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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. 3080 Order No. R-2744

APPLICATION OF PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR A NO-FLARE EXCEPTION, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on July 15, 1964, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 23rd day of July, 1964, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony presented and the exhibits received at said hearing, 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 an exception to Rule 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Angels Peak-Gallup Pool to flare or vent casinghead gas produced from its C. A. McAdams "B" Wells Nos. 1 and 2, located in Units J and E of Section 28, Township 27 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the cost of installing, operating, and maintaining a compressor on the applicant's C. A. McAdams "B" Lease would decrease the productive life of the subject wells, resulting in premature abandonment of said wells and waste of recoverable oil.

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(4) That approval of the subject application will result in greater ultimate recovery of the most valuable hydrocarbons from the applicant's C. A. McAdams "B" Lease, thereby preventing waste.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicant, Pan American Petroleum Corporation, is hereby granted an exception to Rule 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Angels Peak-Gallup Pool to flare or vent all casinghead gas produced from its C. A. McAdams "B" Wells Nos. 1 and 2, located in Units J and E of Section 28, Township 27 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.
- (2) 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
QIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

VACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman

E, S. WALKER, Member

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

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