

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE No. 1998
Order No. R-1663-A

APPLICATION OF GREAT WESTERN
DRILLING COMPANY FOR AN ORDER
FORCE-POOLING THE INTERESTS IN
A 200-ACRE NON-STANDARD GAS
PRORATION UNIT IN THE EUMONT
GAS POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 22, 1960, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Daniel S. Nutter, 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 Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 30th day of June, 1960, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Nutter, 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 by Order No. R-1663, a 200-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool was created, consisting of the E/2 NE/4 of Section 32 and the E/2 NW/4 and NW/4 NW/4 of Section 33, all in Township 19 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, which unit is dedicated to the applicant's Bordages Well No. 1, located 330 feet from the North line and 270 feet from the West line of said Section 33.

(3) That the applicant seeks an order force-pooling all the mineral interests in the above-described 200-acre non-standard Eumont Gas Proration Unit.

(4) That it is completely impracticable to form a standard Eumont Gas Unit embracing the above-described 200-acre tract inasmuch as all adjacent acreage is already dedicated to other Eumont Gas Proration Units.

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(5) That a majority of all parties owning working interests and royalty interests in the above-described proration unit have agreed to communitization.

(6) That the applicant has made diligent efforts to communitize all Eumont Gas Pool interests in the above-described 200-acre unit, but has been unable to obtain the consent of all persons owning interests therein.

(7) That after diligent search and inquiry on the part of the applicant, there remain several persons owning interests in the above-described 200-acre unit whose identities and/or addresses are unknown.

(8) That all known parties with known addresses owning an interest in the above-described 200-acre unit were given actual notice of the hearing in this case, and the Commission has received no objection to the approval of the subject application.

(9) That approval of the subject application will neither cause waste nor impair correlative rights, and denial of the application would tend to deprive the owners in said unit of the opportunity to recover their just and equitable share of the hydrocarbons in the Eumont Pool.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the interests of all persons having the right to drill for, produce, or share in the production of dry gas and associated liquid hydrocarbons, or either of them, from the Eumont Gas Pool underlying the 200-acre non-standard gas proration unit created by Order No. R-1663 be and the same are hereby force-pooled.

(2) That this Order, as well as the allowable assigned to this non-standard gas proration unit by Order No. R-1663, shall become effective on July 1, 1960.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

John Burroughs
JOHN BURROUGHS, Chairman

Murray E. Morgan
MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member

A. L. Porter, Jr.
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