

Dockets Nos. 35-77 and 36-77 are tentatively set for hearing on November 16 and 30, 1977. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - OCTOBER 20, 1977 - THURSDAY

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM,
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING - SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

CASE 6069: Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for statutory unitization, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order unitizing, for the purpose of secondary recovery, all mineral interests in the East Blinebry Unit underlying the following described lands in Township 21 South, Range 37 East, Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico:

Section 11: All
Section 12: W/2 E/2 and W/2
Section 13: W/2 NE/4, NW/4 SE/4, and W/2
Section 14: All
Section 23: All
Section 24: NW/4 and W/2 SW/4

The unitized interval would be that from a depth of 5550 feet to 6007 feet in the ARCO Barton Well No. 3 located in Unit H of the aforesaid Section 23.

Among the matters to be considered at the hearing will be the necessity of unit operations; the designation of a unit operator; the determination of the horizontal and vertical limits of the unit area; the determination of a fair, reasonable, and equitable allocation of production and costs of production, including capital investment, to each of the various tracts in the unit area; the determination of credits and charges to be made among the various owners in the unit area for their investment in wells and equipment; and such other matters as may be necessary and appropriate for carrying on efficient unit operations, including, but not necessarily limited to, unit voting procedures, selection, removal, or substitution of unit operator, and time of commencement and termination of unit operations.

CASE 6000: Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for a waterflood project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project on its East Blinebry Unit Area, Lea County, New Mexico, by the injection of water into the Blinebry formation through 38 wells.

CASE 6070: Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for statutory unitization, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order unitizing, for the purpose of secondary recovery, all mineral interests in the East Drinkard Unit underlying the following described lands in Township 21 South, Range 37 East, Drinkard Pool, Lea County, New Mexico:

Section 11: All
Section 12: W/2 E/2 and W/2
Section 13: W/2 NE/4, NW/4 SE/4, and W/2
Section 14: All
Section 23: All
Section 24: NW/4 and W/2 SW/4

The unitized interval would be that from a depth of 6450 feet to 6730 feet in the ARCO Barton Well No. 3 located in Unit H of the aforesaid Section 23.

Among the matters to be considered at the hearing will be the necessity of unit operations; the designation of a unit operator; the determination of the horizontal and vertical limits of the unit area; the determination of a fair, reasonable, and equitable allocation of production and costs of production, including capital investment, to each of the various tracts in the unit area, the determination of credits and charges to be made among the various owners in the unit area for their investment in wells and equipment; and such other matters as may be necessary and appropriate for carrying on efficient unit operations, including, but not necessarily limited to, unit voting procedures, selection, removal, or substitution of unit operator, and time of commencement and termination of unit operations.

CASE 5998: Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for a waterflood project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project on its East Drinkard Unit Area, Lea County, New Mexico, by the injection of water into the Drinkard formation through 30 wells.