TEXACO INC.

PETROLEUM PRODUCTS



37.383 26 days P. O. Box 728 Hobbs, New Mexíco December 18, 1961

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

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

Re: Application of TEXACO Inc. for Approval of Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, Blinebry (Gas) Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

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TEXACO Inc. hereby makes application for approval of a nonstandard gas proration unit in the Blinebry (Gas) Pool, comprising 153.92 acres located in the E/2 of the N/2 of Section 30, T-21-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico, with the V. M. Henderson Well No. 2 as the unit well, and in support thereof states the following:

1. TEXACO Inc. is owner and operator of the V. M. Henderson Lease comprising 313.92 acres, being the N/2 of Section 30, T-21-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico, as shown on the attached plat. V. M. Henderson Well No. 6, located 760 feet from the north line and 1980 feet from the west line of the section is currently being completed in the Blinebry (Gas) Pool and is to be designated as the unit well for the west 160 acres of the lease.

2. TEXACO Inc. is owner and operator of V. M. Henderson Well No. 2 located in Unit "A", 660 feet from the north line and 660 feet from the east line of Section 30, T-21-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico. This well was completed December 22, 1959 as a high gas-oil ratio well in the Blinebry (Oil) Pool. Subsequent to initial completion, the producing gas-oil ratio has increased to above 32,000 to one which necessitates reclassifying the well as a gas well. This increase in gas-oil ratio is shown in the following tabulation.

DATE	GAS-OIL RATIO
5-27-60	25,515
10-28-60	31,500
10-13-61	60,091

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TEXACO Inc. proposes that the east 153.92 acres of Section 30 be established as a non-standard gas proration unit in the Blinebry (Gas) Pool with V. M. Henderson Well No. 2 as the unit well.

3. The proposed non-standard gas proration unit will meet the requirements of Rule 5 (C) of Order No. R-1670, General Rules and Regulations, Blinebry (Gas) Pool as follows:

(1) The proposed non-standard proration unit consists of less acreage than a standard proration unit.

 $(\sqrt{2})$  The unit consists of contiguous quarter-quarter sections.

(3) The unit lies wholly within a single governmental quarter section.

(4) The entire unit may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas from the Blinebry (Gas) Pool.

.(5) The length or width of the unit does not exceed 2640 feet.

(6) By copy of this letter of application, all operators owning interests within 1500 feet of the unit well are being notified by registered mail of the intent of TEXACO Inc. to form the proposed non-standard gas proration unit. Offset operators notified are: <u>Gulf Oil Corporation</u>, P. O. Box 1938, Roswell, New Mexico; <u>Mobil Oil Company</u>, P. O. Box 2406, Hobbs, New Mexico; and J. W. Peery, P. O. Box 655, Odessa, Texas.

Based upon the facts recited herein, TEXACO Inc. respectfully requests that the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission approve administratively the non-standard gas proration unit described above.

Yours very truly,

W. B. Hubbard District Superintendent

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cc: NMOCC, Hobbs, New Mexico

Attachment

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LEA

Before me the undersigned authority, on this the <u>18</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1961, personally appeared <u>W. B. Hubbard</u> known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to this instrument, who after being by me duly sworn on oath, states that he has knowledge of all the facts stated above and that the same is a true and correct statement of the facts therein recited.

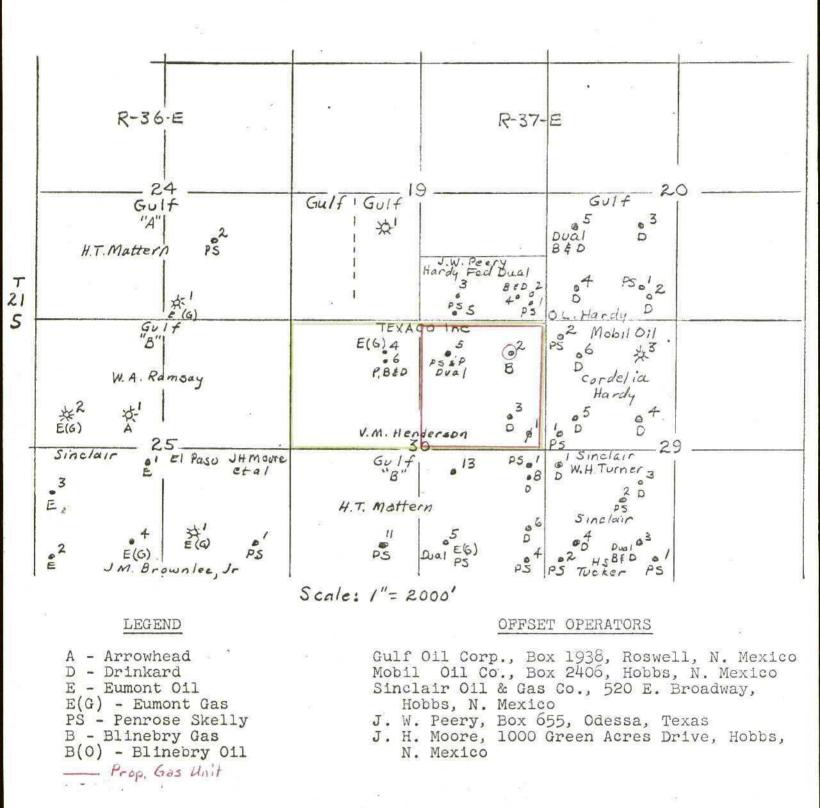
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this <u>18</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1961.

anne Redmond Notary Public in and for Lea County, New Mexico.

My Commission Expires June 20, 1965.

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