

This application replaces one previously filed for some well, to which Humble objected and matter set for hearing on Case No. 2372

AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY
920 MERCANTILE SECURITIES BLDG.
DALLAS 1, TEXAS
August 21, 1961

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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr., Secretary-Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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Re: Application of Aztec Oil & Gas Company for Administrative Approval for an Exception to Rules 2 and 3 of Order R-1800 Approving an Unorthodox Well Location and a Non-Standard Proration Unit for the Aztec-Hagood #29-G Well in the Cha Cha-Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

Aztec Oil & Gas Company hereby submits its application, in triplicate, for administrative approval of an exception to Rules 2 and 3 of Order R-1800 with respect to the drilling of its Hagood No. 29-G Well.

In support of its application, applicant respectfully states and shows the following:

1. The proposed unorthodox drilling location has been staked four hundred and fifty feet (450') from the south line and three thousand six hundred feet (3600') from the east line of Section 30, T-29-N, R-13-W, San Juan County, New Mexico, and its unorthodox location is necessitated by topographical conditions.
2. Elliott, Inc. is the only other operator in the section in which the well has been located and offsetting operators are Humble Oil & Refining Company and Tenneco Oil Company.
3. The non-standard proration unit to be assigned to the well is as follows:

T-29-N, R-13-W, N.M.P.M., San Juan County, New Mexico

Section 30: Lots 3,4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
(containing 92.05 acres, more or less)

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4. The non-standard proration described above is acceptable to the operators named above, having been suggested by one of them. Copies of this Application and the plat attached as Exhibit "A" have been mailed by certified mail to the offset operators named below, with the request that their consent in the form of a waiver be mailed directly to the Commission.

5. Rule 4 of Order R-1800 provides authority for the Secretary-Director to grant approval administratively of such non-standard proration units.

Applicant, therefore, respectfully requests that this Application be promptly considered and that approval be administratively granted pursuant to Rule 104(f) and Rule 4 of Order R-1800 for the unorthodox well location and non-standard proration unit described above.

Yours very truly,

AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY

By Kenneth A. Swanson
Kenneth A. Swanson
Attorney

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OFFSET OPERATORS

Elliott, Inc.
P. O. Box 1355
Roswell, New Mexico

Humble Oil & Refining Company
P. O. Box 3082
Durango, Colorado

Tenneco Oil Company
P. O. Box 1714
Durango, Colorado

R-13-W

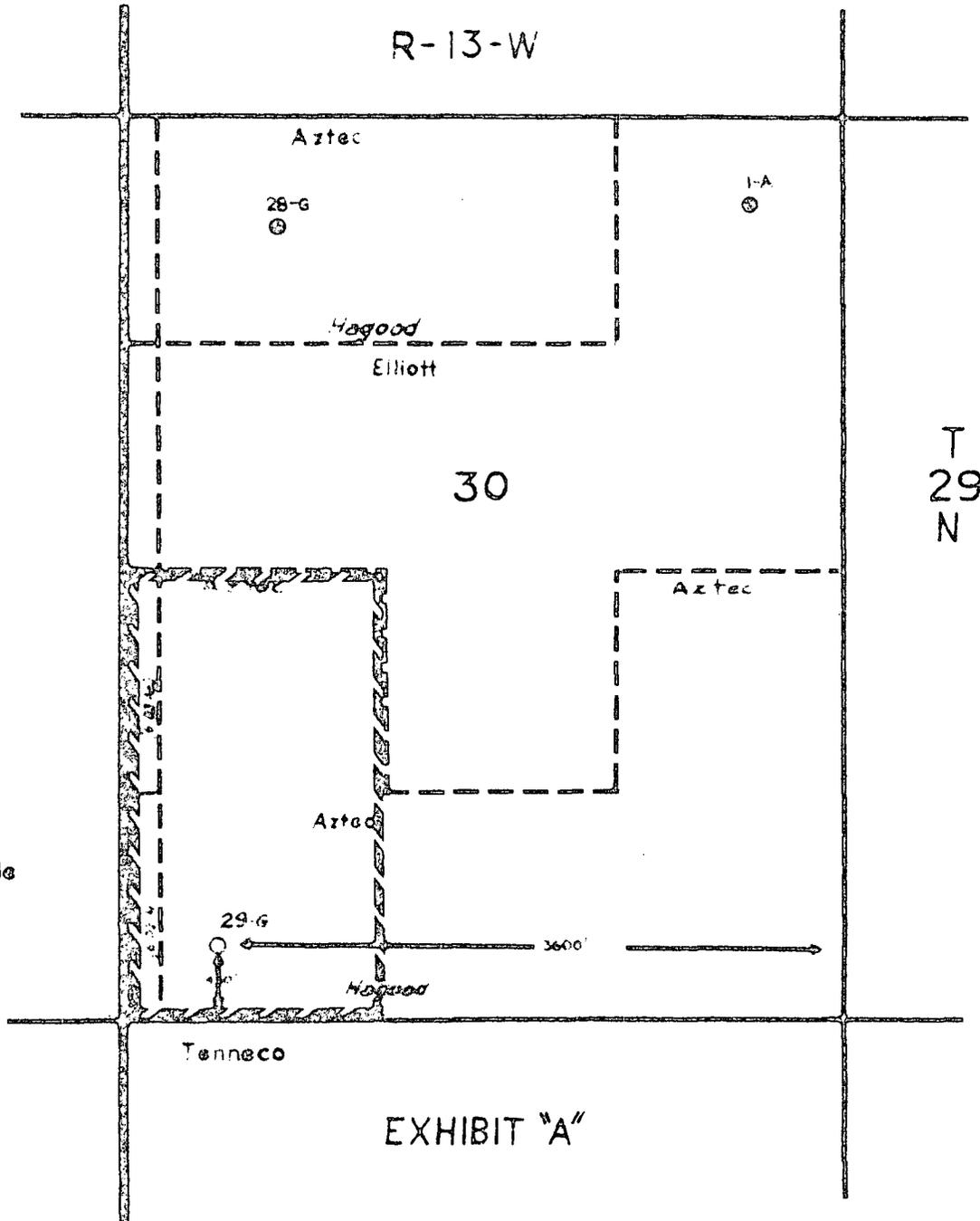


EXHIBIT "A"

*Plat showing proposed unorthodox location
and non standard preparation unit for
Aztec Oil & Gas #29-G Hogood Sec.30
T-29-N R-13-W
San Juan County New Mexico*

Scale 1"=1000'

Elliott, Inc.

Box 1355 - Phone MAin 2-5840

Roswell, New Mexico

July 28, 1961

W. F. Elliott
President

Edna M. Elliott
Sec'y-Treas.

Mr. A. L. Porter
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application of Aztec Oil & Gas
Company dated July 13, 1961
as amended by letter dated
July 19, 1961 for an exception
to Rules 2 & 3 of Order R-1800

Dear Mr. Porter:

Please be advised that we have no objection to the administrative approval of the above referenced application of Aztec Oil & Gas Company for a non-standard proration unit for their Hagood No. 29-G Well in the Cha Cha Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

ELLIOTT, INC.

By 

Vice President

FOE/nc

CC: Aztec Oil & Gas Company

Elliott, Inc.

Box ¹³⁵⁵ ~~1355~~ - Phone MAin 2-5840

Roswell, New Mexico

August 23, 1961

H. E. Elliott
President

Edna M. Elliott
Sec'y-Treas.

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.,
Secretary-Director
N. M. Oil Conservation Commission
Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

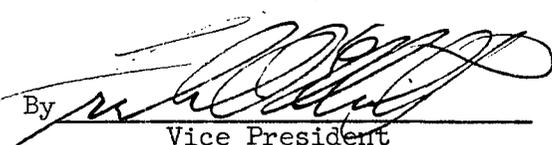
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Company for an Exception to
Rules 2 and 3 of Order R-1800
for their Aztec-Hagood No. 29G
Well in the Cha Cha-Gallup Oil
Pool, San Juan County, N. M.

Dear Mr. Porter:

Please be advised that our company has no objection to the
administrative approval of the above referenced application
of Aztec Oil & Gas Company dated August 21, 1961.

Very truly yours,

ELLIOTT, INC.

By 
Vice President

FOE/nc

CC: Aztec Oil & Gas Company



HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY

CENTRAL REGION

POST OFFICE BOX 120 • DENVER 1, COLORADO

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Aug 15*

DENVER AREA

- RAYMOND D. SLOAN
AREA MANAGER
- RICHARD S. HICKLIN
AREA EXPLORATION MANAGER
- J. ROY DORROUGH
AREA PRODUCTION MANAGER
- G. T. PHIPPS
AREA MARKETING MANAGER

September 15, 1961

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.
Secretary-Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
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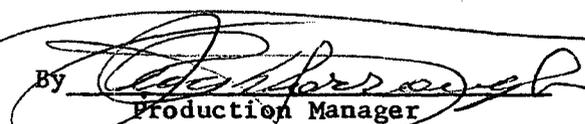
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Proration Unit for the Aztec-
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Cha Cha-Gallup Oil Pool, San
Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

This will notify you that Humble Oil & Refining Company has no objection to the application of Aztec Oil & Gas Company for the exception described above. This letter will constitute the waiver of Humble Oil & Refining Company pursuant to (Rule IV) of Order R-1800 entered by the Commission November 1, 1960, which said order adopts temporary operating rules for the Cha Cha-Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY

By 
Production Manager
Denver Area
Central Region

JRD(JDK)mg

cc: Mr. Kenneth A. Swanson
Aztec Oil & Gas Company
920 Mercantile Securities Bldg.
Dallas 1, Texas



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AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY

920 MERCANTILE SECURITIES BLDG.
DALLAS 1, TEXAS

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LAND DEPARTMENT
H. L. SNIDER, JR., MANAGER
KENNETH A. SWANSON, ATTORNEY

September 15, 1961

Mr. Richard S. Morris
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Aztec's Application for Unorthodox
Location and Non-Standard Proration
Unit for the Hagood #29-G Well, Cha
Cha-Gallup Pool, San Juan County,
New Mexico

Dear Dick:

Enclosed is the copy received by us of Tenneco's waiver with respect to the subject well. I noticed that it was addressed to your Aztec office, and I suppose this is the reason the original was not in your files.

It was a pleasure meeting you in Santa Fe earlier this week and I appreciate all your courtesies.

Sincerely,

Kenneth A. Swanson

KAS/et
Enclosure



TENNECO OIL COMPANY • P. O. BOX 1714 • 835 SECOND AVENUE • DURANGO, COLORADO

August 31, 1961

C
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.

Gentlemen:

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Please be advised that Tenneco Oil Company has no objection to the application of Aztec Oil & Gas Company for an unorthodox location and non-standard proration unit for the Aztec Hagood No. 29-G in the Cha Cha Gallup pool, San Juan County, New Mexico. This well is to be located in Section 30, T. 29 N., R. 13 W., San Juan County.

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Yours very truly,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY

Original Signed By
L. B. Plumb

L. B. Plumb
District Production Superintendent

IBP:bjo

cc: Aztec Oil & Gas Company ✓
Mr. W. T. Wells, Jr., Tenneco Oil Company

