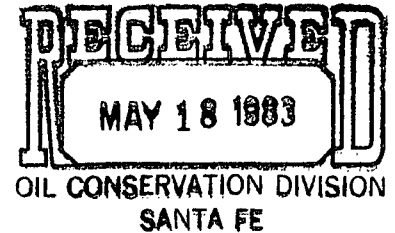




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Amoco Production Company (USA)

Houston Region-West
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May 13, 1983

File: JCA-986.51NM-2314

Re: Application for Rescission of Order No. R-6255
Airstrip Upper Bone Spring Pool and
Airstrip Lower Bone Spring Pool
Lea County, New Mexico

Case 7897

State of New Mexico
Energy and Mineral Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Attention: Mr. Joe D. Ramey

Gentlemen:

Amoco Production Company (USA) respectfully requests the subject matter be docketed for the June 8, 1983 Examiner Hearing.

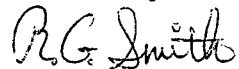
Amoco seeks to consolidate the subject pools into a single regulatory horizon by having Division Order No. R-6255 rescinded. Promulgation of this order, which was in response to Amoco's request presented in Case No. 6756, effectively established the subject pools. However, the results of field development subsequent to the issuance of said order has proven that the existence of the two (2) pools is not necessary for effective regulation of production from the Bone Springs in this area, does not provide the optimum environment for further development of the field and does not otherwise serve in the best interest of conservation.

Attached for your information is a portion of the Lea County Land Map depicting the area included in the subject pools. Also, attached is a list of all operators in these pools; a copy of this request has been sent to each of these.

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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Larry Sheppard in Amoco's Houston - West Region Proration Section (Phone: 713/556-3941).

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R.G. Smith".

LWS/gg
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Attachment

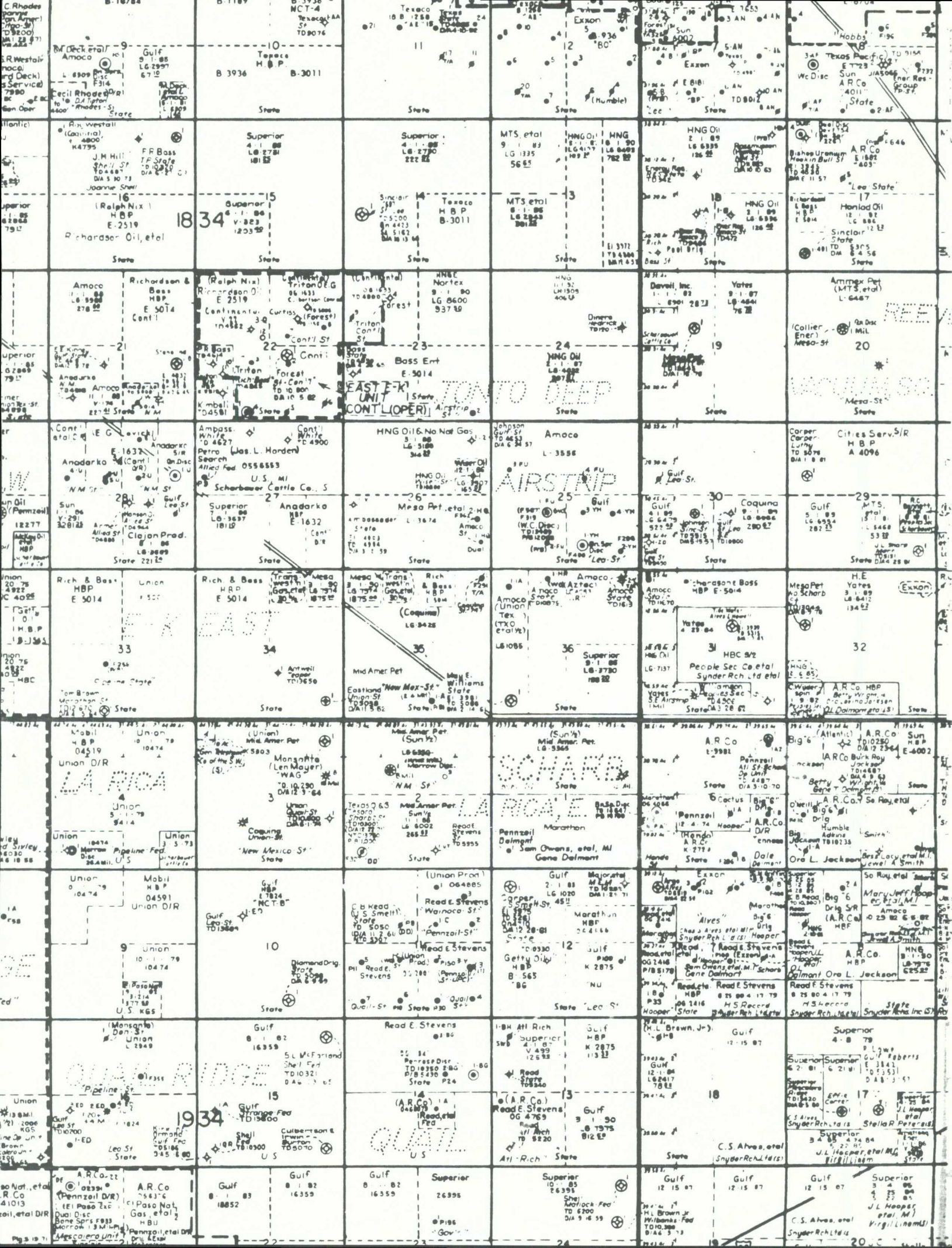
cc: Offset Operators

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BEFORE THE
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NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR
RESCISSION OF ORDER NO. R-6255,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE 7897

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Comes now, CAMPBELL, BYRD & BLACK, P.A. and hereby enters
its appearance in the above-styled case for Amoco Production
Company.

CAMPBELL, BYRD & BLACK, P.A.

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