

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE
PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 469
ORDER NO. R-263

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF NEIL H. WILLS, ET AL, FOR APPROVAL
OF A SECONDARY RECOVERY PROGRAM (BY
WATER FLOODING) IN THE RUSSELL POOL,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, IN SECTIONS
12, 13 AND 14, TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE
25 EAST, NMPM.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BE THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. January 15, 1953,
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission, hereinafter
referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this ^{10th} day of February, 1953, the Commission, a quorum
being present, having considered the testimony adduced and the exhibits re-
ceived at said hearing, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises;

FINDS:

(1) That due notice having been given as required by law, the Commis-
sion has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the petitioner's request to revert to secondary recovery
methods by a water injection program will tend to prevent waste and should
be granted upon the condition that said program be pursued in the manner
outlined at said hearing.

(3) That a secondary recovery program by water injection is of an
experimental nature in this particular pool, and periodic reports should be
submitted to the Commission by the petitioner disclosing its acts and doings
in the matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Neil H. Wills et al, be and hereby is given the
right to institute a secondary recovery program on leases in the Russell Pool
by injecting water into the Yates sand reservoir.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That petitioner submit quarterly reports to
the Commission disclosing all of its acts and doings and setting forth therein
the progress it has made by the adoption of its secondary recovery program.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove
designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

E. L. Mechem
Edwin L. Mechem, Chairman

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R. R. Spurrier, Secretary