

CASE 11524

Application of ARCO Permian, a unit of Atlantic Richfield, for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the W/2 of Section 23, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, for all formations developed on 320-acre spacing. Said unit is to be dedicated to its Dinah 23 Federal Com #1 Well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 1077 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 23, to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, South Empire-Morrow Gas Pool. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 13 miles East Southeast of Artesia, New Mexico.

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