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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:

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CASE NO. 1170 Order No. R-920

THE APPLICATION OF SHELL OIL COMPANY FOR AN ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF AN EXCEPTION TO RULE 5 (A) OF THE SPECIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE BLINEBRY GAS POOL AS SET FORTH IN ORDER R-610, IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNIT OF 120 CONTIGUOUS ACRES CONSISTING OF LOTS 6, 10, AND 11, SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on October 31, 1956, at Hobbs, New Mexico, before Warren W. Mankin, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission's Statewide Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this  $27^{th}$  day of November, 1956, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Warren W. Mankin, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) The applicant, Shell Oil Company is the owner of a patented oil and gas lease in Lea County, New Mexico, the land consisting of other than a legal quarter section and described in part as follows:

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containing 120 acres more or less.

(3) The applicant, Shell Oil Company has a producing well on the aforesaid lease known as Taylor Glenn No. 1, located 3226 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

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(4) That the aforesaid well was dually completed in the Blinebry Gas Pool and the Drinkard Pool, said dual completion having been approved by Commission Order No. DC-293.

(5) That unless a proration unit consisting of applicant's aforesaid acreage is permitted, applicant will be deprived of the opportunity to recover its just and equitable share of the natural gas in the Blinebry Gas Pool.

(6) The creation of a gas proration unit consisting of the aforesaid acreage will not cause, but will prevent waste and will protect correlative rights.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the application of Shell Oil Company for approval of 120 acre non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the following described acreage in the Blinebry Gas Pool:

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be and the same is hereby approved, and a proration unit consisting of the aforesaid acreages is hereby created.

(2) Applicant's Taylor Glenn Well No. 1, located on the above-described unit shall be granted an allowable in the proportion that the above-described 120 acre unit bears to the standard proration unit for said pool.

(3) That the effective date of said allowable shall be in accord with provisions of Rule 16 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Blinebry Gas Pool as set forth in Order R-610.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

71 JOHN F. SIMMS, Chairman

L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary