# BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE No. 348 ORDER No. R-141

THE APPLICATION OF AMERADA PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER APPROVING A UNIT AGREEMENT EMBRACING THE E/2 SE/4, SECTION 34, TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, CONTAINING 80 ACRES, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

## BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9:00 a.m. on March 20, 1952, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of April 1952, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony adduced and exhibits received 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 case, of all interested parties, and of the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the proposed unit plan will in principle tend to promote the conservation of oil and gas and the prevention of waste.

# IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the order herein shall be known as the Bagley Unit Agreement Order.
  - (a) That the project herein shall be known as the Bagley Unit Agreement for the E/2 SE/4 section 34, Township 11 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico, and the plan by which the project shall be operated shall be embraced in the form of a unit agreement for the development and operation of the unit area referred to in the application.
- (2) That the unit agreement plan shall be and is hereby approved in principle as a proper conservation measure; provided, however, that not-withstanding any of the provisions contained in said unit agreement, this approval of said agreement shall not be considered as a waiver or relinquishment in any manner of any rights, duties, or obligations which are now or may hereafter be vested in the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission by law relative to the supervision and control of operations or exploration and development of any lands committed to said unit agreement or relative to the production of oil or gas therefrom.

(3) That the unit area shall be:

# Township 11 South, Range 33 East, NMPM

E/2 SE/4 section 34, containing 80 acres, more or less

- (4) That the unit operator shall file with the Commission an executed original or executed counterpart of the said unit agreement not later than 30 days after the effective date hereof.
- (5) That this order shall become effective as of the date of approval of the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico and shall terminate ipso facto on the termination of said unit agreement. The last unit operator shall immediately notify the Commission in writing of such termination.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L MECHEM, Chairman

GUY SHEPARD, Member

R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

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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 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 249

ORDER NO. R-69

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF AMERADA PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISHING PRORATION UNITS AND UNIFORM SPACING OF WELLS FOR THE BAGLEY-SILURO-DEVONIAN POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

This matter came on for hearing at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on April 24, 1951, on the application of Amerada Petroleum Corporation to establish proration units and uniform spacing of wells for the Bagley-Siluro-Devonian Pool, in Lea County, New Mexico.

The Commission having heard the evidence presented and being fully advised,

## FINDS:

- 1. That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of the subject matter and of the parties.
- 2. That all of the allegations contained in the application filed herein by Amerada Petroleum Corporation are true and correct.
- 3. That the probable productive limits of the Bagley-Siluro-Devonian Pool ascertainable from the information available at the time of the hearing in this case comprise the following land in Lea County, New Mexico:

All of Sec. 34 - T 11 S - R 33 E NW and 5/2, Sec. 35 - T 11 S - R 33 E N/2 and SE, Sec. 3 - T 12 - R 33 E All of Sec. 2 - T 12 B - R 33 E E/2 N# and N/2 NE, Sec. 11 - T 12 - R 33 E

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That 80 acre proration units are hereby established for the Bagley-Siluro-Devonian Fool as delineated above, which shall comprise the West half and East half of each Governmental quarter section, except the following units, to-wit:

N/2 NW, Sec. 35 - T 11 S - R 33 E S/2 NW, ec. 35 - T 11 S - R 33 E N/2 NW, Sec. 3 - T 12 S - R 33 E S/2 NW, Sec. 3 - T 12 S - R 33 E

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N/2 NE, Sec. 2 - T 12 5 - R 33 E SW NE and NW SE, Sec. 2 - T 12 S - R 33 E SE NE and NE SE, Sec. 2 - T 12 5 - R 33 E S/2 SE, Sec. 2 - T 12 S - R 33 E N/2 NE, Sec. 11 - T 12 S - R 33 E

- 2. All wells drilled into the Bagley-Ciluro-Devonian Pool shall be located in the center of the Northwest and the Southeast quarters of each governmental quarter section, with a tolerance of 150 feet in any direction to avoid surface obstructions.
- 3. That no well shall be drilled or produced in said Pool except in conformity with the spacing pattern set forth above without special order of the Commission after notice and hearing.
- 4. That all wells producing or hereafter completed in the Bagley-Siluro-Devonian Pool are hereby given an allowable equivalent to one and one-half times the top allowable for a 40 acre provation unit with the deep pool adaptation, as provided for in the rules and regulations of the Commission.
- 5. If any well is drilled as an exception to the well spacing pattern set forth above under special order of the Commission, the allowable for such well shall be the top allowable for a 40 acre proration unit with the deep pool adaptation, as provided by the rules and regulations of the Commission.
- E. This order shall cover all of the Bagley-Siluro-Devonian common source of supply and any extension thereof as may be determined by further development, and shall continue in force for a period of one year from the first day of May, 1951.

Done this 1st day of May, 1951.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

s/ Edwin L. Mechem, Chairman EDWIN L. MECHEM

s/ Guy Shepard GUY SHEPARD, MEMBER

s/R.R.Spurrier R.R.SPURRIER, SECRETARY