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Re: Application for 320 acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, Jalmat Gas Pool, Comprising E/2 Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, and Revision of Two Existing Gas Proration Units.

Oil Conservation Commission
State of New Mexico
Post Office Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Gulf Oil Corporation hereby makes application for exception to Rule 5(a) of Order No. R-520 for approval of a non-standard gas proration unit comprising E/2 of Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, and revision of two existing gas proration units in the vicinity.

In support of this application, Gulf Oil Corporation states the following:

- (1) Gulf's J. F. Janda "F" Well No. 13, located 660 feet from the south and east lines of Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, is being dually completed as a gas well in the Jalmat Gas Pool. Applicant proposes that a non-standard 320 acre gas proration unit consisting of the E/2 of Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E be assigned to this well.
- (2) By Order No. R-485 dated June 30, 1954, the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission approved Gulf Oil Corporation's application for a 640 acre unorthodox gas proration unit in the Langmat (now Jalmat) Gas Pool, consisting of the SE/4 of Section 33 and SW/4 of Section 34, both in T-21-S, R-36-E, and the NW/4 of Section 3 and NE/4 of Section 4, both in T-22-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. This acreage is assigned to Gulf's W. A. Ramsay "A" Well No. 1, which is located 330 feet from the south and west lines of Section 34, T-21-S, R-36-E. Applicant proposes that this unit be changed to a 480 acre non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the SE/4 of Section 33 and SW/4 of Section 34, both in T-21-S, R-36-E, and the NW/4 of Section 3, T-22-S, R-36-E.

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- (3) By Administrative Order NSP-404 dated November 25, 1957, Gulf's 320 acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Jalmat Gas Pool was approved, consisting of the S/2 of Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E, and assigned to Gulf's J. F. Janda "F" Well No. 7, which is located 1980 feet from the south and west lines of Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E. Applicant proposes that this unit be changed to a 160 acre gas proration unit consisting of the SW/4 of Section 4, T-22-S, R-36-E.
- (4) In addition, Gulf Oil Corporation submits the following information:
- (A) Gulf Oil Corporation is lessee and operator of all the acreage comprising the proposed gas proration units as shown on the attached plat. The proposed gas proration units are outlined in red, with the corresponding unit wells circled in red.
 - (B) All acreage within the proposed units may reasonably be presumed productive of gas.
 - (C) All units will be comprised of contiguous quarter quarter sections.
 - (D) Length or width of the proposed units does not exceed 5,280 feet.
- (5) The approval of this application will, in the opinion of the applicant, prevent waste, protect correlative rights, and serve the best interest of conservation.
- (6) By copy of this application, all operators within 1,500 feet of the proposed unit wells are notified of the intent of Gulf Oil Corporation to form the proposed gas proration units described above.

It is requested that this matter be set for examiner hearing at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,

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