

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. 4380  
Order No. R-3992

APPLICATION OF SHENANDOAH OIL  
CORPORATION FOR A WATERFLOOD  
PROJECT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on July 1, 1970,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 15th day of July, 1970, 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, Shenandoah Oil Corporation, seeks  
authority to institute a waterflood project in the Shugart Pool  
by the injection of water into the Yates and Queen formations  
through its Shugart "B" Well No. 1, located in the SW/4 SE/4 of  
Section 33, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County,  
New Mexico.

(3) That the wells in the project area are in an advanced  
state of depletion and should properly be classified as "stripper"  
wells.

(4) That the proposed waterflood project should result in  
the recovery of otherwise unrecoverable oil, thereby preventing  
waste.

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(5) That the subject application should be approved and the project should be governed by the provisions of Rules 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Shenandoah Oil Corporation, is hereby authorized to institute a waterflood project in the Shugart Pool by the injection of water into the Yates and Queen formations through its Shugart "B" Well No. 1, located in the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 33, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(2) That the subject waterflood project is hereby designated the Shenandoah Shugart "B" Waterflood Project and shall be governed by the provisions of Rules 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(3) That monthly progress reports of the waterflood project herein authorized shall be submitted to the Commission in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(4) 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

DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman

ALEX J. ARMIJO, Member

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



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