

**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. 1099
Order No. R-848**

**THE APPLICATION OF JOHN J. REDFERN,
JR., FOR AN ORDER GRANTING AN EXCEPTION
TO RULES 2, 3 AND 6 (A) OF THE SPECIAL
RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE FULCHER
KUTZ-PICTURED CLIFFS GAS POOL AS SET
FORTH IN ORDER NO. R-565-C IN ESTABLISH-
MENT OF A NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNIT
OF 197.96 CONTIGUOUS ACRES CONSISTING
OF LOTS 1, 2, AND 3, THE S/2 SE/4 AND
SE/4 SW/4 OF SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH,
RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.**

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on July 11, 1956 at Hobbs, New Mexico, before Warren W. Mankin, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission", in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 5th day of August 1956, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered said application, the evidence adduced and the recommendations of the Examiner, Warren W. Mankin, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

1. That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

2. That applicant, John J. Redfern, Jr., is the operator of federal oil and gas leases on the following lands in San Juan County, New Mexico, consisting in part of:

**TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM
Lots 1, 2, and 3, S/2 SE/4 and SE/4
SW/4 of Section 9**

containing 197.96 acres, more or less.

3. That the royalty in the above described leaseholds is of common interest, being that of the United States of America; and that all working interest and overriding royalty interests in the said leases were, at the time of this hearing, in the process of being communitized.

4. That applicant, John J. Redfern Jr., has a gas well on the above described leases which is known as Hazel L. Gentle No. 1 Well located 1100 feet from the South line and 1520 feet from the East line of said Section 9.

5. That the creation of a proration unit of the afore-said acreage and the pooling of all interests therein will not cause but will prevent waste and will protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the application of John J. Redfern, Jr., for approval of a non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the following described acreage in the Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico:


TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, NMPM
Lots 1, 2 and 3, the S/2 SE/4 and SE/4
SW/4 of Section 9

consisting of 197.96 acres, more or less, be and the same is hereby approved and created.

(2) That applicant's Hazel L. Gentle Well No. 1 located 1100 feet from the South line and 1520 feet from the East line of said Section 9 be and the same is hereby granted an allowable in the proportion that the above described 197.96 acres bears to the standard proration unit of the Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool, all contingent upon receipt by the Commission of an executed counterpart of a communitization agreement between all persons owning either a portion of the working interest or an overriding royalty in the above described leasehold estates.


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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



JOHN F. SIMMS, Chairman


E. S. WALKER, Member


A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

