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Oil Conservation Commission
State of New Mexico
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Re: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for an
Exception to Rule 2 of Order R-2429-A for
Approval of a Non-Standard 640-Acre Gas
Proration Unit, White City-Pennsylvanian
Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Gulf Oil Corporation respectfully requests an exception to Rule 2 of Order No. R-2429-A for approval of a 640-Acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit in the White City-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool to be attributed to the Federal Estill "AD" Well No. 1.

In support of this application, the following facts are submitted:

- (1) Applicant's Federal Estill "AD" Well No. 1, which was completed in April, 1960 as a gas well in the White City-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, is located 660 feet from the east line and 660 feet from the north line of Section 29, Township 24 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (2) Applicant requests approval of a 640-Acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit to be dedicated to the Federal Estill "AD" Well No. 1 covering the W/2 of Section 28 and the E/2 of Section 29 as an exception to Rule 2 which provides that a standard 640-acre unit shall comprise a single governmental section.
- (3) All offset operators owning interests in the Sections in which the Non-Standard Unit is located and the U. S. Geological Survey have been furnished a copy of this application.

It is requested that this matter be set for Examiner Hearing at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,



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