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GULF OIL CORPORATION

B. E. THOMPSON
DIVISION PRODUCTION MANAGER

P. O. DRAWER 1290 FORT WORTH 1, TEXAS

May 21, 1956

FORT WORTH
PRODUCTION DIVISION

Re: Application for 236.45-Acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, Eumont Gas Pool, Comprising Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 8 of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission
State of New Mexico
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

On December 1, 1955, Gulf Oil Corporation made an application for approval of a 304.83-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. This non-standard unit was approved on January 7, 1956, by Administrative Order NSP-221. As of this date unitization of this acreage has not been completed; therefore, Gulf Oil Corporation hereby requests that operations under Order NSP-221 be deferred, and that the Commission issue an Administrative Order authorizing a 236.45-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 8 of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. In support thereof the following facts are submitted:

- (1) Gulf Oil Corporation is owner and operator of an oil and gas lease known as its H. T. Orcutt "C" Lease, Lea County, New Mexico, as shown on the attached plat.
- (2) Gulf Oil Corporation proposes that the above described acreage be established as a non-standard 236.45-acre gas proration unit in exception to Rule 5(a) of Order R-520.
- (3) The H. T. Orcutt "C" Well No. 8, located 1,980 feet from the East line and 660 feet from the North line of Section 6, T-21-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico, was completed November 8, 1955, as a gas-oil dual well. This well produced oil from the Penrose section of the Queen Formation and the gas-well gas will be produced from the Knight section of the Queen Formation. The applicant proposes to use this well as the unit well.
- (4) The proposed non-standard gas proration unit will meet the requirements of Rule 5(b) of the Oil Conservation Commission Order No. R-520 as follows:

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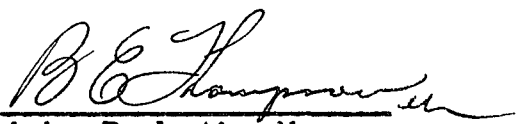
- (a) Contiguous quarter-quarter sections will comprise the unit.
 - (b) The proposed unit lies wholly within a single governmental section.
 - (c) All acreage within the proposed unit may reasonably be presumed productive of gas.
 - (d) The length or width of the proposed unit does not exceed 5,280 feet.
 - (e) Gulf Oil Corporation is lessee and operator of all the acreage comprising the proposed unit as shown on the attached plat, and by copy of this letter of application, all operators owning interest in the section in which the proposed unit is located and all operators within 1,500 feet of the proposed unit well are notified by registered mail of the intent of Gulf Oil Corporation to form the proposed non-standard gas proration unit. (See attached affidavit.)
- (5) The approval of this application for a 236.45-acre non-standard gas proration unit will, in the opinion of the applicant, prevent waste, protect correlative rights and serve the best interest of conservation.

In view of the existence of the facts herein stated and compliance with the provisions of Rule 5(b) of the Oil Conservation Commission's Order No. R-520, Gulf Oil Corporation requests that the Secretary of the Commission approve the above described non-standard gas proration unit.

Respectfully submitted,

GULF OIL CORPORATION

By:


Division Production Manager

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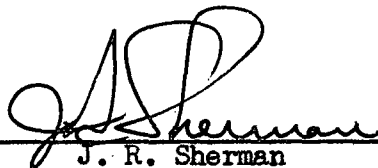
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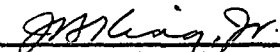
STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TARRANT

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. R. Sherman - Division Gas Engineer of the Fort Worth Production Division of Gulf Oil Corporation, who, after being by me duly sworn, upon his oath states that, to the best of his knowledge, the statements contained in the foregoing Application of Gulf Oil Corporation, dated May 21, 1956, are true and correct and that copies of such Application were duly deposited on May 23, 1956, in the United States post office as registered mail, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each of the parties shown receiving carbon copies of such Application.


J. R. Sherman

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said J. R. Sherman this 23rd day of May, 1956, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

 J. H. King, Jr.
Notary Public in and for Tarrant
County, Texas

My Commission Expires:

June 1, 1957

