

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY
FOR AN EMERGENCY ORDER GRANTING
AN EXCEPTION TO RULE 104 OF THE RULES
AND REGULATIONS OF THE NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION TO ALLOW
THE DRILLING OF A WELL TO BE LOCATED
IN THE CENTER OF NW/4 SE/4 OF SECTION
28, TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST,
NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO; AND
TO APPROVE A DRILLING UNIT OF LESS
THAN 40 ACRES.

CASE NO. 853
Order No. R-589
(Emergency)

EMERGENCY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for consideration on the application of Phillips Petroleum Company for an emergency order as provided by Rule 1202 of the Rules and Regulations of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico for approval of a well location 660 feet east of the west line, and 660 feet south of the north line of the southeast quarter of Section 28, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, and for emergency approval of a drilling unit of less than 40 acres as an exception to the provisions of Rule 104.

NOW, on this 24th day of February, 1955, the Commission having considered said petition and good cause appearing therefor.

FINDS:

(1) That Phillips Petroleum Company appears to be the owner of a 3/4 undivided working interest in the north 60 acres of the southeast quarter Section 28, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, and that other mineral interests under said southeast quarter Section 28, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, are set out in the petition on file herein.

(2) That unless an emergency order is granted, Phillips Petroleum Company may be denied its right to recover its just and equitable share of oil and gas, or both, in the pool, and may be denied an opportunity to drill upon and produce from the lands held by the applicant.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Phillips Petroleum Company is hereby granted authority to drill a well located 660 feet east of the west line and 660 feet south of the north line of the southeast quarter of Section 28, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM.

*Entered February 28, 1955
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(2) That the north half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the north half of the south half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter are approved as a drilling unit for the purposes of this well.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

(1) That the provisions of this order shall be subject to any further order or orders to be entered by the Commission after notice and hearing as provided by law, and shall be construed only as an emergency approval of well location and drilling unit, subject to further order of the Commission.

(2) That this application be set for hearing as required by law on the 10th day of March, 1955, and that notice of said hearing be issued forthwith.

(3) That the provisions of this order shall in no way affect the application of the pool rules of the Jalmat Gas Pool in the event such rules become applicable to the well and unit covered by this order.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



JOHN F. SIMMS, Chairman



E. S. WALKER, Member



W. B. MACEY, Member and Secretary

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