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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. 3370 Order No. R-3039

APPLICATION OF SHELL OIL COMPANY FOR AN EXCEPTION TO RULE 8 OF ORDER NO. R-2065 AND TO RULE 301, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

### ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on January 26, 1966, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 9th day of February, 1966, 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, Shell Oil Company, seeks an exception to Rule 8 of Order No. R-2065 and Rule 30l of the Commission's Rules and Regulations to report gas production and gas-oil ratios on a unit basis in its Carson Bisti-Lower Gallup Pressure Maintenance Project in the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the reporting of gas production and gas-oil ratios on a unit basis in the Carson Bisti-Lower Gallup Pressure Maintenance Project Area will relieve the unit operator from unnecessary operating expenses and will provide the Commission sufficient information to assure that the owner of each property in the

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Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool will receive its just and equitable share of the oil and gas in the pool.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicant, Shell Oil Company, is hereby granted an exception to the gas-oil ratio test requirements of Rule 8 of Order No. R-2065 and Rule 301 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations to report gas production and gas-oil ratios on a unit basis in its Carson Bisti-Lower Gallup Pressure Maintenance Project in the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.
- (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

ACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman

L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

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