Entered November 16, 1962

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. 2647 Order No. R-2345

APPLICATION OF CARPER DRILLING COMPANY, INC. FOR A TUBINGLESS COMPLETION, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on October 10, 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 25th day of October, 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, Carper Drilling Company, Inc., seeks authority to complete its Baetz Well No. 1, located in Unit N of Section 35, Township 14 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico, as a tubingless gas well completion to produce gas from the Pennsylvanian formation through 2 7/8-inch casing.
- (3) That the evidence establishes that the subject well had previously been plugged and abandoned and was completed by the applicant as a salvage operation with installation of as large a casing as was practicable under the circumstances.
- (4) That approval of the subject application will neither cause waste nor impair correlative rights and will be in the interest of conservation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Carper Drilling Company, Inc., is hereby authorized to complete its Baetz Well No. 1, located in

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Unit N of Section 35, Township 14 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico, as a tubingless gas well completion to produce gas from the Pennsylvanian formation through 2 7/8-inch casing.

(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

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E. S. WALKER, Member

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

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