BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

> CASE No. 3149 Order No. R-2829

APPLICATION OF NEWMONT OIL COMPANY FOR AMENDMENT OF ORDER NO. R-2178-B, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on November 24, 1964, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 7th day of December, 1964, 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, Newmont Oil Company, seeks amendment of Order No. R-2178-B to include the S/2 SE/4 of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, in Stage I of the Loco Hills Sand Unit Waterflood Project and to include the NE/4 NE/4 of Section 15, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, in Stage III of said waterflood project.

(3) That the applicant also seeks authority to convert to water injection its Well No. 30-1 located in Unit O and its Well No. 30-2 located in Unit P of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(4) That approval of the subject application should increase the efficiency of the Loco Hills Sand Unit Waterflood Project, thereby preventing waste. -2-CASE No. 3149 Order No. R-2829

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Order No. R-2178-B, dated June 14, 1962, is hereby amended by the inclusion of the S/2 SE/4 of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, in Stage I of the Loco Hills Sand Unit Waterflood Project, and the inclusion of the NE/4 NE/4 of Section 15, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, in Stage III of said waterflood project.

(2) That the applicant, Newmont Oil Company, is hereby authorized to convert to water injection in Stage I of the Loco Hills Sand Unit Waterflood Project Well No. 30-1 located in Unit O and Well No. 30-2 located in Unit P of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(3) 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

K M. CAMPBELL, Chairman

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

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