

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 8981
Order No. R-8286

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN
ORDER CREATING AND EXTENDING CERTAIN
POOLS IN EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on August 20, 1986, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 26th day of August, 1986, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS THAT:

(1) Due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) There is need for the creation of a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, for the production of gas from the Wolfcamp formation, said pool to bear the designation of South Culebra Bluff-Wolfcamp Gas Pool. Said South Culebra Bluff-Wolfcamp Gas Pool was discovered by the HNG Oil Company Fate 34 Well No. 1 located in Unit N of Section 34, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, NMPM. It was completed in the Wolfcamp formation on June 19, 1986. The top of the perforations is at 10,606 feet.

(3) There is need for certain extensions to the East Brushy Draw-Delaware Pool, the High Lonesome-Queen Pool, the Malaga-Atoka Gas Pool, the Outpost-Delaware Pool, and the Phantom Draw-Wolfcamp Gas Pool, all in Eddy County, New Mexico.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

(a) A new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Wolfcamp production is hereby created and designated as the South Culebra Bluff-Wolfcamp Gas Pool, consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 34: W/2

(b) The East Brushy Draw-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM
Section 9: SE/4
Section 10: SW/4

(c) The High Lonesome-Queen Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM
Section 19: SW/4

(d) The Malaga-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 13: E/2

(e) The Outpost-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 25: W/2

(f) The Phantom Draw-Wolfcamp Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM
Section 18: S/2
Section 19: N/2

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

(1) Pursuant to Section 70-2-18, NMSA 1978, contained in Chapter 271, Laws of 1969, any well which, by virtue of any of the above pool extensions, is subject to pool rules providing for spacing or proration units larger than the one which is presently dedicated thereto, shall have 60 days from the effective date of this order in which to file new Forms C-102 dedicating a standard unit for the pool to said well, or to obtain a non-standard unit approved by the Division. Pending such compliance, the well shall receive a maximum allowable in the same proportion to a standard allowable for the pool that the acreage dedicated to the well bears to a standard unit for the pool. Failure to file Form C-102 dedicating a standard unit to the well or to obtain a non-standard unit approved by the Division within said 60-day period shall subject the well to cancellation of allowable.

(2) The effective date of this order and all creations and extensions included herein shall be September 1, 1986.

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



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R. L. STAMETS
Director