

Dockets Nos. 25-81 and 26-81 are tentatively set for August 12 and 26, 1981. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: COMMISSION HEARING -- MONDAY - JULY 20, 1981

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

CASE 6892: (DE NOVO)

Application of Merrion & Bayless for compulsory pooling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool underlying the SW/4 of Section 27, Township 24 North, Range 2 West, 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. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

Upon application of Merrion & Bayless, this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220.

Docket No. 24-81

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JULY 29, 1981

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

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 7309: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the South Shugart Deep Unit Area, comprising 3,806 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Townships 18 and 19 South, Range 31 East.

CASE 7310: Application of Amoco Production Company for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the El Alto Grande Unit Area, comprising 2,560 acres, more or less, of Federal lands in Township 22 South, Ranges 33 and 34 East.

CASE 7311: Application of Amoco Production Company for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Big Sinks Federal Exploratory Unit Area, comprising 3,520 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Townships 25 and 26 South, Range 31 East.

CASE 7280: (Continued from July 15, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Northwest Pipeline Corporation for a dual completion and downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dually complete its Rosa Unit Well No. 77 located in Unit L of Section 33, Township 31 North, Range 5 West, to produce gas from the Mesaverde formation and commingled Gallup and Dakota production through separate strings of tubing.

CASE 7312: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for downhole commingling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Atoka and Morrow production in the wellbore of its Malaga A Well No. 2 located in Unit D of Section 2, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, Malaga Field.

CASE 7313: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for downhole commingling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Atoka and Morrow production in the wellbore of its Drag A Well No. 1 located in Unit C of Section 18, Township 23 South, Range 27 East, South Carlsbad Field.

CASE 7314: Application of Elliott Oil Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Gallup, Dakota, and Mesaverde production in the wellbore of its ORA Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 21, Township 25 North, Range 3 West.

CASE 7315: Application of Rhema Oil Processing for an oil treating plant permit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the NW/4 of Section 30, Township 18 South, Range 38 East.

CASE 7274: (Continued from June 17, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company for directional drilling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to directionally drill its James Ranch Unit Well No. 13 from an unorthodox surface location 660 feet from the South line and 1340 feet from the East line of Section 36, Township 22 South, Range 30 East, in such a manner as to bottom said well in the Morrow formation at a standard location at least 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 31, Township 22 South, Range 31 East, the S/2 of said Section 31 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 7303: (Continued from July 15, 1981, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Florida Hydrocarbons Company for surface commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the surface commingling of Morrow, Strawn, Atoka, and Wolfcamp gas produced from five wells located in Unit F of Section 10, Units G and O of Section 15, and Units A and I of Section 22, all in Township 23 South, Range 34 East, Antelope Ridge Field, after separately metering the gas produced from each well and each zone. Lease liquids would be separated out at the wellhead and the gas processed in a plant, allocating plant production back to each well on the basis of meter readings. Applicant further seeks a procedure whereby additional wells could be similarly commingled in said system.

CASE 7316: Application of Blackwood & Nichols Company, Ltd. for amendment of Order No. R-6636, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Division Order No. R-6636 which authorized directional drilling for its Northeast Blanco Unit Well No. 32-A in Section 7, Township 30 North, Range 7 West, to provide for an amended bottom hole location 2213 feet from the South line and 815 feet from the East line of said Section 7.

CASE 7317: Application of Four Corners Gas Producers Association for designation of a tight formation, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the designation of the Dakota formation underlying Townships 30 and 31 North, Ranges 2 thru 7 West, containing 270,260 acres, more or less, as a tight formation pursuant to Section 107 of the Natural Gas Policy Act and 18 CFR Section 271.701-705.

CASE 7318: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for salt water disposal, Roosevelt County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Wolfcamp formation in the interval from 7332 feet to 7341 feet in its Peterson "H" Well No. 1 in Unit M of Section 29, Township 5 South, Range 33 East, South Peterson Field.