

## **OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

STATE OF NEW MEXICO P. O. BOX 2088 - SANTA FE 87501

DIRECTOR JOE D. RAMEY LAND COMMISSIONER PHIL R. LUCERO October 20, 1977



CASE NO. Re: Mr. Clarence Hinkle ORDER NO. R-5544 Hinkle, Cox, Eaton, Coffield & Hensley Attorneys at Law Applicant: P. O. Box 10 Roswell, New Mexico 88201 Atlantic Richfield Company

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Commission order recently entered in the subject case.

Yours very tr	uly,
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Director	

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Copy of order	also sent to:	
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J. M. Brown Division Engineering Manager

July 14, 1977

File: BAL-416-3111

Re: Proposed E. Blinebry and E. Drinkard Units

Lea County, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission State of New Mexico 310 Old Santa Fe Trail Santa Fe. NM 87501

### Gentlemen:

The application of Atlantic Richfield Company for statutory unitization and waterflooding of the E. Blinebry and E. Drinkard Areas, Lea County, New Mexico, has been designated as Cases 5997 through 6000 on the hearing docket for July 20, 1977.

This will advise that Amoco Production Company has signed the Unit Agreements and the Unit Operating Agreements for these projects. Amoco supports the application of Atlantic Richfield Company for statutory unitization and joins in urging approval by the Commission for this pending waterflood operation to achieve additional secondary oil recovery.

Yours very truly,

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cc: Mr. J. L. Tweed Atlantic Richfield Company P. 0. Box 1610

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Attention Mr. Richard L. Stamets

#### Gentlemen:

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. supports Atlantic Richfield Company in the proposals to be presented in Case Nos. 5997, 5998, 5999 and 6000 scheduled for July 20, 1977.

Atlantic Richfield Company will propose the formation of the East Drinkard Unit area and the East Blinebry Unit area and the initiation of waterflood projects thereon. Chevron U.S.A. Inc. will be a working interest owner in the proposed units.

Yours very truly,

G. M. Emerick

Senior Staff Engineer-Proration

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cc: Mr. E. E. Hagan

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Cases 5997, 5998, 5999

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Gentlemen:

Our client, Atlantic Richfield Company, has requested that we ask for a continuance of the above cases which are on the examiner's docket for July 20 to the second examiner's hearing in September, which I assume will be on the 21st.

The reason for the continuance is that additional time is needed within which to get some of the parties to consent to or ratify the unit agreements.

You may consider this as a motion for continuance of the above cases to the above mentioned date.

Cases 5997 and 5999 are for approval of unit agreements for the East Drinkard and East Blinebry Units. These applications were made under the provisions of the Statutory Unitization Act and we note in thepublication the Act was not referred to. We do not know whether it is necessary to refer to the fact that these applications are made under this act but call your attention to this so that if you consider it material in the re-publication as to the continued date this may be included.

Yours very truly,

COX, EATON, COFFIELD & HENSLEY

CEH:cs

cc: Mr. Duncan Holt Mr. R. E. Powers cc:

Mr. Bob Malaise cc:

M.. Bill Coleman