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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. 4828 Order No. R-4400

APPLICATION OF INEXCO OIL COMPANY FOR A DUAL COMPLETION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on September 13, 1972, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 18th day of September, 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, Inexco Oil Company, seeks authority to complete its McMinn State Well No. 1, located in Unit K of Section 18, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, as a dual completion (conventional) to produce gas from the East Catclaw Draw-Strawn Gas Pool through the casing—tubing annulus and from the Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool through 2 7/8-inch tubing with separation of zones by a packer set at approximately 10,454 feet.
- (3) That the mechanics of the proposed dual completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.
- (4) That approval of the subject application will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Inexco Oil Company, is hereby authorized to complete its McMinn State Well No. 1, located in Unit K of Section 18, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM,

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Eddy County, New Mexico, as a dual completion (conventional) to produce gas from the East Catclaw Draw-Strawn Gas Pool through the casing-tubing annulus and the Morrow formation from the Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool through 2 7/8-inch tubing, with separation of zones by a packer set at approximately 10,454 feet;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations insofar as said rule is not inconsistent with this order;

PROVIDED FURTHER, that the applicant shall take packer-leakage tests upon completion and annually thereafter during the Annual Shut-in Test Period for the Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool.

(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. ARMLTO, Member

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Member & Secretary

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