

CASE 6757: AMCO PRODUCTION COMPANY
NEW ALBUQUERQUE, BERNILLO COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO

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Case No.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

6 August 1980

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Amoco Production Com-
pany for an NGPA determination, Eddy
County, New Mexico.

CASE
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BEFORE: Daniel S. Nutter

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For the Applicant:

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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. 6957 heard by me on 8/6 1980.

[Signature] Examiner
Oil Conservation Division

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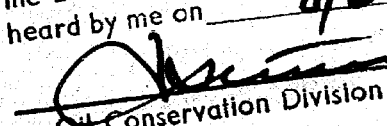
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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501
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August 14, 1980

Mr. Clarence Carrington
Amoco Production Company
P. O. Box 3092
Houston, Texas 77001

Re: CASE NO. 6957
ORDER NO. R-6445

Applicant:

Amoco Production Company

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Yours very truly,

JOE D. RAMEY
Director

JDR/fd

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCD	x
Artesia OCD	x
Aztec OCD	

Other

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. 6957
Order No. R-6445

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION
COMPANY FOR AN NGPA DETERMINATION,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on August 6, 1980,
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

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

FINDS:

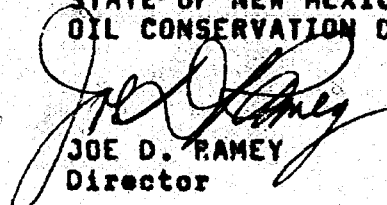
That the applicant's request for dismissal should be
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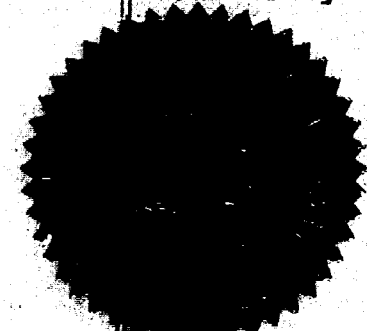
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 6957 is hereby dismissed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION


JOE D. RAMEY
Director


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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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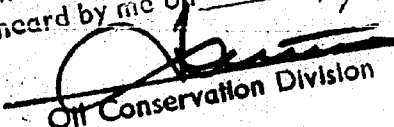
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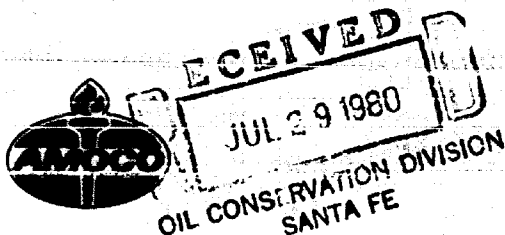
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Amoco Production Company

Houston Region
500 Jefferson Building
Post Office Box 3092
Houston, Texas 77001

J. R. Barnett
Regional Engineering
Manager

July 24, 1980

File: JCA-986.51NM-3057

Re: NGPA Determination
State HK Com. Well No. 1
Eddy County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Attention: Mr. Joe D. Ramey

Gentlemen:

Amoco Production Company requests the dismissal of Case No. 6957 which is currently scheduled for the Examiner's Docket of August 6, 1980.

Yours very truly,

J. R. Barnett
HMB
HMB/rw

CASE 6992: Application of Amoco Production Company for an NCPA determination, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its Anderson 3 Com. Well No. 1 in Unit R of Section 3, Township 16 South, Range 32 East.

CASE 6956: (Continued from July 9, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for an NCPA determination, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its State "CH" Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 21, Township 16 South, Range 35 East.

CASE 6957: (Continued from July 9, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for an NCPA determination, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its State HK Com Well No. 1 located in Unit L of Section 6, Township 24 South, Range 25 East.

CASE 6993: Application of Tom Bolack for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Dakota formation underlying the S/2 of Section 1, Township 30 North, Range 12 West, 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6994: Application of Enserch Exploration, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp thru Siluro-Devonian formations underlying the N/2 of Section 14, Township 25 South, Range 34 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6995: Application of Petro-Lewis Corporation for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Penrose Skelly, Blinbry, and Drinkard production in the wellbore of its L. G. Warlick Well No. 2 located in Unit B of Section 19, Township 21 South, Range 37 East.

CASE 6996: Application of John E. Schalk for compulsory pooling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Blanco Mesaverde Pool underlying the NE/4 of Section 8, Township 25 North, Range 3 West, 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6982: (Continued from July 23, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to permit Aminoil USA to appear and show cause why its 1980 Plan of Operation/Development for its Willow Lake Unit Area, Eddy County, New Mexico, should not be disapproved.

CASE 6997: Application of Benson-Montin-Greer Drilling Corporation for amendment of pool rules, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of the Special Rules and Regulations for the West Puerto Chiquito-Mancos Oil Pool, as promulgated by Order No. R-2563-B, which currently prescribe 320-acre spacing for pool.

Applicant proposes that said rules be amended to provide for 640-acre spacing units with wells to be located within 165 feet of the center of a governmental quarter section.

Applicant further seeks approval for the following non-standard spacing units in Township 24 North, Range 1 East: two 640-acre units being the E/2 of Section 7 and W/2 of 8, and the W/2 of Section 17 and E/2 of 18; and two 480-acre units being the N/2 of Section 19 and NW/4 of 20, and the S/2 of Section 19 and SW/4 of 20; in Township 24 North, Range 1 West: a 320-acre unit being the W/2 of Section 1 and two 640-acre units being the N/2 of Sections 23 and 24, and the S/2 of Sections 23 and 24; also the following eight 640-acre units: the W/2 of Section 29 and E/2 of 30, Township 25 North, Range 1 East; the E/2 of Section 19 and W/2 of 20, Township 26 North, Range 1 East; the E/2 of Sections 5 and 8; the W/2 of Sections 5 and 8; the E/2 of Sections 17 and 20; and the W/2 of Sections 17 and 20, all in Township 26 North, Range 1 West; the W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, and the W/2 of Sections 13 and 24, all in Township 27 North, Range 1 West; also three 600-acre units being the W/2 of Section 25 and all of 26; all of Section 27 and the E/2 of 28; and the W/2 of Section 28 and all of 29, Township 27 North, Range 1 West; and one 400-acre unit in the same township comprising all of Section 30.

Amoco Production Co.

State HK Com #1-L

C-102

6-24S-25E

Mail docket to:
Clarence Carrington

P.O. Box 3092

Houston 77001

Dockets Nos. 22-80 and 23-80 are tentatively set for July 23 and August 6, 1980. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JULY 9, 1980

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

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

- CASE 6953:** Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for an unorthodox location and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the simultaneous dedication of a previously approved 240-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the NE/4 and E/2 NW/4 of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, Eumont Gas Pool, to its Theodore Anderson Well No. 4 located in Unit B, and its No. 7, at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 17.
- CASE 6954:** Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for amendment of Order No. R-6303, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-6303 which authorized the directional drilling of a well, the surface location of which is 660 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 32, Township 13 South, Range 36 East. Applicant seeks approval for the bottom hole location of the well at a point 654 feet from the North line and 2158 feet from the West line of said Section 32.
- CASE 6921:** (Readvertised)
- Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp-Mississippian formations underlying the S/2 of Section 33, Township 13 South, Range 36 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 33. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 6932:** (Continued from June 25, 1980, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its State "JM" Well No. 2, a Morrow test to be drilled 660 feet from the South and East lines of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 24 East, the S/2 of said Section 25 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 6934:** (Continued from June 25, 1980, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Coronado Exploration Corporation for three compulsory poolings, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the San Andres formation underlying three 40-acre proration units, being the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 6, the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 28, and the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 33, all in Township 11 South, Range 28 East, each 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 wells and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the wells, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said wells.
- CASE 6955:** Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs and Blanco Mesaverde production in the wellbore of its San Juan 27-5 Unit Well No. 42 located in Unit M of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 5 West.
- CASE 6956:** Application of Amoco Production Company for an NGPA determination, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its State "GH" Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 21, Township 16 South, Range 35 East.
- CASE 6957:** Application of Amoco Production Company for an NGPA determination, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its State HK Com Well No. 1 located in Unit L of Section 6, Township 24 South, Range 25 East.

APPLICATION FOR WELLHEAD
PRICE CEILING CATEGORY DETERMINATION

2. FOR DIVISION USE ONLY

DATE OF: APPLICATION _____
DETERMINATION _____
CONTESTED _____
PARTICIPANTS _____

Kind of Lease	State
State Oil & Gas Lease No.	L-4681
2. Unit Agreement Name	
3. Term or Lease Term	
State	Oil
4. Well No.	
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10. Field and Prod. or Well Name	
Wildcat Morrow	
12. County	
Eddy	

Name of Operator
Amoco Production Company
Address of Operator
P. O. Box 3092, Houston, Tx 77001
Location of Well
Well No. 1230 Feet from the South Line and 660 Feet from
West Line, Section 6 Township 24S Range 25E

11. Name and Address of Transporter(s)
El Paso Natural Gas Co. P.O. Box 1492, El Paso, Tx 79978

WELL CATEGORY INFORMATION

Check appropriate box for category sought and information submitted.

1. Category(ies) Sought (By NGPA Section No.) 102-4
2. All Applications must contain:
- ☒ a. C-101 APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK
 - ☒ b. C-105 WELL COMPLETION OR RECOMPLETION REPORT
 - ☐ c. DIRECTIONAL DRILLING SURVEY, IF REQUIRED UNDER RULE 111
 - ☒ d. AFFIDAVITS OF MAILING OR DELIVERY
3. NEW NATURAL GAS UNDER SEC. 102(c) (1) (B) (using 2.5 Mile or 1000 Feet Deeper Test)
- ☐ a. Location Plat
4. NEW NATURAL GAS UNDER SEC. 102(c) (1) (C) (new onshore reservoir)
- ☐ a. C-122 Multipoint and one point back pressure test
5. NEW ONSHORE PRODUCTION WELL
- ☐ a. C-102 WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT
 - ☐ b. No. of order authorizing infill program _____
6. STRIPPER GAS
- ☐ a. C-116 GAS-OIL RATIO TEST
 - ☐ b. PRODUCTION CURVE FOR 12-MONTH PERIOD
 - ☐ c. PRODUCTION CURVE FOR THE 90-DAY PERIOD ON WHICH THE APPLICATION IS BASED

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY
KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY
NAME OF APPLICANT (Type or Print)
Title Regional Gas Sales Manager
Date 4-18-80
Signed H. L. McDonald

DIVISION USE ONLY	
☐ Approved	The information contained herein includes all of the information required to be filed by the applicant under Subpart B of Part 274.
☐ Disapproved	
EXAMINER	

FERC-121

1.0 API well number. (If not available, leave blank. 14 digits.)	30-015-23026				
2.0 Type of determination being sought: (Use the codes found on the front of this form.)	102 Section of NGPA		4 Category Code		
3.0 Depth of the deepest completion location: (Only needed if sections 103 or 107 in 2.0 above.)	feet				
4.0 Name, address and code number of applicant: (25 letters and digits maximum. If code number not available, leave blank.)	Amoco Production Company Name P. O. Box 3092 Houston, TX 77001 City State Zip Code				000569 Seller Code
5.0 Location of the well. (Complete (a) or (b).) (a) For onshore wells (25 letters maximum for field name.)	Wildcat Morrow Field Name Eddy NM County State				
(b) For OCS wells	Area Name Block Number Date of Lease Mo. Day Yr. OCS Lease Number				
(c) Name and identification number of the well. (25 letters and digits maximum.)	State HK Com # 1				
(d) If code 4 or 5 in 2.0 above, name of the reservoir. (25 letters maximum.)	Morrow				
6.0 (a) Name and code number of the purchaser: (25 letters and digits maximum. If code number not available, leave blank.)	El Paso Natural Gas Co. Name				005708 Buyer Code
(b) Date of the contract	04.03.80 Mo. Day Yr.				
(c) Estimated annual production	546.05 MMcf.				
7.0 Contract price (As of filing date. Complete to 3 decimal places.)	(a) Base Price (\$/MMBTU)	(b) Tax	(c) All Other Prices (Indicate (+) or (-).)	(d) Total of (a), (b) and (c)	
3-1-80	2 4 0 4	0 1 5 7	0 0 0 0	2 5 6 1	
8.0 Maximum lawful rate (As of filing date. Complete to 3 decimal places.)	2.4 0 4	0.1 5 7	0.0 0 0	2.5 6 1	
9.0 Person responsible for this application:	Regional Gas Sales Manager				
Agency Use Only	Name H. McDonald				
Date received by State Agency	Signature <i>H. McDonald</i>				
Date received by FERC	Date Application is Completed 4-18-80				
	Phone Number 713-652-5588				

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20426

APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF THE MAXIMUM LAWFUL
PRICE UNDER THE NATURAL GAS POLICY ACT (NGPA)
(Sections 102, 103, 107 and 108)

PLEASE READ BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM:

General Instructions:

Complete this form if you are applying for price classification under sections 102, 103, 107 or 108 of the NGPA. A separate application is required for each well. If any reservoir qualifies for a category which differs from the category applicable to the producing well, separate applications must be made for the producing well and the reservoir. Complete each appropriate item on the reverse side of this page. The code numbers used in items 4.0 and 6.0 can be obtained from the Buyer/Seller Code Book. If there is more than one purchaser or contract, identify the additional information in the space below. Enter any additional remarks in the space below.

Submit the completed application to the appropriate Jurisdictional Agency as listed in title 18 of the CFR, part 270.103. If there are any questions, call (202) 275-4539.

Specific Instructions for Item 2.0. Type of Determination:

Section of NGPA	Category Code	Description
102	1	New OCS Lease
102	2	New onshore well (2.5 mile test)
102	3	New onshore well (1,000 feet deeper test)
102	4	New onshore reservoir
102	5	New reservoir on old OCS Lease
103	-	New onshore production well
107	-	High cost natural gas
108	-	Stripper well

Other Purchasers/Contracts:

Contract Date (Mo. Day Yr.)	Purchaser	Buyer Code
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Remarks:

Revised 4-18-80

EXHIBIT "A"
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
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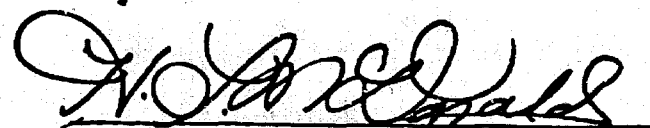
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STATE OF TEXAS !

COUNTY OF HARRIS !

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the attached Application for Wellhead Price Ceiling Category Determination (New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Form C-132), together with a true and correct copy of the Application for Determination of the Maximum Lawful Price Under the Natural Gas Policy Act (FERC 121), has been served upon the persons listed on Exhibit "A" attached to this Certificate of Service and made a part hereof, at the addresses shown, by placing the same in the United States mail, postage paid, on the 21st day of April, 1980



H. L. McDonald
Regional Gas Sales Manager
AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY

SUBSCRIBED, SWORN TO, AND ACKNOWLEDGED before me this 21st day of April, 1980

My Commission Expires:

Notary Public in and for Harris County, Texas
My Commission Expires 2-14-84


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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 6957

Order No. P-1445
10112

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION
COMPANY FOR AN NGPA DETERMINATION,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on August 6
19 80, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this day of August, 1980, the Division
Director, 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. 6957 is hereby dismissed.

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