best of my ability, knowledge, and skill, from my notes taken at the time of the hearing.

Sally W. Boyd, C.S.R.

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CASE 6545

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
State Land Office Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico
23 May 1979

#### EXAMINER HEARING

#### IN THE MATTER OF:

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Division on its own motion to permit Corinne

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cause why the Küklah Baby Well No. 1 located

in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South,

Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should

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BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets

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MR. STAMETS: The hearing will now come to order. We will call first case number 6545.

mR. PADILLA: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Cominne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Bary Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

MR. STAMETS: And we have --- the Division has requested that this case be continued to June 27th and it will be.

(Hearing concluded.)

#### REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, SALLY WALTON BOYD, a Court Reporter, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that said transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing, prepared by me to the best of my ability, knowledge, and skill, from my notes taken at the time of the hearing.

Sally W. Boyd, C.S.R.

Oil Conservation Division

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Dockets Nos. 23-79 and 24-79 are tentatively set for hearing on June 13 and 27, 1979. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

#### DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MAY 23, 1979.

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. Stanets, Cambiner, or Daniel S. Mutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 6545: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Corinne Grace, Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Kuklah Baby Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 6422: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Helton Engineering & Geological Services, Inc., Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Brent Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 29 and the Brent Well No. 3 located in Unit G of Section 19, both in Township 13 North, Range 6 East, Sandoval County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

CASE 6546:

Application of Black River Corporation for compulsory pooling and non-standard gas proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Jalmat Gas Pool underlying the SW/4 of Section 32, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, to form a 160-acre non-standard gas 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6536: (Continued from May 9, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Black River Corporation for two non-standard gas proration units, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for two 80-acre non-standard gas proration units in the Jalmat Gas Pool as follows: the N/2 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 23 South, Range 36 East, to be dedicated to applicant's well to be drilled in Unit J of said Section 22; and the S/2 SE/4 of said Section 22 to be dedicated to El Paso Natural Gas Corruny's Shell State Well No. 3 located in Unit P.

CASE 6535: (Continued from May 9, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Torreon Oil Company for a waterflood project, Sandoval County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project in the San Luis-Mesaverde Pool by the injection of water into the Menefee formation through two wells located in Section 21, Township 18 North, Range 3 West, Sandoval County, New Mexico.

CASE 6547: Application of American Petrofina Company of Texas for the creation of a waterflood buffer zone,
Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a waterflood
buffer zone comprising the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 26, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, Maljamar
Grayburg-San Andres Pool, to enable licent to produce its Johns B Well No. 4 located thereon
at an unrestricted rate.

• CASE 6548: Application of John F. Staver for salt water disposal, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Dakota formation through the open hole incerval from 1400 feet to 1412 feet in his Table Mesa Well No. 22 located in Unit N and from 1394 feet to 1400 feet in his Table Mesa Well No. 23 located in Unit O, both in Section 34, Township 28 North, Range 17 West, Table Mesa-Dakota Oil Pool.

CASE 6549: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for pool creation, discovery allowable, and special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order creating a new Bone Springs oil pool for its Lea "YH" State Well No. 1 located in Unit O of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 34 East. Applicant also seeks a discovery allowable and promulgation of special pool rules, including a provision for 80-acre spacing.

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- CASE 6550: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location and compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp through Mississippian formations underlying the S/2 of Section 12, Township 19 South, Range 24 Fast, to be dedicated to its Allison Federal "CQ" Well No. 2 to be drilled at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 12. 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. Also to be consilered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge tor risk involved in Crilling said well.
- CASE 6492: (Continued from May 9, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Ya's Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-stiled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the San Andres formation underlying the NE/4 NN/4 of Section 13, Township 17 South, Range 25 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

- CASE 6551: Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for an unorthodox Lower Morrow gas well location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 1, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, the N/2 of said Section 1 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 6528: (Continued from April 25, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Bass Enterprises Production Co. for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for an unorthodox Morrow test well location to be drilled 660 feet from the North and West lines of Section 10, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, the W/2 of said Section 10 to be dedicated to the well.

- CASE 6552: Application of Maddox Energy Corporation for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 of Section 3, Township 24 South, Range 28 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 6553: Application of The Atlantic Richfield Company for approval of infill drilling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a finding that the Division waived existing well-spacing requirements and found that the drilling of additional wells was necessary to effectively and efficiently drain those portions of the proration units in the Empire Abo Unit located in Townships 17 and 18 South, Ranges 27, 28 and 29 East, which could not be so drained by the existing wells.
- CASE 6554: Application of The Atlantic Richfield Company for compulsory pooling, Lea Councy, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all royalty interests in the Devonian,

  McKee, and Ellenburger formations underlying the E/2 of Section 20, Township 22 South, Range 36

  East, Langlie Field, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon.
- CASE 6555: Application of Jake L. Hamon for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North line and 560 feet from the East line of Section 30, Township 20 South, Range 36 East, North Osudo-Norrow Gas Pool, all of said Section 30 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 6556: Application of Curtis Little for the amendment of Order No. R-5962, San Juan County, New Mexico.

  Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-5962 to provide for the unorthodox location of a well to be drilled 1000 feet from the South line and 50 feet from the East line of Section 11, Tounchip 28 North, Range 12 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, and for the extension of the date to commence drilling.
- CASE 6435: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amerada Hess Corporation for approval of infill drilling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a finding that the drilling of its W. A. Weir "B" Well No. 3 located in Unit B of Section 26, Formship 19 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well, and further seeks approval of a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements.

- CASE 6559: Application of Roy L. McKay for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the abovestyled cause, seeks approval for his Morton Solid State Unit Area, comprising 1,480 acres, more or less, of State lands in Township 15 South, Range 34 East.
- CASE 6487: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for approval of infill drilling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Shell E State Com Well Ro. 2 located in Unit N of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the provation unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6471: (Continued from February 26, 1979, Examiner lies ing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Freeman Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit C of Section 11, Township 31 North, Range 13 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the provation unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6472: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Jenny Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit P of Section 13, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6473: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its McIntyre Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit K of Section 11, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6474: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Williams Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit C of Section 24, Township 31 North, Range 13 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6475: (Continued from February 28, 1979, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. for approval of infill drilling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Nontoya Well No. 1-A to be located in Unit I of Section 35, Township 32 North, Range 13 West, Basin-Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

#### DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - TUESDAY - MAY 29, 1979

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

CASE 6557: Application of Getty Oil Company for pool creation and special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order creating a new Morrow gas pool for its State
35 Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 35, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, and its Getty Two
State Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, and for promulgation of special pool rules, including provision for 640-acre gas well spacing.

CASE 6497: (DE NOVO)

Application of Llano, Inc. for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a well to be located 1650 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 34, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, Grama Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool, the E/2 of said Section 34 to be dedicated to the well.

Upon application of Getty 0il Company this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

CASE 6558: Application of Llano, Inc. for a non-standard gas proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for a 320-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the E/2 of Section 34, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, to be dedicated to its Llano 34 State Com Well No. 1 located in Unit I of said Section 34.

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

May 7, 1979

CERTIFIED - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Corinne Grace P. O. Box 1418 Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Travelers Indemnity Company Four Greenway Plaza East Houston, Texas 77046

> Re: Kuklah Baby Well No. 1, located in Unit G of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County Plugging Bond

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the notice of publication for the Examiner Hearing to be held on Wednesday, May 23, 1979, at 9 o'clock a.m. in the Oil Conservation Division Conference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico. Case 6545 concerns the above captioned subject matter.

Very truly yours,

ERNEST L. PADILLA General Counsel

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#### STATE OF NEW MEXICO

#### ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

March 27, 1979

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Case 6545

Corinne Grace
P. O. Box 1418
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Attention: Juanita Wildburger

Re: Kuklah Baby No. 1 G-24-22-26

Dear Ms. Wildburger:

Our Artesia district office has had correspondence with you concerning the above-referenced well. Unless you attempt a completion or plug the well by April 20, a show cause hearing will be called at which time you will have the opportunity to demonstrate that the well should not be plugged and abandoned.

Very truly yours,

(Ms.) LYNN TESCHENDORF General Counsel

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cc: Bill Gressett

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#### ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ARTESIA DISTRICT OFFICE

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March 23, 1979

P.O. DRAWER DD ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO 88210 (505) 748-4861

Corinne Grace P.O. Box 1418

Carlsbad, N.M. 88220

Attention: Ms. Juanita Wildbuger

Re: Kuklah Baby #1-G-24-22-26 Eddy County, N.M.

Dear Ms. Wildbuger:

To date, this office has had no response to our letter dated May 9, 1978 concerning the subject well.

Therefore, I am referring this matter to the Division's attorney for further action.

Sincerely yours,

W. A. Gressett

Supervisor, District II

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cc: Lynn Teschendorf

#### ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ARTESIA DISTRICT OFFICE

JERRY APODACA

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P.O. DRAWER DO ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO 88210 (505) 746-4861

Corinne Grace P.O. Box 1418 Carlsbad, NM 88220

Attention: Ms. Juanita Wildbuger

Re: Kuklah Baby #1-G-24-22-26 Eddy County, NM

Dear Ms. Wildbuger:

According to our records, no work has been performed on the subject well since January, 1976.

Therefore, we are hereby requesting that you attempt a completion or plug and abandon this well.

Please submit Form C-103 outlining your plans for a completion attempt or a proposed plugging program as soon as possible.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to call upon me.

Sincerely yours,
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Xc/ Lynn Teschendorf P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87501 STATE OF NEW MEXICO



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### STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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

CASE NO. 6545

Order No. R- 6/05

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT CORINNE GRACE, TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE KUKLAH BABY WELL NO. 1 LOCATED IN UNIT G OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A DIVISION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

#### BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on August 22

1979 , at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter

NOW, on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ , 1979 , the Division

Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

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

IT IS THEISFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 6545 is hereby dismissed.

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

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