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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. 4481
Order No. R-4087

APPLICATION OF DELAWARE APACHE CORPORATION
FOR A NON-STANDARD PRORATION UNIT, ROOSEVELT
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on January 6, 1971, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 15th day of January, 1971, 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, Delaware-Apache Corporation, is the owner of an oil and gas lease comprising the SW/4 NE/4 and NW/4 SE/4 of Section 20, Township 8 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant seeks approval of an 80-acre non-standard oil proration unit in the Bluit-San Andres Associated Pool comprising the above-described acreage to be dedicated to a well located at a standard location in the SW/4 NE/4 of said Section 20.

(4) That said SW/4 NE/4 of said Section 20 comprises all of the interest of the applicant in the NE/4 of said Section 20.

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(5) That all operators owning acreage offsetting the proposed non-standard proration unit have consented to the formation of said unit.

(6) That the entire non-standard oil proration unit requested by the applicant may reasonably be presumed to be productive of oil from the Bluitt-San Andres Associated Pool and can be efficiently and economically drained and developed by the aforesaid well.

(7) That approval of the 80-acre non-standard oil proration unit as requested by the applicant will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the oil in the Bluitt-San Andres Associated Pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, will avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

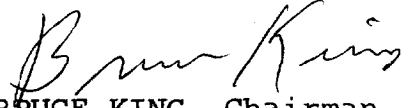
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That an 80-acre non-standard oil proration unit in the Bluitt-San Andres Associated Pool comprising the SW/4 NE/4 and NW/4 SE/4 of Section 20, Township 8 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, is hereby established and dedicated to a well located at a standard location in the SW/4 NE/4 of said Section 20.

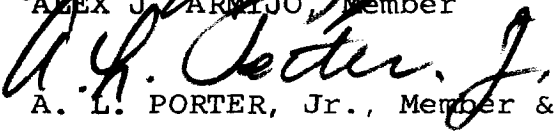
(2) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


BRUCE KING, Chairman


ALEX J. ARMILLO, Member


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

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