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. 3313 Order No. R-2980

APPLICATION OF TENNECO OIL COMPANY FOR A NON-STANDARD LOCATION, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

## BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on October 6, 1965, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this <u>13th</u> day of October, 1965, 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, Tenneco Oil Company, seeks authority to complete its Omler "A" Well No. 2 at a non-standard wildcat Gallup oil well location 1525 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 35, Township 28 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

(3) That the subject well was drilled and completed as a Basin-Dakota gas well at a standard Basin-Dakota location but also encountered an undesignated Gallup oil pool and is capable of producing from said pool.

(4) That approval of the subject application will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, will afford the applicant the

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opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the oil in the pool, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Tenneco Oil Company, is hereby authorized to complete its Omler "A" Well No. 2 at a non-standard wildcat Gallup oil well location 1525 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 35, Township 28 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan 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 QIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman

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