

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. 469
ORDER NO. R-263

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
NEIL H. WILLS, ET AL, FOR APPROVAL
OF A SECONDARY RECOVERY PROGRAM
(BY WATER FLOODING) IN THE RUSSELL
POOL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, IN
SECTIONS 12, 13 AND 14, TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH,
RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. January 15, 1953, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 10th day of February, 1953, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony adduced and the exhibits received at said hearing, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises;

FINDS:

(1) That due notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the petitioner's request to revert to secondary recovery methods by a water injection program will tend to prevent waste and should be granted upon the condition that said program be pursued in the manner outlined at said hearing.

(3) That a secondary recovery program by water injection is of an experimental nature in this particular pool, and periodic reports should be submitted to the Commission by the petitioner disclosing its acts and doings in the matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Neil H. Wills et al, be and hereby is given the right to institute a secondary recovery program on leases in the Russell Pool by injecting water into the Yates sand reservoir.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That petitioner submit quarterly reports to the Commission disclosing all of its acts and doings and setting forth therein the progress it has made by the adoption of its secondary recovery program.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

E. S. WALKER, Member

R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

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