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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
STATE LAND OFFICE BLDG.
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
28 January 1981
EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of P&O Oil Field Service) for an oil treating plant permit,) Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 7141

BEFORE: Danial S. Nutter

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

APPEARANCES

For the Oil Conservation Division:

Ernest L. Padilla, Esq. Legal Counsel to the Division State Land Office Bldg. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

William F. Carr, Esq.
CAMPBELL, BYRD, & BLACK P.A.
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4	A.	Yes, it was.
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6	would offer into evi	dence Applicant's Exhibit Number One.
7		MR. NUTTER: Exhibit One will be admitted
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16	A.	Yes, sir.
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12	Α.	It's fee land.
13	Q	And what interest does P&C have in this
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Mr. William F. Carr Campbell and Clack	ORDER NO. R. KEGI
Attorneys at Law / Post Office Box 2208 Santa Fe, New Mexico	Applicant:
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Dear Sir:	
Enclosed herewith are two copies Division order recently entered	
Pours very truly,	
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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 7341 Order No. R-6591

APPLICATION OF P & O OIL FIELD BERVICE FOR AN OIL TREATING PLANT PERMIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 s.m. on January 28, 1981, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, Daforo Exeminer Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 12th day of February, 1981, the Division Director, 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 Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the aubject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, F & O Oil Field Service, seeks authority to construct and operate a chemical and heat-treatment type oil treating plant in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, NMPH, Les County, New Mexico, for the reclamation of up to approximately 30 barrels of sediment oil per operating hour to be obtained from tank bottoms, disposal mater, and waste pits.
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- (4) That the proposed plant and method of processing will efficiently process, treat, and reclaim the aforementioned waste oil, thereby salvaging oil which would otherwise be wasted.

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(5) That the subject application should be approved as being in the best interests of conservation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, P & O Oil Field Service, is hereby authorized to install and operate a chemical and heat-treatment sype oil treating plant in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, NNFM, Lea County, New Mexico, for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil to be obtained from tank bottoms and waste pits:

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the continuation of the authorization granted by this order shall be conditioned upon compliance with the laws of the State of New Mexico and the rules and regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division;

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- (2) That the operator of the above-described oil treating plant shall clear and maintain in a condition clear of all sebria and vegetation a fireline at least 15 feet in width and encircling the site upon which the plant is located.
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- (4) That the disposal of waste water accumulated in conjunction with the operation of the above-described plant on the surface of the ground, or in any pit, pond, lake, depression, draw, atreambed, or arroyo, or in any watercourse, or in any other place or in any manner which will constitute a hazard to any fresh water supplies is hereby prohibited.
- (5) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may doem necessary.

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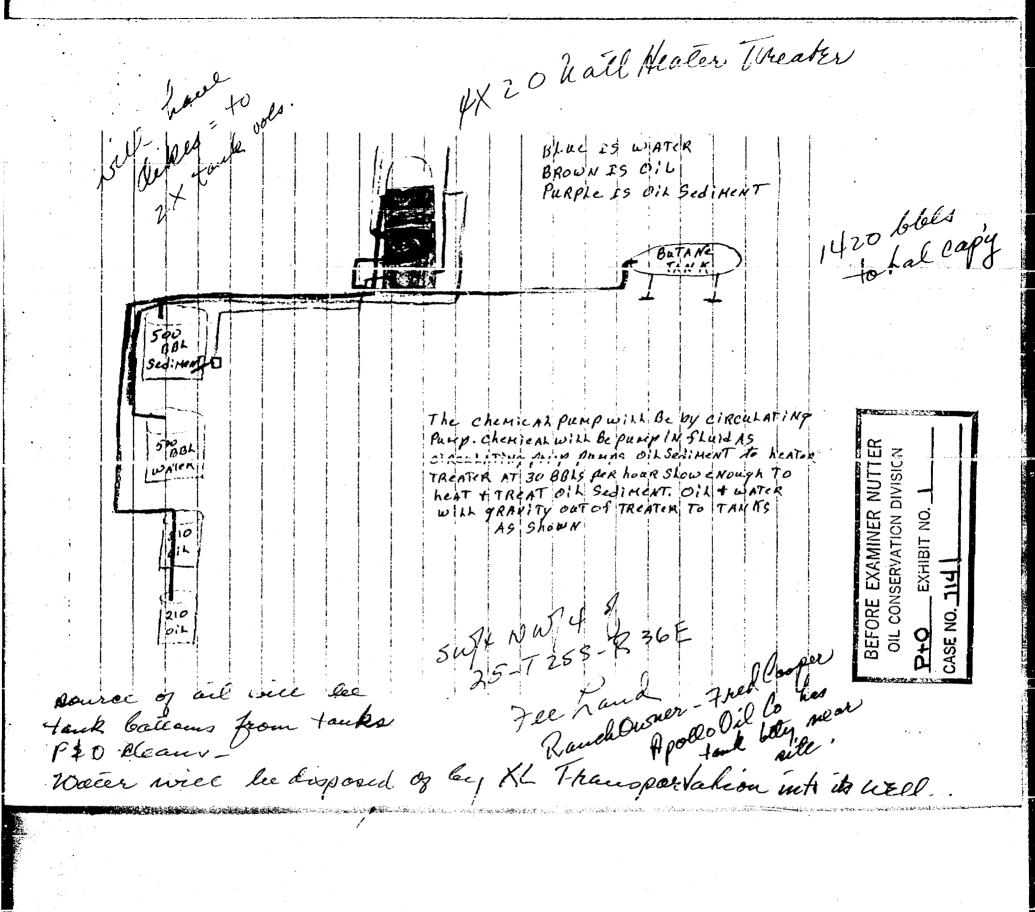
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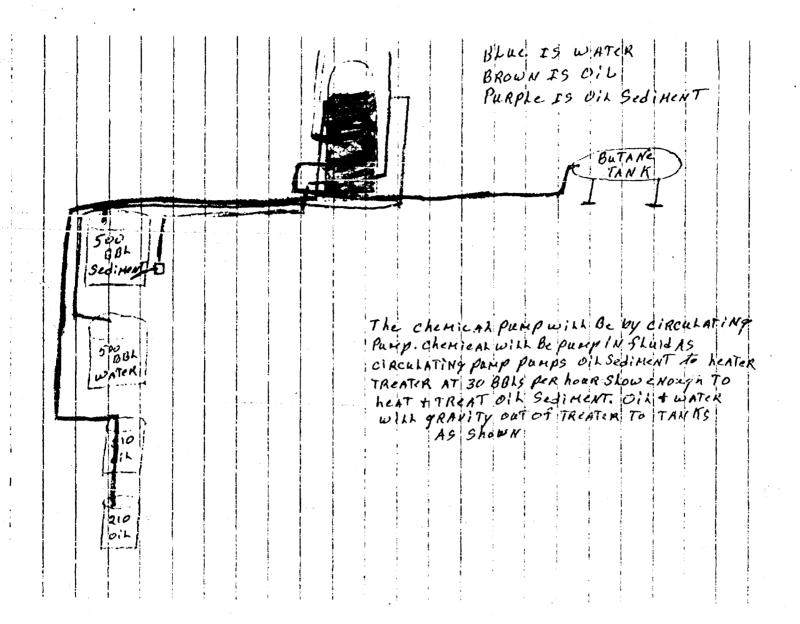
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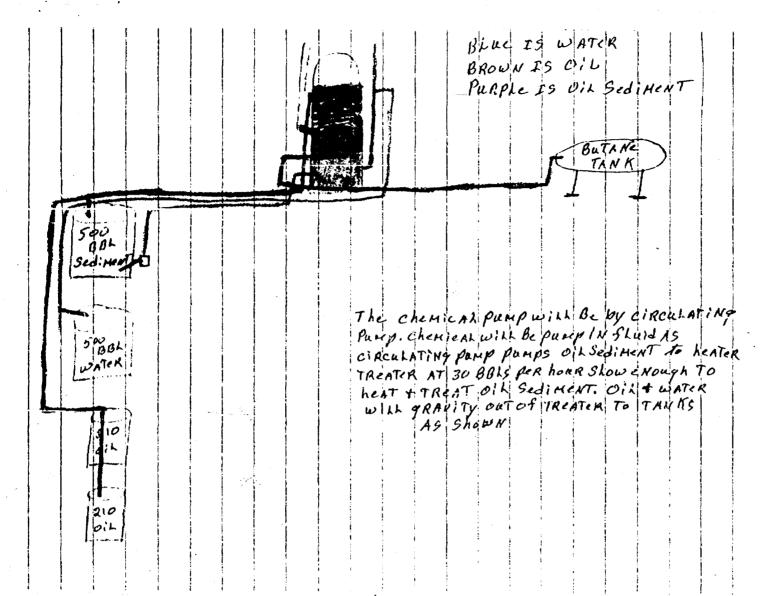
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Dockets Nos. 5-81 and 6-81 are tentatively set for February 11 and 25, 1981. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 28, 1981

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 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:

CASE 7135: Application of Celeste C. Gryenberg for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Cottonwood Draw Unit Area, comprising 2555 acres, more or less, of State lands in Township 16 South, Range 24 East.

CASE 7119: (Continued from January 14, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Shell Oil Company for a unit agreement, Bernalillo and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the West Hess Unit Area, comprising 26,722 acres, more or less, of State, Federal, and fee lands in Townships 10, 11, and 12 North, Ranges 1 and 2 East.

- CASE 7136: Application of Hanson Oil Corporation for amendment of R-111-A, Eddy County, New Mexico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the elimination of the NE/4 of Section 26, Township 18

 South, Range 30 East, from the Potash-Oil Area as defined by Order No. R-111-A as amended. In the alternative, applicant seeks an exception to the casing and cementing rules of R-111-A for its wells to be drilled within the NE/4 of said Section 26.
- CASE 7137: Application of Caulkins Oil Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Merico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Chacra and Blanco Mesaverde production in the wellbores of its wells located in: Sections 1 thru 5, and 7, 8, 21, 22, 24, and 25 in Township 26 North, Range 6 West; Sections 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26 in Township 26 North, Range 7 West; and Sections 33 thru 35 in Township 27 North, Range 6 West.
- Application of Wiser Oil Company for a special gas-oil ratio limitation, Lea County, New Mexico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a special gas-oil ratio limitation of 6000 to one, retroactive to May 1, 1980, for the Hardy-Driukard Pool.
- CAST 7051: (Continued from Pecember 30, 1980, Examiner Pearing)

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- CASE 7139: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for amendment of Division Order No. R-6367, Chaves
 County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-6367
 to designate Yates Petroleum Corporation as the operator of the two proration units pooled by said order, replacing McClellan Oil Corporation as operator.
- CASE 7140: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the N/2 of Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 26

 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of said Section 26. 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.
- CASE 7100: (Continued from January 14, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for downhole commingling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Atoka and Morre + production in the wellbore of its Travis 24 State Com Well No. 1 in Unit H of Section 24, Township 18 South, Range 28 East.

CASE 7141: Application of P & O Oil Field Service for an oil treating plant permit, Lea County, New Mexico.

Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East.

- CASE 7142: Application of Cetty Oil Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Manico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Otero-Gallup and Basin-Dakota production in the wellbores of its Farming "E" Wells No. 1 in Unit I and No. 3 in Unit E of Section 2, Township 24 North, Range 6 West.
- CASE 7143: Application of Morris R. Antweil 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 660 feet from the South and West lines of Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 25 East, the W/2 of said Section 28 to be dedicated to the well.
- Application of Morris R. Antweil for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

 Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the San Andres formation underlying the NW/4 SE/4 and in the Wolfcamp thru Mississippian formations underlying the S/2 of Section 10, Township 13 South, Range 38 East, to be dedicated to an existing well located in the NW/4 SE/4 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, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 7129: (Continued from January 14, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Koch Exploration Company for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pakota formation underlying the N/2 of Section 28, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, to be dedicated to a 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.

CASE 6940: (Continued from January 14, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Adobe Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down through the Wolfcamp formation underlying the NN/4 SE/4 for oil and the SE/4 for gas, Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cast 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.

- CASE 7145: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creating, contracting vertical limits, and extending horizontal limits of certain pools in Chaves, Eddy, Lea, and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico:
 - (a) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the North Berry-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is Getty Oil Company Getty 6 State Com Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, NMPY. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 6: Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 24, 15, and 16

(b) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Santa Rosa production and designated as the Cooper-Santa Rosa Gas Pool. The discovery well is O. H. Berry J. L. Isbell Well No. 5Y located in Unit A of Section 15, Township 24 South, Range 36 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 15: NE/4

(c) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Bone Springs production and designated as the South Corbin-Bone Springs Pool. The discovery well is puthland Royalty Company Federal 21 Com Well No. 1 located in Unit L of Section 21, Township 18 South, Range 33 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 21: SW,4

(d) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Hexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the West Lynch-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is The Superior Oil Company West Lynch Deep Unit Well No. 1 located in Unit O of Section 28, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, NNPM. Said pool South comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 28: S/2

(e) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, elessified as an oil pool for Blinebry production and designated as the West Nadine-Blinebry Pool. The discovery well is Tamarack Petroleum Company. Inc. Speight Well No. 1 located in Unit D of Section 9, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSKIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 9: NW/4

(f) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Atoka-Morrow production and designated as the Nonombre Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is Amoco Production Company State FO Well No. 3 located in Unit F of Section 32, Township 13 South, Range 34 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 32: W/2

(g) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Atoka production and designated as the Southwest Quahada Ridge-Atoka Gas Pool. The discovery well is Perry R. Bass Big Eddy Unit Well No. 71 located in Unit F of Section 7, Township 22 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 7: N/2

(h) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Abo production and designated as the Skaggs-Abo Gas Pool. The discovery well is Conord, Inc. Britt B Hell No. 27 located in Unit G of Section 15, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWASHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 15: NE/4

(i) CREATE a new pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Granite Wash production and designated as the Tanneyhill-Granite Wash Pool. The discovery well is Energy Reserves Group, Inc. Bledson Well No. 1 located in Unit H of Section 11, Township 6 South, Range 33 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMTY Section 11: NE/4

- (j) CONTRACT the vertical limits of the Nonombre-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to the Cisco, Canyon, and Strawn formation only and redesignate said Nonombre-Pennsylvanian Pool to Nonombre-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool. (All wells in said pool are producing from the Upper Penn formation and a gas well has been completed in the Atoka-Morrow formations for which a new Atoka-Morrow gas pool is being created.)
- (k) EXTEND the Antelope Ridge-Atoka Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 14: W/2

(1) EXTEND the Antelope Ridge-Norrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMFM Section 14: All

(m) EXTEND the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Cas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Section 9: All Section 10: W/2

(n) EXTEND the Atoka-Yeso Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Section 26: SW/4 SW/4 Section 27: \$/2 S/2

(o) EXTEND the Avalon-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NHPM Section 35: N/2 GE/V

(p) EXTEND the Boyd-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM Section 35: N/2

(q) EXTEND the East Burton Flat-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 8: N/2 Section 9: W/2

(r) EXTEND the Burton Flat-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 25: E/2

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Section 1: Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16

(s) EXTEND the Burton Flat-Strawn Gee Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 9: S/2

(t) EXTEND the Comanche Stateline Tansill-Yates-Seven Rivers Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 21: E/2

(u) EXTEND the Crooked Creek-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM Section 10: S/2

(v) EXTEND the South Culebra Bluff-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 13: W/2

(w) EXTEND the Dollarhide Tubb-Drinkard Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 18: SW/4

(x) EXTEND the South Empire-morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 24: S/2

TOWNSHIP 18 SCUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 14: E/2

(y) EXTEND the Esperanza-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, Hew Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM Section 10: S/2-NE/4

(E) EXTEND the Eunice Monument Grayburg-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 27: SW/4

(aa) EXTEND the East Grama Ridge-Lower Bone Springs Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 2: NW/4
Section 3: NE/4

(bb) EXTEND the East Grama Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 1: E/2

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANCE 35 EAST, NMPM Section 6: All

(cc) EXTEND the Hat Mesa-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NNPN Section 13: N/2

(dd) EXTEND the Hoag Tank-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM Section 27: All

(ee) EXTEND the Northeast Lovington-Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 13: SE/4 Section 24: ME/4

(ff) EXTEND the North Lusk-Morrow Cas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 5: E/2

(gg) EXTEND the Malaga-Atoks Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NNPM Section 3: W/2

(hh) EXTEND the West Malaga-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 9: N/2

(ii) EXTEND the Maljamar Grayburg-Can Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 24: NE/4

(jj) EXTEND the Maljamar-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 28: W/2

(kk) EXTEND the East Millman Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 24: NW/4 NE/4

(11) EXTEND the Nadine Drinkard-Abo Pool in Lee County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 27: NE/4

(mm) EXTEND the North Osudo-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 31: E/2

Section 32: All

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NHPM Section 16: All

(nn) EXTEND the Penasco Draw San Andres-Yeso Associated Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

> TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH RANGE 25 EAST, MMPM Section 24: N/2 SE/4

(oo) EXTEND the South Peterson-Pennsylvanian Pool in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, MORTH Section 2: Lots 1 and 2

(pp) EXTEND the North Quail Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPH Section 1: E/2

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TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, NMPM Section 8: S/2 SW/4 Section 9:

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TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 17: E/2

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TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 9: W/2 Section 16: NW/4 Section 17: N/2

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TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 11: N/2

(uu) EXTEND the Tomanawk-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWASHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM Section 25: SW/4

(vv) EXTEND the Travis-Upper Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM Section 14: SE/4

(ww) EXTEND the Turkey Track-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 10: W/2

(xx) EXTEND the Turkey Track-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NNPM Section 10: All

(yy) EXTEND the North Turkey Track-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 20: E/2 Section 33: 3/2 Section 34: S/2

(zz) EXTEND the Turkey Track Seven Rivers-Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM Section 27: E/2 NW/4

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE
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Re: Application of P & O Oilfield Service for a Treating Plant Permit, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Enclosed in triplicate is the application of r & 0 Oilfield Service in the above-referenced matter.

The applicant requests that this matter be included on the docket for the examiner hearing scheduled to be held on January 28, 1981.

Very truly yours,

William F. Carr

WFC:1r Enclosures

cc: Mr. Carmen Orozco

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS 1981 STATE OF NEW MEXACO ONSERVATION DIVISION

STATE OF NEW MEXACOMSERVATION DIVISION SANTA FE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF P & O OILFIELD SERVICE FOR A TREATING PLANT PERMIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

APPLICATION

COMES NOW P & O OILFIELD SERVICE, by their undersigned attorneys, and hereby makes application for a treating plant permit and in support of this application would show the Commission:

- 1. That its principal place of business is located in Lea County, New Mexico.
- 2. That this application is made pursuant to the provisions of Rule 312 of the rules and regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.
- 3. That the proposed location of the treating plant is in the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.
- 4. That the capacity of the plant is dependent upon the amount of incoming product.

P & O OILFIELD SERVICE requests that this application be set for hearing before a duly appointed Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on January 28, 1981, that notice be given as required by law and the rules of the Division, and that this application for a treating plan permit be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

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CASE NO. 7141

Order No. 2-6591

APPLICATION OF P & O OIL FIELD SERVICE FOR AN OIL TREATING PLANT PERMIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
 - (2) That the applicant, P & O Oil Field Service, seeks authority to construct and operate a chemical and heat-treatment type oil treating plant in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, for

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sediment wil per menth to be obtained from tank bottoms,

disposal water, and waste pits.

- (3) That dikes, dams and/or emergency pits should be constructed around the plant capable of holding the entire capacity of all tanks and vessels at the plant location in order that sediment oil, reclaimed oil, or waste oil cannot escape from the immediate vicinity of such plant.
- (4) That the proposed plant and method of processing will efficiently process, treat, and reclaim the aforementioned waste oil, thereby salvaging oil which would otherwise be wasted.
- (5) That the subject application should be approved as being in the best interests of conservation.

IT IS THEREFORE URDERED:

(1) That the applicant, P & O Oil Field Service, is hereby authorized to install and operate a chemical and heat-treatment type oil treating plant in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil to be obtained from tank bottoms and waste pits;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the continuation of the authorization granted by this order shall be conditioned upon compliance with the laws of the State of New Mexico and the rules and regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division;

PROVIDED FURTHER, that prior to commencing operation of said plant, the applicant shall file with the Division and obtain approval of a performance bond in the amount of \$10,000.00 conditioned upon substantial compliance with applicable statutes of the State of New Mexico and all rules, regulations and orders of the Oil Conservation Division.

- (2) That the operator of the above-described oil treating plant shall clear and maintain in a condition clear of all debris and vegetation a fireline at least 15 feet in width and encircling the site upon which the plant is located.
- (3) That dikes, dams and/or emergency pits shall be constructed around the plant capable of holding the entire capacity of all tanks and vessels at the plant location and capable of preventing the escape of any sediment oil, reclaimed oil, or waste oil from the immediate vicinity of said plant.
- (4) That the disposal of waste water accumulated in nonjunction with the operation of the above described plant on the surface of the ground, or in any pit, pond, lake, depression, draw, streambed, or arroyo, or in any watercourse, or in any other place or in any manner which will constitute a hazard to any fresh water supplies is hereby prohibited.
- (5) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as (>> Division may deem necessary.

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

Memo

From

FLORENE DAVIDSON
ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

To Called in by Bill Carr
1/8/81

P + 0 Oil Field Service Oil Treating Plant Rermit Lea County 5W14 NW14 25-255-36E

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION-SANTA FE