

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF
BRUSHY DRAW DEEP UNIT AGREEMENT
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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Case 4081

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Comes the undersigned, Curtis Hankamer, 714 Houston Bank & Trust Building, Houston, Texas 77002, and files herewith one copy of the proposed Unit Agreement for the development and operation of the Brushy Draw Deep Unit Area, Eddy County, New Mexico, and hereby makes application for approval of said Unit Agreement as provided by law, and in support thereof, states:

1. That the proposed unit area covered by said Agreement embraces 9,672.53 acres of land, more or less, more particularly described as follows:

Township 26 South, Range 29 East, N. M. P. M.

- Section 12: S $\frac{1}{2}$ ✓
- Section 13: All ✓
- Section 24: All ✓
- Section 25: All ✓
- Section 36: All ✓

Township 26 South, Range 30 East, N. M. P. M.

- Section 7: S $\frac{1}{2}$ ✓
- Section 8: S $\frac{1}{2}$ ✓
- Section 16: All ✓
- Section 17: All ✓
- Section 18: All ✓
- Section 19: All ✓
- Section 20: All ✓
- Section 21: All ✓
- Section 28: All ✓
- Section 29: All ✓
- Section 30: All ✓
- Section 31: All ✓
- Section 32: All ✓
- Section 33: All ✓

containing 9,672.53 acres, more or less.

2. That the lands embraced within the said proposed unit area, 1,153.76 acres are lands of the State of New Mexico, 8,518.77 acres are lands of the United States;

there are no fee lands or patented lands within the unit area.

3. That application is being made for the designation of said unit area and for the approval of the form of Unit Agreement by the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico.

4. That applicant is informed and believes, and upon information and belief states, that the proposed unit area contains all or substantially all of the geological feature involved, and that in the event of the discovery of oil or gas thereon, that said Unit Agreement will permit the producing area to be developed and operated in the interest of conservation and the prevention of waste of the unitized substances.

5. That Curtis Hankamer is designated as the Unit Operator in said Unit Agreement, and as such, is given authority under the terms thereof to carry on all operations necessary for the development and operation of the unit area for oil and gas, subject to all applicable laws and regulations. That said Unit Agreement provides for the drilling of an initial test well to a depth sufficient to test formations of the Devonian Age, but that applicant is not obligated to drill said well, in any event to a depth in excess of 16,000 feet.

6. That applicant believes that in the event oil or gas in paying quantities is discovered on the lands within the unit area, that the field or area can be developed more economically and efficiently under the terms of said Unit Agreement, to the end that the maximum recovery will be obtained of unitized substances, that said Unit Agreement is

in the interest of conservation and prevention of waste as contemplated by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Statutes and regulations.

7. That upon an order being entered by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission approving said Unit Agreement, and after approval thereof by the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico, and after approval by the United States Department of Interior, an approved copy will be filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

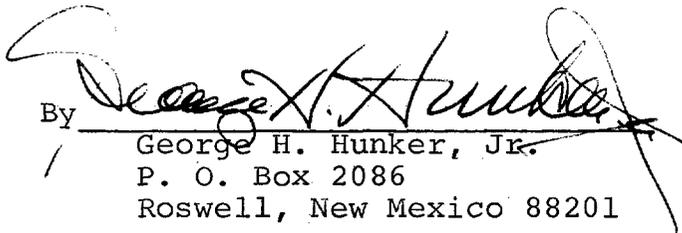
WHEREFORE, the undersigned applicant respectfully requests that a hearing be held before an examiner on the matter of the approval of said Unit Agreement, and that upon said hearing, said Unit Agreement be approved by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission as being in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

DATED this 27th day of February, 1969.

Respectfully submitted,

CURTIS HANKAMER

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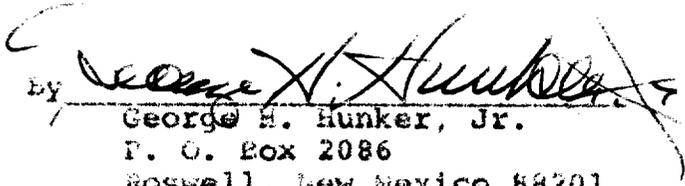
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