

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. 2532
Order No. R-2157-A

APPLICATION OF ZAPATA PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR TWO ADDITIONAL
INJECTION WELLS, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on April 25, 1962, 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 8th day of May, 1962, 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 by Order No. R-2157, entered in Case No. 2458 on January 3, 1962, Zapata Petroleum Corporation was authorized to institute a waterflood project in the Maljamar Pool in the S/2 of Section 17 and the N/2 of Section 20, all in Township 17 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, by the injection of water into the Grayburg-San Andres formation through the Zapata-Western State Wells Nos. 6, 8, and 15.

(3) That the applicant, Zapata Petroleum Corporation, seeks permission to convert to water injection its Phillips State "B" Wells Nos. 3 and 5, located, respectively, in Units H and B, Section 19, Township 17 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as additional injection wells in the Maljamar Pool Waterflood Project previously authorized by said Order No. R-2157.

(4) That approval of the subject application will neither cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Zapata Petroleum Corporation is hereby authorized to convert to water injection its Phillips state "B" Wells Nos. 3 and 5, located, respectively, in Units E and E, section 19, Township 17 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as an addition to its waterflood project previously authorized in the Maljamar Pool by Order No. R-2157.

(2) 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 hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. NECHEM, Chairman



E. S. WALKER, Member



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

