

Case No.

1483

Application, Transcript,
Small Exhibits, Etc.

CASE 1483: Atlantic Refg. Co. application
for 53.98 NS oil proration unit, Horseshoe
Gallup Oil Pool, Sec. 33& 32-31N-16W.

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. 1483
Order No. R-1918

APPLICATION OF ATLANTIC REFINING
COMPANY FOR A 53.98-ACRE NON-
STANDARD OIL PRORATION UNIT IN
THE HORSESHOE-GALLUP 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
July 24, 1958, 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 22nd day of March, 1961, the Commission,
a quorum being present, having considered the application 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, Atlantic Refining Company, has
requested that the hearing of the subject application be continued
indefinitely.

(3) That inasmuch as an undue period of time has elapsed
since the subject case was continued, the same should be dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 1483 be and the same is hereby dismissed.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year herein-
above designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

E. L. Mechem
EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

E. S. Walker
E. S. WALKER, Member

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

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BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Santa Fe, New Mexico
July 24, 1958

EXAMINER HEARING

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

Case 1483

DEARNLEY - MEIER & ASSOCIATES
INCORPORATED
GENERAL LAW REPORTERS
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
3-6691 5-9546

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Santa Fe, New Mexico
July 24, 1958

EXAMINER HEARING

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IN THE MATTER OF: :

Application of Atlantic Refining Company for a :
non-standard oil proration unit. Applicant, in :
the above-styled cause, seeks an order establish- :
ing a 53.98-acre non-standard oil proration unit : Case
in the Horseshoe Gallup Pool consisting of the : 1483
SE/4 SE/4 of Section 32, and that portion of the :
SW/4 SW/4 of Section 33 which lies within the :
Navajo Reservation (14.53 acres), all in Township :
31 North, Range 16 West, San Juan County, New :
Mexico. :
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BEFORE: Mr. Elvis A. Utz, Examiner.

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

MR. UTZ: The next case on the docket will be 1483.

MR. PAYNE: Case 1483. Application of Atlantic Refining
Company for a non-standard oil proration unit.

MR. BRATTON: Mr. Examiner, Howard Bratton, Hervey, Dow and
Hinkle, Roswell, appearing on behalf of the applicant, the Atlantic
Refining Company. We would like to move that this case be con-
tinued, and I believe that we would move that it be continued in-
definitely, although that would necessitate readvertising. I wish
to thank Mr. Campbell for his kind suggestion here.

MR. UTZ: Is there objection to the continuation of Case

1483 indefinitely? In the absence of any objection, it will be so continued.

C E R T I F I C A T E

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
: SS
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

I, ADA DEARNLEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed my hand and notarial seal
this 28th day of July, 1958.

Ada Dearnley
Notary Public-Court Reporter

My commission expires:

June 19, 1959.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a complete record of the proceedings in
the Examiner hearing of Case No.
heard by me on, 19.....

....., Examiner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

Case 1453

J. M. HERVEY 1874-1953

HIRAM M. DOW
CLARENCE E. HINKLE
W. E. BONDURANT, JR.
GEORGE H. HUNKER, JR.
HOWARD C. BRATTON
S. B. CHRISTY IV
LEWIS C. COX, JR.

PAUL W. EATON, JR.
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LAW OFFICES
HERVEY, DOW & HINKLE
HINKLE BUILDING
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO

June 24, 1958

Exam Hearing
6/27/58
[Called Bratton this
date and got ok to
set this application
for Exam Hearing]
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Mr. A. L. Porter
Secretary-Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

The Atlantic Refining Company hereby applies for approval of a Nonstandard Oil Proration Unit in the Horseshoe-Gallup Field, San Juan County, New Mexico, to consist of the following lands:

T. 31 N., R. 16 W., N.M.P.M.
San Juan County, New Mexico

Section 32 - SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ (39.45 acres);
Section 33 - That portion of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
lying within the Navajo Reser-
vation (14.53 acres)
containing 53.98 acres.

The Nonstandard Oil Proration Unit as proposed will consist of a gross 53.98 acres, and the unit well to be drilled by Atlantic will be in accordance with Paragraph 6, Subsection (m) Rule 104 of the Rules and Regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission. The unit is composed of a portion of two sections which are contiguous, and the entire unit is covered by one oil and gas lease, being Navajo Tribal Oil and Gas Lease Contract No. 14-20-603-734, dated October 5, 1954, and approved and effective December 22, 1954.

Two operators offset the proposed unit, being El Paso Natural Gas Products Company and Petro-Atlas Corporation. Both companies have evidenced their consent to the formation of the unit, and copies of their consent letters will be introduced in evidence at the hearing on this matter.

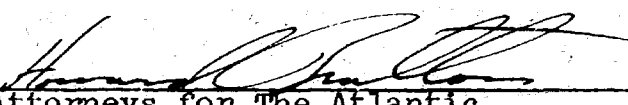
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Certified copies of the plat of this area are attached to this Application.

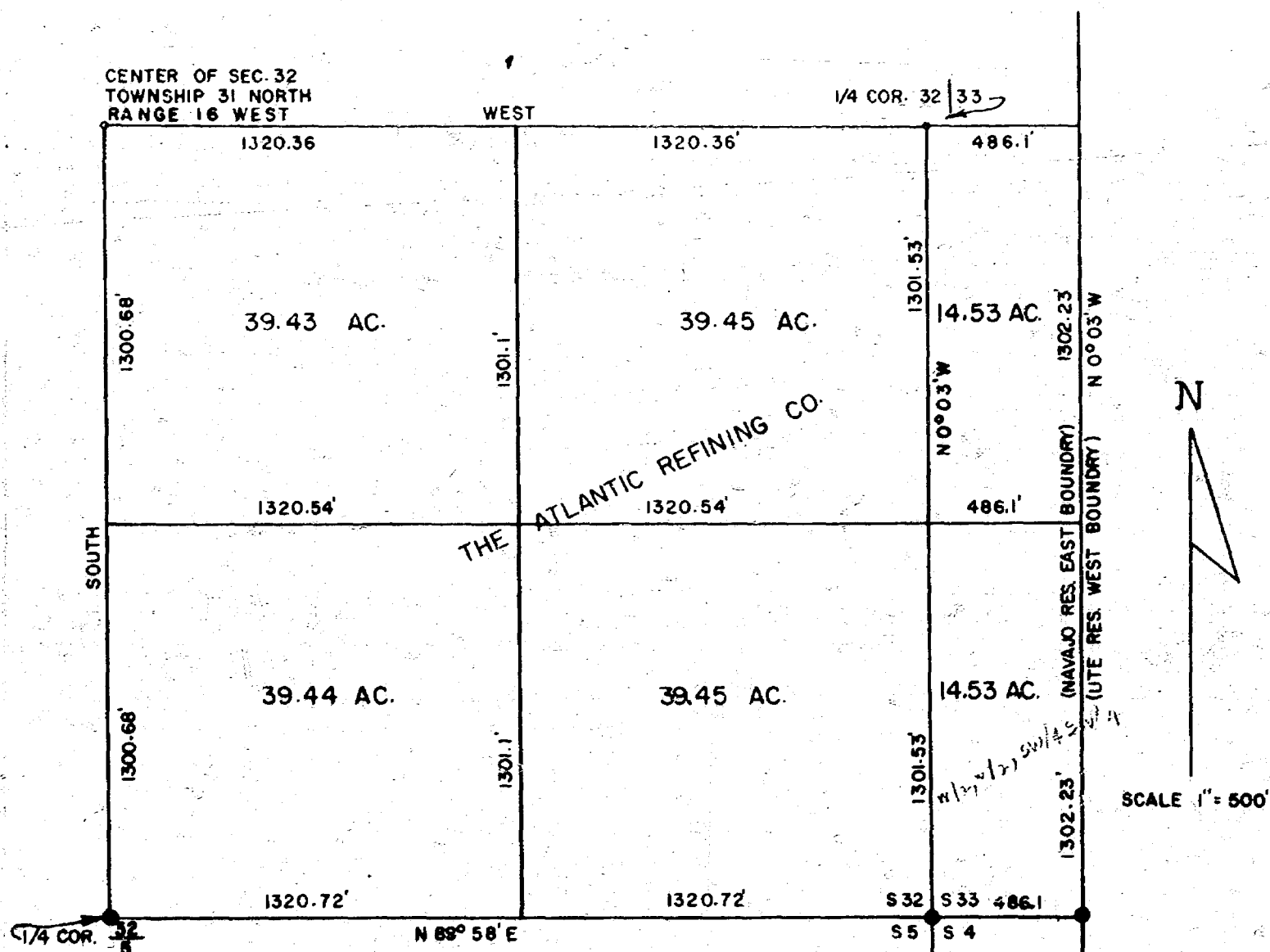
It is requested that this application be set for hearing at the regular hearing of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission to be held in Santa Fe on July 16, 1958.

Respectfully submitted,

HERVEY, DOW & HINKLE

By 
Attorneys for The Atlantic
Refining Company

LOCATED IN THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE 1/4) OF SEC. 32 AND THE WEST HALF OF THE WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (W 1/2, W 1/2, SW 1/4) OF SEC. 33, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, N.M.P.M.



- CORNERS ESTABLISHED BY SAN JUAN ENGINEERING CO. SEPT. 1957, 1 1/4" GALVANIZED IRON PIPES.
- CORNERS ON TOWNSHIP LINE ESTABLISHED BY U.S.G.L.O. APPROVED MAY 24, 1928 BRASSCAP IRON PIPE.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE PLAT WAS PREPARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY SUPERVISION AND THAT THE SAME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

James P. Leese
JAMES P. LEESE
REG. LAND SURVEYOR
N.MEX. REG. NO. 1463



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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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CONFIRMING OUR TELEPHONE CONVERSATION, PLEASE SET
ATLANTIC REQUEST IN HORSESHOE GALLUP FIELD FOR FIRST
EXAMINER HEARING AVAILABLE=

HERVEY DOW AND HINKLE BY HOWARD C BRATTON=

Case 1483

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Date 7-25-58

CASE 1483

Hearing Date 7-24-58

My recommendations for an order in the above numbered cases are as follows:

1. This case was indefinitely continued at the request of the applicant, Atlantic Ref. Co. An attempt to reach an agreement with the U.S.G.S. will be made. In other words to community sec. 33, 12 Indian leases).

Wm A. Ritz

*No order
cont. until
6/1/59*

Staff Member

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING JULY 24, 1958

Oil Conservation Commission 9 a.m., Mabry Hall, State Capitol, Santa Fe, NM

The following cases will be heard before Elvis A. Utz, Examiner:

CASES 1195 & 1433: Application of Graridge Corporation for an order amending Order No. R-972. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order amending Order No. R-972 to approve a development pattern for the entire water flood project operated by the applicant in the Caprock-Queen Pool, Chaves and Lea Counties, New Mexico, and to permit administrative approval for the conversion of water injection wells in said project, which is within the limits of the North Caprock Queen Unit No. One authorized by Commission Order No. R-1145.

CASE 1482: Application of Aztec Oil and Gas Company for an unorthodox gas well location. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing an unorthodox gas well location in the Blanco Mesaverde Gas Pool for its Culpepper-Martin No. 2 Well, 990 feet from the South and East lines of Section 30, Township 32 North, Range 12 West, San Juan County, New Mexico.

CASE 1483: Application of Atlantic Refining Company for a non-standard oil proration unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order establishing a 53.98-acre non-standard oil proration unit in the Horseshoe Gallup Pool consisting of the SE/4 SE/4 of Section 32, and that portion of the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 33 which lies within the Navajo Reservation (14.53 acres), all in Township 31 North, Range 16 West, San Juan County, New Mexico.

CASE 1484: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for a non-standard gas proration unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the establishment of a 160-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Tubb Gas Pool consisting of the NE/4 SE/4, NE/4 NE/4, and the S/2 NE/4 of Section 31, Township 22 South, Range 38 East, Lea County, New Mexico, said unit to be dedicated to its Scarborough Estate Well No. 2, 1880 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section 31.

CASE 1485: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for a non-standard gas proration unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the establishment of a 160-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Blinebry Gas Pool consisting of the NE/4 SE/4, NE/4 NE/4, and the S/2 NE/4 of Section 31, Township 22 South, Range 38 East, Lea County, New Mexico, said unit to be dedicated to its Scarborough Estate No. 3 Well, 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section 31.

CASE 1486: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for a non-standard gas proration unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the establishment of a 320-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool consisting of Lots 13 and 14 and the SW/4 of Section 2, and the N/2 NW/4 of Section 11, all in Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Lea County, New Mexico, said unit to be dedicated to its J. F. Janda "D" Well No. 1, 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 2.

CASE 1487: Application of Ohio Oil Company for two non-standard gas proration units in the Tubb Gas Pool and two non-standard gas proration units in the Blinebry Gas Pool. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order establishing 160-acre non-standard gas proration units in both the Blinebry Gas Pool and the Tubb Gas Pool, each consisting of the S/2 NE/4, NW/4 SE/4, and the NE/4 SW/4 of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, said units to be dedicated to its dually completed J. L. Muncy Well No. 2 in the NE/4 SW/4 of said Section 24. Applicant further seeks the establishment of 160-acre non-standard gas proration units in both the Blinebry Gas Pool and Tubb Gas Pool, each consisting of the E/2 SE/4, SW/4 SE/4, and the SE/4 SW/4 of said Section 24, said units to be dedicated to its J. L. Muncy Well No. 3 in the SE/4 SW/4 of said Section 24 and Well No. 1 in the SE/4 SE/4 of said Section 24 respectively.

CASE 1488: Application of Western Natural Gas Company for an oil-oil dual completion. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing the dual completion of its Wimberly No. 5 Well, 990 feet from the North line and 2310 feet from the West line of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the production of oil from the Justis-Ellenburger Pool and oil from an undesignated Montoya pool through parallel strings of tubing.

CONTINUED CASE

This case will be heard before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner:

CASE 1478: In the matter of the application of R. Olsen Oil Company for a non-standard gas proration unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order establishing a 160-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Tubb Gas Pool consisting of the N/2 NW/4, SW/4 NW/4, and NW/4 SW/4 of Section 25, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

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