

Dockets Nos. 9-92 and 10-92 are tentatively set for March 19, 1992 and April 2, 1992. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 23 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - THURSDAY - MARCH 5, 1992

**8:15 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CONFERENCE ROOM, STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING,
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

The following cases will be heard before David R. Catanach, Examiner or Michael E. Stogner, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 10451: (This case will be continued to March 19, 1992.)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a special poolwide depth bracket oil allowable, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a special depth bracket oil allowable, pursuant to Division (General) Rule 505-D, for the East Lusk-Delaware Pool located in portions of Sections 26 and 35, Township 19 South, Range 32 East, whereby the pool wide allowable would be based on the deeper perforations (rather than the shallowest as provided for in General Rule 505-A) in the wells presently completed in this pool. Said pool area is located approximately 13.5 miles west-southwest of the Hobbs Army Airforce Auxiliary Airfield No. 4.

CASE 10443: (Continued from February 20, 1992, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Marathon Oil Company to amend Division Order No. R-9503, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an amendment of Division Order No. R-9503 to authorize an increase of the vertical extension of the injection interval in its McDonald State A/C-1 Well Nos. 30 and 33 located in Units L and I of Section 16, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, McDonald State A/C-1 Lease Waterflood Project, to include the lowermost 100 feet of the Seven Rivers Formation. Said waterflood project is located approximately 7 miles south of Oil Center, New Mexico.

CASE 10452: In the matter of the application of the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating and extending certain pools in Chaves and Lea Counties, New Mexico.

- (a) **CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production and designated as the Northwest Bootleg Ridge-Delaware Pool.** The discovery well is the Maralo Inc. Prohibition Federal Unit Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 12: NW/4

- (b) **CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Upper Pennsylvanian production and designated as the Feather-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool.** The discovery well is the Yates Petroleum Corporation Scratchy Ranch State Unit Well No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 14, Township 15 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 14: SE/4

- (c) **CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production and designated as the Grama Ridge-Delaware Pool.** The discovery well is the BTA Oil Producers N. M. BZ State 8817 JV-P Well No. 1 located in Unit N of Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 26: SW/4

Section 27: SE/4

- (d) **CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Halfway-Morrow Gas Pool.** The discovery well is the Mitchell Energy Corporation Top Hat 26 Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit N of Section 26, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM

Section 26: S/2

- (e) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Devonian production and designated as the Northwest Jenkins-Devonian Pool. The discovery well is the Bright & Company Apache Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 5, Township 9 South, Range 34 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 5: NW/4

- (f) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production and designated as the East Livingston Ridge-Delaware Pool. The discovery well is the Strata Production Company Cercion Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit H of Section 21, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 21: NE/4

- (g) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Blinebry production and designated as the North Teague-Blinebry Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. B. F. Harrison B Well No. 5 located in Unit E of Section 9, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM

Section 9: NW/4

- (h) EXTEND the Apache Ridge-Bone Spring Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM

Section 31: NE/4

Section 32: NW/4

- (i) EXTEND the South Brunson Drinkard-Abo Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM

Section 6: NW/4

- (j) EXTEND the Buffalo-Queen Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM

Section 29: SE/4

- (k) EXTEND the Buffalo-Yates Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 1: NW/4

- (l) EXTEND the Cato-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM

Section 35: NE/4

- (m) EXTEND the South Corbin-Bone Spring Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM

Section 15: SW/4

- (n) EXTEND the West Corbin-Delaware Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 14: SE/4

Section 23: N/2