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BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

CASE NO. 687

Regular Hearing

March 18, 1954

BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
March 18, 1954

IN THE MATTER OF:

The application of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico upon its own motion for an order for the extension of existing pools or the creation of new pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such extensions and creations should not be made:

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- (a) Create a new pool in Sandoval County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Entrada production, designated as the Medio-Entrada Pool, and described as:

Twp. 19 South, Range 3 West  
Sections 14 and 15, all;  
N/2 Section 22;  
N/2 Section 23

- (b) Extend the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 27 North, Rge. 4 West  
Sections 14 through 23, all;  
Sections 29 through 32, all

Twp. 27 North, Rge. 5 West  
Sections 13 and 14, all;  
Sections 23 through 26, all;  
Sections 35 and 36, all

Twp. 30 North, Rge. 11 West  
Sections 23, 26, 35 and 36, all

- (c) Extend the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 29 North, Rge. 13 West  
S/2 Section 28;  
all Section 33

Twp. 28 North, Rge. 13 West  
E/2 of Partial Section 10

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E. C. ARNOLD

having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. YOST:

Q Will you state your name, please?

A E. C. Arnold.

Q By whom are you employed?

A Oil Conservation Commission.

Q In what capacity?

A Geologist.

Q And you are familiar with Case Number 687 which is a nomenclature case, Rio Arriba and Sandoval Counties?

A Yes, sir.

Q Will you please give your comments and recommendations in connection with this matter?

A I recommend that the creation of Medio and Entrada pool in Sandoval County as set out and advertised in paragraph A, except that the location should be changed to Township 19 North, Range 3 West, instead of 19 South, Range 3 West, that is an error.

Q Is that advertised as 19 South?

A Yes, sir.

MR. SPURRIER: I am told the Spanish would spell that word M-e-d-i-a, instead of i-o, would you accept that amendment, Mr. Arnold?

A I will accept that. I also recommend that the extensions to the Blanco Mesa Verde pool should be made as set out in paragraph B, as advertised in the changes made to the West Kutz

Pictured Cliffs Pool, as set out in paragraph C, also as advertised. I would like to submit this Exhibit which shows the changes made and the wells upon which they are based.

MR. SPURRIER: Without objection, they will be admitted. Do you have anything further?

A I don't believe so.

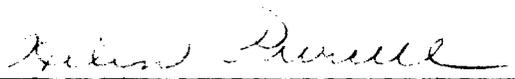
MR. SPURRIER: Is there objection to any of Mr. Arnold's recommendations? In paragraph A, the advertisement is incorrect and it will have to be readvertised, it says 19 South; it should be 19 North. Are there any questions of the witness? If not, we will take the case under advisement and move on to Case 675.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO     )  
                                  : ss.  
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO    )

I, HELEN PURCELL, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed my hand and notarial seal this 25th day of March, 1954.

  
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Notary Public, Court Reporter

My Commission Expires  
December 18, 1957

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