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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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TO THE HONORABLE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

The Petitioners herein, appearing by their attorney,
Donald S. Bush of Artesia, New Mexico, hereby make application
for an order approving the deepening of an unorthodox location,
located 1857 feet from the North line and 2390 feet from the
West line of Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 28 East,
N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico; said locations being closer to
the boundary lines of the units involved than is permitted by
general rules and regulations, and in support thereof respectfully
state as follows:

- l. That said unorthodox location known as the Flynn, Yates, and Welch State No. 19 Well was previously completed to a total depth of 2045 feet on or about the 17th day of July, 1925, prior to the enactment of the Oil and Gas Conservation laws of the State of New Mexico.
- 2. That the unit on which said well was drilled is a part of that certain oil and gas lease No. 647, title to which by subsequent assignments has been lodged in Malco Refineries, Incorporated, Dale Resler d/b/a Resler Oil Company, and Martin Yates Jr., as co-owners.
- 3. That your Petitioners desire to deepen said unorthodox location to a depth of approximately 2900 feet for the reason that the production of said well has been reduced below the economic limit of production and that by deepening said well, your Petitioners can more economically obtain the geological

information necessary to determine the feasibility of drilling said acreage to said lower depth.

4. That the owner of the forty acre unit, immediately adjacent on the West of the unit affected by this Petition, makes no objections to the requests contained herein, as shown by the Waiver, hereto attached, marked Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof.

In consideration of the foregoing statements, your Petitioners respectfully request that the Commission give Notice as required by the rules and regulations of the Commission; that a hearing on this matter be held; that the Petitioners be permitted to order proof of the facts herein stated, and that the Commission make the following finding and order, to wit:

A. That the Commission execute an order authorizing your Petitioners to deepen the unorthodox location as herein stated.

Artesia, New Mexico Attorney for Petitioners

<u>W A I V E R</u>

The undersigned, being the owners and operators of the 40 acre tract immediately adjacent on the West to the acreage affected by the above Petition, do hereby make our general entry of appearance herein, expressly waive any objections to the requests made in said Petition, and consent to the order requested therein without further notice to us.

Wm. D. Flynn, Van S. Welch, Martin Yates Jr., co-partners d/b/a Flynn, Welch, and Yates

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