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PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION OCC

P. O. Box 480, Farmington, New Mexico 864 SEP 9 AM 8:10
September 8, 1964

File: N-592-986.510.1

Subject: Application for Approval
of Unorthodox Location
Pan American Petroleum
Corporation's Armenta Gas
Unit "C" No. 1
Basin Dakota Pool
San Juan County, New Mexico

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Pan American Petroleum Corporation hereby makes Application for Approval of an Unorthodox Location for its Armenta Gas Unit "C" No. 1 well, Basin Dakota Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, in exception to Rule 2 of Order R-1670-C. The unorthodox location is 795 feet from the east line and 2300 feet from the north line of Section 27, T-29-N, R-10-W, San Juan County, New Mexico.

The attached plat of the area shows the proposed Armenta Gas Unit "C" and the location of Armenta Gas Unit "C" No. 1. Also shown are owners of acreage in the vicinity of the location. Our records indicate that other than Pan American the only other offset operators or operators within the section in which the well is located are El Paso Natural Gas Company, Box 1492, El Paso, Texas, and Southern Union Production Company, Fidelity Union Tower, Dallas, Texas.

The necessity for the unorthodox location is illustrated on the attached copy of NMOCC Form C-128, showing the location of the Armenta Gas Unit "C" No. 1 well with respect to the present location of the San Juan River. You will note from this plat, drawn by the surveyor, that there are no orthodox locations in the N/2 Section 27 on either the north bank or the south bank of the San Juan River. Please note specifically that an alternate location was staked in the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 27 but that it too was unorthodox in that it is only 400 feet from the north line of the section.

Pan American therefore respectfully requests your consideration and approval of this Application for the above described unorthodox location


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on the basis of the terrain conditions. Copies of this letter of application are being sent to the known offset operators.

Yours very truly,

PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION


T. M. Curtis
District Superintendent

GWE:en
Attach.

cc w/attach: El Paso Natural Gas Company
P. O. Box 1492
El Paso, Texas

Southern Union Production Company
Fidelity Union Tower
Dallas, Texas

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat

Section A.

Date _____

Operator PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION Lease ARGENTA GAS UNIT C
 Well No. 1 Unit Letter H Section SE 37 Township 29 NORTH Range 10 WEST NMPM
 Located 2300 Feet From the NORTH Line, 795 Feet From the EAST Line
 County SAN JUAN G. L. Elevation _____ Dedicated Acreage _____ Acres
 Name of Producing Formation _____ Pool _____

1. Is the Operator the only owner in the dedicated acreage outlined on the plat below?
 Yes _____ No _____
2. If the answer to question one is "no", have the interests of all the owners been consolidated by communitization agreement or otherwise? Yes _____ No _____. If answer is "yes", Type of Consolidation _____

2. If the answer to question two is "no", list all the owners and their respective interests below:

OwnerLand Description

Section B.

This is to certify that the information in Section A above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

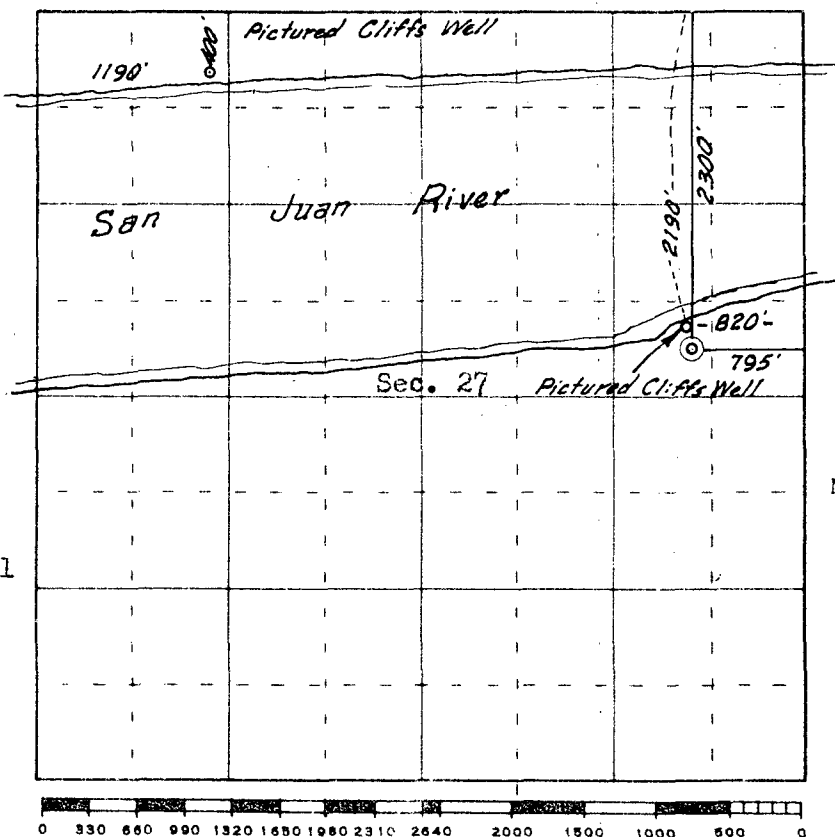
(Operator)

(Representative)

(Address)

Ref: GLO plat dated 19 April 1881

Note: All distances must be from outer boundaries of section.



Scale 4 inches equal 1 mile

This is to certify that the above plat was prepared from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision and that the same are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed August 28, 1964

James P. Leese
 Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor
 James P. Leese, N. Mex. Reg. No. 1463

Farmington, New Mexico

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
III DISTRICT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
BOX 871
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

DATE September 15, 1964

Re: Proposed NSP _____

Proposed NWU _____

Proposed NSL _____

Proposed NFO _____

Proposed DC _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated September 8, 1964

for the Pan American Anmenta Gas Unit "C" #1 27-29N-11W
Operator Lease and Well No. S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

I recommend approval of the Non-standard Location.

Yours very truly,

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