Entered July 1, 1975

### 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. 5479 Order No. R-5055

APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY FOR TWO NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNITS AND REINSTATEMENT OF CANCELLED ALLOWABLE, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

# ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on June 10, 1975, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this <u>lst</u> day of July, 1975, 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, Continental Oil Company, seeks approval for two non-standard gas proration units in Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, as follows:

> a 360-acre non-standard unit comprising Lots 1, 2, and 3, and Lots 6 through 11 of said Section 4, to be dedicated to applicant's Meyer B-4 Well No. 14 located in Unit G of said Section 4; and

> a 360-acre non-standard unit comprising Lots 14, 15, and 16, and the E/2 SW/4 and SE/4 of said Section 4, to be simultaneously dedicated to applicant's Meyer B-4 Wells Nos. 4 and 29, located in Units S and P, respectively, of said Section 4.

(3) Applicant further seeks the reclassification of said Meyer B-4 Well 4 to non-marginal status and the reinstatement of underage which was cancelled upon classification of said well to marginal status.

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(4) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the Eumont Gas Pool, will prevent 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 effective July 1, 1975, the two following nonstandard gas proration units in Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, are hereby approved:

> a 360-acre non-standard unit comprising Lots 1, 2, and 3, and Lots 6 through 11 of said Section 4, to be dedicated to applicant's Meyer B-4 Well No. 14 located in Unit G of said Section 4; and

a 360-acre non-standard unit comprising Lots 14, 15, and 16, and the E/2 SW/4 and SE/4 of said Section 4 to be simultaneously dedicated to applicant's Meyer B-4 Wells Nos. 4 and 29, located in Units S and P, respectively, of said Section 4, and the allowable for said unit may be produced from either of said wells in any proportion.

(2) That the classification of the aforesaid Meyer B-4 Well No. 4 to marginal status on December 31, 1974, is hereby rescinded, and the unproduced allowable accrued to said well and cancelled on that date is hereby reinstated.

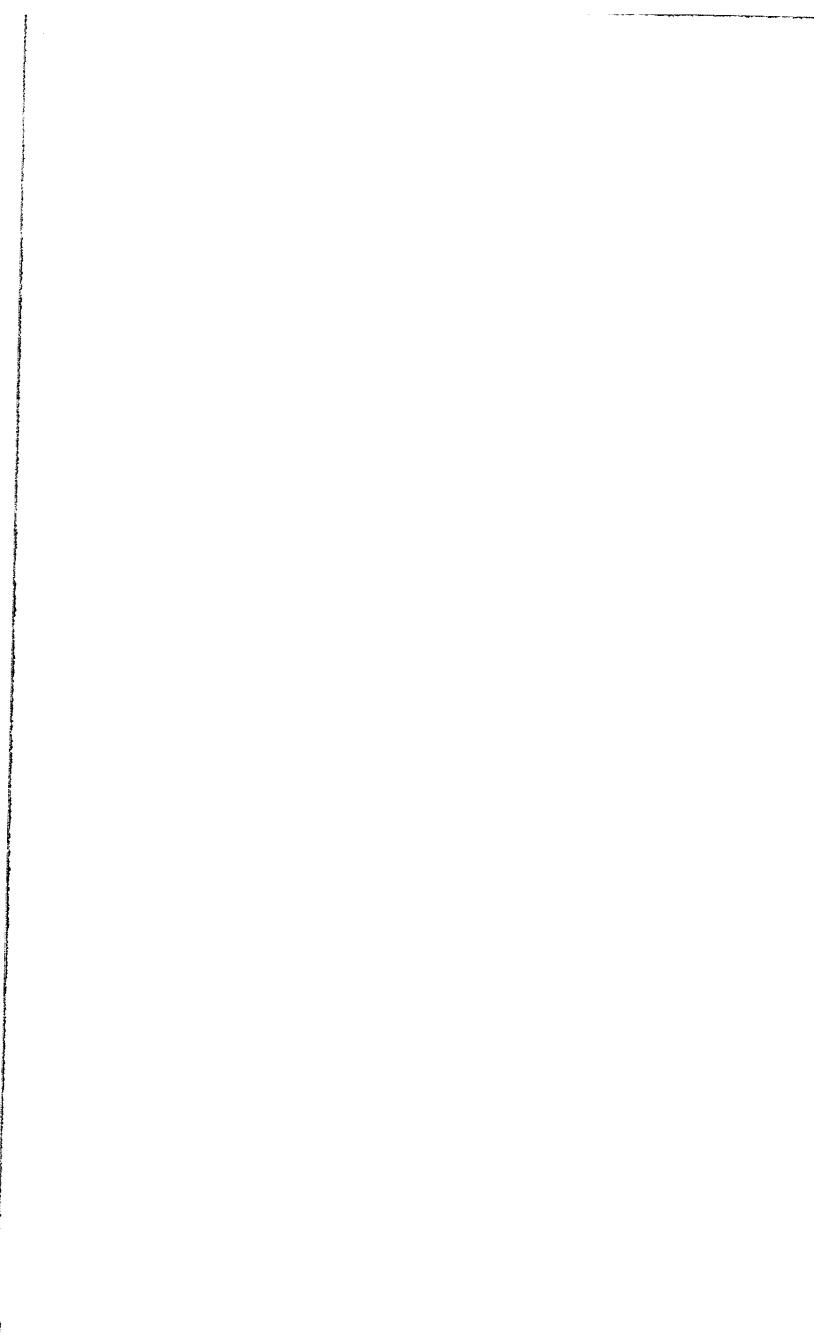
(3) That effective July 1, 1975, Order No. R-4908 is super-seded.

(4) 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.

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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. 3921 Order No. R-3576

APPLICATION OF KERN COUNTY LAND COMPANY FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

# ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on November 7, 1968, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this <u>19th</u> day of November, 1968, 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, Kern County Land Company, is the owner and operator of the Federal 21 Well No. 3, located in Unit O of Section 21, Township 7 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Chaveroo-San Andres Pool, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to inject produced salt water into the San Andres formation, with injection into the perforated interval from approximately 4165 feet to 4291 feet.

(4) That the subject well should be classified as a pressure maintenance project injection well.

(5) That the subject pressure maintenance project is in the interest of conservation and should result in greater ultimate recovery of oil, thereby preventing waste.

(6) That the subject application should be approved and the project should be governed by the provisions of Rules 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

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### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Kern County Land Company, is hereby authorized to institute a pressure maintenance project in the Chaveroo-San Andres Pool, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, by the injection of water into the San Andres formation through its Federal 21 Well No. 3, located in Unit O of Section 21, Township 7 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

(2) That said injection should be accomplished through
2 7/8-inch tubing installed in a packer set at approximately
4100 feet, and into the perforated interval from approximately
4165 feet to 4291 feet;

<u>PROVIDED HOWEVER</u>, that the tubing shall be plastic-lined; that the casing-tubing annulus shall be filled with an inert fluid; and that a pressure gauge shall be attached to the annulus in order to determine leakage in the tubing, casing, or packer.

(3) That the subject pressure maintenance project is hereby designated the Kern County Federal 21 Pressure Maintenance Project and shall be governed by the provisions of Rules 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(4) That monthly progress reports of the pressure maintenance project herein authorized shall be submitted to the Commission in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(5) 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

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