

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF SOCONY MOBIL OIL COMPANY, INC.  
FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE  
303 (a) TO PERMIT COMMINGLING OF  
PRODUCTION FROM THE BLINEBRY GAS,  
TUBB GAS, BRUNSON, DRINKARD, HARE,  
WANTZ-ABO, PADDOCK, PENROSE-SKELLY,  
MCCORMACK, AND UNDESIGNATED SAN  
ANDRES OIL POOLS ON ITS E. O. CARSON  
LEASE, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 2349

A P P L I C A T I O N

Applicant states:

1. That Applicant is the owner and operator of its E. O.

Carson Lease, described as follows:

W $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 28 and  
the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 33,  
in Township 21 South, Range 37 East,  
NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

2. That the aforesaid lease and lands are now productive of oil and gas from the Blinebry Gas, Tubb Gas, Brunson, Drinkard, Hare, Wantz-Abo, Paddock, Penrose-Skelly, McCormack and Undesignated San Andres oil pools through wells presently completed thereon and that one or more of said formations may be productive in the future from other wells which may be completed on said lease and lands.

3. That in order to eliminate the necessity for multiple surface installations for the handling, storage, and measurement of the production from such formations, Applicant proposes to segregate production from the Blinebry Gas, Tubb Gas, Brunson, Drinkard, Hare, and Wantz-Abo pools, which is "sweet" production and commingle said production; and to segregate production from the Paddock, Penrose-Skelly,

McCormack and Undesignated San Andres oil pools, which is "sour" production, and commingle said production; and that Applicant proposes such procedure as to both present and future well completions, if any.

4. That allocation of production to individual wells will be made on a basis of quarterly well tests, except that those zones which have top allowable wells now or in the future will be metered.

5. That rule 303(a) of the rules and regulations of this commission prohibits the commingling of production from separate pools prior to marketing.


6. That the granting of the Application will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this matter be set for hearing, that notice thereof be given as required by law, and that upon the evidence adduced at such hearing this commission issue an Order permitting Applicant to commingle the production from said lease as herein set forth, and for such other and further relief as this commission may deem necessary and proper.

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1961.

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