

**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. 1896
Order No. R-1610**

**APPLICATION OF MOUNTAIN STATES
PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR A 181-
ACRE NON-STANDARD GAS UNIT IN THE
PICTURED CLIFFS FORMATION ADJACENT
TO THE PINE LAKE-PICTURED CLIFFS
POOL, RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO,
AND FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL
LOCATION.**

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m., on February 10, 1960, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 18th day of February, 1960, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application and the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Nutter, 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.
- (2) That the applicant, Mountain States Petroleum Corporation, is the operator of partial Section 30, Township 26 North, Range 2 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant proposes the establishment of a 181-acre non-standard gas unit in the Pictured Cliffs formation adjacent to the Pine Lakes-Pictured Cliffs Pool consisting of all of said partial Section 30, said unit to be dedicated to applicant's Federal Well No. 30-F, located at an unorthodox location 790 feet from the South line and 750 feet from the West line of said Section 30.

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(4) That approval of the subject application will neither cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That a 181-acre non-standard gas unit in the Pictured Cliffs formation adjacent to the Pine Lake-Pictured Cliffs Pool consisting of all of partial Section 30, Township 26 North, Range 2 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, be and the same is hereby established. Said unit is to be dedicated to applicant's Federal Well No. 30-F, located at an unorthodox location 790 feet from the South line and 750 feet from the West line of said Section 30.

(2) That the establishment of the above-described 181-acre non-standard gas unit shall not become effective until such time as the Commission is furnished with a copy of an executed communitization agreement covering the subject acreage.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



JOHN BURROUGHS, Chairman



MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member



A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

