

DOCKET: REGULAR HEARING: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1960

Oil Conservation Commission - 9 a.m., Mabry Hall, State Capitol, Santa Fe, N.M.

- ALLOWABLE
- (1) Consideration of the oil allowable for October, 1960.
  - (2) Consideration of the allowable production of gas for October, 1960, from six prorated pools in Lea County, New Mexico, also consideration of the allowable production of gas from seven prorated pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, for October, 1960.

CONTINUED CASE

CASE 1979: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Products Company for a hearing de novo before the Oil Conservation Commission in Case No. 1979, Order No. R-1699, which was an application by The Atlantic Refining Company for a pressure maintenance project in the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.

NEW CASES

CASE 2069: Application of Benson-Montin-Greer Drilling Corporation for the creation of a new oil pool for Gallup production and for the promulgation of temporary special rules and regulations for said pool. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order creating a new pool for Gallup production consisting of the E/2 of Section 7, all of Sections 8 and 17, the W/2 of Section 9, the W/2 of Section 16 and the E/2 of Section 18, all in Township 28 North, Range 13 West, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant further seeks the promulgation of special rules and regulations governing said pool including a provision for temporary 80-acre oil proration units. Applicant also requests that allowables for wells in said pool may be transferred to other wells in the pool so that interference tests may be conducted.

CASE 2070: Application of the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to consider the Revision of Rule 311 to provide that a sediment oil destruction permit must be utilized within ten days after approval thereof.

CASE 2071: Northwestern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for an order for the extension of existing pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico:

- (a) Extend the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 10 WEST, NMPM

Section 8: S/2

Section 9: SW/4

- (b) Extend the Ballard-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM,  
Section 15: SE/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM  
Section 17: SE/4

- (c) Extend the Pine Lake-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM,  
Section 31: All (partial)

- (d) Extend the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM,  
Section 28: SW/4  
Section 29: S/2  
Section 30: SE/4  
Section 33: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM,  
Section 9: SE/4

- (e) Extend the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM  
Section 31: N/2

- (f) Extend the Escrito-Gallup Oil Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM,  
Section 17: SW/4  
Section 25: NW/4

- (g) Extend the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM  
Section 2: SW/4 NE/4  
Section 15: S/2 NE/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM,  
Section 21: SW/4 SE/4 & SE/4 SW/4

CASE 1978: Application of Shell Oil Company for an order authorizing two salt water disposal wells. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing the disposal of produced salt water through its State ETA Well No. 1, located in the NE/4 NE/4 of Section 8, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico, with the injection to be in the Wolfcamp formation in the interval from 10,365 feet to 10,463 feet. Applicant further seeks an order authorizing the disposal of produced salt water through its State EDA Well No. 2, located in the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 7, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico, with injection to be in the Wolfcamp formation in the interval from 10,712 feet to 10,734 feet.

CASE 1979: Application of The Atlantic Refining Company for an order authorizing a water injection project in the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing the injection of water, for purposes of pressure maintenance and/or secondary recovery, into the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool through 15 wells located in Sections 19, 20, 29, 30 and 31, Township 31 North, Range 16 West, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant further requests that special rules and regulations be promulgated governing the operation of this water injection project including the assignment of a project allowable.

CASE 1980: Application of Hudson and Hudson for nine unorthodox locations. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing the drilling of wells at nine 5-spot locations on its Puckett "A" Lease, Maljamar Pool, Lea and Eddy Counties, New Mexico, said wells to be located in the 40-acre units hereinafter described, and within 100 feet of the indicated corner thereof.

SW Corner Unit O, Section 13, and the following wells in Section 24:

SE Corner Unit D; SE Corner Unit F;

NW Corner Unit C; NE Corner Unit G;

SW Corner Unit B; NW Corner Unit K;

NW Corner Unit A; NW Corner Unit I;

all in Township 17 South, Range 31 East, Eddy County.

- CASE 1981: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for an order amending the special pool rules for the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order amending the special pool rules for the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to authorize district supervisors to approve "slim hole" completions in the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, regardless of depth.
- CASE 1982: Application of Otto Reynolds for an unorthodox oil well location. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox oil well location for his Wood Well No. 1, located 330 feet from the South line and 1629 feet from the West line of Section 14, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico.
- CASE 1983: Application of Ralph Lowe for permission to commingle the production from several separate leases. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks permission to commingle the production from an undesignated Delaware pool from several separate leases comprising the N/2 NW/4 of Section 17 and the E/2 NE/4 and the E/2 NW/4 of Section 18, Township 25 South, Range 30 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- CASE 1984: Application of Mountain States Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location and for a 183-acre non-standard gas unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location for a well to be drilled 1050 feet from the North line and 750 feet from the West line of partial Section 31, Township 26 North, Range 2 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant further seeks the establishment of a 183-acre non-standard gas unit in the Pine Lakes-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool consisting of all of said partial Section 31 to be dedicated to the subject well.
- CASE 1985: Application of Charles Loveless, Jr. for a 280-acre non-standard gas unit. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the establishment of a 280-acre non-standard gas unit in the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool consisting of the NE/4 NE/4, W/2 NE/4, NW/4 of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, or in the alternative to force pool all mineral interest owners in the SE/4 NE/4 of said Section 11 in the Atoka-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool with the interests of those in the above-described non-standard unit in said pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled 1650 feet from the North and West lines of said Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.