

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT RUSSELL STOCKLEY, UNITED PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE KNIGHT & STOCKLEY HOMER SCHMITT WELL NO. 1 LOCATED IN UNIT P OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 29 EAST, UNION COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMMISSION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

CASE NO. 5553
Order No. R-5103

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on September 10, 1975, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 30th day of September, 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 Russell Stockley is the owner and operator of the Knight & Stockley Homer Schmitt Well No. 1, located in Unit P of Section 4, Township 29 North, Range 29 East, NMPM, Union County, New Mexico.

(3) That in order to prevent waste and protect correlative rights said Knight & Stockley Homer Schmitt Well No. 1 should be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a program approved by the Santa Fe District Office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on or before February 1, 1976.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Russell Stockley and United Pacific Insurance Company are hereby ordered to plug and abandon the Knight & Stockley Homer Schmitt Well No. 1, located in Unit P of Section 4, Township 29 North, Range 29 East, NMPM, Union County, New Mexico, on or before February 1, 1976.

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(2) That Russell Stockley and United Pacific Insurance Company, prior to plugging and abandoning the above-described well, shall obtain from the Santa Fe office of the Commission, a Commission-approved program for said plugging and abandoning, and shall notify said Santa Fe office of the date and hour said work is to be commenced whereupon the Commission may, at its option, witness such work.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

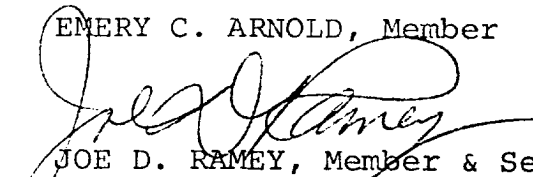
DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



PHIL R. LUCERO, Chairman

EMERY C. ARNOLD, Member



JOE D. RAMEY, Member & Secretary

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