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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico August 15, 1962

IN THE MATTER OF:

Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for an order creating new pools and extending certain existing pools in Lea and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico.

Case 2619

Honorable Edwin L. Mechem BEFORE: Mr. A. L. "Pete" Porter Mr. E. S. "Johnny" Walker

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

MR. PORTER: Case 2619.

Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case MR. PAYNE: calling for an order creating new pools and extending certain existing pools in Lea and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico.

(Witness sworn.)

DAN NUTTER

called as a witness, having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

- Q State your name and position, please.
- Dan Nutter, Chief Engineer for the Oil Conservation Commission.



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DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. PAYNE:

- Q Have you made a study concerning the necessity of creating new pools and extending certain existing pools in Lea and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico?
 - A Yes, I have.
- Q What is your recommendation for creation of the North Justis-Montoya Pool?
- A I recommend that the North Justis-Montoya Pool be created comprising the Northwest Quarter of Section 1, Township 25 South, Range 37 East. The discovery well was the J. C. Williamson, Westates Federal No. 8 in Unit E of said Section 1. It was completed in the Montoya March the 3rd, 1962. The top of the perforations is 7,070 feet.
- Q What are your recommendations concerning the creation of the North Justis-Waddell Pool?
- A I recommend this North Justis-Waddell Pool be created comprising the Southeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 24

 South, Range 37 East. This pool was discovered by Texaco, Inc.,
 G. L. Erwin (b) NCT-2 No. 3 in Unit I of Section 35. It was completed in the Waddell April 27, 1962, and the top of the perforations is 8,246 feet.
 - Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension



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of the Allison-Pennsylvanian Pool?

I recommend that it be extended in accordance with this exhibit, which is the same as the docket.

Q Paragraph (c)?

- A Paragraph (c).
- What is your recommendation concerning the extension of the Blinebry Pool?

I recommend it be extended in accordance with the exhibit, which is the same as the docket.

What are your recommendations concerning the extension Q of the South Crossroads-Devonian Pool?

That it be extended in accordance with the exhibit, which is the same as the docket.

What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Hobbs Pool?

That it be extended in accordance with the exhibit, which is the same as the docket.

What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Justis-Blinebry Pool?

That it be extended in accordance with the exhibit, A which is the same as the docket.

What is your recommendation concerning the extension of the North Justis-Blinebry Pool?

I recommend that it be extended in accordance with the



docket and also that the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast

Quarter of Section 2. Township 25 South, Range 37 East be added.

- Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the North Justis-Ellenburger Pool?
- A That it be extended in accordance with the exhibit and the docket.
- Q What are your recommendations of the extension of the North Justis-Fusselman Pool?
- A That it be extended in accordance with the docket and also that the Northeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 24 South, Range 37 East be added.
- Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the North Justis Tubb-Drinkard Pool?
- A That it be extended in accordance with the docket and the exhibit, and also that the Northeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 24 South. Range 37 South be added.
- Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Lea-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool?
- A That it be extended in accordance with the docket and the exhibit, and also that the Northeast Quarter of Section 13, Township 20 South be added.
- Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the South Lane-Pennsylvanian Pool?



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A That it be extended in accordance with the docket and the exhibit.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Medicine Rock-Devonian Pool?

A That it be extended in accordance with the docket and the exhibit.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Saunders Permo-Pennsylvanian Pool?

A That it be extended in accordance with the docket and the exhibit.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the East Saunders Permo-Pennsylvanian Pool?

A Same thing.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Sawyer-San Andres Gas Pool?

A The same.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the East Weir-Blinebry Pool?

A I recommend that it be extended as depicted on the docket, which is in accordance with the exhibit.

MR. PAYNE: I move the introduction of Exhibit 1.

MR. PORTER: The exhibit will be entered into the record. Any questions of the witness? The witness may be



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excused.

(Witness excused.)

MR. PORTER: If there is nothing further to be offered in the case we will take the case under advisement and the hearing is adjourned.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO SS 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 15th day of September, 1962.

Notary Public-Court Reporter

My commission expires: June 19, 1963.

