

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

CASE No. 2922  
Order No. R-2597

APPLICATION OF CONSOLIDATED OIL & GAS,  
INC., FOR AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION AND  
A DUAL COMPLETION, RIO ARriba COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on October 30, 1963, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 13th day of November, 1963, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Nutter, 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 the applicant, Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc., seeks an exception to the Special Rules and Regulations governing the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool to recomplete its Jicarilla Well No. C-1-11 at an unorthodox Blanco-Mesaverde location 890 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 11, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant further seeks authority to recomplete the subject well as a dual completion (conventional) to produce gas from the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool and from the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool through parallel strings of tubing, with separation of zones by a permanent type packer set between the zones.

(4) That the mechanics of the proposed dual completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.

(5) That the potential producing capabilities of the Blanco-Mesaverde and Basin-Dakota Gas Pools in this area will not justify the expense of drilling a single completion in either pool and that approval of the subject application will therefore result in the recovery of gas that would not otherwise be recovered, thereby preventing waste.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc., is hereby authorized to complete its Jicarilla Well No. C-1-11 at an unorthodox location in the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, 890 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 11, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

(2) That the applicant is hereby authorized to complete the subject well as a dual completion (conventional) to produce gas from the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool and from the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool through parallel strings of tubing, with separation of the zones by a permanent type packer set between the zones.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations insofar as said rule is not inconsistent with this order.

PROVIDED FURTHER, That the applicant shall take packer-leakage tests upon completion and annually thereafter during the Annual Deliverability Test Period for the Dakota formation.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman

E. S. WALKER, Member

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