

CASE 5760: MORRIS R. ANTWEIL  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO.

5760

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APPLICATION,  
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BEFORE THE  
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
September 15, 1976

EXAMINER HEARING

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IN THE MATTER OF: )  
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Application of Morris R. Antweil for ) CASE  
compulsory pooling, Eddy County, ) 5760  
New Mexico. )  
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BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets, Examiner

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

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| For the New Mexico Oil   | William F. Carr, Esq.            |
| Conservation Commission: | Legal Counsel for the Commission |
|                          | State Land Office Building       |
|                          | Santa Fe, New Mexico             |

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1 MR. STAMETS: We will call now Case 5760.

2 MR. CARR: Case 5760, application of Morris R.  
3 Antweil for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.

4 Mr. Examiner, we have received a request from the  
5 applicant that this case be dismissed.

6 MR. STAMETS: Case 5760 will be dismissed.  
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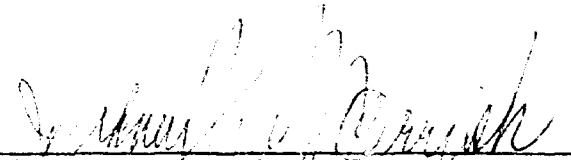
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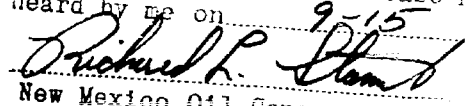
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I, SIDNEY F. MORRISH, a Certified Shorthand Reporter,  
do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached Transcript  
of Hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
was reported by me, and the same is a true and correct record  
of the said proceedings to the best of my knowledge, skill and  
ability.

  
Sidney F. Morrish, C.S.R.

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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
a complete record of the proceedings in  
the Examiner hearing of Case No. 5760,  
heard by me on 9-15, 1976.  
  
Richard L. Stom, Examiner  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission



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. 5760  
Order No. R-5291

APPLICATION OF MORRIS R. ANTWEIL  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on September 15, 1976, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 28th day of September, 1976, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

That the applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 5760 is hereby dismissed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

PHIL R. LUCERO, Chairman

*Emery C. Arnold*  
EMERY C. ARNOLD, Member

*Joe D. Ramey*  
JOE D. RAMEY, Member & Secretary

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- CASE 5758: Application of Global Survey, Inc. for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Global Survey Unit Area comprising 4,781 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 25 South, Ranges 26 and 27 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5759: Application of Universal Resources Corporation for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the S/2 of Section 36, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 1930 feet from the West line of said Section 36. 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 5760: Application of Morris R. Antweil for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the S/2 of Section 33, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, Avalon Field Extension, Eddy County, New Mexico. 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 5761: Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the State Vacuum Unit Area comprising 800 acres, more or less, of State lands in Sections 29, 31, and 32, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5762: Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for a waterflood project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project on its State Vacuum Unit Area, Vacuum Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, by the injection of water into the Grayburg-San Andres formation through 11 injection wells located in Unit M of Section 29, Units A and I of Section 31, and Units C, E, G, I, K, M, N, and O of Section 32, all in Township 17 South, Range 34 East.
- CASE 5763: Application of Roger C. Hanks for the amendment of Order No. R-4691-A, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-4691-A, which order promulgated special pool rules for the North Dagger Draw-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks the establishment of a special depth bracket allowable for said pool of 350 barrels per day.
- CASE 5767: Application of American Quasar Petroleum Co. of New Mexico for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Brinninstool Unit Area comprising 5,743 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 23 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5746: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Conley and Associates, Inc., the Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the following wells in Harding County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program:
- Township 15 North, Range 33 East:  
Arthur Cain Well No. 3 located in Unit N of Section 4; Arthur Cain Well No. 2 located in Unit K of Section 10; and State Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 21;
- Township 16 North, Range 33 East:  
State Well No. 1-X located in Unit M of Section 27.



Morris R. Antweil

OIL OPERATOR

P. O. Box 2010

HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240

August 23, 1976

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

ATTENTION: Mr. D. S. Nutter, Chief Engineer

REFERENCE: Request for Force Pooling Hearing  
S/2 Section 33-T21S-R26E  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Morris R. Antweil respectfully requests a hearing to consider the force pooling of 320 acres, being the S/2 of Section 33, T21S-R26E, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, as to all hydrocarbon production from the Pennsylvanian formation.

The acreage within the area proposed to be pooled is held as follows:

|                          | <u>Acres</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Antweil & Mesa Petroleum | 160          | 50             |
| The Superior Oil Company | <u>160</u>   | <u>50</u>      |
|                          | 320          | 100            |

We wrote to Superior on 2 August and requested that they join us in the drilling of an 11,400-foot Morrow test at a standard location in the S/2 of Section 33. Superior has indicated that it will take them until at least October 1976 to respond to our request. We are interested in the early development of our leasehold to meet the offsets of Hanagan Petroleum in the N/2 of Section 33-T21S-R26E and Superior in the W/2 of Section 34-T21S-R26E. The Superior No. 1 State Q, the east offset to our proposed gas spacing and proration unit, is currently producing 1.8 MMCFPD from the Morrow.

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
ATTN: Mr. D. S. Nutter, Chief Engineer  
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Morris R. Antweil respectfully requests a hearing be set to consider the force pooling of the S/2 of Section 33-T21S-R26E in accordance with Section 65-3-14, New Mexico Statutes, as amended, as to all hydrocarbon production from Pennsylvanian formation, the designation of the applicant as operator of the pooled unit, provision for applicant to recover his costs out of production including a charge for risk involved in drilling the proposed well, and a provision for administration overhead expenses.

Respectfully,

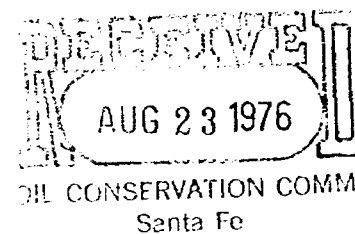
MORRIS R. ANTWEIL



R. M. Williams

RMW/jj

cc: The Superior Oil Company  
ATTN: Mr. Raymond Parker  
Box 1900  
Midland, Texas 79701



MORRIS R. ANTWEIL  
AND ASSOCIATES  
P. O. Box 2010  
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240



September 14, 1976

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Post Office Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Mr. William A. Carr

RE: Case No. 5760

Gentlemen:

The Commission has docketed Case No. 5760 to be heard 15 September 1976 to consider compulsory pooling the S/2 of Section 33-T21S-R26E, Eddy County, New Mexico, at the request of Morris R. Antweil.

Agreement for the drilling of the proposed well has now been attained for all acreage to be dedicated to the well; therefore, Morris R. Antweil respectfully requests that the captioned case be dismissed.

Respectfully,

Morris R. Antweil

Robert M. Williams

RMW/ks

cc: Superior Oil Company  
Post Office Box 1900  
Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Raymond Parker

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OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
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Order No. R- 5291

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