

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. 1187
Order No. R-985

APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO UPON ITS
OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER CHANGING THE
NAME AND CERTAIN OF THE INFORMATION
REQUIRED ON COMMISSION FORM C-128.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on December 13, 1956 and again at 9 o'clock a.m. on January 16, 1957, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 29th day of April, 1957, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application and the evidence adduced and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

1. That due notice of the time and place of hearing having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
2. That there is a need for information concerning lease ownership of dedicated acreage in order for the Commission to properly supervise oil and gas operations in the State of New Mexico and that the most convenient method of reporting this information is on Commission Form C-128.
3. That the name of Commission Form C-128 should be changed to "Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat" in order to properly reflect its true nature.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Commission Form C-128, Well Location and/or Gas Proration Plat, shall henceforth be known as "Form C-128, Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat" where ever the same may appear in the Commission Rules and Regulations or the Special Rules and Regulations for any pool.
2. That the format of Commission Form C-128, Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat, be as it appears in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes.
3. That paragraph 2 of Rule 1104 of the Commission Rules and Regulations commencing with "The information required on Form C-101 shall include. . ." be and the same is hereby revised as follows:

"The information required on Form C-101 shall include the name and number of the well, exact location, status of land (whether federal, state or privately owned), type drilling equipment to be used, drilling contractor, formation to be completed in and approximate depth, casing program, and any other pertinent information. The Form C-101 must be accompanied by three copies of Form C-128, Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat, showing (a) the exact location of the well with respect to the outer boundaries of the section plotted and certified by a registered professional engineer and/or land surveyor, registered in the State of New Mexico, or a surveyor approved by the Commission, (b) the acreage to be dedicated to the well outlined by the operator on the plat, and (c) all information required in Section "A" of Form C-128 certified by the operator.

4. That Rule 1107 of the Commission Rules and Regulations be and the same is hereby revised as follows:

"RULE 1107. REQUEST FOR (OIL-GAS) ALLOWABLE (FORM C-104)

It is necessary that this form be submitted by the operator before an initial allowable will be assigned to any completed oil or gas well. Form C-104 is to be submitted in QUAD-RUPPLICATE to the Commission District Office to which Form C-101 was sent. The allowable will be assigned effective 7:00 a.m. on the date of completion, provided completion report is filed during month of completion. The completion date shall be that date, in the case of an oil well, when oil is delivered into the stock tanks. Provided, however, that a well will not be assigned an allowable unless Form C-128, Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat, has been filed with the Commission showing the location of the well and the amount and status of the acreage dedicated thereto.

Form C-110, Certificate of Compliance and Authorization to Transport Oil or Natural Gas, shall accompany Form C-104."

5. That Rule 1127 of the Commission Rules and Regulations be and the same is hereby revised as follows:

"RULE 1127. WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT (Form C-128).

This is a dual purpose form used to show the exact location of the well and the acreage dedicated thereto. The form is also used to show the ownership and status of the dedicated acreage.

Form C-128 shall be submitted in TRIPLICATE with Form C-101 in accordance with Rule 1104.

An amended Form C-128 shall be submitted in the event that there is a change in any of the information required thereon.

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The well location need not be certified when filing an amended Form C-128."

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year herein-
above designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman



MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member



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



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