

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. 197
ORDER NO. 842

THE APPLICATION OF JONES AND WATKINS APPLICANTS,
FOR AN ORDER APPROVING AN UNORTHODOX LOCA-
TION FOR A WELL 1205 FEET WEST OF THE EAST
LINE AND 740 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE
(NE/4 NE/4) OF SECTION 10, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH,
RANGE 29 EAST, N.M.P.M., TURKEY TRACK POOL,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This matter came on for hearing at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the 1st day of November, 1949 at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission".

NOW, on this 16th day of November, 1949, the Commission having before it for consideration the testimony adduced at said hearing and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

1. That due public notice having been given as provided by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
2. That testimony shows that Jones Continental State No. 1, well was intended to be located 330 feet south of the north line and 1650 feet west of the east line of Section 10, Township 19 south, Range 29 east, N.M.P.M. as a regular 40 acre location, but that by reason of absence of northeast corner identification of said section a surveyor's error actually caused the location of said well to be located 1205 feet west of the east line and 740 feet south of the north line (NE/4 NE/4) of said Section 10, 19 south, Range 29 east, N.M.P.M.
3. That a corrected survey has been made and plat thereof filed.
4. That although the Commission is concerned about securing errors of survey and consequent spacing irregularities, testimony shows applicant to be without material fault,
5. That no objections from offset owners was filed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(A) That the application of Jones and Watkins for an order authorizing an unorthodox location for the Jones-Continental State No. 1 well, 1205 feet west of the east line, and 740 feet south of the north line (NE/4 NE/4) of Section 10, Township 19 south, Range 29 east, N.M.P.M., in the Turkey Track Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico, be and the same hereby is approved.

(B) That any production had shall be allocated to the NE/4 NE/4 of said Section 10, Township 19 south, Range 29 east, and shall not exceed the allowable for a 40 acre tract in said pool, as now or which may hereafter be fixed for the Turkey Track Pool.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


THOMAS J. MABRY, CHAIRMAN


GUY SHEPARD, MEMBER


R. R. SPURRIER, SECRETARY