

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. 5097
Order No. R-4664

APPLICATION OF DORCHESTER EXPLORATION
COMPANY FOR POOL CREATION AND SPECIAL
POOL RULES, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on October 31, 1973, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 16th day of November, 1973, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Dorchester Exploration Company, seeks the creation of a new gas pool for Wolfcamp production for its DWU Federal Well No. 2 located in Unit F of Section 35, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant further seeks the promulgation of special rules for said proposed gas pool including a provision for 320-acre spacing and standard 320-acre well locations.
- (4) That applicant's DWU Federal Well No. 2 in said Section 35 is a gas well and has discovered a separate common source of supply in the Wolfcamp formation.
- (5) That a new pool for the production of gas from the Wolfcamp formation should be created and designated the Winchester-Wolfcamp Gas Pool with vertical limits comprising the Wolfcamp formation and horizontal limits comprising the NW/4 of said Section 35.
- (6) That the evidence presented indicates that said pool should be developed on standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration units and that the application for special pool rules should be denied.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That a new pool for the production of gas from the Wolfcamp

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formation is hereby created and designated the Winchester-Wolfcamp Gas Pool with vertical limits including the Wolfcamp formation and horizontal limits as set out below:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM
Section 35: NW/4

(2) That the application for special pool rules for said Winchester-Wolfcamp Gas Pool is hereby denied.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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ALEX J. ARMIJO, Member

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