

- p. EXTEND the Red Lake Green-Grayburg-San Andres Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST, NMPM

Section 13: NW/2

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST, NMPM

Section 7: NW/2

- q. EXTEND the Sams Ranch-Grayburg Gas Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 12: NW/4

- r. EXTEND the Seven Rivers-Yeso Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 34: NW/2

- (s) EXTEND the North Square Lake-Grayburg-San Andres Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, NMPM

Section 11: SE/4 and S/2 SW/4

Section 14: NW/4

Docket No. 23-84

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - THURSDAY - JUNE 7, 1984

3:00 A.M. - MORGAN HALL

STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following case will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Examiner or Michael E. Stogner, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 3224: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to prohibit the disposal of water produced in conjunction with oil and natural gas in unlined pits, on the surface of the ground, in any water course, or in any body of water in McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, and San Juan Counties, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, proposes that such disposal be prohibited at well sites, tank batteries, pipelines, pipeline stations, plants (processing or treating), or at any location where such waters are collected.

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1. EXTEND the East Millman-Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include the Red Lake Atoka-Upper Pennsylvania Gas Pool.
2. EXTEND the West Atoka-Upper Pennsylvania Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include the East Millman-Queen-Grayburg Pool.
3. EXTEND the East Avalon-Pine Bend Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 12 EAST, NMPM

Section 17: All

Section 34: E/2

TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST, NMPM

Section 1: Lots 1-8

4. EXTEND the Boyd-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM

Section 14: S/2

Section 23: All

- (k) EXTEND the Esperanza-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM

Section 28: All

Section 33: All

- (l) EXTEND the Herradura Bend - Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM

Section 36: N/2

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 31: W/2

- (m) EXTEND the South Loco Hills Queen-Grayburg-San Andres Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM

Section 32: SE/4 and S/2 SW/4

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM

Section 5: All

- (n) EXTEND the Malaga-Atoka Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM

Section 1: All

Section 2: All

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM

Section 6: W/2

- (o) EXTEND the East Millman-Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM

Section 18: NE/4

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CASE 8440: (Continued from January 30, 1985, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Conoco Inc. to amend Administrative Division Order DHC-417, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks to amend Administrative Division Order DHC-417 to allow its State H-35 Well No. 9 located in Unit H of Section 35, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, to produce approximately 120 more barrels of water per day than presently allowed.

CASE 8450: (Continued from January 30, 1985, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Robert E. Chandler Corporation for compulsory pooling and a non-standard proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Blinbry formation underlying a non-standard oil proration unit, consisting of approximately 25.9 acres, comprising Lot 4 of Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 39 East, NMPM, East Hobbs-Blinbry Pool, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8483: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on its own motion to consider:

The extension of the vertical limits of the East Millman Queen-Grayburg Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include the San Andres formation, the redesignation of said pool as the East Millman Queen-Grayburg-San Andres Pool, and the extension of the horizontal limits thereof.

Docket No. 6-85

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 20, 1985

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

CASE 8224: (Readvertised)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to define the vertical and areal extent of aquifers potentially vulnerable to contamination by the surface disposition of water produced in conjunction with the production of oil and gas in McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval and San Juan Counties, New Mexico. Applicant seeks to define such areas and prohibit and/or limit the disposition of such produced waters on the surface of the ground therein at any location where such waters are produced or collected.

NOTE: Case No. 8224 will be heard by the Commission in two parts approximately 30 days apart. At this initial hearing, the Commission will hear the report of the committee which has been studying "vulnerable" aquifers and produced water disposal in the San Juan Basin since July, 1984. It is expected that a member of the OCD staff will also put on testimony and there may be testimony by individual committee members. An opportunity for cross examination and testimony by other interested parties will be provided. The case will be continued and reopened in approximately 30 days for the receipt of new or additional testimony by any participant.

This unusual format is being provided to assure that all participants have a full and complete opportunity to review the recommendations of the committee and to address its report and any other relevant issues or evidence.

CASE 8331: (Continued from January 10, 1985, Commission Hearing)

(De Novo)

Application of Amoco Production Company for an extension of the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the extension of the Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool to include Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23 and 24 in Township 24 North, Range 2 West. Upon application of Amoco Production Company, this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Division Rule 1220.

- (r) EXTEND the Tomahawk-San Andres Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 6: SE/4

- (s) EXTEND the Young-Bone Spring Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM

Section 16: SW/4

Docket No. 10-85

DOCKET: OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 3, 1985

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION - MORGAN HALL
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

CASE 8224: (Continued from February 20, 1985, Commission Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to define the vertical and areal extent of aquifers potentially vulnerable to contamination by the surface disposition of water produced in conjunction with the production of oil and gas in McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval and San Juan Counties, New Mexico. Applicant seeks to define such areas and prohibit and/or limit the disposition of such produced waters on the surface of the ground therein at any location where such waters are produced or collected.

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Docket Nos. 14-85 and 15-85 are tentatively set for May 8 and May 22, 1985. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING - MONDAY - APRIL 22, 1985

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION - ROOM 205
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following case was continued from April 3, 1985, Commission Hearing:

CASE 8224: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to define the vertical and areal extent of aquifers potentially vulnerable to contamination by the surface disposition of water produced in conjunction with the production of oil and gas in McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval and San Juan Counties, New Mexico. Applicant seeks to define such areas and prohibit and/or limit the disposition of such produced waters on the surface of the ground therein at any location where such waters are produced or collected.

Docket No. 13-85

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 24, 1985

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

The following cases will be heard before Michael E. Stogner, Examiner, or Gilbert P. Quintana, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 8561: Application of Mar Oil & Gas Corp. Inc. for a unit agreement, Torrance County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the Willard Unit Area comprising 7040 acres, more or less, of State, Federal and Fee lands in Townships 4 and 5 North, Range 8 East.

CASE 8562: Application of Mar Oil & Gas Corp. Inc. for a unit agreement, Torrance County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the Berkshire Unit Area comprising 27,840 acres, more or less, of State, Federal and Fee lands in Townships 6 and 7 North, Ranges 9 and 10 East.

CASE 8582: Application of Parabo, Inc. for amendment of Division Order No. R-5516, as amended, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order No. R-5516, as amended, authorizing the water levels to be raised in Pits 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7.

CASE 8563: (This case will be continued to May 22, 1985)

Application of Cabot Petroleum Corporation for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres and Glorieta formations in the open-hole interval from 4583 feet to 6730 feet in the J. L. Reed Well No. 3 located 1980 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 35, Township 13 South, Range 37 East.

CASE 8461: (Continued from March 13, 1985, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Alpha Twenty-One Production Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Grayburg formation underlying the SE/4 NE/4 of Section 32, Township 18 South, Range 37 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8462: (Continued from March 13, 1985, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Alpha Twenty-One Production Company for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres formation in the perforated interval from approximately 3700 feet to 4000 feet in the existing Sun Exploration and Production Company Gregory "A" Well No. 3 located 660 feet from the North and West lines (Unit D) of Section 33, Township 25 South, Range 37 East.

CASE 8564: Application of the Commissioner of Public Lands for the State of New Mexico to vacate and void Division Order No. R-7817, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks to vacate and void Division Order No. R-7817 which authorized TXO Production Company to pool all mineral interests from the top of the Wolfcamp formation to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the S/2 of Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, to be dedicated to a well at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the South and East lines.

CASE 8534: (Continued from April 10, 1985, Examiner Hearing) (This case will be dismissed.)

Application of A.M. Kalaf and George Kalaf for compulsory pooling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the East Puerto Chiquito-Mancos Oil Pool underlying the SE/4 of Section 4, Township 25 North, Range 1 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8565: (This case will be dismissed)

Application of TXO Production Corp. for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in all formations from the top of the Wolfcamp formation to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the S/2 of Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox well location 660 feet from the South and East lines of said Section 2. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8552: (Continued from April 10, 1985, Examiner Hearing)

Application of J. M. Huber Corporation for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Wolfcamp formation underlying the N/2 NW/4 of Section 8, Township 13 South, Range 36 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 8471: (Continued from March 27, 1985, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for NGPA Wellhead Price Ceiling Category Determination, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the determination that it Wood Gas Com "A" Well No. 1 located in the NW/4 NE/4 of Section 4, Township 31 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, Cedar Hill Fruitland Basal Coal Gas Pool, meets the NGPA well category criteria for Section 107, High Cost Occluded Gas Produced from Coal Seams, under Section 107 of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978.

CASE 8566: Application of Amoco Production Company for NGPA Wellhead Price Ceiling Category determination, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the determination that its Leeper Gas Com "D" Well No. 1-Y located 1500 feet from the South line and 840 feet from the West line of Section 34, Township 32 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, Cedar Hill Fruitland Basal Coal Gas Pool, meets the NGPA well category criteria set for Section 107, High Cost Occluded Gas Produced from Coal Seams, under Section 107 of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978.

CASE 8567: Application of Southland Royalty Company for pool creation and discovery allowable, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new oil pool for Bone Spring production comprising the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 15, Township 18 South, Range 34 East, and the assignment of a discovery allowable in the amount of 49,235 barrels for its Tonto State 15 Well No. 1.