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BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
November 14, 1962

REGULAR HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:)

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

Case 2697

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

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

MR. PORTER: We'll take up Case 2697.

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

(Witness sworn.)

ERIC ENGBRECHT

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

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. DURRETT:

Q Will you please state your name and position for the



record?

A Eric Engbrecht, engineer, District 1 with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Hobbs, New Mexico.

Q Mr. Engbrecht, are you prepared to recommend to the Commission today that it enter an order creating the new pools and extending certain existing pools in Eddy, Lea and Roosevelt Counties, New Mexico?

A I am.

Q In that connection have you prepared your recommendations in the form of an exhibit?

A I have.

Q Referring first to paragraph (a) of this exhibit which concerns creating a new oil pool for San Andres production, it's been called to my attention that there was an error in advertising this paragraph, is that correct?

A That is correct.

Q In that connection would you like to move the Commission to delete this paragraph from your recommendation and take it up at a later date after it has been properly advertised?

A I would.

Q Now, referring to your exhibit once again, do you have any additions or corrections that you would like to make to that exhibit?



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A Yes. In addition to the deletion of paragraph (a) there is additions in paragraph (g) within Section 12 of the Southeast Quarter of Township 8 South, Range 34 East. There is also another addition in the Northeast Quarter of Section 18 of Township 8 South and Range 35 East. The further addition is in paragraph (k), and this should read Southeast Quarter of Section 1 of Township 18 South, Range 33 East. These are the only additions that we have.

Q And do you, with the exception of these additions, do you recommend that your exhibit be adopted in full as expressing your recommendations?

A Yes, sir.

Q As that appears on this docket and as advertised in this case?

A Yes, sir, except for the additions which I mentioned in the testimony.

Q Thank you. Was Exhibit 1 prepared by you or under your direct supervision?

A Yes, sir.

MR. DURRETT: If the Commission please, I move the introduction of Exhibit 1 in this case, and that concludes my examination.

MR. PORTER: Without objection the exhibit will be



admitted. Mr. Durrett, was there a motion to dismiss one paragraph in the case?

MR. DURRETT: Yes, sir, there was, paragraph (a). The witness stated, it was called to my attention that there had not been correct advertisement, and he moved to delete that paragraph from his recommendations and from the exhibit.

MR. PORTER: That's the creation of the Diablo-San Andres Pool?

MR. DURRETT: Yes, sir, that is.

MR. PORTER: That paragraph will be dismissed. Does anyone have any questions of the witness? The witness may be excused.

(Witness excused.)

MR. PORTER: If there's nothing further to be offered in the case we'll take it under advisement.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
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 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 27th day of November, 1962.

Ada Dearnley

 Notary Public-Court Reporter

My commission expires:

June 19, 1963.

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