

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. 1532
Order No. R-1278

APPLICATION OF SUNRAY MID-CONTINENT
OIL COMPANY FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING
A SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL IN SECTION
36, TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST,
NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on October 22, 1958, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Elvis A. Utz, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 5th day of November, 1958, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Elvis A. Utz, 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, Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Company, is the owner and operator of the Hobbs "G" Well No. 1, located 1980 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 36, Township 9 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant proposes to inject salt water down tubing in the said Hobbs "G" Well No. 1 into the Pennsylvanian formation below the water-oil contact with the proposed injection zone from 9834 feet to 9865 feet.
- (4) That a packer should be set above the injection interval.
- (5) That the applicant's proposed salt water injection program will not jeopardize the production of oil, gas or fresh water in the area and is consonant with sound conservation practices.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Company, be and the same is hereby authorized to utilize its Hobbs "G" Well No. 1, located 1980 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 36, Township 9 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, for the purpose of disposing of produced salt water into the Pennsylvanian formation below the water-oil contact in the zone from 9834 to 9865 feet.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That the salt water shall be injected through tubing and provided further that a packer shall be set above the injection interval.

(2) That the applicant shall submit monthly reports of its disposal operations in accordance with Rules 704 and 1119 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman



MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member



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



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