Entered September 10, 1974

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. 5303 Order No. R-4850

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER EXTENDING CERTAIN POOLS IN CHAVES, EDDY, AND LEA COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9:00 a.m. on September 4, 1974, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this $10\,\mathrm{th}$ day of September, 1974, the Commission, a quorum being present, 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 Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That there is need for certain extensions to the Buffalo Valley-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, the North Benson Queen-Grayburg Pool, the Burton Flat-Morrow Gas Pool, the Dos Hermanos-Morrow Gas Pool, the East Empire Yates-Seven Rivers Pool, and the Winchester-Strawn Gas Pool, all in Eddy County, New Mexico, the Field Ranch-Wolfcamp Pool, the West Jal-Delaware Pool, the Querecho Plains-Queen Pool, and the Wantz-Granite Wash Pool, all in Lea County, New Mexico.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(a) That the North Benson Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM Section 33: NE/4 NW/4

(b) That the Buffalo Valley-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

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TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM

Section 13: S/2 Section 24: N/2

(c) That the Burton Flat-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 6: All

(d) That the Dos Hermanos-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM Section 21: All

(e) That the East Empire Yates-Seven Rivers Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 27: S/2 NW/4 Section 28: SE/4 SE/4

(f) That the Field Ranch-Wolfcamp Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 34: S/2 and NE/4

(g) That the West Jal-Delaware Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 20: E/2

(h) That the Querecho Mains-Queen Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 23: SE/4

(i) That the Wantz-Granite Wash Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 1: SW/4

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 30: NW/4

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(j) That the Winchester-Strawn Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 3: E/2

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

- (1) That, pursuant to Section 65-3-14.5, NMSA 1953, contained in Chapter 271, Laws of 1969, any well which, by virtue of any of the above pool extensions, is subject to pool rules providing for spacing or proration units larger than the one which is presently dedicated thereto, shall have 60 days from the effective date of this order in which to file new Forms C-102 dedicating a standard unit for the pool to said well, or to obtain a non-standard unit approved by the Commission. Pending such compliance, the well shall receive a maximum allowable in the same proportion to a standard allowable for the pool that the acreage dedicated to the well bears to a standard unit for the pool. Failure to file Forms C-102 dedicating a standard unit to the well or to obtain a non-standard unit approved by the Commission within said 60-day period shall subject the well to cancellation of allowable.
- (2) That the effective date of this order and all extensions included herein shall be October 1, 1974.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

I. R. TRUJILLO, Chairman

ALEK J. ARMIJO, Member

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

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