#### BEFORE THE

#### OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

#### STATE OF NEW MEXICO

- CASE 463: Northwestern New Mexico nomenclature case, providing for the following extensions:
  - (a) Extension of Blanco-Mesaverde Pool to include:

Twp. 30N, Rge. 6W, Rio Arriba County
All Sects. 18-22, incl.; all Sects. 27-34, incl.

Twp. 30N, Rge. 7W, Rio Arriba County
All Sects. 20-29, incl.; all Sects. 32-36, incl.

Twp. 32N, Rge. 11W, San Juan County All Sects. 33, 34 and 35

Twp. 29 N, Rge. 10W, San Juan County All Sect. 14

- (b) Extension of Dogie Canyon-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include all Sect. 6, T. 26N, R. 6W.
- (c) Extension of West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include W/2 Sect. 32, Twp. 27N, Rge. 10W.

### TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

December 16, 1952

BEFORE: Hon. Ed. Mechem, Governor and Chairman Hon. Guy Shepard, Land Commissioner and Member Hon. R. R. Spurrier, Director and Member MR. SPURRIER: The next case is No. 463.

(Mr. Graham reads the notice of publication.)

# ELVIS A. UTZ,

having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

#### BY MR. GRAHAM:

- Q Please state your name for the record.
- A Elvis A. Utz, engineer of the Oil Conservation Commission.
- Q In your capacity as engineer, have you made a study of the advertised extensions in Case 463?
  - A Yes, I have.
- Q Will you discuss that and give your recommendation, please?
- A I recommend that the pools of Northwestern New Mexico, San Juan Basin, be extended as advertised.
  - Q That is in all of the subsections?
- A That is correct. And I offer my recommendation as an exhibit in this case. That's all I have.

MR. SPURRIER: Any questions of this witness?

Any objection to the Commission's proposal to extend these pools?

The witness may be excused.

The case will be taken under advisement.

## COUNTY OF BERNALILLO

I HEREBY CERTIFY That the within transcript of hearing in the above styled cause before the Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico is a true record of the same to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

DONE at Albuquerque, New Mexico, December 20,

1952.

E. E. Greeson

Reporter