

CASE 11656

Application of Texaco Exploration and Production Inc., for compulsory pooling, an unorthodox surface location and directional drilling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the SW/4 of Section 23, Township 26 South, Range 37 East as the project area for its Rhodes "23" Fed. Com No. 1 Well to be directionally drilled in a northwesterly direction in the Yates formation, Rhodes Yates-Rhodes Seven Rivers Gas Pool from an unorthodox surface location 660 feet from the South line and 1100 feet from the West line of said Section 23. 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 wells. Said area is located approximately _____ miles _____ of _____, New Mexico.

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