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Case # 1112

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
1956 JUN 13 AM 11:47 OF THE  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY FOR APPROVAL  
OF A 480-ACRE NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION  
UNIT CONSISTING OF W/2 AND W/2 E/2 SECTION  
15 T2OS, R37E, NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
FOR ITS BRITT B-15 WELL NO. 3 IN THE EUMONT  
POOL

A P P L I C A T I O N

Comes now applicant, Continental Oil Company and petitions the Commission for an order approving a non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the W/2 and W/2 E/2, Section 15, T2OS, R37E, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to be allocated to its Britt B-15 well No. 3, located 1980 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of said Section 15, and in support thereof would show:

1. That applicant is part owner and is the operator of the Britt "B" lease consisting of, among other lands, Section 15, T2OS, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.
2. That applicant drilled and completed on November 17, 1938 its well No. 3 on the said lease as an oil well producing from the Grayburg formation at a location 1980 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of said Section 15.
3. That said well was subsequently plugged back to the Queen formation and recompleted as a gas well within the vertical and horizontal limits of the Eumont gas pool as presently defined.
4. That the Commission by Order No. NSP-124 approved a non-standard unit of 320 acres size consisting of the W/2 of said Section 15 for the said well.
5. That the E/2 E/2 of said section is within the boundaries of the S. E. Monument Unit and will be allocated to another gas well.
6. That the W/2 E/2 of said section has no producing gas well and is contiguous to the W/2 of said section and has common ownership therewith.
7. That it would be impractical to communitize the W/2 E/2

of said section with other lands or to drill a well for producing the gas under the W/2 E/2 of said section.

8. That failure to allocate said acreage to a gas well will impair the correlative rights of parties owning interests therein and would result in waste or confiscation of gas under said acreage.

Wherefore, applicant respectfully prays that this application be set for hearing before the Commission's duly appointed examiner in Hobbs, New Mexico after due notice and that upon hearing an order be entered approving the non-standard gas proration unit described above.

Respectfully submitted

CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. L. Adams", is written over the typed name.

R. L. ADAMS  
Division Superintendent  
of Production  
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