

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. 1623  
Order No. R-1358

APPLICATION OF WELLSHIRE DEVELOPMENT  
COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX OIL WELL  
LOCATION FOR A WELL IN THE BISTI-LOWER  
GALLUP OIL POOL, 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 March 25, 1959, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Elvis A. Utz, 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 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1959, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced and the recommendations of the Examiner, Elvis A. Utz, 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, Wellshire Development Company, is the owner and operator of the Wellshire No. 1 Federal Well, located 530 feet from the South line and 2110 feet from the East line of Section 35, Township 25 North, Range 10 West, San Juan County, New Mexico.

(3) That the above-described well was drilled on an unorthodox location due to a good faith error.

(4) That the applicant requests approval for said unorthodox location.

(5) That no offset operator objected to the subject application.

(6) That the subject application should be approved.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the unorthodox oil well location of the applicant's Wellshire No. 1 Federal Well in the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool at a point 530 feet from the South line and 2110 feet from the East line of Section 35, Township 25 North, Range 10 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, be and the same is hereby approved.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

*John Burroughs*  
JOHN BURROUGHS, Chairman

*Murray E. Morgan*  
MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member

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

