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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. 2525
Order No. R-2224

APPLICATION OF CITIES SERVICE PETROLEUM
COMPANY FOR CONVERSION OF TWO WELLS IN
THE DRICKEY-QUEEN SAND UNIT, CHAVES
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on April 11, 1962, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 26th day of April, 1962, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Nutter, 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, Cities Service Petroleum Company, seeks approval of the conversion to water injection wells of the Drickey-Queen Sand Unit Wells Nos. 7-1 and 21-3 located, respectively, in the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 1 and the SE/4 NE/4 of Section 2, all in Township 14 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico.

(3) That even though said wells have not received a response from waterflood operations, nor do they offset wells which have received such a response, it is necessary, because of the extremely low permeability in the subject area and the expected slow movement of the water, to place them on injection at the present time to provide backup along the periphery of the flood.

(4) That the subject application should be approved.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Cities Service Petroleum Company, is hereby authorized to convert its Drickey-Queen Sand Unit Wells Nos. 7-1 and 21-3 located, respectively, in the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 1 and the SE/4 NE/4 of Section 2, all in Township 14 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico, to water injection wells.

(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
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman



E. S. WALKER, Member



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

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