

BEFORE THE OIL 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. 556
Order No. R-350-B

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY FOR
PERMISSION TO EFFECT A DUAL COMPLETION
OF ITS FORT NO. 1 WELL, LOCATED IN THE
NE/4 NE/4 SECTION 34, TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH,
RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO (IN THE DENTON FIELD), IN SUCH A
MANNER AS TO PERMIT PRODUCTION OF OIL
FROM THE DEVONIAN FORMATION THROUGH
EXISTING CASING PERFORATIONS, 12,564 to
12,710 FEET, AND OIL FROM THE WOLFCAMP
FORMATION AFTER PERFORATING FROM 9,680
TO 9,360 FEET.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This case came on for hearing upon the petition of Phillips Petroleum Company on July 16, 1953 at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission" and for re-hearing on October 15, 1953.

NOW, on this 10th day of December, 1953, the Commission, a quorum being present, having fully considered the record and the testimony adduced and the exhibits received at said hearing and re-hearing, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given in accordance with law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause, the persons and subject matter thereof.

(2) That after due public notice and hearing on July 16, 1953, the Commission entered its Order No. R-350, denying petitioner's application for dual completion (oil-oil) of its Fort No. 1 Well, NE/4 NE/4 Section 34, Township 14 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico in the Denton Field.

(3) That upon motion duly filed, the Commission granted a re-hearing by its Order No. R-350-A for the purpose of taking additional testimony and hearing oral arguments, and that such re-hearing was held on October 15, 1953.

(4) That no evidence was presented at such re-hearing sufficient to justify an order granting petitioner's application.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Phillips Petroleum Company's application for permission to dually complete its Fort No. 1 Well located in the NE/4 NE/4 Section 34, Township 14 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, for production of oil from the Denton-Wolfcamp Pool, and oil from the Denton-Devonian Pool, be and the same hereby is denied and the Commission's Order No. R-350 be and the same hereby is affirmed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

E. S. WALKER, Member

R. R. SPURRIER, Member and Sec'y.

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