

*Entered February 13, 1967*

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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. 3525  
Order No. R-3193

APPLICATION OF ROBERT A. DEAN  
FOR A NON-STANDARD GAS WELL  
LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW  
MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on February 8, 1967, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 13th day of February, 1967, 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, Robert A. Dean, seeks approval of an unorthodox location for his Southern Union 13 State Well No. 1, located 2310 feet from the South line and 2310 feet from the East line of Section 13, Township 16 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, West Mesa-Upper Queen Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (3) That said well was previously drilled to the Penrose member of the Queen formation, another horizon, and that said well was drilled at an orthodox location for said prior horizon.
- (4) That applicant's drilling to the Penrose Sand and attempted completion therein was in good faith and consonant with the operations of a prudent operator.

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(5) That approval of the subject application will prevent waste and will not violate correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That an unorthodox location is hereby approved for the Robert A. Dean Southern Union 13 State Well No. 1, located 2310 feet from the South line and 2310 feet from the East line of Section 13, Township 16 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, West Mesa-Upper Queen Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

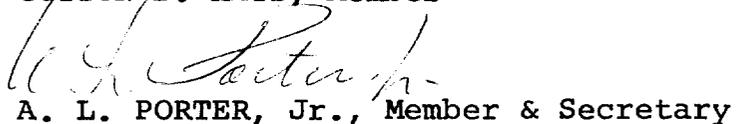
(2) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

  
DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman

  
GUYTON B. HAYS, Member

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

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