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. 2092 Order No. R-1352-B

APPLICATION OF ROCK ISLAND OIL & REFINING COMPANY, INC., FOR AN AMENDMENT OF ORDER NO. R-1352 TO PERMIT THE DRILLING OF AN ADDITIONAL WATER INJECTION WELL IN THE RHODES POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on October 5, 1960, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Elvis A. Utz, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this <u>llth</u> day of October, 1960, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Elvis A. Utz, 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 by Order No. R-1352, the "Wills Water Flood Pro-ject" was authorized on two federal leases in Sections 34 and 35, Township 26 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Rhodes Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to expand the waterflood project as authorized in Order No. R-1352 by the drilling of an additional injection well to be located 30 feet from the South line and 2537 feet from the West line of Section 35, Township 26 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

(4) That the above-described location of the additional injection well is necessitated by topographical conditions in the project area.

That the drilling of the additional injection well at (5) the proposed location will result in a thorough and efficient

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sweep of the oil in the area encompassed by the waterflood project.

(6) That approval of the subject application will neither cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Order No. R-1352 be and the same is hereby amended to permit the applicant, Rock Island Oil & Refining Company, Inc., to drill an additional water injection well in the Rhodes Pool to be located 30 feet from the South line and 2537 feet from the West line of Section 35, Township 26 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

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

> STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

12 JOHN BURROUGHS, Chairman

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

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