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SHELL OIL COMPANY

PETROLEUM BUILDING
P.O. BOX 1509
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

March 10, 1970

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Oil Conservation Commission
State of New Mexico
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.

Gentlemen:

Shell Oil Company requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location for its McKinley A-11 in the Hobbs, Blinbry-Drinkard pool in Lea County, New Mexico under special rules for the Hobbs Drinkard field - Order No. R-3811 by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission. Attached is the required Form C-101 and certified plats. The proposed location is 1980 feet from the west line and 420 feet from the south line of Section 19, Township 18 South, Range 38 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

Administrative approval of this unorthodox location is requested as a special case of topographical conditions affecting the standard location. The standard location places the well under two power lines and telephone lines that serve the town of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Proration Unit M, Section 19 which is to be dedicated to this well, is under the power and telephone lines that run east and west through the McKinley "A" lease. To avoid these surface obstructions, we request administrative exception to move our location 90 feet south of the southern most orthodox location permitted under Rule 4 of the Special Rules for the Drinkard formation. That would put us 240 feet from the center of the 40-acre location.

Therefore, because of the utility installations, we request your administrative approval of the proposed unorthodox location.

Offset operators to this proration unit have been sent copies of this application.

Yours very truly,

J. D. Duren
Staff Operations Engineer
Production Department - West
Midland Division

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Attachment

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Form C-101
Revised 1-1-65

5A. Indicate Type of Lease	
STATE <input type="checkbox"/>	FEE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

5. State Oil & Gas Lease No.

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work			7. Unit Agreement Name		
b. Type of Well DRILL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN <input type="checkbox"/> PLUG BACK <input type="checkbox"/>			8. Farm or Lease Name		
OIL WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE ZONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			9. Well No.		
2. Name of Operator Shell Oil Company			McKinley A		
3. Address of Operator P. O. Box 1509, Midland, Texas 79701			11		
4. Location of Well UNIT LETTER <u>N</u> LOCATED <u>420</u> FEET FROM THE <u>south</u> LINE AND <u>1930</u> FEET FROM THE <u>west</u> LINE OF SEC. <u>19</u> TWP. <u>18-S</u> RGE. <u>38-E</u> NMPM			10. Field and Pool, or Wildcat Hobbs-Drinkard Hobbs-Blinchry		
			12. County Lea		
			19. Proposed Depth 7100'		
			19A. Formation Drinkard		
			20. Rotary or C.T. Rotary		
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, RT, etc.) Est. 3650' DF		21A. Kind & Status Plug. Bond Blanket	21B. Drilling Contractor Not Determined		22. Approx. Date Work will start On Approval

PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENT PROGRAM

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	SACKS OF CEMENT	EST. TOP
17 1/2"	13 3/8"		350'		Circ. Cm.
12 1/2"	9 5/8"		3820'		TOG 1300'
8 3/4"	7" Liner		7100'		Circ. Cm.
					Top of liner @ 3650'

Unorthodox location. Copies of Form C-101 and C-102 mailed to off set operators with request for waiver letters 3-10-70.

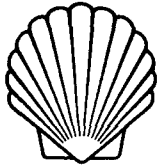
IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: IF PROPOSAL IS TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK, GIVE DATA ON PRESENT PRODUCTIVE ZONE AND PROPOSED NEW PRODUCTIVE ZONE. GIVE BLOWOUT PREVENTER PROGRAM, IF ANY.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed J. D. Duren J. D. Duren Title Staff Operations Engineer Date March 10, 1970
(This space for State Use)

APPROVED BY _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:



SHELL OIL COMPANY

PETROLEUM BUILDING
P.O. BOX 1509
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

March 9, 1970

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Subject: Unorthodox Well Location

Getty Oil Company
P. O. Box 249
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Gentlemen:

Shell Oil Company is filing Form C-101 Permit to Drill on an unorthodox location for the following well:

McKinley A-11, Hobbs Blinebry-Drinkard
1980' FWL & 420' FSL
Section 19, T-18-S, R-38-E
Lea County, New Mexico

If you as operator of a proration unit offsetting this unorthodox location have no objection, please sign all copies of the waiver. Please mail the original to New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501. Return one copy to us and retain one copy for your file. Enclosed are stamped, addressed envelopes for your convenience. We have attached a copy of Form C-101 and Form C-102 for your information.

Yours very truly,

J. L. Mahaffey

J. L. Mahaffey, Manager
Production Department - West
Midland Division

DC:LM

Attachments

We as offset operator of a proration unit waive objection to the application of Shell Oil Company to drill the above-described well.

GETTY OIL COMPANY

BY *C. S. Wade*
Area Superintendent

DATE March 12, 1970



SHELL OIL COMPANY

PETROLEUM BUILDING

P.O. BOX 1509

MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

March 9, 1970

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Subject: Unorthodox Well Location

Cities Service Oil Company
P. O. Box 69
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Gentlemen:

Shell Oil Company is filing Form C-101 Permit to Drill on an unorthodox location for the following well:

McKinley A-11, Hobbs Blinebry-Drinkard
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Lea County, New Mexico

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Yours very truly,

J. L. Mahaffey, Manager
Production Department - West
Midland Division

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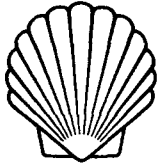
CITIES SERVICE OIL CO.

BY

MANAGER, WESTERN REGION
PRODUCTION DIVISION

DATE

3-16-70



SHELL OIL COMPANY

PETROLEUM BUILDING
P.O. BOX 1509
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

March 9, 1970

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Subject: Unorthodox Well Location

Amerada Petroleum Corporation
P. O. Box 591
Midland, Texas 79701

Gentlemen:

Shell Oil Company is filing Form C-101 Permit to Drill on an unorthodox location for the following well:

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Section 19, T-18-S, R-38-E
Lea County, New Mexico

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Yours very truly,

J. L. Mahaffey, Manager
Production Department - West
Midland Division

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We as offset operator of a proration unit waive objection to the application of Shell Oil Company to drill the above-described well.

Amerada Hess Corporation - Amerada Division

BY

DATE March 17, 1970