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. 5228 Order No. R-4878

APPLICATION OF DAVID FASKEN FOR POOL CREATION AND MULTIPLE COMPLETION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on April 25, 1974, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this <u>22nd</u> day of October, 1974, 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, David Fasken, seeks the creation of a new gas pool for Strawn production to be designated the Avalon-Strawn Gas Pool with horizontal limits to include Lots 9 through 16 of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant additionally seeks the creation of a new gas pool for Morrow production to be designated the Avalon-Morrow Gas Pool with horizontal limits to include Lots 9 through 16 of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(4) That by Commission Order No. R-4861 dated October 9, 1974, said pools were created and designated and applicant's request is hereby rendered redundant and should be dismissed.

(5) That the applicant further seeks authority to complete his El Paso 3 Federal Well No. 1, located in Unit K of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, as a dual completion (conventional) to produce gas from the Avalon-Strawn Gas Pool through one string of 2 1/16-inch tubing and gas from the Avalon-Morrow Gas Pool through a parallel combination string of 2 3/8-inch and 2 1/16-inch tubing, with separation of the zones to be achieved by use of a packer set at approximately 10,650 feet. -2-CASE NO. 5228 Order No. R-4878

(6) That the mechanics of the proposed multiple completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.

(7) That approval of the subject application for multiple completion will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That this application for creation of the Avalon-Strawn Gas Pool and the Avalon-Morrow Gas Pool is hereby <u>dismissed</u>.

(2) That the applicant, David Fasken, is hereby authorized to complete his El Paso 3 Federal Well No. 1, located in Unit K of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, as a dual completion (conventional) to produce gas from the Avalon-Strawn Gas Pool through one string of 2 1/16inch tubing and gas from the Avalon-Morrow Gas Pool through a parallel combination string of 2 3/8-inch and 2 1/16-inch tubing, with separation of the two zones to be accomplished by means of a packer set at approximately 10,650 feet;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Rule 112-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations insofar as said rule is not inconsistent with this order;

PROVIDED FURTHER, that the applicant shall take packer-leakage tests upon completion and annually thereafter during the Annual Shut-In Pressure Test Period for the Avalon-Morrow Gas Pool.

(3) 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

I. B. TRUJILLO, Chairman RMIJO Member J. PORTER, Jr., Member Secretary

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