· Calcul dencing 5 1660 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. 2934 Order No. R-2606 APPLICATION OF COASTAL STATES GAS PRODUCING COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. ORDER OF THE COMMISSION BY\_THE COMMISSION: This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on November 6, 1963, 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 20th day of November, 1963, 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 the applicant, Coastal States Gas Producing Company, has recompleted its Ainsworth Well No. 1 in the Abo formation within one mile of the Flying "M" Abo Oil Pool. (3) That said well is located 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 22, Township 9 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and does not conform to the well location requirements of the Special Rules and Regulations governing the Flying "M" Abo Oil Pool. That the applicant seeks an exception to the well location requirements of the Special Rules and Regulations governing the Flying "M" Abo Oil Pool to produce the subject well at the above-described unorthodox location. (5) That approval of the subject application will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

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## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicant, Coastal States Gas Producing Company, is hereby granted an exception to the well location requirements of the Special Rules and Regulations governing the Flying "M" Abo Oil Pool to produce its Ainsworth Well No. 1 at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 22, Township 9 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (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

JACK M. CAMPBELI, Chairman

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E. S. WALKER, Member

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

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