

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

APPLICATION OF STANDARD OIL
COMPANY OF TEXAS FOR AN ORDER
CREATING AN ESTABLISHED GAS
POOL FOR PENNSYLVANIAN PRODUC-
TION AND ESTABLISHING 320-ACRE
GAS UNITS IN SECTIONS 14 AND 15,
T. 18 S., R. 26 E., EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO

CASE No. 1419

APPLICATION

Comes now Standard Oil Company of Texas and applies to the Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico for an order establishing a designated gas pool for production from the Pennsylvanian Sand of gas and gas condensate in Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico to be designated as the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, and for the adoption of pool rules on a temporary basis for a period of one year providing for uniform spacing and establishment of 320-acre drilling units for said pool, units to consist of adjacent quarter-sections, with well locations fixed at 990 feet and 1980 feet from outside boundaries of said units, and for such other and further orders as the Commission may determine proper.

In support of this application, the applicant would show the Commission:

1. That applicant has completed its J. H. Everest No. 1 well at a location 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 14, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, as a gas condensate producer in the Pennsylvanian sand.
2. That applicant is the operator of a 320-acre tract pooled in the Pennsylvanian Sand, and consisting of the W 1/2 of Section 14, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., Eddy County, New Mexico.
3. That applicant is the operator of a 320-acre pooled tract in the Pennsylvanian Sand and consisting of the S 1/2 of Section 15, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico

4. That applicant has numerous leases in and adjoining Sections 14 and 15, in T. 18 S., R. 26 E., Eddy County, N. M.

5. That applicant plans to drill its Martin No. 1 well in the NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 15, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., for production from the Pennsylvanian Sand, Eddy County, New Mexico.

6. That on the basis of information presently available, it is believed that one well will efficiently and economically drain and develop 320 acres in the area involved, and that the establishment of 320-acre drilling units for the pool is in the interests of conservation, will prevent waste, and that correlative rights will be protected.

WHEREFORE applicant requests that this application be set for hearing by the Commission at the regular April, 1958, hearing of the Commission, or as soon thereafter as may be possible, and that after notice and hearing as provided by law, the Commission enter its order creating a new gas condensate pool for Pennsylvanian production, fixing drilling units at 320 acres, establishing well locations, and such other and further orders as may be proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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