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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. 4401 Order No. R-4017

APPLICATION OF READ AND STEVENS, INC., FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9:30 a.m. on August 19, 1970, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 25th day of August, 1970, 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, Read and Stevens, Inc., is the owner and operator of the Getty State "B.G." Well No. 1, located adjacent to the Quail-Queen Pool in Unit K of Section 12, Township 19 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to dispose of produced salt water into the Queen, San Andres, Glorieta, and Delaware formations, with injection down the 8 5/8-inch casing into the open-hole interval between the 8 5/8-inch casing shoe at 3998 feet and the top of the cement plug at 6109 feet.
- (4) That approval of the subject application will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells and otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicant, Read and Stevens, Inc., is hereby authorized to utilize its Getty State "B.G." Well No. 1, located adjacent to the Quail-Queen Pool in Unit K of Section 12, Township 19 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, to dispose of produced salt water into the Queen, San Andres, Glorieta, and Delaware formations, injection to be down the 8 5/8-inch casing into the open-hole interval between the 8 5/8-inch casing shoe at 3998 feet and the top of the cement plug at 6109 feet.
- (2) That the applicant shall submit monthly reports of its disposal operations in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.
- (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

DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman

LEX J. ARMIJO, Member

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

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