

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico March 14, 1957

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

Case No. 861

DEARNLEY-MEIER AND ASSOCIATES

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IN THE MATTER OF:

(Rehearing) Application of Kl Paso Natural Gas Company for rehearing on Case 861, Order R-639-A. : Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a rehearing in Case 861, Order R-639-A, on those matters concerning the size of a standard drilling and proration unit in the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

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BEFORE:

Honorable Edwin L. Mechem Mr. A. L. Porter Mr. Murray Morgan

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MR. PORTER: The next case on the docket will be \$61.

MR. COOLEY: Case 861. (Rehearing) Application of El Pase Natural Gas Company for rehearing on Case 861, Order R-639-A.

MR. WOODWARD: John Woodward appearing for El Paso Natural Gas Company as applicant in Cases S61 and Case 1204, which cases we have asked to be consolidated, at least for the purposes of presentation. El Paso requests an indefinite continuance of both cases for the reason it is seeking to make arrangements for the drilling of a well in the south half of the structure on which the Crosby-Devonian Pool is located, probably in the southeast quarter of Section 33, Township 25 south, Range 37 east. The drilling of

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such a well, we feel will provide additional data for the Countssion and the industry.

MR. PORTER: Mr. Harbin.

MR. HARBIN: Nat Harbin with Sinelair Oil and Gas Company. We have no objection to the requested continuance. I assume that in the event the cases should be, in the future be placed on the docket for hearing, that we would have ample advance notice of the hearing.

MR. PORTER: I think so, Mr. Harbin. You would receive the usual notice.

Is there any objection to the counsel's motion for an indefinite continuance of these two cases?

Does anyone have objection to counsel's proposal for indefinite continuance? The Commission will continue the cases indefinitely and when it is brought up for hearing it will be advertised.

CERTIFICATE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
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COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

I, ADA DEARNLEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed my hand and notarial seal this 28 7% day of Merch 1957.

Notary Public-Court Reporter

My commission expires: June 19, 1959.