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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. 3431 Order No. R-3100-B

IN THE MATTER OF CASE 3431 BEING REOPENED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ORDER NO. R-3100-A TO PERMIT SINCLAIR OIL & GAS COMPANY TO SHOW CAUSE WHY ITS W. H. TURNER WELL NO. 1 LOCATED IN UNIT L OF SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, A DUAL COMPLETION IN THE DRINKARD AND BLINEBRY OIL POOLS, SHOULD NOT BE COM-PLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF RULE 112-A OF THE COMMISSION RULES AND REGULATIONS.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on September 4, 1968, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this <u>12th</u> day of September, 1968, 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 by Order No. R-3100, dated August 5, 1966, the applicant, Sinclair Oil & Gas Company, was granted an exception to Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations to complete its W. H. Turner Well No. 1, located in Unit L of Section 29, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as a dual completion to produce oil from the Drinkard Oil Pool through 2 3/8-inch tubing and to produce oil from the Blinebry Oil Pool through the casing-tubing annulus, with separation of zones by a packer set at approximately 6540 feet, for a period of one year, or until the upper completion of said well -2-CASE No. 3431 Order No. R-3100-B

has been re-classified as a gas well in the Blinebry Gas Pool, whichever comes first.

(3) That by Order No. R-3100-A, dated September 12, 1967, the aforesaid exception was extended for a period of one year from said date.

(4) That pursuant to the provisions of said Order No. R-3100-A, this case was reopened to allow the operator of the subject well to appear and show cause why the well should not be completed in accordance with Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(5) That the applicant's request to <u>dismiss</u> the reopening of Case 3431 and to allow the exception granted by Order No. R-3100 and extended by Order No. R-3100-A to terminate should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Case 3431 (Reopened) is hereby <u>dismissed</u> and the exception to Rule 112-A granted by Order No. R-3100 and extended by Order No. R-3100-A is hereby <u>terminated</u>.

(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 DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman Memb

SEAL

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

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