BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

APPLICATION OF SHELL OIL COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF THE COMANCHE (SAN ANDRES) A UNIT AGREEMENT, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

> CASE No. 3178 Order No. R-2839-A

NUNC PRO TUNC ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

It appearing to the Commission that Order No. R-2839, dated December 21, 1964, does not correctly state the intended finding of the Commission in one particular due to typographical error,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the portion of the description in Finding No. (2) of Order No. R-2839 reading:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Sections 1 through 4: All

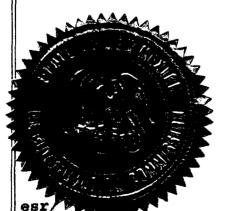
Sections 1 through 4: All Sections 9 through 16: All Sections 21 through 24: All

is hereby corrected to read as follows:

TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM Sections 1 through 4: All Sections 9 through 16: All Sections 21 through 24: All

(2) That the correction set forth above shall be effective nunc pro tunc as of December 21, 1964.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 20th day of January, 1965.



STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman nOlto GUNTON /8. HAYS Newber la PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary A. L

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE GIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

> CASE No. 3178 Order No. R-2839

APPLICATION OF SHELL OIL COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF THE COMANCHE (SAN ANDRES) A UNIT AGREEMENT, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on December 15, 1964, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this <u>21st</u> day of December, 1964, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, 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, Shell Oil Company, seeks approval of the Comanche (San Andres) A Unit Agreement covering 16,895.44 acres, more or less, of State, Federal and Fee lands described as follows:

> CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO <u>TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM</u> Sections 25 and 26: All Sections 27: E/2 Sections 34 through 36: All

> TOWMEHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Section 31: All

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> TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Sections 6 and 7: All Sections 18 and 19: All

(3) That approval of the proposed unit agreement should promote the prevention of waste and the protection of correlative rights within the unit area.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the Comanche (San Andres) A Unit Agreement is hereby approved.

(2) That the plan contained in said unit agreement for the development and operation of the unit area is hereby approved in principle as a proper conservation measure; provided, however, that notwithstanding any of the provisions contained in said unit agreement, this approval shall not be considered as waiving or relinquishing, in any manner, any right, duty, or obligation which is now, or may hereafter be, vested in the Commission to supervise and control operations for the exploration and development of any lands committed to the unit and production of oil or gas therefrom.

(3) That the unit operator shall file with the Commission an executed original or executed counterpart of the unit agreement within 30 days after the effective date thereof; that in the event of subsequent joinder by any party or expansion or contraction of the unit area, the unit operator shall file with the Commission within 30 days thereafter counterparts of the unit agreement reflecting the subscription of those interests having joined or ratified.

(4) That this order shall become effective upon the approval of said unit agreement by the Commissioner of Public Lands for the State of New Mexico and the Director of the United States Geological Survey; that this order shall terminate <u>ipso facto</u> upon the termination of said unit agreement; and that the last unit operator shall notify the Commission immediately in writing of such termination.

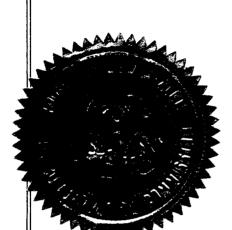
(5) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary. -3-CASE No. 3178 Order No. R-2839

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

> STATE OF NEW MEXICO QIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

nunh JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman

E. S. WALKER, Member



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

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