

Dockets Nos. 11-76 and 12-76 are tentatively set for hearing on March 31, 1976 and April 14, 1976. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MARCH 17, 1976

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. Mutter, Examiner, or Richard L. Stanets, Alternate Examiner:

- ALLOWABLE: (1) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for April, 1976, from seventeen prorated pools in Lea, Eddy, Chaves, and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico.
- (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for April, 1976, from five prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico.

CASE 5636: (Continued & Readvertised)

Application of Julian Ard for an unorthodox oil well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a well to be drilled in the center of the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 32, Township 9 South, Range 37 East, West Sawyer-San Andres Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, in exception to the provisions of Rule 4, Order No. R-3850.

CASE 5641: (Continued from March 2, 1976, Examiner Hearing)

Application of John Yaronka for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced water by injection to the Queen formation through the open-hole interval from approximately 3200 to 3875 feet in his State JO "T" Well No. 1 located in Unit B of Section 16, Township 23 South, Range 36 East, Langlie-Mattix Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 5645: Application of Amoco Production Company for suspension of Rules 14A and 15A of the gas proration rules, Indian Basin-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks suspension for a period of one year from April 1, 1976, of those provisions of Rule 14A and 15A of the General Rules and Regulations for the prorated gas pools of Southeastern New Mexico promulgated by Order No. R-1670, as amended, that provide for the cancellation of underproduction and the shutting-in of overproduced wells, as applied to the Indian Basin-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

CASE 5646: Application of Southern Union Gas Company for suspension of Rules 14A and 15A of the gas proration rules, Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks suspension for a period of one year from April 1, 1976, of those provisions of Rules 14A and 15A of the General Rules and Regulations for the prorated gas pools of Southeastern New Mexico promulgated by Order No. R-1670, as amended, that provide for the cancellation of underproduction and the shutting-in of overproduced wells, as applied to the Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

CASE 5647: Application of Griffin & Burnett, Inc. for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Haggood Unit Area comprising 3,147 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 26 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 5648: Application of Depeco, Inc. for a dual completion, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the dual completion (conventional) of its D#11 State Well No. 1, located in Unit F of Section 23, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to produce gas from the Wolfcamp and Morrow formations.

CASE 5649: Application of Harrington Transportation, Inc. for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Llano, Inc. Leavitt Well No. 1, to be drilled 1980 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the West line of Section 13, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, the W/2 of said Section 13 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 5650: Application of Robinson Resource Development Company, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the formations of Pennsylvanian age or older underlying the N/2 of Section 18, Township 21 South, Range 25 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a previously approved unorthodox location in Unit H of said Section 18. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of such costs, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of the applicant as operator of the well and a charge for the risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 5651: Application of Burmah Oil & Gas Co. 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 test well to be drilled 1780 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 11, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, the W/2 of said Section 11 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 5652: Application of Continental Oil Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to commingle Basin-Dakota gas and Otero-Gallup oil production in the wellbores of the following wells on its Northeast Haynes Lease in Township 24 North, Range 5 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico:

- No. 1 in Unit L of Section 9
- No. 2 in Unit D of Section 16
- No. 3 in Unit P of Section 16
- No. 4 in Unit E of Section 21
- No. 5 in Unit E of Section 22
- No. 6 in Unit D of Section 15
- No. 7 in Unit L of Section 19
- No. 8 in Unit P of Section 15

CASE 5653: Application of Mathis, Spencer & Hutson for pool creation and special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new oil pool for Permo-Penn production, Lea County, New Mexico, and the promulgation of special pool rules therefor, including a provision for 160-acre spacing and proration units.

CASE 5654: Application of Continental Oil Company for a non-standard gas proration unit and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for a 480-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the N/2 and SE/4 of Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, said unit to be simultaneously dedicated to applicant's State J-2 Wells Nos. 9 and 12, located in Units G and D, respectively, of said Section 2.

CASE 5422: (Reopened)

In the matter of Case 5422 being reopened pursuant to the provisions of Order No. R-4931, which order established special rules and regulations for the EK-Bone Springs Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, including a provision for 80-acre spacing. All interested parties may appear and show cause why said pool should not be developed on 40-acre spacing units.