

IN THE STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD OF MISSISSIPPI

DOCKET # 44-67-248

ORDER NO. 61.67

IN RE: APPLICATION OF SECAN  
OIL COMPANY FOR THE ADOPTION  
OF SPECIAL FIELD RULES FOR  
THE NORTH LAKE MARY FIELD IN  
ADAMS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

ORDER

This matter coming on this day to be heard at the regular meeting of the State Oil and Gas Board held February 15, 1967, in the Second Floor Auditorium of the Woolfolk State Office Building, Northwest Street, Jackson, Mississippi, on the sworn application of Secan Oil Company requesting the adoption and promulgation by the Board of special field rules for the North Lake Mary Field in Adams County, Mississippi, and the designating and defining of the Tew Lake Sand Oil Pool and the Crosby Sand Oil Pool, and the Board having maturely considered the petition of the applicant and the exhibit thereto and being fully advised in the premises, on evidence adduced, and finding that the Board has jurisdiction hereof and that due and legal notices have been published in accordance with the law and the rules and regulations of the Board, the Board is of the opinion that the relief prayed for should be granted, and that the following Special Field Rules should be adopted.

IT IS, THEREFORE, HEREBY ORDERED by the State Oil and Gas Board of Mississippi that the following Special Field Rules be and the same are hereby adopted by the State Oil and Gas Board for the North Lake Mary Field in Adams County, Mississippi, to take effect on and after the 15th day of February, 1967, to-wit:

PROPOSED SPECIAL FIELD RULES  
FOR THE NORTH LAKE MARY FIELD,  
LOCATED IN ADAMS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

A. The North Lake Mary Field as used herein is that area in Sections 8 and 9, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Adams County, Mississippi, including all productive extensions thereof underlain by the Tew Lake Sand Oil Pool and the Crosby Sand Oil Pool of the Wilcox Formation.

1. The Tew Lake Sand Oil Pool, as used herein shall be construed to mean those strata of the Wilcox Formation productive of oil from the depth of 6742 feet to 6762 feet in the Secan Oil Company and William H. Player #5 Norman Well located in the SW-1/4 of the NE-1/4 of Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Adams County, Mississippi, and including those strata productive of oil which can be correlated therewith.
2. The Crosby Sand Oil Pool, as used herein, shall be construed to mean those strata of the Wilcox Formation productive of oil from the depth of 7236 feet to 7251 feet in the Secan Oil Company and William H. Player #5 Norman Well, located in the SW-1/4 of the NE-1/4 of Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Adams County, Mississippi, and including those strata productive of oil which can be correlated therewith.

B. The characteristics of the above mentioned oil pools are such, and the Board so finds from the evidence, that one well drilled on a regularly formed 40-acre drilling unit will efficiently drain and produce the recoverable oil from such unit in said pools without avoidable waste.

C. RULES.

RULE 1 - SPACING OF OIL WELLS.

With respect to each pool, every oil well:

- (a) Shall be located on a drilling unit consisting of at least 40 surface contiguous acres upon which no other drilling or producible well is located;

- (b) Any drilling unit not a governmental quarter-quarter section must be completely encompassed by the perimeter of a rectangle 1810 feet by 1445 feet. Provided, however, no unit shall be permitted which will create island acreage.
- (c) No portion of the drilling unit upon which the well is located shall be attributed in whole or in part to any other drilling or producible well in the same pool;
- (d) The rights of all owners in the drilling unit upon which the well is located shall first be pooled or consolidated;
- (e) The well shall be located at least 660 feet from every other drilling or producible well located in conformity with this rule;
- (f) The well shall be located at least 330 feet from every exterior boundary of the drilling unit.

RULE 2 - APPLICABILITY OF STATEWIDE RULES.

- (a) All rules and regulations contained in Statewide Order 201-51, and amendments thereto, not specifically covered in the foregoing rules are hereby adopted and shall apply to said field.
- (b) The Board expressly reserves the right, after notice and hearing, to alter, amend or repeal any and all of the foregoing rules and regulations.

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED, this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1967.

STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD OF MISSISSIPPI

By Scott Thompson  
Vice - CHAIRMAN