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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. 3068
Order No. R-2731

APPLICATION OF AMERADA PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR A SALT WATER
DISPOSAL, 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 10, 1964, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 19th day of June, 1964, 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, Amerada Petroleum Corporation, is the owner and operator of the L. H. Chambers Well No. 2, located in Unit C of Section 11, Township 12 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Bagley Field, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said L. H. Chambers Well No. 2 to dispose of produced salt water into the Pennsylvanian formation, with the injection interval from 9005 to 9033 feet.

(4) That the injection should be accomplished through 3 1/2-inch internally plastic-coated tubing installed in a packer set at approximately 8900 feet.

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(5) That approval of the subject application will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells and otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Amerada Petroleum Corporation, is hereby authorized to dispose of produced salt water into the Pennsylvanian formation through its L. H. Chambers Well No. 2, located in Unit C of Section 11, Township 12 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Bagley Field, Lea County, New Mexico, injection to be accomplished through 3 1/2-inch internally plastic-coated tubing installed in a packer set at approximately 8900 feet, with injection interval from 9005 to 9033 feet.

(2) That the applicant shall submit monthly reports of its disposal operations in accordance with Rules 704 and 1119 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.


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

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman


E. S. WALKER, Member


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

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