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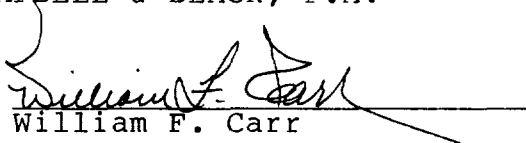
Case 8331
Order No. R-7720

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION
COMPANY FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE
GAVILAN-MANCOS OIL POOL, RIO
ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY
FOR A HEARING DE NOVO

Pursuant to Rule 1220 of the Rules and Regulations of the
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, Amoco Production Company as
an adversely affected party, applies for a De Novo hearing in
this matter before the full Commission on December 12, 1984.

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By 
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Joe D. Ramey, Director (3)
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Case 8331

File: JDC-158-986.511

Application for Extension
Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool
Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico

Amoco Production Company hereby makes application for extension of the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool, Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico to include Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23 and 24-T24N-R2W.

In support of this application the following facts are presented:

1. By order No. R-7407 dated March 1, 1984 the Commission established the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool as follows:

Township 24N-Range 2W, NMPM
Sections 1 through 3: All

Township 25N-Range 2W, NMPM
Sections 19 through 30: All
Sections 33 through 36: All

2. Amoco Production Company has drilled and is now completing the Amoco Federal OSO Canyon Well No. 1, 1650' FNL, 990' FWL, Sec. 24-T24N-R2W, Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico.
3. Information gained from the drilling of this well indicates the characteristics of the Mancos formation are similar to those encountered within the presently defined Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool and that pool should be expanded to include the following area:

Township 24N-Range 2W, NMPM
Sections 10 through 14: All

Sections 23 and 24: All

4. Amoco is the owner of Mancos working interest rights under the lands proposed in (3) above and has plans for further development drilling in that area.

Extension of the temporary special Rules and Regulations for the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool as proposed herein would prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent reduced recovery of hydrocarbons which might result from the drilling of too many wells and otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights. We respectfully request this matter be set for hearing at the earliest possible date.

The attached Verification is a part of this application.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J.D. Cutter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

J. D. Cutter

CJB/sma

Attachments

cc: Frank Chavez
New Mexico Conservation Division
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico 87410

VERIFICATION

STATE OF COLORADO)
 : SS
COUNTY OF DENVER)

C. J. Boyce, of lawful age, being first duly sworn on his oath, deposes and says:

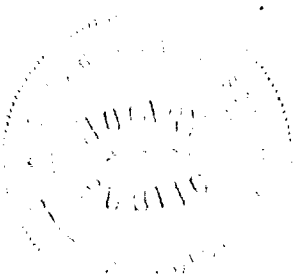
That he is employed in an engineering capacity by Amoco Production Company in its Denver, Colorado office; that he has been qualified as an expert engineering witness by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission and his qualifications have been made of record; that Amoco's application for extension of the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool to include Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23 and 24 T24N-R2W, Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico, was prepared under his direction and supervision; that the matters and things therein set forth are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and beliefs.

C. J. Boyce
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August 1984.

Susan M. Adamec
Notary Public
1670 Broadway
Denver, Co 80202

My Commission expires October 14, 1987



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February 12, 1985



Mr. R. L. Stamets, Director
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Re: Oil Conservation Division Case 8331: Application of
Amoco Production Company for an Extension of the
Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Stamets:

Amoco Production Company requests that the above-referenced
case, which is scheduled for hearing before the full Commission
on February 20, 1985, be dismissed.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

William F. Carr
William F. Carr

WFC/cv

cc: Mr. Charles Boyce
Mr. Gary Paulson

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

20 February 1985

COMMISSION HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Amoco Production	CASE
Company for an extension of the	8331
Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool, Rio	
Arriba County, New Mexico.	

BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets, Chairman
Commissioner Ed Kelley

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Oil Conservation	Charles E. Roybal
Division:	Attorney at Law
	Legal Counsel to the Division
	State Land Office Bldg.
	Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

MR. STAMETS: The hearing will
please come to order.

We'll call first this morning
Case 8331, application of Amoco Production Company for an
extension of the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool, Rio Arriba County,
New Mexico.

The applicant in this case has
requested the case be dismissed, and it shall be.

(Hearing concluded.)

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY CERTIFY
that the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Con-
servation Division was reported by me; that the said tran-
script is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing,
prepared by me to the best of my ability.

Sally W. Boyd cse