BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

CASE NO. 652

January 20, 1954 Regular Hearing

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In the Matter of:

Northwestern New Mexico nomenclature case, involving creation of new pools and extensions of existing pools in San Juan, Sandoval and Rio Arriba Counties:

Case No. 652

(a) Creation of the Torrean-Entrada Oil Pool in Sandoval County for Entrada production, described as:

Township 19 North, Range 3 West All Sections 14 and 15; N/2 Section 22; N/2 Section 23

(b) Creation of the Torreon-Mesaverde Oil Pool in Sandoval County for Mesaverde production, described as:

Township 19 North, Range 4 West All Section 17; E/2 Section 18; NE/4 Section 19; N/2 Section 20

(c) Creation of the Stoney Butte-Mesaverde Gil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, for Mesaverde production, described as:

Township 21 North, Range 14 West N/2 Section 1; N/2 Section 2

Township 22 North, Range 14 West All Sections 35 and 36

- (d) Extension of the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include S/2 Section 16 in Township 26 North, Range 7 West.
- (e) Extension of the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool to include all of Sections 34, 35 and 36 in Township 29 North, Range 5 West.
- (f) Extension of the South Blanco-Tocito Pool to include S/2 Section 5, all of Section 6 in Township 26 North, Range 6 West.

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(Notice of Publication read by Mr. Graham).

ELVIS A. UTZ

having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. GRAHAM:

- Q Will you state your name and position for the record, please?
- A Elvis A. Utz, Engineer for Oil Conservation Commission.
- Q Mr. Utz, have you made an investigation of Case 652 as advertised, and can you give us your recommendation and any observations you may have?

A Yes, I have, and I recommend that the South-Blanco-Pictured Cliff, the South Blanco-Tocito pools, which are in the Blanco-Mesaverde, which are now existent pools, be extended as advertised, and that we create new pools which are designated as Torreon-Entrada Gil Fool, Torreon-Mesaverde Gil Pool and the Stoney Butte-Mesaverde Gil Pool. In support of my recommendations I would like to introduce an Exhibit which states these, the delineations of these pools, together with the wells which supports these.

MR. SPURRIER: They will be accepted. Any questions of the witness? Does anyone have a comment in this case? If not we will take the case under advisement and the meeting is adjourned until nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

(Witness excused)

(Recess)

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached transcript of hearing in Case No. 652 before the Oil Conservation Commission, State of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, on January 20, 1954, is a true and correct record of the same to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

DATED at Albuquerque, New Mexico, this 252 day of January,

Ada Seamley
REPORTER