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July 11, 1994

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Attention: Donna J. Williams

***Administrative Order NSP-1700(L)***

Dear Ms. Williams:

Reference is made to your application dated May 23, 1994 to reinstate the previously approved 156.98-acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool (Division Order No. R-998, dated May 10, 1957) comprising Lots 3, the NE/4 SW/4 and SE/4 (N/2 S/2 equivalent) of Section 7, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

It is our understanding that the original well dedicated to this unit, the H.T. Mattern Well No. 1, located 1650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line (Unit L) of said Section 7, was plugged and abandoned in March 1993.

A second well approved for simultaneous dedication to this unit under the authority of Division Administrative Order NSL-3034(SD), dated July 30, 1991, for the H.T. Mattern Well No. 2 located 1650 feet from the South and West lines (Unit K) of said Section 7, was never recompleted to the Eumont Gas Pool.

It is our understanding that this unit is to be dedicated to the proposed H.T. Mattern Well No. 3 to be drilled at an unorthodox gas well location 1930 feet from the South line and 2188 feet from the West line (Unit K) of said Section 7.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 2(a)4 and 2(c) of said Order No. R-8170, as amended, the above-described unorthodox gas well location is hereby granted and approval to continue operating the above-described acreage as a non-standard gas proration unit, with allowable to be assigned thereto in accordance with Rule 5 of said pool rules based upon the unit size of 156.98 acres.

*Administrative Order NSP-1700(L)*

*Meridian Oil, Inc.*

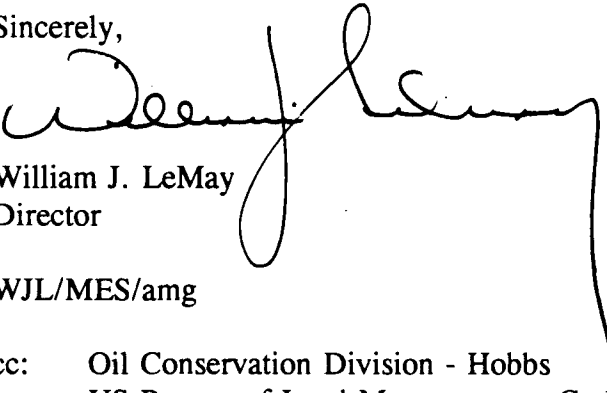
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Both Division Order No. R-998 and Administrative Order NSL-3034(SD) are hereby placed in abeyance until further notice.

Sincerely,



William J. LeMay  
Director

WJL/MES/amg

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs  
US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad  
File: NSL-3034(SD)

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Case No. 1243  
Order No. R-998

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW  
MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONSIDERING:

That the aforementioned H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well be granted an allowable acreage in the above-described unit pursuant to a standard gas proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool consisting of the above-described acreage to be dedicated to the aforementioned H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well. (S)  
CASE NO. 1243  
ORDER NO. R-998  
APPLICATION OF ROWAN OIL COMPANY  
FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISHING A NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNIT IN THE  
EUMONT GAS POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on April 23, 1957, and again at 10 o'clock a.m. on April 26, 1957, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner, duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 10th day of May, 1957, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Nutter, 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 case and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant is co-owner and operator of the N/2 S/2 Section 7, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant is the co-owner and operator of the H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well, located 1650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of said Section 7.
- (4) That the applicant proposes to form a non-standard gas proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool consisting of the above-described acreage to be dedicated to the aforementioned H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well.
- (5) That the establishment of the proposed non-standard gas proration unit will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the application of Rowan Oil Company for the establishment of a non-standard gas proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool consisting of the N/2 S/2 of Section 7, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, be and the

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same is hereby granted, and that the applicant's H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well located 1650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of said Section 7 and the same is hereby designated as the unit well for the unit.

(2) That the aforementioned H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well be granted an allowable in the proportion that the acreage in the above-described unit bears to a standard proration unit for the Eumont Gas Pool subject to the provisions of Rule 12 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Eumont Gas Pool as set forth in Order No. R-520.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member

A. J. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

Now, on this 10th day of May, 1937, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Witter, and being fully advised in the premises, do hereby order that the application be granted as follows:

FINDINGS

- (1) That the public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this case and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant is co-owner and operator of the H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well located 1650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of said Section 7.
- (3) That the applicant is the co-owner and operator of the H. T. Mattern No. 1 Well located 1650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of said Section 7.
- (4) That the applicant proposes to form a unit consisting of the above-described lands and to operate the same as a unit well for the Eumont Gas Pool.
- (5) That the establishment of the proposed unit will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the application be granted as follows: