BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDER-ING:

> CASE NO. 390 ORDER NO. R-199

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPCN ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER (a) EXEMPTING CERTAIN POOLS IN EDDY, LEA, CHAVES AND ROOSEVELT COUNTIES FROM THE PROVISIONS OF RULE 301 AND RULE 506 (PARAGRAPH 'D'): AND (b) EXEMPTING CERTAIN POOLS IN LEA COUNTY FROM THE PROVISIONS OF RULE 506 (PARAGRAPH 'D').

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This matter came on for hearing at Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 9 o'clock a. m. August 19, 1952, and September 16, 1952, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 13th, day of November, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony adduced and the exhibits received at said hearing, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the following pools in Eddy, Lea, Chaves and Roosevelt Counties New Mexico, by reason of their low productivity of oil and gas, should be exempted from:

- (a) That provisions of Rule 30l of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, said rule pertaining to the filing of Form C-116, Gas-Oil Ratio Test; and
- (b) The provisions of Paragraph (d) of Rule 506 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, said rule pertaining to gas-oil ratio limitations.

Ame, Aid, Anderson, Artesia, Barber, Benson, Black River, Burton, Caprock, Cedar Hill, Chisum-San Andres, Daugherity, Dayton, South Drinkard, Dublin-Devonian, Empire, Forest, Fren, Garrett, Getty, Grayburg-Jackson, Grayburg-Keely, Halfway, Henshaw, High Lonesome, Leo, Leonard, Loco Hills, Loco Hills-Queen, Lusk, West Lusk, North Lynch, East Maljamar, South Maljamar, McMillan, McMillan-Seven Rivers, Milman, Nadine, New Hope, Nichols, P. C. A., Pearsall, Penrose-Skelly, Premier, Red Lake, Robinson, Russell, Santo Nino, San Simon, Sawyer, Shugart, North Shugart, Square Lake, Teas, Turkey Track, East Turkey Track, West Turkey Track, Turkey Track-Seven Rivers, Watkins, Watkins-Grayburg, North Wilson, and Young.

(3) That the following pools in Lea County, New Mexico, because of their low productivity of gas should be exempted from the provisions of Rule 506, Paragraph (d), of the Commission's <u>Rules</u> and <u>Regulations</u>, pertaining to gas-oil ratio limitations.

Baish, Cooper-Jal, South Eunice, Hardy, Lynch, Langlie-Mattix, Maljamar-Paddock, Rhodes, Wilson, West Wilson, Crossroads, Bagley-Siluro-Devonian, East Caprock-Devonian, and Knowles. Page -2-Case No. 390 Order No. R-199

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the following pools in Eddy, Lea, Chaves and Roosevelt Counties be and the same hereby are exempted from the provisions of Rule 301 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations and from the provisions of Rule 506, Paragraph (d), of the Commission's <u>Rules</u> and <u>Regulations</u>:

Acme, Aid, Anderson, Artesia, Barber, Benson, Black River, Burton, Caprock, Cedar Hills, Chisum-San Andres, Daugherity, Dayton, South Drinkard, Dublin-Devonian, Empire, Forest, Fre, Garrett, Gety, Grayburg-Jackson, Grayburg-Keely, Halfway, Henshaw, High Lonesome, Leo, Leonard, Loco Hills, Loco Hills-queen, Lusk, West Lusk, North Lynch, East Maljamar, South Maljamar, McMillan, McMillan-Seven Rivers, Millman, Nadine, New Hope, P. C. A., Pearsall, Penrose-Skelly, Premier, Red Lake, Robinson, Russell, Santo Nino, San Simon, Sawyer, Shugart, North Shugart, Square Lake, Teas, Turkey Track, East Turkey Track, West Turkey Track, Turkey Track-Seven Rivers, Watkins, Watkins-Grayburg, North Wilson, and Young.

(2) That the following pools in lea County, New Mexico, be, and the same hereby are exempted from the provisions of Rule 506, Paragraph (d), of the Commission's <u>Rules and Regulations</u>:

Baish, Cooper-Jal, South Eunice, Hardy, Lynch, Langlie-Mattix, Maljamar-Paddock, Rhodes, Wilson, West Wilson, Crossroads, Bagley-siluro-Devonian, East Caprock-Devonian, and Knowles.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

GUY SHEPARD, Member

R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

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