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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. 4212 Order No. R-3838

APPLICATION OF GENERAL AMERICAN OIL COMPANY OF TEXAS FOR AN UNORTHODOX OIL WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on September 10, 1969, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 12th day of September, 1969, 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, General American Oil Company of Texas, is the operator of the Grayburg Jackson Premier Unit Water-flood Project in the Grayburg-Jackson Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant seeks authority to drill its Maddren "B" Well No. 12, a producing oil well as an infill well in said waterflood project at an unorthodox location 1815 feet from the South line and 1295 feet from the West line of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Grayburg-Jackson Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (4) That approval of the proposed location should increase the efficiency of the Grayburg Jackson Premier Unit Waterflood

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Project and result in greater ultimate recovery of oil, thereby preventing waste.

(5) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the oil in the pool, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicant, General American Oil Company of Texas, is hereby authorized to drill its Maddren "B" Well No. 12, a producing oil well as an infill well in the Grayburg Jackson Premier Unit Waterflood Project Area at an unorthodox location in the Grayburg-Jackson Pool 1815 feet from the South line and 1295 feet from the West line of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Eddy 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

DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman

MEN T MOMITTO Member

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

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