

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. 5777 (Reopened)
Order No. R-5316-A

IN THE MATTER OF DIVISION CASE NO. 5777 BEING REOPENED PURSUANT
TO THE PROVISIONS OF DIVISION ORDER NO. R-5316, WHICH ORDER
CREATED AND PROMULGATED TEMPORARY SPECIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS
FOR THE HORSE BACK-PENNSYLVANIAN GAS POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8 a.m. on October 23,
1985, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E.
Stogner.

NOW, on this 5th day of November, 1985, the Division
Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the
recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in
the premises,

FINDS THAT:

(1) Due public notice having been given as required by
law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the
subject matter thereof.

(2) By Division Order No. R-5316, dated November 4,
1976, the Division created, defined, and classified the
Horse Back-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico,
and Temporary Special Rules and Regulations were promulgated
therefor, including a provision for 640-acre gas spacing and
proration units based upon an immediate offsetting Pennsylvanian
gas pool in Winkler County, Texas.

(3) Since the inception of the Horse Back-Pennsylvanian
Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, there has been no produc-
tion from the pool.

(4) At the time of the hearing there were no appearances
by interested or affected parties.

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(5) It is not known at this time whether other wells will be completed in the subject pool.

(6) In the absence of additional testimony showing why the Horse Back-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool should not be abolished, said Division Order No. R-5316 should therefore be rescinded.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

(1) The Horse Back-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
Sections 33 and 34: All

is hereby abolished and Division Order No. R-5316, dated November 4, 1976, is hereby rescinded.

(2) 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.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



R. L. STAMETS
Director

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