

CASE 10801: Application of Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation for compulsory pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Fruitland Sand formation, underlying the SW/4 of Section 22, Township 30 North, Range 12 West, forming a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 160-acre spacing within said vertical extent. Said unit is to be dedicated to its Osborn Well No. 1 to be recompleted at a standard gas well location 790 feet from the South line and 900 feet from the West line of said Section 22. Also to be considered will be the cost of recompleting said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as the operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in recompleting said well. Said well is located near Flora Vista, New Mexico.

CASE 10802: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for an unorthodox oil well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of an unorthodox subsurface oil well location for its James "E" Federal Well No. 8 which was directionally drilled to an unorthodox subsurface location being a point at the top of the Cherry Canyon Formation 1970 feet from the South line and 1030 feet from the East line (Unit I) of Section 11, Township 22 South, Range 30 East, Cabin Lake-Delaware Pool. The NE/4 SE/4 of said Section 11 is to be dedicated to said well forming a standard 40-acre oil spacing unit. Said unit is located approximately 22 miles east of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

CASES 10745
and 10754: (Reopened)

Application of Meridian Oil Inc. to amend Division Order No. R-9920 and to reopen Cases 10754 and 10745, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico. Applicant seeks to amend Division Order No. R-9920, dated July 9, 1993, entered in Cases 10721, 10722, 10723, 10724, and 10725 and to Reopen Cases 10745 and 10754 in order to present additional evidence. Specifically, applicant seeks to amend those provisions of Order No. R-9920 which established an economic limit for downhole commingling of production in certain wells in the Pictured Cliffs formation and the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool and to have said amendments applied to orders to be issued in Cases 10745 and 10754. These cases involve a total of seven wells located and described in Division Examiner dockets of April 22, 1993 and July 1, 1993.

CASE 10803: Application of Texaco Exploration and Production, Inc. for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval to drill its Dow "B" 33 Federal Well No. 2 as a gas well at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North line and 2310 feet from the West line (Unit C) of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 31 East, to test the Morrow formation. The W/2 of said Section 33 is to be dedicated to the well. Applicant further requests approval of the unorthodox location as to all prospective pools or formations including but not limited to the Morrow formation. Said well is located approximately 4 1/2 miles south of Maljamar, New Mexico.

CASE 10804: Application of Collins & Ware, Inc. for special pool rules, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks the promulgation of special pool rules for the Happy Valley-Delaware Pool, located in the NE/4 NW/4 of Section 33, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, including a provision for a gas-oil ratio limitation of 10,000 cubic feet of gas per barrel of oil and a special oil allowable of 160 barrels per day. Said area is located approximately 5 miles southwest of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

CASE 10805: Application of Collins & Ware, Inc. for an unorthodox gas well location and simultaneous dedication, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location 710 feet from the South and East lines (Unit P) of Section 25, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, South Culebra Bluff-Atoka Gas Pool. In addition, the applicant seeks an exception to Division General Rule 104(c)(2) to allow the existing 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising the S/2 of said Section 25 to be simultaneously dedicated in this pool to the proposed well and to the existing Ray "25" Well No. 1 located at a standard gas well location 897 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit N) of said Section 25. Said unit is located approximately 3.5 miles east by southeast of Loving, New Mexico.

CASE 10791: (Continued from August 12, 1993, Examiner Hearing.)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval to drill its Beauregard ANP State Com Well No. 1 to the Morrow formation, Illinois Camp-Morrow Gas Pool, at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the East line (Unit B) of Section 14, Township 18 South, Range 27 East. The E/2 of said Section 14 is to be dedicated to the well. Applicant further requests approval of the unorthodox location as to all prospective pools or formations including but not limited to the Morrow spaced on 320 acres. Said well is located approximately 4 miles northeast of Illinois Camp.