

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE NO. 1601

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for an order for the extension of existing pools in Lea, Eddy, Chaves, and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico.

(a) Extend the Acme Pool to include:

Township 7 South, Range 27 East, NMPM
Section 32: SE/4
Section 33: SW/4

(b) Extend the Allison-Pennsylvanian Pool to include:

Township 8 South, Range 36 East, NMPM
Section 35: NE/4

(c) Extend the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool to include:

Township 18 South, Range 26 East, NMPM
Section 15: SE/4

(d) Extend the Caprock-Queen Pool to include:

Township 14 South, Range 31 East, NMPM
Section 29: E/2 NE/4

(e) Extend the West Henshaw-Grayburg Pool to include:

Township 16 South, Range 30 East, NMPM
Section 7: SE/4

(f) Extend the Justis-Ellenburger Pool to include:

Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM
Section 24: SW/4
Section 25: NE/4

(g) Extend the Justis-Montoya Pool to include:

Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM
Section 24: SE/4
Section 25: NE/4

(h) Extend the Maljamar Pool to include:

Township 18 South, Range 33 East, NMPM
Section 2: NW/4

(i) Extend the Red Lake-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool to include:

Township 18 South, Range 27 East, NMPM
Section 8: NE/4

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BEFORE:

Mr. John Burroughs
Mr. A. L. Porter

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MR. PORTER: Take up next Case 1601.

MR. PAYNE: Case 1601. Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case.

MR. PORTER: Mr. Engbrecht, geologist from our Hobbs office will testify in this case.

(Witness sworn.)

ERIC ENGBRECHT

called as a witness, having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY: MR. PAYNE:

Q Will the witness please state his name and position?

A Eric Engbrecht, oil and gas inspector, Hobbs, New

Mexico office, District No. 1.

Q Mr. Engbrecht, in your official capacity with the Oil Conservation Commission, have you had an opportunity to make a study concerning the necessity or desirability for extending certain existing pools in Lea, Eddy, Chaves, and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico?

A I have.

Q What do you recommend concerning the extension of the Acme Pool?

A I recommend that the Acme Pool be extended as shown on Exhibit A outlined in green. There are two wells capable of producing from this horizon.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the North Allison-Pennsylvanian Pool?

A I recommend that the North Allison-Pennsylvanian Pool be extended as set out in Exhibit B because there is one well capable of producing.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool?

A I recommend that the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool be extended as set out in Exhibit C. There is one gas well capable of producing.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Caprock-Queen Pool?

A I recommend that the Caprock-Queen Pool be extended

as set out in Exhibit D. There are three wells capable of producing.

Q And what are your recommendations concerning extension of the West Henshaw-Grayburg Pool?

A I recommend that the West Henshaw-Grayburg Pool be extended as set out in Exhibit E, and there are three completed oil wells capable of producing.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the Justis-Ellenburger Pool?

A I recommend that the Justis-Ellenburger Pool be extended as set out in Exhibit F, and there are two oil wells capable of producing.

Q And what are your recommendations concerning extension of the Justis-Montoya Pool?

A I recommend that the Justis-Montoya Pool be extended as set out in Exhibit G, and there are two completed oil wells capable of producing.

Q And your recommendations concerning extension of the Maljamar Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as set out in Exhibit H. There is one well capable of producing.

Q And your recommendations concerning the extension of the Red Lake-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool?

A I recommend that the Red Lake-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool be extended as set out in Exhibit I, and there is one gas well

capable of producing.

Q Mr. Engbrecht, have you prepared exhibits substantiating your recommendations?

A I have.

Q How have you designated them?

A They are lettered from A through I inclusive.

MR. PAYNE: Mr. Commissioner, I move for the introduction of Exhibits A through I.

MR. PORTER: Without objection, the Exhibits will be admitted. Anyone have a question of the witness? The witness may be excused.

(Witness excused.)

MR. PORTER: Anything further to be offered in this case? Take the case under advisement.

