

Dockets Nos. 20-75 and 21-75 are tentatively set for hearing on August 27 and September 10, 1975. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 13, 1975

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION 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:

- ALLOWABLE:
- (1) Consideration of the allowable production of gas from seventeen prorated pools in Lea, Eddy, Roosevelt, and Chaves Counties, New Mexico, for September, 1975;
 - (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas from five prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, for September, 1975.

CASE 5533: Application of Southern Union Production Company for compulsory pooling, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Ellenburger formation underlying the N/2 of Section 21, Township 12 South, Range 26 East, Chaves County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an orthodox location in Unit F of said Section 21. 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of the applicant as the operator of the well and a charge for the risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 5534: Application of Texaco Inc. for three unorthodox oil well locations and an administrative procedure, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox oil well locations of its West Vacuum Unit Well Nos. 51, 52, and 53 to be drilled, respectively, 1310 feet from the South line and 10 feet from the East line of Section 33; 1310 feet from the South and West lines of Section 34; and 1310 feet from the South line and 2630 feet from the West line of Section 34, all in Township 17 South, Range 34 East, Vacuum Grayburg-San Andres Pool, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant further seeks the establishment of an administrative procedure whereby additional wells at unorthodox locations in the West Vacuum Unit could be approved without notice and hearing.

CASE 5535: Application of Coquina Oil Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a Morrow gas well located 660 feet from the North and East lines of Section 5, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, the N/2 of said Section 5 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 5536: Application of Petroleum Development Corporation for a dual completion, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the dual completion (conventional) of its McKay-West Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 34, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, to produce oil from the Bone Spring formation and gas from the Morrow formation through parallel strings of tubing.

CASE 5537: Application of Cotton Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 of Section 10, Township 21 South, Range 25 East, adjacent to the Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an orthodox location in Unit I of said Section 10. 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of the applicant as the operator of the well and a charge for the risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 5538: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for a dual completion and salt water disposal, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion of its Luther-A Well No. 1, located in Unit N of Section 18, Township 8 South, Range 32 East, to produce oil from the Lonesome-San Andres Pool and to dispose of produced water into the Glorieta formation in the open-hole interval from 4584 feet to 4720 feet through parallel strings of tubing.

CASE 5152: (Reopened & Readvertised)

In the matter of Case No. 5152 being reopened pursuant to the provisions of Order No. R-4713, as amended by Order No. R-4713-A, which order established a special depth bracket allowable for the Media-Entrada Oil Pool, Sandoval County, New Mexico. All interested parties may appear and show cause why said special depth bracket allowable should remain in effect.

CASE 5262: (Reopened & Readvertised)

In the matter of Case No. 5262 being reopened pursuant to the provisions of Order No. R-4822-A, which order promulgated special pool rules for the Southwest Media-Entrada Oil Pool, Sandoval County, New Mexico, including a provision for 160-acre proration units. All interested parties may appear and show cause why said pool should not be developed on 40-acre spacing.

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