

*Entered August 17, 1961*  
*A.P.*

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. 2327  
Order No. R-2046

APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO CON-  
SIDER ESTABLISHING NON-STANDARD GAS  
PRORATION UNITS IN THE BASIN-DAKOTA  
GAS POOL IN CERTAIN PARTIAL SECTIONS,  
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 28, 1961, 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 14th day of August, 1961, 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, in order to ensure systematic development and thereby prevent waste and protect correlative rights, the Commission should establish individual proration units in the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool in Townships 29, 30, 31 and 32 North, Ranges 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12 and 13 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

(3) That said non-standard proration units are necessitated by irregular sections resulting from survey corrections in the United States Public Lands Survey.

(4) That the acreage contained in each individual proration unit should be based on the latest official surveys and resurveys accepted by the Federal Bureau of Land Management.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the following-described non-standard gas proration units in the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, are hereby established:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	264.00	6	N/2
B	334.14	6	S/2
		7	N/2 N/2 N/2
C	336.66	7	S/2 N/2 N/2, S/2 N/2, N/2 S/2
D	331.68	7	S/2 S/2
		18	N/2 N/2, N/2 S/2 N/2
E	330.98	18	S/2 S/2 N/2, S/2
F	409.24	19	N/2, N/2 S/2
G	407.56	19	S/2 S/2
		30	N/2
H	268.42	30	S/2
I	251.72	31	N/2
J	251.01	31	S/2

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	356.19	6	W/2
		7	W/2
B	364.60	18	W/2
		19	W/2
C	366.40	30	W/2
		31	W/2

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TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	339.46	1	E/2 (This unit also contains the SE/4 of Section 36, Township 31 North, Range 6 West)
B	319.69	1	W/2
C	227.48	12	E/2
D	227.76	13	E/2
E	228.52	24	E/2
F	229.56	25	E/2
G	230.24	36	E/2

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	296.02	6	A portion of this unit contains acreage in Section 31, Township 31 North, Range 7 West described under that Township.
B	298.90	7	W/2
		18	NW/4
C	307.44	18	SW/4
		19	W/2
D	209.36	30	W/2
E	211.32	31	W/2

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	299.85	6	W/2
		7	NW/4
B	304.39	7	SW/4
		18	W/2

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TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>
C	310.56	19 W/2
		30 NW/4
D	308.56	30 SW/4
		31 W/2

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>
A	321.99	6 Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, SE/4 NW/4, NE/4 SW/4. (This unit also contains acreage in Section 31, Township 31 North, Range 13 West consisting of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E/2 W/2.)
B	324.79	6 Lot 7, SE/4 SW/4
		7 W/2
		18 NW/4
C	314.60	18 SW/4
		19 W/2
		30 NE/4 NW/4
D	317.19	30 Lots 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16
		31 W/2

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>
A	331.82	1 E/2
B	327.26	1 W/2
C	326.90	2 E/2
D	326.62	2 W/2
E	326.52	3 E/2

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TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
F	326.60	3	W/2
G	326.57	4	E/2
H	326.43	4	W/2
I	326.49	5	E/2
J	326.69	5	W/2
K	316.40	6	N/2
L	305.44	6	S/2
M	305.67	7	N/2
N	305.89	7	S/2
O	306.11	18	N/2
P	306.33	18	S/2
Q	306.53	19	N/2
R	306.71	19	S/2
S	306.90	30	N/2
T	307.10	30	S/2
U	307.31	31	N/2
V	307.53	31	S/2

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	360.20	1	All X
B	368.60	2	All X
C	368.40	3	All 0.1c
D	368.28	4	All 0.1c
E	367.96	5	All 0.1c

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TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>
F	336.42	6 All
		7 NW/4 N/2 S/2
G	323.79	7 SW/4
		18 W/2 N/2 S/2
		19 NW/4, N/2 SW/4 N/2 S/2
H	327.63	19 S/2 SW/4
		30 W/2 N/2 S/2
		31 W/2 N/2 S/2

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>
A	319.44	1 All O.K.
		12 NE/4 NE/4
B	356.26	2 All O.K.
C	353.00	3 All
		4 That portion of Tract 37 lying in Section 4.
D	343.23	4 All, except that portion of Tract 37 lying in this section.
E	350.16	5 All O.K.
F	351.89	6 All O.K.
G	318.50	12 N/2 S/2 SE/4, W/2 NE/4, SE/4 NE/4
		13 E/2 NE/4
H	335.66	13 W/2 SE/4
		24 E/2
		W/2

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TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
I	337.04	25	E/2 N/2 S/2
		36	NE/4 X
J	339.46	36	A portion of this unit contains acreage in Township 30 North, Range 6 West described under that Township.

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	367.08	1	All
B	310.48	2	Lot 8, E/2, E/2 W/2
C	324.82	2	W/2 SW/4
		3	E/2, SE/4 SW/4
D	318.57	3	Lot 7, NE/4 SW/4, W/2 W/2
		4	E/2 E/2, SW/4 SE/4
E	323.15	4	Lot 6, NW/4 SE/4, W/2
		5	Lot 5
F	321.66	5	Lots 6, 7, 8, E/2 SW/4, SE/4
G	319.16	5	Tract No. 53, Lot 9
		6	Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, NE/4 SW/4, N/2 SE/4
H	324.39	5	SW/4 SW/4
		6	Lots 12, 14, 15, S/2 SE/4
		7	Lot 5, N/2 NE/4, SE/4 NE/4
I	317.23	7	Lots 6, 7, SW/4 NE/4, N/2 SE/4. All of Tract 54 lying in Sections 6 and 7.
J	325.68	7	Lots 8 and 9, SE/4 SE/4, that portion of Tract 55 lying in this section.

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TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
		18	Lots 5, 6, 7, NE/4 NE/4, S/2 NE/4, that portion of Tract 55 lying in this section.
K	321.61	18	Lots 8, 9, 10, SE/4 NW/4, E/2 SW/4, SE/4
L	259.82	19	Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, E/2 W/2
		30	Lot 5, NE/4 NW/4
M	250.65	30	Lots 6, 9, 10, SE/4 NW/4, E/2 SW/4
		31	Lots 7, 8, E/2 NW/4
N	296.02	31	Lots 11, 12, E/2 SW/4. The balance of this Tract lies in Section 6, Township 30 North, Range 7 West and consists of Lots 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, NW/4 SE/4, SW/4 NE/4, and the portion of Tract 40 lying in the SW/4 SE/4 of that section.

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	322.36	6	W/2
		7	NW/4, N/2 SW/4
B	315.59	7	S/2 SW/4
		18	W/2
		19	Lots 9, 16, N/2 NW/4
C	329.75	19	Lot 17, E/2 SW/4, SE/4 NW/4
		30	W/2
D	321.99	31	A portion of this unit contains acreage in Township 30 North, Range 13 West described under that Township.



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TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	353.24	12	W/2, E/2 SW/4
B	354.65	12	NW/4, W/2 SW/4
		11	N/2 NE/4, SE/4 NE/4, E/2 SE/4
C	336.52	11	NW/4, SW/4 NE/4, E/2 SW/4, W/2 SE/4
		10	NE/4 NE/4
D	339.10	11	W/2 SW/4
		10	NW/4 NE/4, S/2 NE/4, SE/4
E	278.70	10	W/2
F	339.54	9	E/2 E/2, SW/4 NE/4, W/2 SE/4, E/2 SW/4
G	338.84	9	NW/4 NE/4, NW/4, W/2 SW/4
		8	SE/4 NE/4, E/2 SE/4
H	319.74	8	N/2 NE/4, SW/4 NE/4, SE/4 NW/4, SW/4 SW/4, E/2 SW/4, W/2 SE/4
I	316.14	8	N/2 NW/4, SW/4 NW/4, NW/4 SW/4
		7	All. The SE/4 SE/4 of Section 12, Township 32 North, Range 6 West is also contained in this unit.
J	355.25	18	All
		19	All
K	345.59	30	All
		31	All

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	336.31	12	NE/4, E/2 NW/4, NE/4 SW/4, N/2 SE/4, SW/4 SE/4
B	356.82	12	SE/4 SW/4, W/2 W/2

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TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
		11	E/2 E/2, SW/4 SE/4
C	334.45	11	W/2 NE/4, NW/4, N/2 SW/4, SE/4 SW/4, NW/4 SE/4
D	338.25	10	E/2 E/2, SW/4 NE/4, W/2 SE/4, SE/4 SW/4
E	337.75	10	NW/4 NE/4, NW/4, N/2 SW/4, SW/4 SW/4
		9	E/2 SE/4
F	317.60	9	N/2, W/2 SE/4
G	317.51	9	SW/4
		8	E/2 E/2, NW/4 NE/4
H	320.00	8	SW/4 NE/4, SE/4 NW/4, SW/4, W/2 SE/4
I	308.78	8	N/2 NW/4, SW/4 NW/4
		7	N/2
J	318.27	7	S/2
K	318.39	31	N/2 N/2, S/2 NE/4, N/2 SE/4
L	315.12	31	S/2 NW/4, SW/4, S/2 SE/4

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	293.10	7	Lots 2, 3, 4, SW/4, W/2 SE/4
B	298.38	7	E/2 E/2
		8	W/2
C	298.33	8	W/2
		9	W/2 W/2
D	376.88	9	E/2 W/2, E/2
		10	Lots 3, 4, NW/4 SW/4

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TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
E	357.84	10	Lots 1, 2, NE/4 SW/4, S/2 SW/4, SE/4
		11	Lots 3, 4
F	359.20	11	Lots 1, 2, S/2
G	399.00	12	All

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	312.63	7	Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, N/2 S/2, S/2 SE/4
		8	Lot 4, NW/4 SW/4
B	323.88	8	Lots 1, 2, 3, NE/4 SW/4, S/2 SW/4, SE/4
C	329.16	9	Lots 2, 3, 4, SE/4 SE/4, W/2 SE/4, SW/4
D	311.79	9	Lot 1, NE/4 SE/4
		10	Lot 2, W/2, NW/4 SE/4
E	317.34	10	E/2 E/2, SW/4 SE/4
		11	W/2 W/2, E/2 SW/4
F	328.17	11	Lots 1, 2, 3, SE/4
		12	W/2 W/2
G	305.18	12	E/2 W/2, E/2
H	312.56	7	S/2 SW/4
		18	W/2
		19	W/2 NW/4
I	316.35	19	E/2 NW/4, SW/4
		30	NW/4, NW/4 SW/4
J	316.70	30	NE/4 SW/4, S/2 SW/4
		31	W/2

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TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	332.27	7	All
B	327.80	8	W/2
		17	W/2 W/2
C	328.20	8	E/2
		17	E/2 E/2
D	320.00	17	E/2 W/2, W/2 E/2
E	336.40	9	All
F	335.60	10	All
G	334.00	11	All
H	333.60	12	All

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	335.38	7	All
B	309.43	8	All
C	280.38	9	All
D	326.68	10	All
E	336.40	11	All
F	336.00	12	All

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
A	363.83	7	All
		8	W/2, W/2 E/2
B	339.80	8	E/2 E/2
		9	All
		10	SW/4 SW/4

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TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST - (CONTINUED)

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Section</u>	
C	336.95	10	Lot 8, E/2 W/2, E/2
		11	Lot 6, W/2
D	345.89	11	Lot 5, S/2 SE/4
		12	All
E	325.32	18	Lot 13, N/2, NW/4 SE/4
F	321.40	18	NE/4 SE/4, S/2 S/2
		19	N/2 N/2, SE/4 NE/4
G	320.48	19	Lots 8, 13, 14, SW/4 NE/4, SE/4
H	335.02	30	Lot 13, NW/4 SE/4, N/2
I	325.85	30	Lot 14, NE/4 SE/4, S/2 SE/4
		31	Lot 6, SE/4 NE/4, N/2 NE/4
J	328.45	31	Lot 7, SW/4 NE/4, S/2

(2) That the acreage contained in each of the above-described proration units shall be based on the latest official surveys and resurveys accepted by the Federal Bureau of Land Management, and, in the event further official surveys are made in any subject Township, the acreage in each affected proration unit shall conform to the change.

(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

  
EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

  
E. S. WALKER, Member

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

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