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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
TEXAS PACIFIC COAL AND OIL COMPANY)
FOR AN EXCEPTION TO RULE 5(a) AND)
5(b) OF THE SPECIAL RULES FOR THE)
JALMAT GAS POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW)
MEXICO, FOR ITS STATE "A" a/c-1 WELL)
#12, BEING 660 FT. FROM THE SOUTH LINE)
AND 1980 FT. FROM THE EAST LINE OF)
SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 36)
EAST, N.M.P.M. LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO)

Case No. 856

COMES NOW Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company and requests the Commission to grant it an exception to Rule 5 of the Special Rules of the Jalmat Gas Pool for its State "A" a/c-1 Well #12, and for its grounds therefor states:

1. Applicant seeks a non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 9, Township 23 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M. Lea County, New Mexico, and the allocation of an appropriate gas allowable to said unit.

2. The well to which Applicant seeks to have the allowable granted for its State "A" a/c-1 Well #12 is situated 660 ft. from the South line and 1980 ft. from the East line of said Section 9. All of the said gas proration unit lies wholly within a single governmental section and the entire non-standard gas proration unit may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas.

3. There is attached hereto a plat showing the acreage to be dedicated, the well location and the offset ownership.

4. The granting of the exceptions requested herein will not adversely affect the correlative rights of any offset owners and will protect the correlative rights of Applicant and prevent waste and avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells.

5. Applicant's State "A" a/c-1 Well #36, being an oil well producing in the gas interval, is located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 9.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests the Commission to set this matter down for hearing, to publish notice as required by law and to issue its order granting Applicant an exception to the rules of the Commission noted herein for its State "A" a/c-1 Well #12, and allocating to the said well a 320-acre gas proration unit consisting of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 9, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M. Lea County, New Mexico.

TEXAS PACIFIC COAL AND OIL COMPANY

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