

*Entered March 15, 1972*  
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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. 4674  
Order No. R-4275

APPLICATION OF HANAGAN PETROLEUM  
CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS  
WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW  
MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on March 1, 1972,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 15th day of March, 1972, 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, Hanagan Petroleum Corporation,  
seeks an exception to Rule 104 of the Commission Rules and  
Regulations for approval of an unorthodox gas well location  
for its Millman Deep Well No. 1, located 660 feet from the  
North line and 1924 feet from the East line of Section 4,  
Township 19 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, undesignated Morrow  
gas pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(3) That the subject well was projected as an oil well  
to test the Devonian formation but was productive of gas from  
the Morrow formation.

(4) That approval of the subject application will afford  
the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable

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share of the gas in the subject undesignated Morrow gas pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

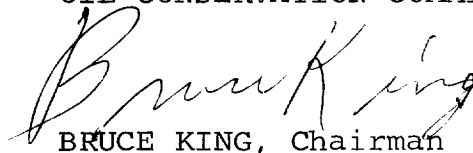
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

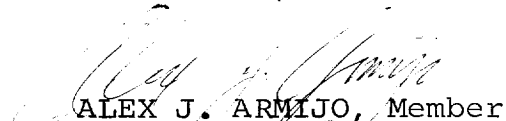
(1) That an unorthodox gas well location is hereby approved for the Hanagan Petroleum Corporation's Millman Deep Well No. 1 in an undesignated Morrow gas pool at a point 660 feet from the North line and 1924 feet from the East line of Section 4, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, as an exception to Rule 104 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(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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