



PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS

GULF OIL CORPORATION

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B. E. THOMPSON
DIVISION PRODUCTION MANAGER

FORT WORTH
PRODUCTION DIVISION

April 29, 1955

Re: Application for 200-acre Non-Standard Gas
Proration Unit, Eumont Gas Pool, Comprising
NE/4 and NW/4 of the SE/4 of Section 23,
T-19-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission
State of New Mexico
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

On December 6, 1954, Gulf Oil Corporation made written application for an exception to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission's Order No. R-520 in regard to the creation of a 200-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool to be located in Section 23, T-19-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. By your letter of January 10, 1955, we were advised that according to Rule 5(a), Paragraph 3, of Order No. R-520, 160 acres is the maximum acreage that could be assigned administratively to our R. R. Bell "H" Well No. 1 because of the well's location in respect to the south and east boundaries.

Therefore, Gulf Oil Corporation hereby resubmits the application for a 200-acre non-standard gas proration unit, comprising the NE/4 and the NW/4 of the SE/4, Section 23, T-19-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, to be assigned to its R. R. Bell "H" Well No. 1 in the Eumont Gas Pool. It is respectfully requested that the Commission place this matter on its Docket for the next regular Statewide Hearing on May 18, 1955.

The following facts are offered in support of this application:

- (1) Gulf Oil Corporation is the owner and operator of the 200-acre oil and gas lease known as the R. R. Bell "H" Lease, Lea County, New Mexico, as shown on the attached plat.
- (2) Gulf Oil Corporation proposes that the above-described acreage be established as a non-standard 200-acre gas proration unit in exception to Rule 5(a) of Order No. R-520.
- (3) The R. R. Bell "H" Well No. 1, located 1980 feet from the north line and 660 feet from the east

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line, Section 23, T-19-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, was completed on June 6, 1954, at a depth of 3915 feet as a gas well in the Eumont Gas Pool, and is producing from within the vertical limit of said gas pool as defined in New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission's Order No. R-520. The applicant proposes to use this well as the unit well.

- (4) No other Eumont Gas well is completed on the 200-acre proration unit proposed under this application.

Respectfully submitted,

GULF OIL CORPORATION

By: 
Division Production Manager

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

July 1, 1955

Gulf Oil Corporation
P.O. Drawer 1290
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Gentlemen:

We enclose a copy of Order R-655 issued on June 28, 1955, by the Oil Conservation Commission in Case 912, which was heard at the May 18th hearing upon your company's application.

Very truly yours,

W. B. Macey
Secretary - Director

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Enclosure

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