

Gulf Oil Corporation

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September 15, 1961

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State of New Mexico
Post Office Box 871
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Attention: Mr. James E. Whitfield, Legal Assistant

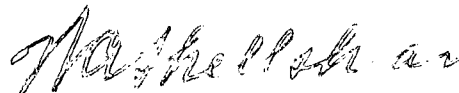
Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter of September 14, 1961, advising that you are holding our application for approval of a 120-acre Non-Standard Blinebry Gas Proration Unit, dated September 12, 1961, until we furnish proof that offset operators were notified.

It is our opinion that a copy of this application need not be sent to any other operators since Gulf owns all leasehold interests in the quarter section in which the proposed 120-acre non-standard unit is located. Gulf also holds all leasehold interests in the Blinebry Gas Pool within 1500 feet of the Unit well.

In view of the above, we trust that our handling of the application has been correct; however, if you disagree, please advise.

Yours very truly,



W. A. Shellshear

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
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P. O. BOX 871
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

September 14, 1961

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Attention: Mr. W. A. Shellshear, District Manager

Gentlemen:

Receipt by the Commission of your application for approval of a non-standard 120-acre gas proration unit, Blinebry Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, dated September 12, 1961, is acknowledged.

Your attention is directed to the Commission's Order No. R-1670, Rule 5(C), 6 (b), which requires the presentation by the applicant of written consent in the form of waivers from all operators owning interests within 1500 feet of the well to which such non-standard gas proration unit is proposed to be dedicated. In lieu of such written consent, the applicant may furnish proof of the fact that the offset operators were notified by registered mail of his intent to form such non-standard gas proration unit. If the latter course should be chosen, the Commission will wait 30 days from the date such proof is furnished and if no objection is received, will approve the application.

Your application is being held in abeyance until you have furnished either written consent from the offset operators, or proof of the fact that they have been notified.

Very truly yours,

JAMES E. WHITFIELD
Legal Assistant

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Re: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for the
Approval of a Non-Standard 120-Acre Gas Proration
Unit, Blinbry Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

In compliance with Rule 30, Order No. R-1670, which prohibits the simultaneous dedication of acreage to an oil and to a gas well, Gulf Oil Corporation respectfully requests exception to Rule 5 (a) of Order No. R-1670 for the approval of a non-standard 120-acre Blinbry gas proration unit covering the W/2 NE/4 and NE/4 NE/4 of Section 28, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

In support of this application, the following facts are submitted:

- (1) Gulf's Eunice King Well No. 9, located 1874 feet from the north and east lines of Section 28 is completed in the Blinbry Gas Pool and has been assigned a standard 160-acre gas proration unit covering the NE/4.
- (2) Gulf's Eunice King Well No. 8, located 1980 feet from the north line and 660 feet from the east line of this Section 28 has been recompleted as a Blinbry oil well.
- (3) The proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of contiguous quarter-quarter sections and lies wholly within a single Governmental quarter section.
- (4) The entire non-standard proration unit is reasonably presumed to be gas productive in the Blinbry Gas Pool.
- (5) The length or width does not exceed 2640 feet.

Respectfully submitted,

GULF OIL CORPORATION

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