BEFORE THE OIL COMBERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL COMBERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

> CASE No. 2262 Order No. R-1964

APPLICATION OF V. S. WEICH FOR AN UNORTHODOX OIL WELL LOCATION, EDBY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on May 4, 1961, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Daniel S. Butter, 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 11th day of May, 1961, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the application, the evidence adduced, and the recommendations of the Examiner, Daniel S. Nutter, and being fully advised in the premises,

PIMDS:

- (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, V. S. Welch, seeks approval of an unorthodox oil well location in the Culwin-Yates Pool for a well to be drilled at a point 330 feet from the South line and 2390 feet from the West line of Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, MMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- (3) That inasmuch as the applicant is the owner of the offsetting acreage being crowded by the unorthodox location, the subject application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, V. S. Welch, is hereby authorized to locate a well at an unorthodox oil well location in the Culwin-Yates Pool at a point 330 feet from the South line and 2390 feet from the West line of Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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(2) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

> STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L. MRCHEM, Chairman

B. S. WALERA, Nember

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

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