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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. 4938
Order No. R-4513

APPLICATION OF HANSON OIL
CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX
LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on April 11, 1973, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 26th day of April, 1973, 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 the applicant, Hanson Oil Corporation, seeks authority to drill a producing oil well at an unorthodox location 990 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the West line of Section 2, Township 9 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Vada-Pennsylvanian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That said location varies from a standard location by 70 feet.

(4) That no operators having offsetting acreage in said pool have objected to the proposed location.

(5) That the SW/4 of said Section 2 will be dedicated to the well.

(6) That the proposed unorthodox location will result in a greater ultimate recovery of oil and gas from the pool.

(7) That approval of the aforesaid unorthodox location will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the oil in the Vada-Pennsylvanian Pool, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Hanson Oil Corporation, is hereby authorized to drill a producing oil well at an unorthodox location 990 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the West line of Section 2, Township 9 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Vada-Pennsylvanian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

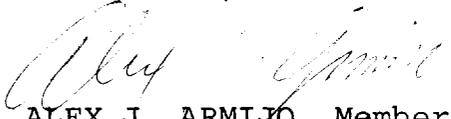
(2) That the SW/4 of said Section 2 shall be dedicated to the above-described well.

(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


BRUCE KING, Chairman


ALEX J. ARMIJO, Member


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

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