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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 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASES NO. 882)<sub>Consolidated</sub> 941) Order No. R-333-D

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER REVISING, AMENDING OR DELETING CERTAIN PORTIONS OF ORDER R-333-B PERTAINING TO GAS WELL TESTING PROCEDURE APPLICABLE TO GAS WELLS COMPLETED IN SAN JUAN, RIO ARRIBA AND MCKINLEY COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

## NUNC PRO TUNC ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

### BY THE COMMISSION:

It appearing to the Commission that Order R-333-C, dated October 13, 1955, does not clearly and accurately state the intent of the Commission.

### FINDS:

That certain parts of Order R-333-C should be clarified, To Wit:

- 1. Section A, Subsection I, Paragraph (B).
- 2. Section A, Subsection II.
- 3. Section A, Subsection III, Paragraph (A) third paragraph.
- 4. Section A, Subsection III, Paragraph (B).
- 5. Section B, Subsection I, Paragraph (A), Subparagraph 2, Part g.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That certain parts of Order R-333-C be clarified as follows and the same is hereby ordered:

1. Section A, Subsection I, Paragraph (B) is revised to read:

Within forty-five days after a well is connected to a gas transportation facility the well shall be tested in accordance with Section B, Subsection I, Paragraph (A) of this order, and the results of the test reported to the Commission. An operator may request an extension of time in which to accomplish this test provided such request is made in writing to the Commission<sup>\*</sup>s Aztec Office before the expiration of the forty-five day period following connection of the well to a gas transportation facility. Such request for extension must be for substantial reason and approved by the Commission, or its duly authorized representative. Said extension shall not be for more than fifteen days.

2. Section A, Subsection II, the following paragraph is added:

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> An Initial Deliverability Test accomplished in accordance with Section B, Subsection I, Paragraph (A), Subparagraph 1, may be used as an annual test when the test is taken on wells connected to a transportation facility during the regular annual testing season from April 1, to October 31.

3. Section A, Subsection III, Paragraph (A), third paragraph is revised to read:

All wells connected to a pipeline system during the period of February 1 to October 31, both inclusive, of any year shall be scheduled for testing during the testing period for that particular year. Then and in that event the pipeline in cooperation with the operator shall notify the Commission in writing at least (10) ten days before the commencement of the conditioning period for any tests. Provided however, that when an Initial Deliverability Test accomplished in accordance with Section B, Subsection I, Paragraph (A), Subparagraph 1 is to be used as an Annual Test for Wells Connected to a gas transportation facility during the period between April 1 and October 31, then the operator shall notify the Commission in writing at any time during the fourteen day conditioning period.

4. Section A, Subsection III, Paragraph (B) the following paragraph is added:

The requirements for Initial and Annual Deliverability Tests and the notification and scheduling of such tests which apply to newly completed wells shall also apply to reworked or recompleted wells.

5. Section B, Subsection I, Paragraph (A), Subparagraph 2, Part g is revised to read:

The data and calculations for the above paragraphs a through f shall be reported to the Commission upon the blue colored Form C-122-A and filed in triplicate with the Commission within the fortyfive day period after connection of the well. Form C-122-A shall be signed by the operator or an agent designated by the operator. -3-Order No. R-333-D

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That the corrections and changes set forth in this order be entered nunc pro tunc in the original order as of October 13, 1955, and in the records of the Commission as of October 24, 1955, the date of entry of said original order.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this  $2/\frac{s^t}{t}$  day of November,

1955.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL-CONSERVATION COMMISSION the 7 Summer JOHN F. SIMMS, Chairman

E. S. WALKER, Member ------W. B. MACEY, Member and Secretary

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