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DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - THURSDAY - MARCH 7, 1963

9 A. M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM, STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner, or Elvis A. Utz, as alternate examiner:

CASE 2763: (Continued)

Application of Sunray DX Oil Company for the creation of a Strawn Gas Pool and for Special Temporary Pool Rules, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new Strawn Gas Pool for its New Mexico State "AH" Well No. 1, located in Unit K of Section 30, Township 18 South, Range 23 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, and the establishment of temporary pool rules therefor, including a provision for 640-acre proration units.

- <u>CASE 2766:</u> Application of Tom Brown Drilling Company, Inc., for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the abovestyled cause, seeks approval of the Siegrest Draw Unit Area, comprising 7,578 acres, more or less, of State and fee lands in Township 19 South, Range 23 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- <u>CASE 2767</u>: Application of Tom Brown Drilling Company, Inc., for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the abovestyled cause, seeks approval of the Antelope Sink Unit Area, comprising 7,561 acres, more or less, of State and fee lands in Township 19 South, Ranges 23 and 24 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- <u>CASE 2768</u>: Application of Ernest A. Hanson and Harold Kersey for special nomenclature, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicants, in the above-styled cause, seek an order extending the vertical limits of that portion of the Red Lake (Grayburg-San Andres) Pool underlying the NW/4 of Section 14, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein the Queen formation.
- CASE 2769: Application of Cities Service Oil Company for three water injection wells, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to convert the Pure State No. 1 and the Gulf State Well No. 1 located in Units D and P, respectively, of Section 16, Township 14 South, Range 31 East, Chaves County, New Mexico, to water injection, offsetting Phillips Petroleum Company's West Cap Waterflood Project. Applicant further seeks authority to drill an additional water injection well at the southwest corner of Unit K of said Section 16.

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<u>CASE 2770:</u>

Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for permission to conduct certain special well tests, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to conduct maximum pressure build-up tests on 27 wells in the Blanco-Mesaverde, Basin-Dakota, Aztec-Pictured Cliffs, Ballard-Pictured Cliffs, and South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pools, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico. Applicant further seeks exception to the annual well-testing requirements of Order R-333-F for said wells during the testing period, as well as exception to the underage and overage balancing requirements of Order R-1670. Further, applicant seeks authority to transfer said wells' allowables to other wells on the same basic lease for production. Applicant also seeks an administrative procedure for the designation of such substitute wells for testing as may be deemed necessary.

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