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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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August 17, 1993

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Dawson Operating Company
P. O. Box 403
Midland, Texas 79702

Attn: Joe R. Dawson
Vice-President

Re: Application for an Unorthodox Gas Well Location and for a Non-Standard 160-acre Gas Proration Unit; New Mexico "M" State Well No. 57; 170'FN&EL (Unit A) of Section 30, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Undesignated Jalmat Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Dawson:

Per your letter dated August 10, 1993, the subject application dated June 25, 1993 is hereby withdrawn and is being returned to you. Your similar request for the No. 60 well in the same non-standard 160-acre unit is in the review process at this time.

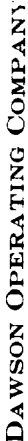
Should you have any question please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael E. Stogner", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Examiner/Engineer

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs



August 10, 1993

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Chairman - Director
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Attn: William J. LeMay

Re: Unorthodox Well Location & Non-Standard Protection
Dawson Operating Company
New Mexico "M" State No. 57
New Mexico "M" State No. 60
Jalmat Gas Pool
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Dawson Operating Company wishes to rescind its request for administrative approvals for an unorthodox location and non-standard proration unit for the New Mexico "M" State No. 57 well in the Jalmat Gas Pool made June 25, 1993.

Furthermore, Dawson Operating Company requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location for the New Mexico "M" State No. 60 well in the Jalmat Gas Pool and for a 160-acre non-standard Jalmat Gas proration unit for the No. 60 well.

The New Mexico "M" State No. 60 well is located 1410 feet from the North line and 90 feet from the East line of Section 30, T-22-S, R-37-E, NMPH. This well will be a recompletion of a well drilled to a deeper horizon (Langlie Mattix Pool) and was drilled at an approved nonorthodox location for that horizon under Administrative Order NSL-529 (copy attached). This well is more than 2640' from the closest outer boundary of the lease and is no closer than 90' to any quarter-quarter section line.

The requested proration unit for the New Mexico "M" State No. 150 well consists of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 30, T-22-S, R-37-E, NMPM, thus consisting of and lying wholly within a single quarter section.

The requested proration unit is within and is offset on all sides by the Dawson Operating Company New Mexico "M" State lease (plat attached).

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Dawson Operating Company would appreciate very much your approval of this unorthodox location and non-standard proration unit.

Yours very truly

~~Jim A. Dawson~~

cc: J. T. Sexton
District I Supervisor
P. O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240



DAWSON OPERATING COMPANY

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June 25, 1993

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Chairman - Director
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Attn: William J. LeMay

Re: Unorthodox Well Location
& Non-Standard Proration Unit
Dawson Operating Company
New Mexico "M" State No. 57
Jalmat Gas Pool
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Dawson Operating Company requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location for the New Mexico "M" State No. 57 well in the Jalmat Gas Pool and for an 160-acre non-standard Jalmat Gas proration unit for this well.

Said well is located 170 feet from the North line and 170 feet from the East line of Section 30, T-22-S, R-37-E, NMPM. This well will be a recompletion of a well drilled to a deeper horizon (Langlie Mattix Pool), and was drilled at an approved unorthodox location for that horizon under Administrative Order NSL-617 (copy attached). This well is more than 1320' from the closest outer boundary of the lease and is no closer than 170' to any quarter-quarter section line.

Said proration unit consists of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 30, T-22-S, R-37-E, NMPM, thus consisting of and lying wholly within a single quarter section.

The proposed proration unit is within and is offset on all sides by the Dawson Operating Company New Mexico "M" State lease (plat attached).

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Dawson Operating Company would appreciate very much your approval of this unorthodox location and non-standard proration unit.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Joe R. Dawson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent initial "J" and a long, sweeping underline.

Joe R. Dawson
Vice President

cc: J. T. Sexton
District I Supervisor
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September 10, 1973

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Attention: Mr. K. D. Myrick

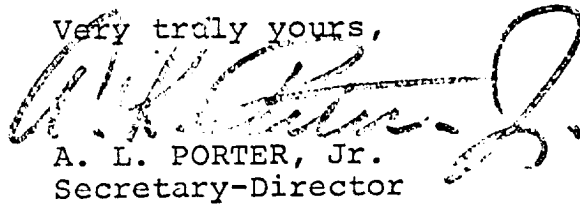
Administrative Order NSL-617

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for approval of oil well locations for your New Mexico "M" State Well No. 53 to be located 1350 feet from the South line and 1300 feet from the West line of Section 19, your New Mexico "M" State Well No. 54 to be located 1440 feet from the South line and 2570 feet from the East line of Section 19, your New Mexico "M" State Well No. 55 to be located 1150 feet from the South line and 1490 feet from the East line of Section 19, your New Mexico "M" State Well No. 57 to be located 170 feet from the North line and 170 feet from the East line of Section 30, and your New Mexico "M" State Well No. 76 to be located 100 feet from the South line and 1400 feet from the East line of Section 30, all in Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Langlie Mattix Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

By authority granted me by the provisions of R-3910 the above-described locations are hereby approved.

Very truly yours,



A. L. PORTER, Jr.
Secretary-Director

ALP/JEK/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Hobbs
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
State Land Office - Santa Fe

