BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
TEXAS PACIFIC OIL COMPANY FOR AN
EXCEPTION TO ORDER R-3221 TO PERMIT
DISPOSAL OF WATER IN AN UNLINED PIT
FROM ITS WOOLEY FEDERAL NO. 3 WELL
LOCATED IN SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 17
SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, LOCO HILLS
ABO POOL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

No. 4490

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Texas Pacific Oil Company and makes application for an Order granting an exception to Order R-3221 to permit the disposal of water from its Wooley Federal No. 3 Well located in Section 21, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, Loco Hills Abo Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico, in an unlined pit, and in support thereof states:

- 1. Applicant is the owner and operator of its Wooley Federal No. 3 Well located in Section 21, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, Loco Hills Abo Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- 2. Said well is presently producing 20 barrels of oil plus 70 barrels of water per day.
- 3. It is not economically feasible to dispose of the produced water other than into an unlined pit.
- 4. The granting of this application will not impair any fresh water, and will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this matter be set down for hearing before an examiner for the purpose of authorizing the disposal of produced water into an unlined pit as herein requested: that the notice of the hearing be published

as required by law and that, after said hearing the Commission issue an order as prayed for herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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