

STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD OF MISSISSIPPI

In the Matter of the Petition of
Trio Operating Co., Inc. for the
Adoption of Special Field Rules in
the South Providence Field, Franklin
County, Mississippi.

Docket No. 40-67-236

ORDER NO. 57-67

This day this cause coming on for hearing before the State Oil and Gas Board of Mississippi upon the duly verified petition of Trio Operating Co., Inc. for the Adoption of Special Field Rules in the South Providence Field, Franklin County, Mississippi, including all extensions thereof underlain by any of the Wilcox sand pools which are hereinafter described. The petitioner is the duly appointed, designated and acting operator of the oil and gas lease and/or leases covering a part of the South Providence Field, which is the subject matter of its petition and particularly the lands and units contained in the Joseph F. Francis Corban wells #1, #2, and #2-A, and the Joseph F. Francis U.S.A. wells 35-13 #2, 36-16, 36-15, 36-10 and 36-7, located and being in the South Providence Field, Franklin County, Mississippi.

The Board finding that due, proper and legal notice of the meeting of this Board for the purpose of considering the petition of Trio Operating Co., Inc. for the Adoption of Special Field Rules for the South Providence Field, Franklin County, Mississippi, has been given in the manner and form provided by

law and the regulations and rules of this Board, and the proofs of the giving of such notice are on file with this Board, and that this Board has full jurisdiction of this cause and of the parties and the right to hear this cause and determine the same at this meeting; and,

The petitioner having filed a proper verified petition for the Adoption of Special Field Rules in the South Providence Field, Franklin County, Mississippi, said Special Field Rules allowing the operator in said field to use a central gathering system for the producing wells in said field, said system to allocate production to all wells in said field on the basis of a weekly well test taken on each well; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to said notice given, a public hearing was held by this Board in the Second Floor Auditorium of the Woolfolk Office Building in Jackson, Mississippi, on February 15, 1967, at which time and place all persons present who desired to be heard on said matters were heard and all proposed Special Field Rules were fully discussed and duly considered by those present at said meeting; and,

WHEREAS, the Board has fully considered said matter and the evidence taken and adduced at said hearing and is of the opinion that the following Special Field Rules should be adopted for the prevention of waste and the protection of the correlative rights of all owners in said field;

IT IS, THEREFORE, HEREBY ORDERED by the Mississippi State Oil and Gas Board that the following Special Field Rules be, and the same are hereby, adopted by the State Oil and Gas Board of Mississippi for the South Providence Field located in

Franklin County, Mississippi, to take effect on and after
March 1, 1967, to-wit:

SPECIAL FIELD RULES FOR THE SOUTH PROVIDENCE
FIELD, FRANKLIN COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

The South Providence Field as used herein is defined as that area located in Sections 35, 36, 44, and 43, Township 6 North, Range 2 East, Franklin County, Mississippi, including all extensions thereof underlain by any of the Wilcox sand pools hereinafter described.

A. The McShane Sand Pool: The McShane Pool, as used herein, shall be construed to mean those strata of the Wilcox Formation productive of oil between the depths of 6310 feet and 6324 feet in the Joe Fortunato - T.J. Guido O.A. Corban #1 well located in Section 36, Township 6 North, Range 2 East, Franklin County, Mississippi, which is located 330 feet from the North line and 610 feet from the East line, NE SE in Section 36, and all those strata which may be correlated therewith.

B. The Jenkins Sand Pool: The Jenkins Pool, as used herein, shall be construed to mean those strata of the Wilcox Formation productive of oil between the depths of 6264 feet and 6309 feet in the Joe Fortunato - T.J. Guido O.A. Corgan #1 well located in Section 36, Township 6 North, Range 2 East, Franklin County, Mississippi, which is located 330 feet from the North line and 610 feet from the East line, NE SE in Section 36, and all those strata which may be correlated therewith.

C. The First Wilcox Sand Pool: The First Wilcox Pool, as used herein, shall be construed to mean those strata of the Wilcox Formation productive of oil between the depths of 4413 feet and 4440 feet in the Joe Fortunato - T.J. Guido O.A. Corban #1 well located in Section 36, Township 6 North, Range 2 East, Franklin County, Mississippi, which is located 330 feet from the North line and 610 feet from the East line, NE SE in Section 36, and all those strata which may be correlated therewith.

SPACING RULES

Rule I: All existing producing units and well locations are hereby approved.

Rule II: No well shall be drilled less than one hundred (100) feet from any other well regardless of the pool from which it is producing.

Rule III: Oil produced from each of the separate pools in the field, from and after the effective date hereof, may be conducted to and measured by meters or in a separate storage tank, when the ownership in such production from each of said pool or pools are the same, and thereafter transported into a common storage system, and further providing that the measurement, gathering and allocation of said production/shall be in accordance with and subject to each of the following provisions:

(A) At least once a week, the production from each well will be directed from the well head straight into a storage tank for a total fluid test.

(B) Weekly well tests on each individual well will be submitted on a monthly basis on Form 17, reporting the monthly production from the pool being measured.

(C) The daily production allowable for each oil well completed in each separate oil pool shall be the statewide allowable fixed by the Board.

(D) The daily oil allowable prescribed for any drilling unit must be produced only from the drilling unit and pool to which said allowable is allocated.

Rule IV: All rules and regulations contained in the State-wide Order No. 201-51 and amendments thereto not specifically covered in the foregoing rules are hereby adopted and shall apply to the South Providence Field.

ORDERED this the 15th day of February, 1967.

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BY


Vice-CHAIRMAN