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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. 3266
Order No. R-2926

APPLICATION OF PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR A DUAL COMPLETION AND
COMMINGLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 9, 1965, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 15th day of June, 1965, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Pan American Petroleum Corporation, seeks authority to complete its Federal "A" Well No. 4 located in Unit L of Section 13, Township 9 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as a dual completion (conventional) to produce oil from the Bough Permo-Pennsylvanian Pool and an undesignated Devonian pool through parallel strings of 2 3/8-inch tubing, with separation of zones by a packer set at approximately 9648 feet.
- (3) That the mechanics of the proposed dual completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.
- (4) That approval of the proposed dual completion will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

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(5) That the applicant also seeks authority to commingle the Bough Permo-Pennsylvanian Pool and the undesignated Devonian pool production from its Federal "A" Well No. 4 after separately metering the production from each pool.

(6) That approval of the proposed commingling installation will result in convenience and economy to the operator, will be in the interest of conservation, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Pan American Petroleum Corporation, is hereby authorized to complete its Federal "A" Well No. 4 located in Unit L of Section 13, Township 9 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as a dual completion (conventional) to produce oil from the Bough Permo-Pennsylvanian Pool and an undesignated Devonian pool through parallel strings of 2 3/8-inch tubing, with separation of zones by a packer set at approximately 9648 feet;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations insofar as said rule is not inconsistent with this order;

PROVIDED FURTHER, that the applicant shall take packer-leakage tests upon completion and annually thereafter during the Gas-Oil Ratio Test Period for the Devonian zone.

(2) That the applicant is hereby authorized to commingle the Bough Permo-Pennsylvanian Pool and the undesignated Devonian pool production from its Federal "A" Well No. 4 after separately metering the production from each pool;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that said installation shall be operated in accordance with the provisions of the Commission's "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities."

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

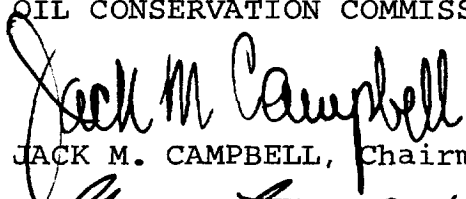
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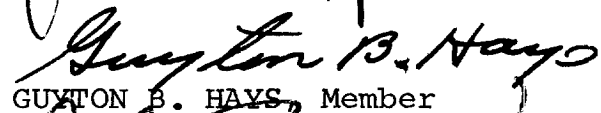
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DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year herein-
above designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman



GUYTON B. HAYS, Member



A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

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