BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CASE 560:

In the matter of the application of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico upon its own motion for an order calling for the creation of new pools and extension of existing pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such extensions and creations should not be made.

(a) Create a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Dakota production, designated as the Huerfano-Dakota Pool, and described as:

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TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

July 16, 1953 Date

BEFORE:

Honorable Ed. L. Mechem, Governor Honorable E. S. Walker, Land Commissioner Honorable R. R. Spurrier, Director, OCC

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)

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COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

I HEREBY CERTIFY That the within transcript of proceedings before the Oil Conservation Commission is a true record of the same to the best of my knowledge, skill, and ability.

DONE at Albuquerque, N. M., this 3rd day of 195

My Comm. Ex. August 4

Notary - Reporter

Twp. 26 N, Rge. 10 W, NMPM

Section 13: S/2; Section 14: SE/4; Section 23: E/2; Section 24: all

(b) Create a new pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Dakota production, designated as the Companero-Dakota Pool, and described as:

Twp. 27 N, Rge. 5 W, NMPM Section 3: W/2; Section 4: all;

Section 4. all, Section 9: N/2; Section 10: NW/4

(c) Create a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Dakota production, designated as the Blanco-Dakota Pool, and described as:

Twp. 31 N, Rge. 10 W, NMPM

Sect. 27: all; Sect. 28: E/2; Sect. 33: NE/4; Sect. 34: N/2

(d) Create a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Dakota production, designated as the West Kutz-Dakota Pool, and described as:

Twp. 28 N, Rge. 12 W, NMPM

Section 21: E/2; Section 22: all; Section 27: N/2; Section 28: NE/4

(e) Create a new pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Dakota production, designated as the South Blanco-Dakota Pool, and described as:

Twp. 26 N, Rge. 6 W, NMPM

Section 9: S/2; Section 10: SW/4; Section 15: W/2; Section 16: all

(f) Extend the Fulcher-Kutz - Pictured Cliffs Pool in SanJuan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 27 N, Rge. 8 W, NMPM

Section 18: W/2

(g) Extend the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 27 N, Rge. 10 West, NMPM Section 32: E/2

(h) Extend the Angels Peak Pook in San Juan County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 27 N, Rge. 10 W, NMPM
Section 9: E/2;
Section 10: NW/4, S/2;
Section 15: all;
Section 16: E/2;
Section 22: all;
Section 23: W/2;
Section 26: NW/4;
Section 27: N/2

MR. WHITE: Let the record show in Case No. 560, New Mexico northwestern nomenclature case, that notice of it has been duly given, and the same on the other when we get to it, Case 561.

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(Mr. Graham reads the advertisement.)

ELVIS A. UTZ,

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having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. WHITE:

Q Will you state your full name and position for the record, please?

A Elvis A. Utz, Engineer, Oil Conservation Commission.

Q Have you had occasion in your capacity as an engineer for the Oil Conservation Commission to make a study of the proposed new pools and extensions of existing pools and corrections as advertised by the Commission?

A Yes, sir; I have.

Q Will you give your recommendation to the Commission?

A I recommend the pool in the Pictured Cliffs and the Mesa Verde and the new Dakota Pool be extended, and established, as the case may be, as advertised. And I submit an exhibit which will substantiate my findings on the basis of producing wells.

MR. WHITE: If there is no objection, it will be admitted. Let the record so show.

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