BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 407 Order No. R-346

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE OLL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER EXTENDING SECTION G, OIL PRORATION AND ALLOCATION, TO PROVIDE FOR AN ADDITION OF RULE 508, RELATING TO 80-ACRE SPACING ON A STATEWIDE BASIS.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This matter came on for hearing on September 16, 1952, and for further hearings on November 20, 1952; January 15, 1953; April 16, 1953 and June 16, 1953, at 9 o'clock a.m., on said respective dates, at Santa Fe, New Mexico before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 13th day of July, 1953, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the voluminous testimony adduced and exhibits received, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

L 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 testimony adduced relevant to temporary statewide 80-acre spacing for pools 10,000° and deeper indicates no advantage over existing spacing pattern.

3. That waste as defined in the Oil Conservation law will not be prevented or correlative rights protected in temporary 80-acre spacing of deep pools.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED That the application of the Oil Conservation Commission upon its own motion for an order extending Section G, Oil Proration and allocation, to provide for the addition thereto of Rule 508 - Establishment of Temporary Eighty-Acre Proration Units, be, and the same hereby is denied.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico on the cay and year hereinabove designated. Signed by: Edwin L. Mechem, Chairman; E.S. Walker, Member; R. R. Spurrier, Secretary.