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May 14, 1980

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Re:	
Mr. Robert Strand, Attorney Harvey E. Yates Company	ORDER NO. R-6341
P. O. Box 1933 Roswell, New Mexico 88201	Applicant:
	Harvey E. Yates Company
Dear Sir:	
Enclosed herewith are two copies Division order recently entered i	
Yours very truly, JOE D. RAMEY Director	
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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. 6873 Order No. R-6341

APPLICATION OF HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on April 23, 1980, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 13th day of May, 1980, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

PINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Harvey E. Yates Company, seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location for its North Fravis 12 Deep Well No. 1 to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, to test the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations, Travis Field, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (3) That as a gas well in the Wolfcamp or Lower Pennsylvanian formation, the S/2 of said Section 12 is to be dedicated to the well.
- (4) That said North Travis 12 Deep Well No. 1 is to be drilled as a development well at a standard oil well location in the Travis-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool.
- (5) That approval of the application will permit the applicant to produce any gas zones encountered in the Wolfcamp or other Pennsylvanian sones without the drilling of a second (unnecessary) well.

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- (6) That no offset operator objected to the proposed unprihodox location.
- (7) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the subject pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That an unorthodox gas well location for the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations is hereby approved for the Harvey S. Yates Company North Travis 12 Deep Well No. 1 to be drilled at a point 660 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, HMPM, Travis Field, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (2) That as a gas well in the Wolfcamp or Lower Pennsylvanian formation, the S/2 of said Section 12 shall be dedicated to the above-described well.
- (3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Pe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinbove designated.

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	Q.	Mr. Smith, what is your occupation and							
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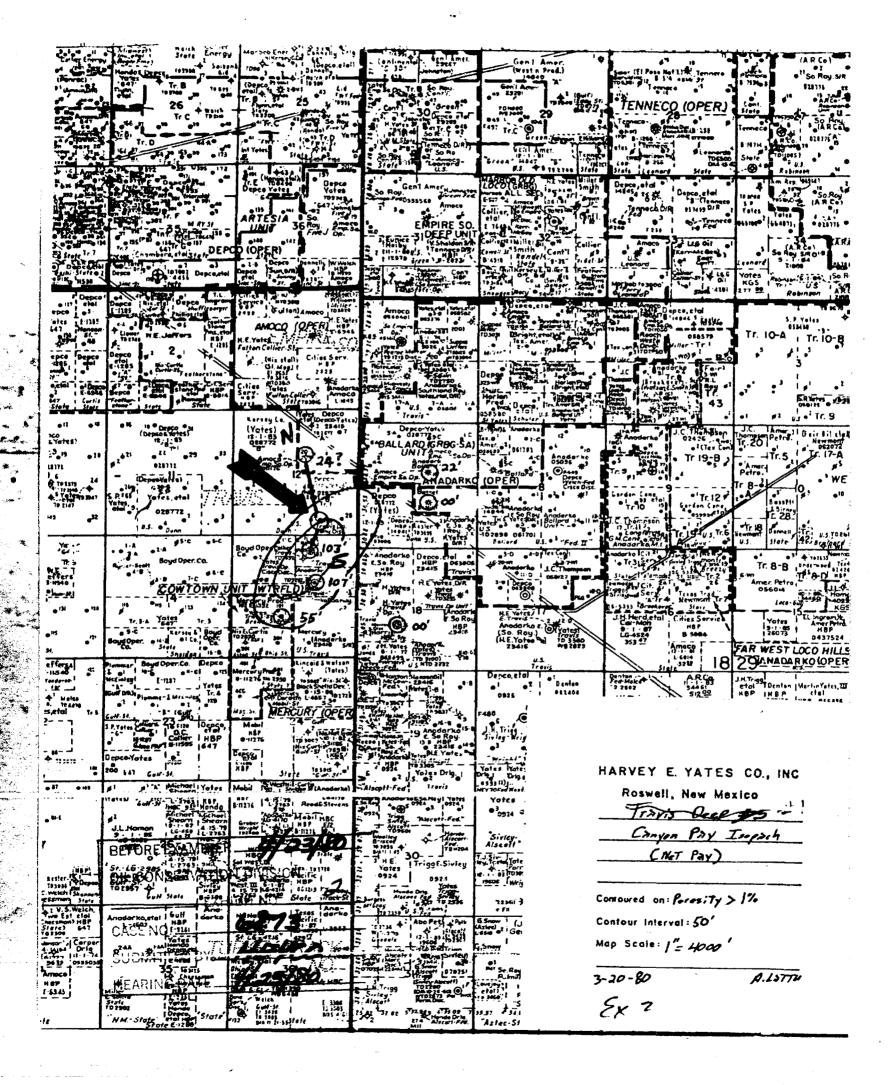
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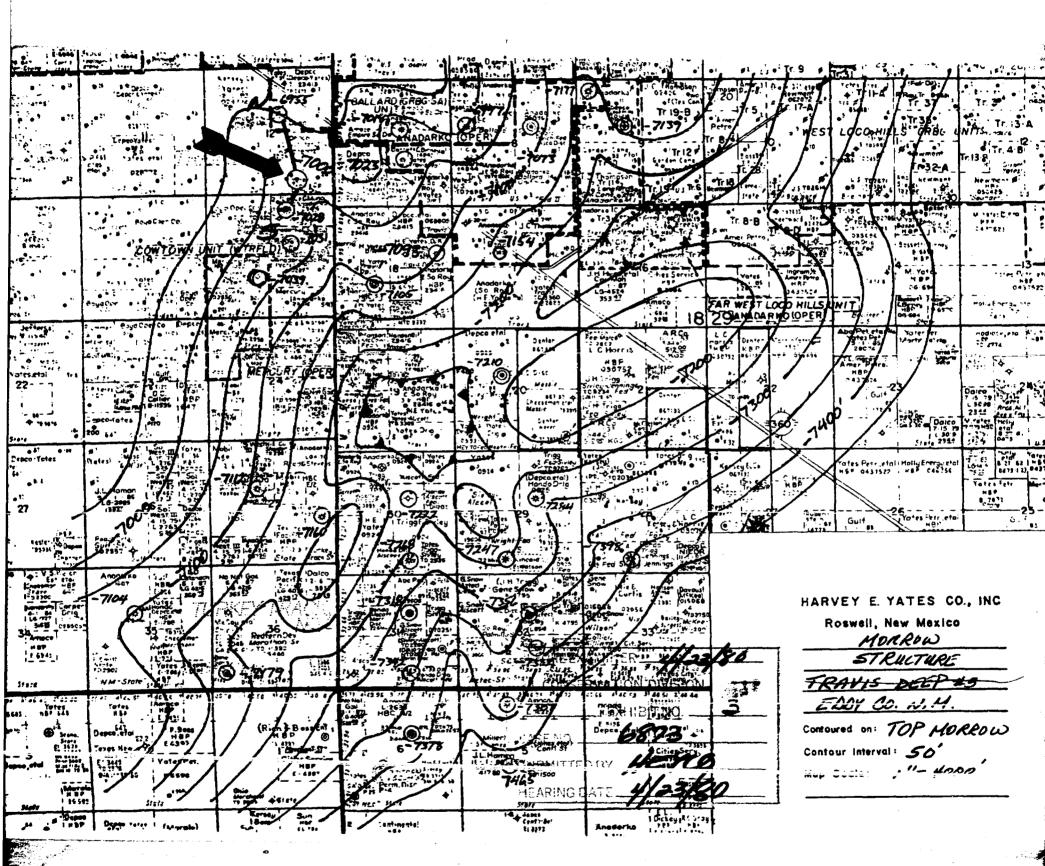
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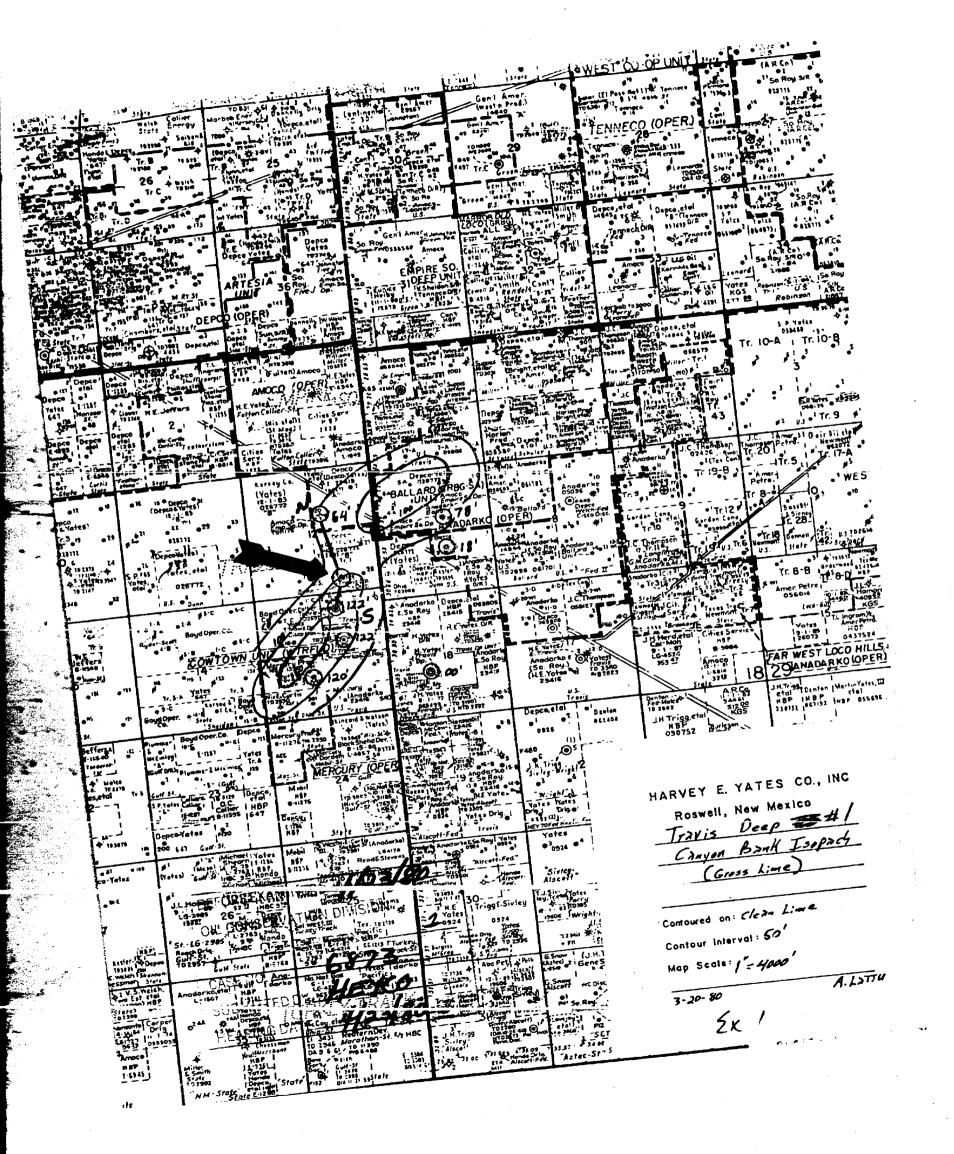
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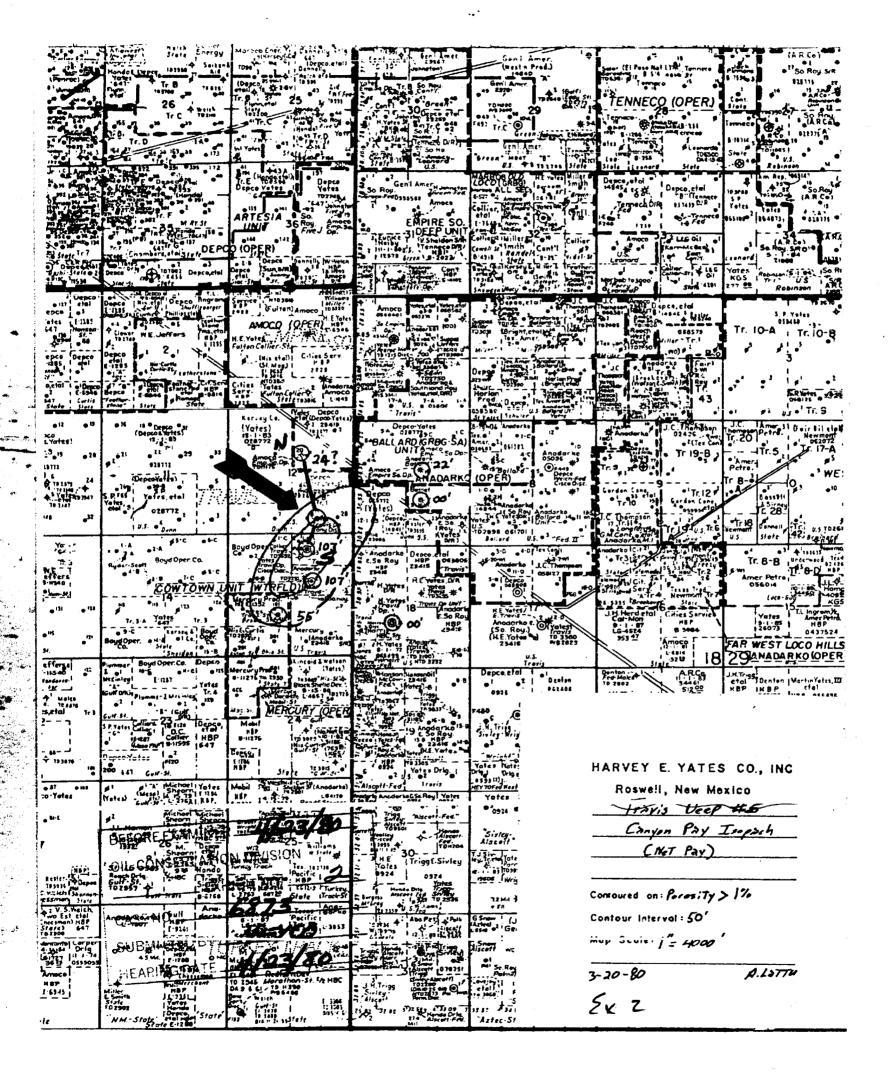
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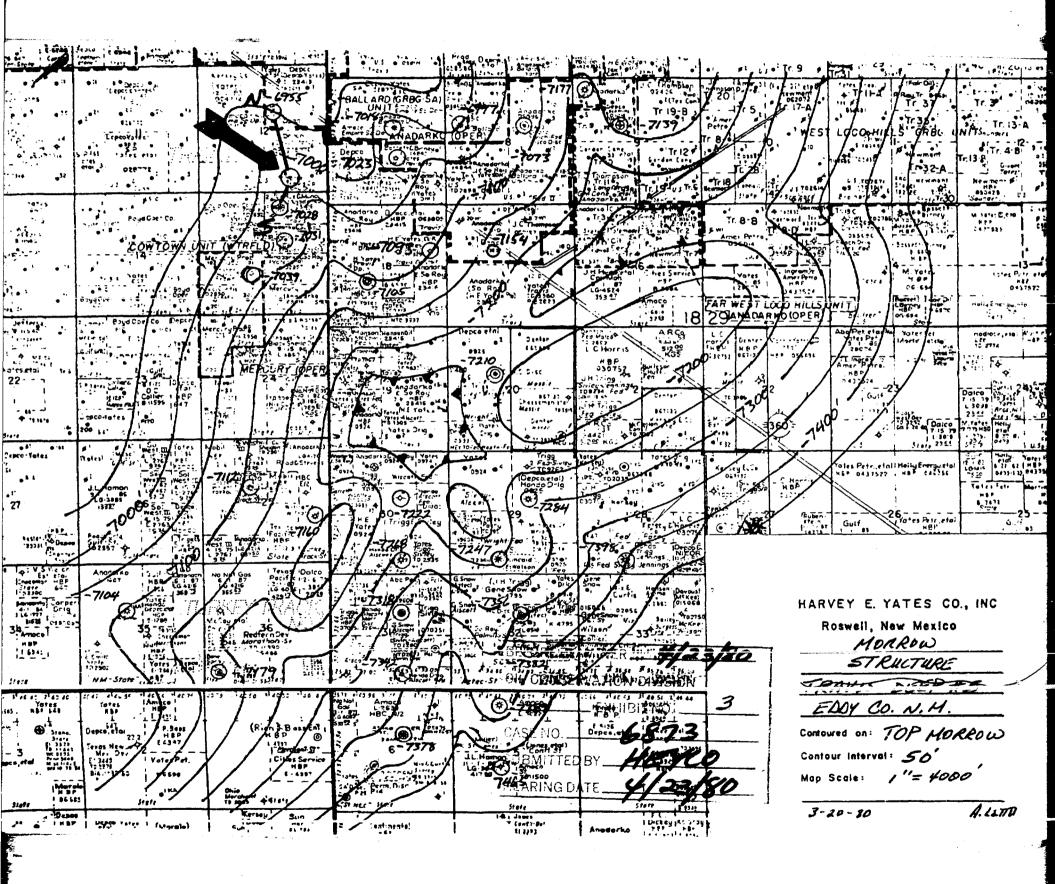




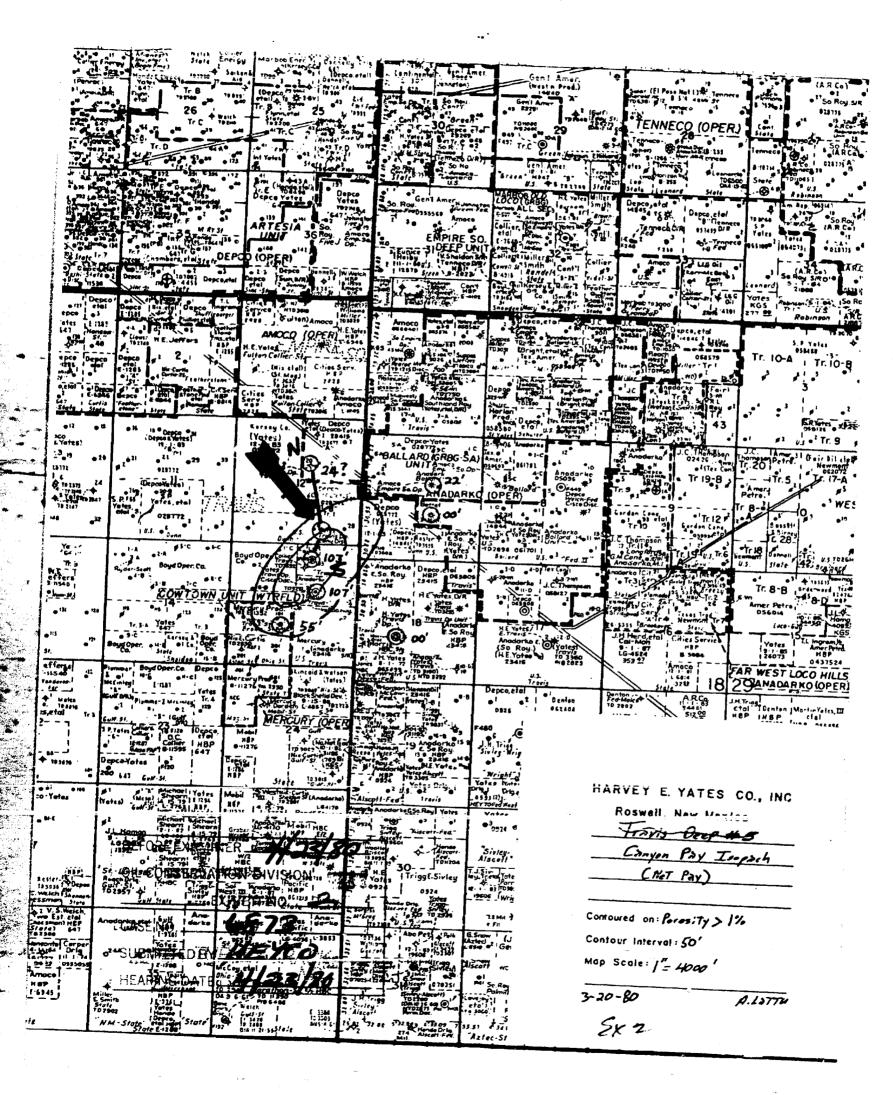


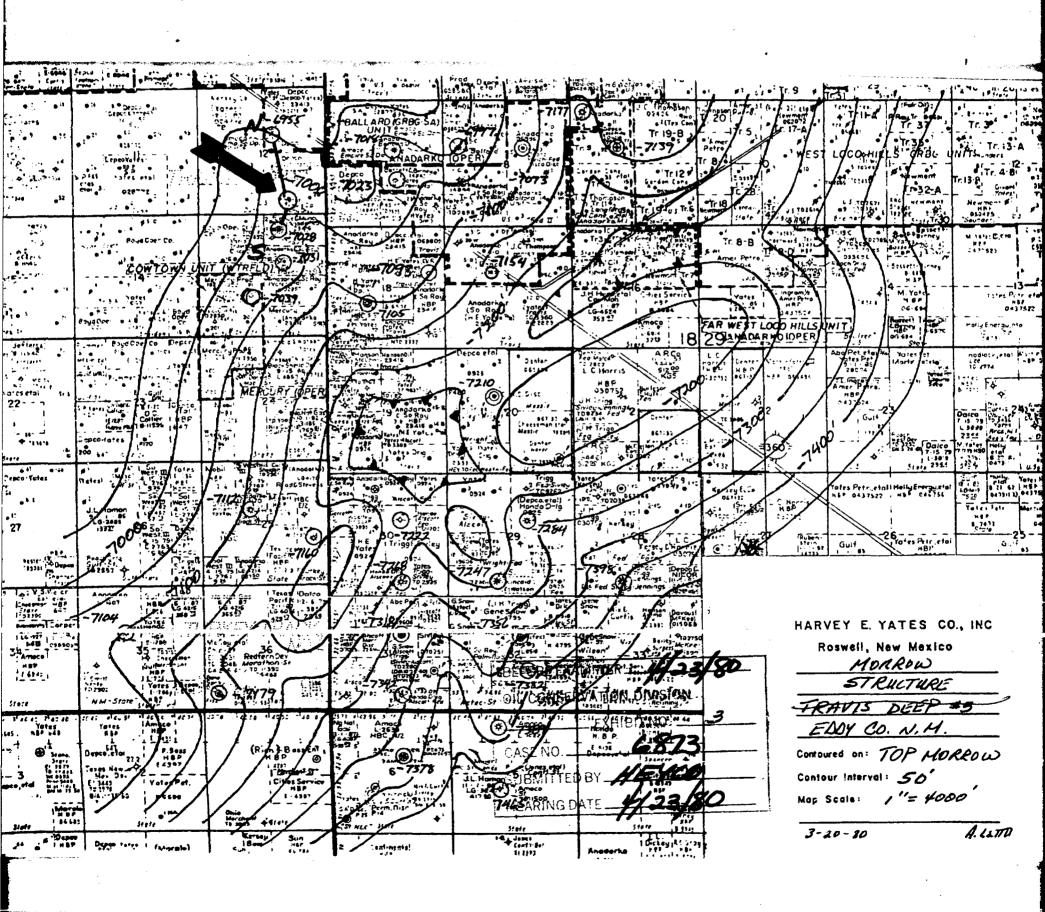






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Seckets Nos. 13-60 and 14-60 are tentatively set for May 7 and 21, 1980, Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 23, 1980

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

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Exeminer, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 6803: (Continued from February 13, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit EPROC Associates, Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why its Monsanto State H Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 2, Township 30 North, Range 16 West, San Juan County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

- CASE 6866: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Hare and McCoy and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the H. L. Hare Well No. 2 located in Unit B of Section 23, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.
- CASE 6867: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit all interested parties to appear and show cause why the following abandoned wells drilled by unknown party or parties and located in Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program: a well in the SW/4 of Section 24, a well in the SE/4 of Section 22, and a well in the SE/4 of Section 28.
- CASE 6850: (Continued from April 9, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Jack F. Grimm, N. B. Hunt, George R. Brown, Am-Arctic, Ltd., The Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Mobil 32 Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 32, Township 25 South, Range 1 East, Dona Ana County, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program.

- CASE 6870: Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company for a dual completion, Lea County, New Mexico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion (conventional) of its
 Bass State 36 Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 36, Township 15 South, Range 34 East, to
 produce oil from the Townsend-Wolfcamp Pool and gas from an undesignated Morrow pool thru the tubing
 and casing-tubing annulus, respectively, by means of a cross-over assembly.
- CASE 6871: Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company to amend Order No. R-5693, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks to amend Order No. R-5693 to remove the restriction as to the time limit in which salt water may be disposed into Big Eddy Unit Well No. 56 located in Unit G of Section 35, Township 21 South, Range 28 East.
- CASE 6872: Application of Amoco Production Company for a dual completion, Lea County, New Mexico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion (conventional) of its

 State "HQ" Well No. 1 located in Unit P of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 34 East, Airstrip

 Field, to produce Bone Springs and Wolfcamp oil thru parallel strings of tubing.
- CASE 6873: Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its liavis beep Well No. 5, a Morrow test to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, the S/2 of said Section 12 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 6874: Application of HNG Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 of Section 6, Township 22 South, Range 35 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6653: (Continued from April 9, 1980, Examiner Mearing)

Application of Caribon Four Corners, Inc. for compulsory pouling, San Juan Country, New Mexico.
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- Application of Maurice L. Brand Do. for compulsory publics, les bounty, New Mexico.

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- Application of Florids Exploration Company for tempolsory publing and unprisodom well location, less Laurity, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks at order publing all schemal interests in the Golfmann tempolity formations underlying the 5 l of Section II. Tempolity II Leath, Range II East, in he declirated to a well to be cribbed at an interpodent location 124 feet from the Morth and West lines of said Section II. Also to be considered will be the cost of satilling and complexing said well and the allocation of the most increased as well as actual operating costs and changes for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a change for rise involved in drilling and well.
- Application of Stevens Dil Lampany for a non-standard gas protation unit, Caswes Lounty, New Mexico.

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- Application of John L. Homon for a tobingless trapletion, less tourney, New Menine.

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CASE 6487: (Continued from February 13, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for approval of infill drilling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements and a finding that the drilling of its Shell E State Com Well No. 2 located in Unit N of Section 6, Town-ship 21 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the proration unit which cannot be so drained by the existing well.

CASE 6868: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order contracting and extending certain pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, and McKinley Counties, New Mexico:

(a) CONTRACT the Bisti-Farmington Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, by deleting:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM Section 20: W/2

(b) CONTRACT the Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, by deleting:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM Section 35: NW/4

(c) EXTEND the Albino-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM Section 24: W/2 Section 25: W/2 Section 26: SE/4

Section 26: SE/4 Section 36: W/2

(d) EXTEND the Aztec-Fruitland Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM Section 17: S/2

(e) EXTEND the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 34: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM Section 6: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 7: SW/4 Section 17: S/2

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM Section 23: NE/4

(f) EXTEND the Ballard-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba, Sandoval, and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM Section 15: NW/4

(g) EXTERD the Bisti-Farmington Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHI? 26 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM Section 29: S/2 Section 30: SE/4 and W/2

(h) EXTEND the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, MMPM Section 22: NW/4

(i) EXTEND the Blanco-Fruitland Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NAPM Section 1: SW/4

Section 2: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 10: SW/4

Section 16: NW/4

(j) EXTEND the Blanco Mesaverde Pool in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM Section 3: N/2

Section 5: N/2

Section 6: ALL

Section 7: ALI W/2

Section 8:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM

Section 4: All

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM Section 17: E/2

(k) EXTEND the Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, KANGE 8 WEST, NMPM Section 10: NE/4 and S/2

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 20: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM

Section 19: All Section 29: NW/4 Section 30: N/2

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 10: SW/4
Section 24: E/2

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM Section 8: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 7: NE/4
Section 19: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 24: E/2 and SW/4

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Section 15: SW/4

Section 18: NE/4

Section 21: NE/4 Section 22: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM Section 1: N/2

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TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, MMPM Section 33: S/2

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Section 10: E/2 Section 11: All Section 13: SW/4

Section 14: All

Section 24: NW/4

Section 25: N/2 Section 26: NE/4

Section 35: E/2 and SW/4

(1) EXTEND the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba, San Juan, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANCE I WEST, NMPM

Section 19: E/2 Section 30: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM Section 26: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANCE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 36: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM Section 12: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM Section 34: NE/4

(m) EXTEND the East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 4: W/2

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM Section 33: SW/4

(n) EXTEND the Bloomfield-Farmington Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM Section 25: SE/4

(o) EXTEND the Campo-Gallup Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM Section 12: SE/4

Section 13: NE/4

(p) EXTEND the Cha-Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH RANGE 14 HEST, MMPM Section 18: N/2 SW/4 and NW/4 SE/4

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 15 WEST, NMPM

(q) EXTEND the Chacon-Dakota Associated Pool in Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 25: NW/4

Section 26: NE/4 Section 34: SW/4 Section 35: NE/4

Section 36: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM Section 20: E/2

Section 34: NW/4

(r) EXTEND the Choza Mesa-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANCE 3 WEST, NYPM

Section 19: S/2

Section 30: N/2

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 9: E/2 Section 10: All

Section 16: E/2

Section 21: NE/4

(s) EXTEND the Escrito-Gallup Oil Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 21: SW/4

(t) EXTEND the Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANCE 11 WEST, MIPM

Section 25: SE/4

Section 36: NE/4 and S/2

(u) EXTEND the Gobernador-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

N/2 and SE/4 Section 4:

Section 5: N/2

Section 6: N/2

Section 15: S/2 Section 23: NW/4 and SE/4

Section 25: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM

Section 1: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANCE 5 WEST, IMPM

Section 31: SW/4

(v) EXTEND the Harper Hill Fruitland-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, NMPM Section 27: SE/4

Section 34: NE/4

Section 35: SW/4

(w) EXTEND the Harris Mesa-Chacrs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, MANGE 9 WEST, NMPM Section 11: S/2

Section 12: SW/4

Section 13: N/2

Section 14: NE/4

(x) EXTEND the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NMPM Section 24: S/2

(y) EXTEND the Largo-Chacra Pool in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, IMPM Section 28: SE/4

(z) EXTEND the South Lindrith Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, MMPM

Section 21: SW/4

Section 27: N/2

(as) EXTEND the West Lindrith Gallup-Dakots Oil Fool in Rio Arribs County, New Mexico, to include therein:

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TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM
Section 17: NW/4
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Section 11: SW/4 Section 14: NE/4 Section 24: SW/4

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM Section 23: NW/4 Section 30: SW/4

Section 31: SE/4

(bb) EXTEND the South Los Pinos Fruitland-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

> TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, MMPM Section 1: W/2 Section 10: SE/4 Section 11: N/2

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NNPM Section 26: SE/4
Section 34: SE/4

(cc) EXTEND the Otero-Chacra Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANCE 7 WEST, NMPM Section 23: N/2 Section 25: N/2 and SE/4

(dd) EXTEND the Otero-Gallup Oil Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM Section 2: N/2 NW/4

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, 1MPM

Section 22: NE/4 Section 23: NW/4

Section 34: W/2 SW/4 and SE/4 Section 35: SW/4 SW/4

(ee) EXTERN the Rusty-Chacra Pool in Sandoval County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, MMPM Section 18: SW/4

Section 19: All Section 20: SW/4 NU/L Section 29: N/2

Section 30: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, MIPH

Section 10: 5/2 Section 11: SW/4 Section 14: W/2 Section 15: SE/4 Section 20: NE/4

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(ff) EXTEND the Star-Hesaverde Oil Pool' in McKinley County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM Section 16: N/2 NE/4

(gg) EXTEND the Ute Dome-Dakots Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, KMPM Section 25: W/2

(hh) EXTEND the WAW Fruitland-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM Section 19: S/2 and NW/4 Section 30: NW/4 Section 31: NE/4 Section 36: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NIPM Section 2: 5/2 Section 3: Section 9: ME/4 Section 10: N/2 Section 11: All Section 12: W/2 Section 13: NW/4 Section 14: N/2 Section 24: E/2

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NMPM W/2 and SE/4 Section 7: W/2 and SE/4 Section 17: W/2 and SE/4

Section 20: E/2 Section 21: W/2

CASE 6869: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating, contracting and extending the vertical and horizontal limits of certain pools in Chaves, Eddy, Lea, and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico:

(a) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Wolfcamp production and designated as the East Anderson Ranch-Wolfcamp Pool. The discovery well is Holly Energy, Inc. Pool State Well No. 1 located in Unit H of Section 19, Township 16 South, Range 33 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANCE 33 EAST, MIPM

UNITED THE A NEW POOL in Chaves County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for San Andres pro-Anti-order and designated as the Bull's Eye-San Andres Pool. The discovery well is Ralph Nix Union Happy Well No. 1 located in Unit O of Section 2, The Angre 28 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 1: SE/4 and S/2 NE/4 Section 12: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, RNPM Section 6: W/2 SW/4 Section 7: W/2 WW/4

(c) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for San Andres Production and designated as the Cary-San Andres Pool. The discovery well is Zia Energy, Inc. State C Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 17, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, 191PH Section 17: NW/4

(4) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Grayburg production and designated as the Diamond Mound-Grayburg Gas Pool. The discovery well is Mesa Petroleum Company Sink Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit 1 of Section 9, Township 16 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 9: SE/4

(e) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Diamond Mound-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is Mesa Petroleum Company Derrick Federal Com Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 5, Township 16 South, Range 28 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMFM Section 5: Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, and 14

(f) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Abo production and designated as the Gopher-Abo Cas Pool. The discovery well is Mesa Petroleum Company Catclaw State Well No. I located in Unit G of Section 31, Township 17 South, Range 24 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM Section 31: NE/4

(g) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Upper Pennsylvanian production and designated as the Grayburg-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool. The discovery well is Depco, Inc. Conoco State Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 15, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 15: SW/4

(h) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Drinkard production and designated as the Hardy-Drinkard Pool. The discovery well is Amoco Production Company State C Tr. 11 Well No. 11 located in Unit X of Section 2, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, MANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 2: SE/4 Section 11: NE/4

(i) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Atoka production and designated as the Logan Draw-Atoka Gas Pool. The discovery well is Mesa Petroleum Company Naralo Federal Com Well No. 1 located in Unit L of Section 22, Township 17 South, Range 27 East, MPPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 22: W/2

(j) CREATE a new pool in Chappe County, new Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Queen production and designated are mabbit Flats-Queen Pool. The discovery well is Rapid Company, Inc. Copelan state Well No. 1 located in Unit C of Section 31, Township 10 South, Range 27 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 31: NE/4 NW/4 and N/2 NE/4

(k) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Wolfcamp production and designated as the Ross Draw-Wolfcamp Gas Pool. The discovery well is Florida Gas Exploration Company Ross Draw Unit Well No. 7 located in Unit J of Section 26, Township 26 South, Range 30 East, WHPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, MMPM Section 26: 5/2
Section 27: All

(1) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Sand Point-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is Ferry R. Bass Big Eddy Unit Well No. 72 located in Unit R of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, IMPM Section 3: S/2

(m) CREATE a new pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Mississippian production and designated as the Sand Ranch-Mississippian Gas Pool. The discovery well is MCF Oil Corporation Bikar Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit G of Section 14, Township 10 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANCE 29 EAST, MMPM Section 14: N/2

(n) CREATE a new pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for San Andres production and designated as the North Tom Tom-San Andres Pool. The discovery well is NRM Petroleum Corporation Mooney Well No. 1 located in Unit A of Section 17, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM Section 17: NE/4

(o) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Bone Springs production and designated as the Tonto-Bone Springs Pool. The discovery well is Amoco Production Company Mellis A Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 33 East, NAPM. Said pool would comprise;

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, 1919M Section 8: M4/4

(p) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Mississippian production and designated as the Townsend-Mississippian Gas Pool. The discovery well is Allen K.

Trobaugh Eidson Com Well Mo. 1 located in Unit G of Section 28, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, HOPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM Section 28: NE/4

(q) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Fusselman production and designated as the Wantz-Fusselman Pool. The discovery well is N. B. Hunt Mittie Weatherly Well Mo. 8 located in Unit G of Section 21, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, 101PM

Section 21: NE/4

(r) EXTEND the Airstrip-Lower Bone Springs Fool in Les County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST. MIPM

(s) EXTEND the West Arkansas Junction-San Andres Pool in Les County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NHPM Section 28: NW/4

(t) EXTEND the Avalon-Atoka Cas Pool in Eddy County, New Nexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, MMPH

(u) EXTEND the Bar V-Pennsylvanian Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, MMPM Section 31: M/2

(v) EXTEND the Blinebry Oil and Cas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 20: NE/4

(w) EXTEND the Boyd-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM Section 11: All

(x) EXTEND the East Caprock-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 14: SW/4 Section 23: W/2

(y) CONTRACT the horizontal limits of the Cato-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, by the deletion of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM Section 5: NW/4

and EXTERO the horizontal limits of said pool to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, MMPM Section 4: SE/4

(z) EXTEND the Chaveroo-San Andres Pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 34: NW/4

(am) EXTEND the Commanche Stateline Tansill-Yates Pool in Lea County, New Mexico; to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 21: NW/4

(bb) EXTEND the South Culebra Bluff-Bone Springs Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 22: NE/4 Section 23: NW/4

(cc) EXTEND the Custer-Devonian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 25: W/2

(dd) EXTERD the Double L-Queen Associated Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NAPH
Section 1: 1/2, 22/4 May and W/2 SE/4

(ee) EXTEND the Eagle Creek Permo-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, WHPH Section 3: All

(ff) EXTEND the South Eunice-San Andres Pool in Les County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, MIPH Section 10: SE/4

(gg) EXTERD the East Gen-Horrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, MIPM Section 26: S/2

(hh) EXTERD the East Grama Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool in Les County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, MMPM Section 1: W/2

(ii) EXTEND the Gramm Ridge-Wolfcamp Gaw Fool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, MMPM Section 36: N/2 and SE/4

(jj) EXTEND the Hobbs-Drinkard Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, INFM Section 34: W/2

TOWNSHIP 19 SHITH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 3: NW/4

(kk) EXTEND the Jalmat Yates-Seven Rivers Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 28: S/2 NW/4

(11) EXTEND the Justis-Paddock Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 25: S/2

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NNPM Section 30: SW/4

(mm) EXTEND the Langley-Devonian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 17: S/2 Section 28: N/2

(nn) EXTEND the Langley-Ellenburger Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 17: S/2

(oo) EXTEND the Leamex-Wolfcamp Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 21: H/2 N/2

(pp) EXTEND the Logan Draw-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM
Section 20: All
Section 21: S/2
Section 28: E/2
Section 33: E/2

(qq) EXTEND the Northeast Lovington-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 18: NE/4

(rr) EXTERD the Parkway-Strawn Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, WIPM Section 25: SW/4

(ss) EXTEND the West Parkway-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, MIPM

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(tt) EXTEND the South Peterson-Fusselman Pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, MMPM Section 25: SE/4

(uu) EXTEND the North Quail Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, IMPM Section 12: E/2

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 7: W/2

(ww) EXTEND the South Salt Lake-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 25: SW/4
Section 36: NW/4

(ww) EXTEND the Scoggin Draw-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 3: E/2 Section 10: E/2

(xx) EXTEND the Shugart Yates-Seven Rivers Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM Section 35: N/2 NE/4

(yy) EXTEND the vertical limits of the Sioux-Yates Poul in Lea County, New Mexico, to include the Tansill formation and redesignate said poul as the Sioux Tansill-Yates Poul, and extend the horisontal limits of said poul to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 16: N/2 and SE/4

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

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM Section 25: NW/4
Section 26: SE/4
Section 28: SW/4

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM Section 5: NW/4 and N/2 SW/4

(asa) EXTEND the West Tonto-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 18: NE/4

(bbb) EXTEND the Turkey Track-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NYPM Section 11: A11 Section 14: E/2

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TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, KNPM Section 27: S/2

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TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 20: NE/4

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TOWNSHIP II SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 34: E/2

(fff) EXTEND the Wilson-Strawn Pool in Les County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NNPM Section 12: SE/4 Section 13: NE/4

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HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY

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SUITE 300, SECURITY NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

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ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO 88201

State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Mr. Richard Stamets

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Re:

Application for Unorthodox Location S/2 Section 12, T-18S R-28E, N.M.P.M. Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stamets:

Enclosed for filing is original and two copies of the above referenced application. Please set this matter for Examiner hearing on the April 23, 1980 Docket. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Robert H. Strand

Attorney

RHS/lh oCD #18

Enclosure

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, Eddy COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case No.

APPLICATION

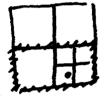
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Section 12: S/2

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DATED this 25th day of March, 1980.

HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY

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By:

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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:

CONSIDERING:
CASE NO. 6873
order no. r- 6346
APPLICATION OF HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY
FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
ORDER OF THE DIVISION
BY THE DIVISION:
This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on April 23
1980, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets
NOW, on this day of , 1980, the Division
Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the
recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the
premises,
FINDS:
(1) That due public notice having been given as required by
law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject
matter thereof.
(2) That the applicant, Harvey E. Yates Company
for its North Travis 12 Drop Will No 1; properties, to be drilled seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location/ 660
feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the
East line of Section 12 , Township 18 South
Range 28 East : NMPM, Kextestxthexx Wolfcamp and
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(3) That the S/2 of said Section 12 is to be
dedicated to the well. The of soid North Travis 12 Drop Wall No. 1 is to be drilled as a
(4) That a well at said unorthodox location will better (4) That a well at said unorthodox location will better (4) A a Standard of the Travis - Upper Runsylvanian Park.
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(5) That no offset operator objected to the proposed unorthood
location.
(5) that approved of the application will permit the applican
to produce any gus zones incounted in the wollcamp or order
10cation. (5) that approved of the application will permit the applicant to produce any gus zones encounted in the Wolframp or other Pennsylvanian zones without the drilling of a second (unnecessary) well.

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(7) (6) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the subject pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That an unorthodox gas well location for the the Harvey E. Yates Company Mod Town II Don to M. I to be drilled formations is hereby approved for mandatable last a point 660

feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the East
line of Section 12 , Township 18 South , Range 28 East

NMPM, /revis Field County,

New Mexico.

(2) That the S/2 of said Section 12 shall be dedicated to the above-described well.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

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

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