

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW
MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 626
Order No. R-427

THE APPLICATION OF BERT FIELDS FOR
AN ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF AN
EXCEPTION TO RULE 7 (a) OF ORDER NO.
R-370-A IN ESTABLISHMENT OF AN UNORTHODOX
GAS PRORATION UNIT OF 160 CONTIGUOUS ACRES
CONSISTING OF WEST HALF NORTHEAST QUARTER,
AND EAST HALF NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION
32, TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, IN THE EUMONT GAS
POOL.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a. m., on December 17, 1953,
and on January 20, 1954, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation
Commission, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission".

NOW, on this 16th day of April, 1954, the Commission, a quorum being
present, having considered the records and testimony adduced, and being fully
advised in the premises;

FINDS:

(1) That due notice of the time and place of hearing and the purpose thereof
having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this case
and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That pursuant to provisions of Rule 7 (a) of Order No. R-370-A, the
Commission has power and authority to permit the formation of a gas proration unit
consisting of other than a legal quarter section after notice and hearing by the Com-
mission.

(3) That applicant, Bert Fields, is the owner of an oil and gas lease in Lea
County, New Mexico the land consisting of other than a legal quarter section, and
described as follows, to-wit:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
E/2 NW/4 and W/2 NE/4 of Section 32

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containing 160 acres, more or less.

(4) That applicant, Bert Fields, has a producing well on the aforesaid lease known as Turner-Hudson State, No. 2, located 990' from the north line and 1650' from the west line of section 32, township 20 south, range 37 east, NMPM.

(5) That the aforesaid well was completed and in production prior to January 1, 1954, the effective date of Order No. R-370-A, and is located within the limits of the pool heretofore delineated and designated as the Eumont Gas Pool.

(6) That it is not practicable to pool applicant's said lease with adjoining acreage in the north half of Section 32, and that the owners of adjoining acreage in said half section have not objected to the formation of the proposed proration unit of 160 acres.

(7) That unless a proration unit consisting of applicant's aforesaid acreage is permitted, applicant will be deprived of the opportunity to recover his just and equitable share of the natural gas in the Eumont Gas Pool.

(8) That creation of a proration unit consisting of the aforesaid acreage will not cause but will prevent waste, will protect correlative rights, and is necessary to prevent confiscation of applicant's property.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the application of Bert Fields, for approval of an unorthodox proration unit consisting of the following described acreage:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
E/2 NW/4, W/2 NE/4 of Section 32.

be and the same is hereby approved, and a proration unit consisting of aforesaid acreage is hereby created.

(2) That applicant's well, Turner-Hudson State, No. 2, located in the NE/4 NW/4 of Section 32, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, shall be granted an allowable from January 1, 1954 in the proportion that the above described 160 acre unit bears to the standard or orthodox proration unit for said pool, all until further order of the Commission.

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

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Commission

Edwin L. Mechem, Chairman

E. S. Walker, Member

R. R. Spurrier, Secretary and Member

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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June 5, 1989

Doyle Hartman
P.O. Box 10426
Midland, TX 79702

Attention: Michelle Wilcox
Administrative Assistant

Administrative Order SD-89-1

Dear Ms. Wilcox:

Per your application dated May 9, 1989, Doyle Hartman is hereby authorized to simultaneously dedicate a previously approved 160-acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit (Division Order No. R-427, dated April 16, 1954) comprising the W/2 NE/4 and the E/2 SW/4 of Section 32, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to your proposed Turner State Well No. 3, to be drilled at a standard gas well location 1980 feet from the North and West lines (Unit F) of said Section 32 and to the existing Turner State Well No. 2 located at a previously authorized unorthodox gas well location (pursuant to Rule 2(b) of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Eumont Gas Pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended) 990 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the West line (Unit C) said Section 32.

Further, you are hereby permitted to produced the allowable assigned the subject proration unit from both wells in the proportion.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay
Director

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
NM Oil and Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
NM State Land Office - Santa Fe

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OIL OPERATOR
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Oil Operator

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May 9, 1989

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Victor T. Lyon, Chief Engineer
State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
Post Office Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: Turner State No. 3
W/2 NE/4 & E/2 NW/4
Section 32, T-20-S, R-37-E
Lea County, New Mexico
1. Simultaneous Dedication to
Existing 160-Acre NSPU
2. Notice of Section 103
Infill Application

Gentlemen:

We are in the process of filing Forms C-101 and C-102 with the Oil Conservation Division District I Office for permission to drill our newly proposed Turner State No. 3 well as an infill Eumont (Gas) well at a standard Eumont (Gas) location consisting of 1980' FNL and 1980' FWL (F) Section 32, T-20-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico.

We hereby request administrative approval to simultaneously dedicate our newly proposed Turner State No. 3 well (F-32-20S-37E) along with the previously existing Turner State No. 2 well (C-32-20S-37E) to the already existing 160-acre non-standard Eumont (Gas) proration unit consisting of W/2 NE/4 and E/2 NW/4 Section 32, T-20-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico (Standard P.U. = 640 Acres).

Furthermore, if the proposed well is completed as a commercial producer and in compliance with the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978, an application will be submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to obtain administrative approval for the well as a Section 103 infill well.

Three copies of a color coded land map outlining the subject 160-Acre Eumont proration unit as well as the location of the original Turner State No. 2 Eumont (Gas) well and the proposed location of our Turner State No. 3 infill well are enclosed for your review. Supplementing the enclosed color-coded land plat is a companion table describing by tract number and color all Eumont gas proration units (including the operator of the Eumont gas rights) that

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offset the proposed Turner State No. 3 infill well.

Complete copies of this application have also been sent by certified mail to all offsetting parties owning Eumont (Gas) rights as described on the enclosed plat and table. The following is a list of the offsetting Eumont (Gas) Operators:

Meridian Oil Inc.
#21 Desta Drive
Midland, Texas 79705

Arco Oil & Gas Company
Post Office Box 1610
Midland, Texas 79702

Attention: Craig Payken
Area Engineer

Chevron USA, Inc.
Post Office Box 1150
Midland, Texas 79702

Attention: Mr. Alan W. Bohlrig
Division Proration Engineer

Texaco Producing, Inc.
Post Office Box 3109
Midland, Texas 79702

Attention: R. S. Cornelius
Assistant Engineering Manager

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

DOYLE HARTMAN

Michelle Wilcox

Michelle Wilcox
Administrative Assistant

MW/lr
Enclosure

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
District I Office
Post Office Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240
Attention: Mr. Jerry Sexton

Mr. J. E. Gallegos
Gallegos Law Firm
300 Paseo de Peralta
Suite 100
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Mr. Daniel S. Nutter
105 E. Alicante
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Mr. William P. Aycock
1207 W. Wall
Midland, Texas 79701

Lynn D. Durham, Trustee
Turner Estates & Trust
Post Office Box 910
Midland, Texas 79702

William A. and Edward R. Hudson
Hudson and Hudson
616 Texas Street
Fort Worth, Texas 76102

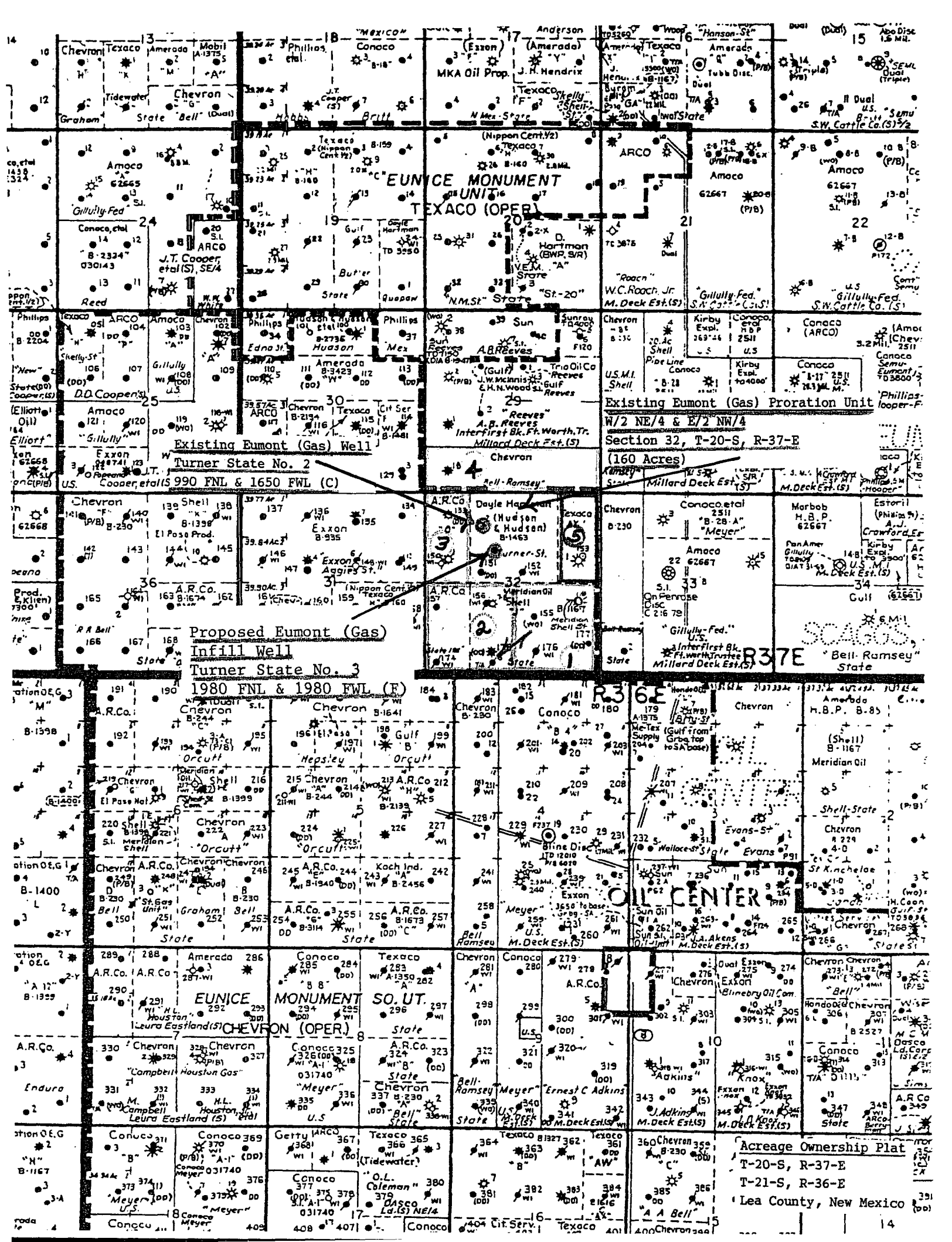
F. D. Moore Estate/Trust
Trust Department
First Republic Bank
Post Office Bank 1500
Galveston, Texas 77553
Attention: Doug Warren

Harold Swain
Doyle Hartman, Oil Operator
Post Office Drawer M
Jal, New Mexico 88252

Joe Hugo
Post Office Box 1073
Pinedale, Wyoming 82941

Supplementary Table
 OFFSET EUMONT (GAS) OPERATORS
 Turner State No. 3
 W/2 NE/4 and E/2 NW/4 Section 32
 T-20-S, R-37-E
 Lea County, New Mexico
 (160 Acres)

<u>Tract No./</u> <u>(Color)</u>	<u>Operator</u>	<u>Lease & Well Name(s)</u>	<u>Gas Well</u> <u>Location(s)</u>	<u>Non-Standard</u> <u>Unit Description</u>	<u>Number</u> <u>of Acres</u>
1 (orange)	Meridian Oil Inc.	Shell State No. 6	I-32-20S-37E	SE/4 Section 32 T-20-S, R-37-E	160
2 (blue)	Meridian Oil Inc.	Shell State No. 7	K-32-20S-37E	SW/4 Section 32 T-20-S, R-37-E	160
3 (pink)	Arco Oil & Gas Co.	State "O" No. 2	D-32-20S-37E	W/2 NW/4 Section 32 T-20-S, R-37-E	80
4 (green)	Chevron U.S.A. Inc.	Bell Ramsey "B" No. 1	M-29-20S-37E	S/2 S/2 Section 29 T-20-S, R-37-E	160
5 (purple)	Texaco Producing, Inc.	State "AY" No. 1	H-32-20S-37E	E/2 NE/4 Section 32 T-20-S, R-37-E	80



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