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. 2116 Order No. R-1818

APPLICATION OF WESTATES PETROLEUM COMPANY FOR AN OIL-OIL DUAL COMPLETION IN AN UNDESIGNATED PADDOCK POOL AND IN THE JUSTIS-BLINEBRY POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on November 2, 1960, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Elvis A. Utz, Examiner duly appointed by the Cil 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 9th day of November, 1960, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Elvis A. Utz, 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 is the owner and operator of the Carlson "B" 26 Well No. 7, located in Unit J, Section 26, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant proposes to dually complete the above-described Carlson "B" 26 Well No. 7 in such a manner as to permit the production of oil from an undesignated Paddock Pool and the production of oil from the Justis-Blinebry Pool through parallel strings of 2 3/8-inch tubing installed within a string of 7-inch casing set at 6043 feet.
- (4) That the mechanics of the proposed dual completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.
- (5) That approval of the subject application will neither cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Westates Petroleum Company, be and the same is hereby authorized to dually complete its Carlson "B" 26 Well No. 7, located in Unit J, Section 26, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the production of oil from an undesignated Paddock Pool and the production of oil from the Justis-Blinebry Pool through parallel strings of 2 3/8-inch tubing installed within a string of 7-inch casing set at 6043 feet.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Section V, Rule 112-A.

PROVIDED FURTHER, That the applicant shall take packerleakage tests upon completion and annually thereafter during the Annual Gas-Oil Ratio Test Period for the Justis-Blinebry Pool.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

That jurisdiction of this cause is hereby retained by the Commission for such further order or orders as may seem necessary or convenient for the prevention of waste and/or the protection of correlative rights; upon failure of the applicant to comply with any requirement of this order, the Commission may terminate the authority herein granted and require the applicant or its successors and assigns to limit its activities to regular single-zone production in the interest of conservation.

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