

GAS POOLING AGREEMENT

H. T. ORCUTT (NCT-C) EUMONT GAS UNIT NO. 1

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this 13th day of July, 1956, by and between GULF OIL CORPORATION, hereinafter called "Gulf" or "Operator", and P. A. CATRON AND J. C. CATRON, Managing Agents for various interested parties under a contract of employment dated March 1, 1952, hereinafter called "Catron" or "Non-Operator", and THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY, hereinafter called "Atlantic" or "Non-Operator",

WITNESSETH, that

WHEREAS, Gulf is the owner and holder of State of New Mexico Oil and Gas Lease No. B-244 dated September 10, 1931, from the State of New Mexico, as lessor, to Gypsy Oil Company, as lessee, covering among other lands, Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 8 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, and

WHEREAS, Atlantic is the holder of State of New Mexico Oil and Gas Lease No. A-1375, dated December 5, 1928, covering among other lands, Lots 4 and 5 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, by virtue of an approved Assignment dated November 4, 1937, which is subject to the Provisions of that certain contract dated April 29, 1936, to which reference is made in said assignment, and to which Catron is a successor in interest, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of Gulf and Catron and Atlantic that this agreement cover Lots 1 through 8, inclusive, of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, as to dry gas and associated liquid hydrocarbons produced from a gas well, as defined by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, within the vertical limits of the Eumont Gas Pool, as defined in said Commission's Order No. R-520, dated August 12, 1954, said area hereinafter being referred to as the "Pooled Proration Unit" which shall be known as the H. T. Orcutt (NCT-C) Eumont Gas Unit No. 1; and

WHEREAS, in order to comply with existing rules and regulations governing gas well spacing and gas proration units,