

CASE 10236: Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the NW/4 SE/4 (Unit J) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 2.75 miles south by west of New Mexico State Highway No. 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10237: Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the NE/4 SW/4 (Unit K) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3 miles south by west of New Mexico State Highway No. 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10238: Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3 miles south by west of New Mexico State Highway No. 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10239: Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3.25 miles south by east of New Mexico State Highway No. 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10211: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Wolfcamp formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 8, Township 18 South, Range 33 East, and in the following manner: the W/2 NW/4 to form a standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 80-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated South Corbin-Wolfcamp Pool; and the SW/4 NW/4 to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated West Corbin-Delaware Pool, Undesignated Central Corbin-Queen Pool, Undesignated West Corbin-San Andres Pool, and Undesignated Corbin-Bone Spring Pool. Said units are to be dedicated to a single well to be drilled at a standard oil well location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 8. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 7.5 miles southeast by south of Maljamar, New Mexico

CASE 10221: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Conoco Inc. for the amendment of Order No. R-4691, as amended, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order No. R-4691, as amended, which promulgated special pool rules for the North Dagger Draw-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool located in Townships 19 and 20 South, Ranges 24 and 25 East. Applicant seeks the establishment of a special depth bracket allowable for a standard 160-acre oil spacing and proration unit in said pool of 700 barrels of oil per day. Said pool is located approximately 9 miles west of Lakewood, New Mexico.

and all formations developed on 40-acre oil spacing within said vertical extent. Said units are to be dedicated to a single well to be drilled 1980 feet from the North line and 2310 feet from the East line (Unit G) of said Section 29, which is a standard oil and gas well location for zones spaced on 320 acres and 40 acres but is an unorthodox gas well location for zones spaced on 160 acres. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 7 miles north of Mile Marker No. 167 on U.S. Highway 380.

CASE 10203: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line (Unit E) of Section 14, Township 19 South, Range 24 East, to test both the Undesignated Penasco Draw-Permo Pennsylvanian Gas Pool and Boyd-Morrow Gas Pool, the N/2 of said Section 14 to be dedicated to said well forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for both zones. The proposed well site is located approximately 14.5 miles southeast of Hope, New Mexico.

CASE 10223: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the Cowboy Draw Unit Agreement for an area comprising 28,800 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Townships 4 and 5 South, Ranges 20 and 21 East, which is located approximately 10 miles west-southwest of Mesa, New Mexico.

CASE 10224: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the Blackwater Unit Agreement for an area comprising 41,610 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Township 9 South, Ranges 21 and 22 East, which is located approximately 17 miles northwest by west of Roswell, New Mexico.

CASE 10225: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a unit agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the Salt Creek Unit Agreement for an area comprising 97,800 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Townships 6, 7, and 8 South, Ranges 21 and 22 East, which is located approximately 27 miles northwest of Roswell, New Mexico.

CASE 10235: Application of Strata Energy Resources Corporation for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Abo formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 14, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, and in the following manner: the SW/4 NE/4 to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated Nadine Drinkard-Abo Pool and Undesignated Hobbs Grayburg-San Andres Pool; and the NE/4 to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 160-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated Nadine-Yates Gas Pool. Said units are to be dedicated to a single well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3/4 mile south of the Everglade Cemetery.

CASE 10182: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Meridian Oil, Inc. for an unorthodox coal gas well location, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox coal gas well location for its existing Angel Peak "B" Well No. 44 located 485 feet from the North line and 2310 feet from the West line (Unit C) of Section 24, Township 28 North, Range 11 West, Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, the N/2 of said Section 24 to be dedicated to the subject well forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool. Said well is located approximately 4.5 miles south-southeast of Bloomfield, New Mexico.

CASE 10183: (Continued from January 24, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Meridian Oil, Inc. for an unorthodox coal gas well location, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox coal gas well location for the existing Union Texas Petroleum Corporation Angel Peak "B" Well No. 31 located 990 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the West line (Unit C) of Section 25, Township 28 North, Range 11 West, the W/2 of said Section 25 to be dedicated to the subject well forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool. Said well is located approximately 5.5 miles south by east of Bloomfield, New Mexico.

(Continued from February 7, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the NE/4 SW/4 (Unit K) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3 miles south by west of the New Mexico State Highway 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10238: (Continued from February 7, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3 miles south by west of the New Mexico State Highway 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10239: (Continued from February 7, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from 50 feet below the base of the Queen formation to 50 feet below the base of the Delaware formation underlying the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated East Shugart-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 3.25 miles south by east of the New Mexico State Highway 529 at the Lea/Eddy County line.

CASE 10249: (Continued from February 21, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Pacific Enterprises Oil Company (USA) for a non-standard gas proration unit and an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an exception to the current Special Rules and Regulations for the McMillan-Morrow Gas Pool, as promulgated by Division Order No. R-2917, as amended, and to establish a non-standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising the S/2 of Section 18, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit M) of said Section 18. Said unit is located approximately 9.5 miles south of the Old Illinois Camp.

CASE 10250: (Continued from February 21, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Pacific Enterprises Oil Company (USA) for the rescission of special pool rules and for two non-standard 640-acre gas proration units or, in the alternative, to amend Division Order No. R-2917, as amended, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the rescission of the Special Rules and Regulations for the spacing and location of wells in the McMillan-Morrow Gas Pool, comprising Sections 13 and 24, Township 20 South, Range 26 East and Sections 7, 18, and 19, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, and seeks to have said pool governed by the provisions of General Rule 104.C.II(a) for gas pools of Pennsylvanian age. Further, the applicant requests the concomitant creation of two non-standard 640-acre gas spacing and proration units for the McMillan-Morrow Gas Pool in Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 26 East, for the existing Yates Drilling Company Pecos River Deep Unit located in Unit H of said Section 13 and in Section 19, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, for the existing Presidio Exploration Inc. State "I" Com Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 19, Township 20 South, Range 27 East. IN THE ALTERNATIVE, the applicant seeks to amend the current Rules and Regulations for said McMillan-Morrow Gas Pool, as promulgated by Division Order No. R-2917, as amended, to permit the optional drilling of an additional well on each 640-acre proration unit. Said pool is located approximately 5 miles south-southeast of Lakewood, New Mexico.

CASE 10262: Application of J. Oil and Gas Production Company, d.b.a. P. T. Adams, for an unorthodox location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox well location 1340 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line (Unit I) of Section 26, Township 7 South, Range 28 East, to test the Fusselman formation. The S/2 of said Section 26 forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit to be dedicated should the well be classified as a gas well in the Undesignated South Elkins-Fusselman Gas Pool or the NE/4 SE/4 of said Section 26 forming a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit should the well be classified as an oil well in the Undesignated South Elkins-Fusselman Pool. Said well location is approximately 1.5 miles south of Elkins, New Mexico.

CASE 10211: (Continued from February 21, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Wolfcamp formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 8, Township 18 South, Range 33 East, and in the following manner: the W/2 NW/4 to form a standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 80-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated South Corbin-Wolfcamp Pool; and the SW/4 NW/4 to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated West Corbin-Delaware Pool, Undesignated Central Corbin-Queen Pool, Undesignated West Corbin-San Andres Pool, and Undesignated Corbin-Bone Spring Pool. Said units are to be dedicated to a single well to be drilled at a standard oil well location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 8. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 7.5 miles southeast by south of Maljamar, New Mexico

CASE 10219: (Continued from February 21, 1991, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Hanley Petroleum Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Wolfcamp formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 8, Township 18 South, Range 33 East, and in the following manner: the W/2 NW/4 to form a standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and or/pools developed on 80-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated South Corbin-Wolfcamp Pool; and the SW/4 NW/4 to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the Undesignated West Corbin-Delaware Pool, Undesignated Central Corbin-Queen Pool, Undesignated West Corbin-San Andres Pool, and Undesignated Corbin-Bone Spring Pool. Said units are to be dedicated to a single well to be drilled at a standard oil well location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 8. 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said unit is located approximately 7.5 miles southeast by south of Maljamar, New Mexico.