

# STATE LAND OFFICE

*Santa Fe, New Mexico*

E. S. WALKER  
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS



January 7, 1956

Gulf Oil Corporation  
P. O. Drawer 1290  
Fort Worth 1, Texas

Re: Oil Conservation Commission  
Administrative Order NSP-221

Att: Mr. B. E. Thompson

Gentlemen:

On the 7th day of January, 1956, the Oil Conservation Commission approved the above order for your H. T. Orcutt "C" Well No. 8, located in Lot 2 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, NMPM. Lea County, New Mexico, in the Eumont Gas Pool.

In view of the above order, it will be necessary for you to submit an application to communitize the following State acreage: Gulf's H. T. Orcutt (State) Lease No. B-244-1 and Atlantic's Catron State "L" Lease No. A-1375.

which is included in the above order, and which must be submitted to the Commissioner of Public Lands for approval within 60 days.

Your cooperation in this regard will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

E. S. WALKER  
Commissioner of Public Lands

cc: Atlantic Refining Co., Midland, Texas  
Oil Conservation Commission, Hobbs  
Oil Conservation Commission, Santa Fe

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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

BOX 2045

HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

DATE 12/13/55

MR. W. B. MACEY  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
BOX 871  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

RE:

PROPOSED NSP

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PROPOSED NSL

Dear Mr. Macey:

I have examined the application dated 12/1

for the Gulf H. T. Orcutt C #8 6-21-36

Operator

Lease and Well No.

S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

I oppose the principal of <sup>dual</sup> withdrawals from within same vertical interval-

with but 28' between the two zones of production, I feel that gas may be

associated gas from oil zone-in view of several existing units of this type,

OK but I feel that special tests should be performed at regular intervals

to determine completeness of separation.

304.83 acres

Lots 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 of Sec. 2

Yours very truly,

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

(P. M. Linder)

Stanley C. M. Rieder  
Engineer

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PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS

# GULF OIL CORPORATION

P. O. DRAWER 1290 FORT WORTH 1, TEXAS

December 1, 1955

FORT WORTH  
PRODUCTION DIVISION

B. E. THOMPSON  
DIVISION PRODUCTION MANAGER

Re: Application for 304.83-Acre  
Gulf-Atlantic Non-Standard Gas  
Proration Unit, Emmont Gas Pool,  
Comprising Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,  
7, and 8 of Section 6, T-21-S,  
R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission  
State of New Mexico  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Gulf Oil Corporation hereby makes application for approval of a non-standard gas proration unit comprising Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

- (1) Gulf Oil Corporation is owner and operator of an oil and gas lease known as its H. T. Orcutt "C" Lease located in Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, and 8 of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. The Atlantic Refining Company is owner and operator of an oil and gas lease located in Lots 4 and 5 of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. The Gulf and Atlantic leases comprise the 304.83 acres above described.
- (2) Gulf Oil Corporation proposes that the above described acreage be designated as a non-standard 304.83-acre gas proration unit in exception to Rule 5(a) of Order R-520.
- (3) Gulf Oil Corporation's H. T. Orcutt "C" Well No. 8 located 1980 feet from the east line and 660 feet from the north line of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, was dually completed on November 8, 1955. Oil will be produced from the Penrose section of the Queen Formation and the gas-well gas will be produced from the Knight section of the Queen Formation. Applicant requests that the above described 304.83 acres be ascribed to this well for proration purposes.
- (4) Contingent upon obtaining Conservation Commission approval of this application for the non-standard 304.83 acre gas proration unit, Gulf Oil Corporation and The Atlantic Refining Company have agreed to enter into a gas pooling agreement and an operating agreement covering the above described 304.83 acres for

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the purpose of producing their respective shares of Eumont Pool gas under such acreage and have agreed to use the Gulf Oil Corporation H. T. Orcutt "C" Well No. 8 as the unit well.

- (5) The proposed non-standard gas proration unit will meet the requirements of Rule 5(b) of the Oil Conservation Commission's Order No. R-520 as follows:
- (a) Contiguous quarter-quarter sections will comprise the unit.
  - (b) The proposed unit lies wholly within a single governmental section.
  - (c) All acreage within the proposed unit may reasonably be presumed productive of gas.
  - (d) The length or width of the proposed unit does not exceed 5280 feet.
  - (e) By copy of this letter of application, all operators owning interests in the section in which the proposed unit is located and all operators within 1500 feet of the proposed unit well are notified by registered mail of the intent of Gulf Oil Corporation and The Atlantic Refining Company to form the proposed non-standard gas proration unit. (See attached affidavit.)

In view of the existence of the facts herein stated and compliance with the provisions of Rule 5(b) of the Oil Conservation Commission's Order No. R-520, Gulf Oil Corporation requests that the Secretary of the Commission approve the above described non-standard gas proration unit.

Respectfully submitted,

GULF OIL CORPORATION

By *B. E. Thompson*  
Division Production Manager

cc: Registered Mail - Return Receipt Requested

The Atlantic Refining Company  
Box 871  
Midland, Texas

El Paso Natural Gas Company  
Box 1384  
Jal, New Mexico

cc: Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2045  
Hobbs, New Mexico

Humble Oil & Refining Company  
Attn: Mr. R. S. Dewey  
Box 1600  
Midland, Texas

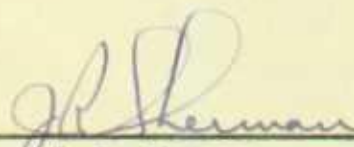
Shell Oil Company  
Box 1957  
Hobbs, New Mexico



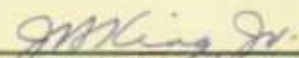
STATE OF TEXAS            |

COUNTY OF TARRANT       |

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. R. Sherman - Division Gas Engineer of the Fort Worth Production Division of Gulf Oil Corporation, who, after being by me duly sworn, upon his oath states that, to the best of his knowledge, the statements contained in the foregoing Application of Gulf Oil Corporation, dated December 1, 1955, are true and correct and that copies of such Application were duly deposited on December 5, 1955, in the United States post office as registered mail, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each of the parties shown receiving carbon copies of such Application.

  
J. R. Sherman

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said J. R. Sherman this 6th day of December, 1955, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

 J. H. King, Jr.  
Notary Public in and for Tarrant  
County, Texas

My Commission Expires:

June 1, 1957