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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. 2839
Order No. R-2519

APPLICATION OF AMERADA PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR A MULTIPLE COMPLE-
TION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 26, 1963, 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 17th day of July, 1963, 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 by Order No. R-1750, the Commission authorized Amerada Petroleum Corporation to complete its Wimberley Well No. 13, located in Unit M of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as a triple completion to produce gas from the Langlie-Mattix Pool and oil from the Blinebry Pool and to dispose of salt water into the San Andres formation.

(3) That Order No. R-1750-A superseded Order No. R-1750 and authorized the applicant to complete its Wimberley Well No. 13 as a triple completion to produce oil from an undesignated zone perforated in the interval from 5017 feet to 5057 feet, to produce oil from the Justis-Blinebry Pool and to dispose of salt water into the San Andres formation.

(4) That the applicant now seeks authority to complete its Wimberley Well No. 13 as a multiple completion (tubingless) to produce gas from the Langlie-Mattix Pool and oil from the Justis-Blinebry Oil Pool through parallel strings of 2 7/8-inch casing and to dispose of salt water into the San Andres formation through

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a third string of 3 1/2-inch casing, all strings of casing to be cemented in a common well bore.

(5) That the mechanics of the proposed multiple completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.

(6) That approval of the subject application will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

(7) That the subject application should be approved and that Order No. R-1750-A should be superseded.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Amerada Petroleum Corporation, is hereby authorized to complete its Wimberley Well No. 13, located in Unit M of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as a triple completion (tubingless) to produce gas from the Langlie-Mattix Pool and oil from the Justis-Blinebry Oil Pool through parallel strings of 2 7/8-inch casing, and to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres formation through a parallel string of 3 1/2-inch casing, with each string of casing cemented in the common well bore.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations insofar as said rule is not inconsistent with this order.


PROVIDED FURTHER, That the applicant shall take zone segregation tests upon completion and annually thereafter during the Gas-Oil Ratio Test Period for the Justis-Blinebry Oil Pool.

(2) That Order No. R-1750-A is hereby superseded.


(3) 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


JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman


E. S. WALKER, Member


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

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