BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

CASE NO. 5380 Order No. R-4958

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR A NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNIT, AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, AND SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

also ru R-4958-A

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on February 5, 1975, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this <u>llth</u> day of February, 1975, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, 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 cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Amoco Production Company, seeks approval for a 360-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the S/2 NE/4, SE/4 NW/4, E/2 SW/4, and SE/4 of Section 33, in Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant seeks to simultaneously dedicate to said non-standard unit its Gillully "B" Well No. 3 located in Unit N and its Gillully "B" Well No. 15 to be drilled at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section 33, with unit production to be taken from said wells in any proportion.
- (4) That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit can be efficiently and economically drained and developed by the subject wells.

(5) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the Eumont Gas Pool and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That effective at 7:00 a.m. March 1, 1975, the applicant, Amoco Production Company, is hereby authorized to simultaneously dedicate its 360-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the S/2 NE/4, SE/4 NW/4, E/2 SW/4, and SE/4 of Section 33 in Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to its Gillully "B" Well No. 3 located in Unit N and its Gillully "B" Well No. 15 to be drilled at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section 33, with unit production to be taken from said wells in any proportion.
- (2) That the allowable assigned to the above-described gas proration unit shall be based upon the unit size of 360 acres and that the operator may produce the allowable assigned to the unit from the subject wells in any proportion.
- (3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year herein-above designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

I. R. TRUJILLO, Chairman

PHIL R. LUCERO, Member

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

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 6370 Order No. R-4958-A

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION AND SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on November 8, 1978, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 30th day of November, 1978, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Amoco Production Company, seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location of its Gilluly B Fed. Well No. 22 to be drilled at a point 2310 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant further seeks to simultaneously dedicate an existing 360-acre non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the SE/4, S/2 NE/4, E/2 SW/4, and SE/4 NW/4 of said Section 33 to said well and to its Gilluly B Federal Wells Nos. 3 and 15 located in Units N and H, respectively, of said section.

- (4) That a well at said unorthodox location will better enable applicant to produce the gas underlying the proration unit.
- (5) That no offset operator objected to the proposed unorthodox location.
- (6) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the subject pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That an unorthodox gas well location is hereby approved for the Amoco Production Company Gilluly B Fed. Well No. 22 to be drilled at a point 2310 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (2) That the applicant is further authorized to simultaneously dedicate a 360-acre non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the SE/4, S/2 NE/4, E/2 SW/4, and SE/4 NW/4 of said Section 33 to said well and to its Gilluly B Federal Wells Nos. 3 and 15 located in Units N and H, respectively, of said section.
- (3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

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Director

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