

CHARM OIL COMPANY

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ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

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June 22, 1955

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P.O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. W. B. Macey

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the application of J. Don Hudgens for a non-standard gas unit consisting of 240 acres in Section 36 of Township 21 South, Range 35 East.

The well being drilled by Hudgens is 660' from the east line of the unit and is also 660' from one of the south lines. Thus, the well violates Rule 2 of Order R-520. The well does not come under the provisions of Rule 3 of Order R-520, thus, the matter must be considered at a hearing after proper notice.

Rule 5 of Order R-520 provides that the Commission may assign, for the purposes of gas proration, acreage as set out in Rule 5. The Hudgens' well is 660 feet from two lease boundaries, and thus can be allowed only 160 acres. Rule 5 (b), parts 1 through 6, gives the Secretary of the Commission certain authorities, however, in this case, part 3 is not at all proven in that the entire 240 acres cannot be presumed to contain gas. It may be so productive, however, we would like to have testimony presented. Also, Hudgens cannot present written consent in the form of waivers from all offset operators. By the time the Commission can hold a hearing, the evidence will be available as to whether or not the acreage is gas productive, as current drilling wells will reveal this.

By quoting provisions of Rules 2 and 5 of Order R-520, it is the contention of Charm Oil Company that a properly advertised hearing is necessary to create this non-standard gas unit.

It is also called to your attention that the NE/4 NE/4 of Section 36 already has an oil well thereon, said well producing from the Seven Rivers, thus, according to the definition of the Jalmat Field, the oil well and the proposed gas well would have allowables from the identical acreage. Charm Oil Company does not object to that, however, we want to bring the fact out as that issue is presently being considered by the Commission.

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The reason for intervention by means of this letter is that Charm Oil Company wishes to be protected in the matter of allowables. Charm is at this time drilling on its 80 acre tract (E/2 SE/4 Section 36). An attempt will be made to develop a Yates Sand oil well. We shall want an oil allowable if oil can be developed, also if the offset operators are going to produce gas from the Yates, we shall want to dual complete so as to produce our share of the gas. It is somewhat doubtful if the gas reservoir covers the entire E/2 of Section 36, and since the matter of simultaneous gas and oil allowables is already under question, Charm Oil Company would not look with favor on allowing this rather unorthodox non-standard gas unit.

*in this tract Barnett & Keaton drilled their State #1 that has been P&A*

Yours very truly,

CHARM OIL COMPANY



Vilas P. Sheldon  
Manager and Agent

VPS/mlw

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6/24/55

~~ASP-166~~  
~~due 7/20/55~~  
cancelled.  
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J. DON HUDGENS, INC.  
BOX 1898  
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

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oil productive ?

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Request for Non-standard  
Proration Gas Unit

Attention: Mr. W. B. Macey

Gentlemen:

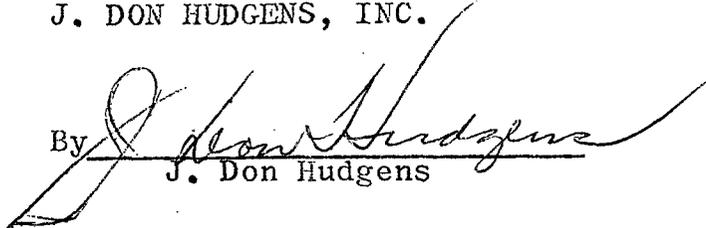
In accordance with order R-520 the undersigned hereby requests a non-standard unit consisting of 240 acres in Lea County, New Mexico as follows:

1. The complete legal description of acreage included in the proposed unit is: NE/4 and W/2 of SE/4 Section 36, T. 21S. R. 35E, Lea County, New Mexico, containing 240 acres.
2. J. Don Hudgens, Inc. State #1 proposed gas well is located 1980' from the north line and 660' from the east line of Section 36.
3. Plat is attached showing acreage to be included in the unit and all offset lease ownership.
4. It is the intention of the operator to produce the gas well from the Yates formation as a non-standard gas unit comprising 240 acres in the Jalmat Gas Pool. Dry ?
5. According to structural contours on top of Yates gas zone it is expected that all of the acreage in the unit is gas productive.
6. Copies of this request for a non-standard proration gas unit have been mailed to all of the offset operators as listed below.

This request for a 240 acre gas unit is in accordance with the Commission's rules and regulations and it is requested that this gas unit be granted.

Yours very truly,

J. DON HUDGENS, INC.

By   
J. Don Hudgens

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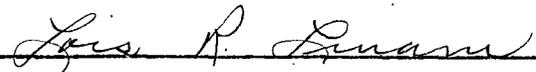
cc: Continental Oil Company 323 Petroleum Building Roswell, New Mexico	Carper Drilling Company Carper Building Artesia, New Mexico
Two States Drilling Co. P. O. Box 667 Hobbs, New Mexico	Charm Oil Company Carper Building Artesia, New Mexico
Amerada Petroleum Corp. P. O. Box 591 Midland, Texas	Gulf Oil Company P. O. Box 787 Roswell, New Mexico
The Atlantic Refining Co. P. O. Box 6640 Roswell, New Mexico	New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2045 Hobbs, New Mexico

I, J. Don Hudgens, being first duly sworn on oath, state that I have knowledge of the facts and matter herein set forth and that the same are true and correct.

 Title Operator

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June, 1955.

Notary Public Lea County, New Mexico.





NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Gas Well Plat

Date June 16, 1955

J. Don Hudgens, Inc. State 1  
Operator Lease Well No.

Name of Producing Formation Yates Pool Jalmat

No. Acres Dedicated to the Well 240

SECTION 36 TOWNSHIP 21S RANGE 35E

Amerada  Sec. 25	Gulf		
Superior <sup>o1</sup>	Atlantic	A-30 <sup>5</sup> Conoco	Texas Co.  U. S.
Charm Oil Co.	Freedman <sup>State</sup> → <sup>o1</sup> 1980' Hudgens State <sup>o1</sup> - 660'	<sup>o1</sup> 2925 1/2' Jalmat oil Conoco "lockhart" B-31	Sec. 31
Gulf  State		Charm Oil Co.  o'	Carper Jalmat oil 1,000' lockhart  Two States 23,000' o' Athu Jalmat oil
		Conoco  CONOCO NSP-162 4000' "B-31" lockhart U. S.	

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Name J. Don Hudgens  
Position Pres  
Representing J. Don Hudgens, Inc.  
Address Box 1898, Hobbs, New Mex.

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