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. 306 ORDER NO. R-95

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF C. H. SWEET FOR PERMISSION TO DRILL AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION 1325 FEET WEST OF THE EAST LINE AND 660 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE, SECTION 23, TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 10 A. M., on September 13, 1951, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission", upon the application of C. H. Sweet for permission to drill on an unorthodox location on lands in Lea County.

NOW, on this 20th day of September, 1951, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered all of the testimony adduced and exhibits introduced at said hearing, 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 and the parties interested therein.

(2) Due to geological conditions it is unlikely that a well drilled by applicant C. H. Sweet in an orthodox location on his lease in NW/4 NE/4, Section 23, Township 18 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, would be productive.

(3) Applicant should be permitted to locate his well 660 feet from the North Line and 1325 feet from the East line of Section 23, Township 18 South, Range 37 East, NMPM and such location will not disturb the correlative rights of adjoining owners.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED: That C. H. Sweet be permitted to drill a well:

660 feet from the North Line and 1325 feet from the East line, Section 23 Township 18 South, Range 37 East, NMPM

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Thim I meches EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman GUY SHEPARD, Member where R. SPURRIER, Secretary

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