

BEFORE THE STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD OF THE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

RE: SPECIAL FIELD RULES
EAST NANCY FIELD
CLARKE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

DOCKET NO. 81-70-272

ORDER NO. 107-70

ORDER FOR PERMANENT FIELD RULES
AS TO THE NORPHLET OIL POOL

This cause coming this date to be heard upon application of Getty Oil Company, upon proof of publication of notice as required by statute and the rules of the Board, and upon oral and documentary proof introduced at the hearing on this matter and the Board being of the opinion that the relief asked should be granted does find as follows:

I.

The Board does find and adjudicate that proper, due and legal notice for the meeting of this Board to consider this application has been given as required by law and the rules of this Board and that due, legal and sufficient proofs of publication of notice are on file with this Board. The Board does further adjudicate that it has full and complete jurisdiction of the subject matter to hear and determine this application at this time and place as hereinafter set forth.

II.

On April 17, 1968, Order No. 107-68 was adopted by this Board establishing Special Field Rules in the East Nancy Field, Clarke County, Mississippi. On February 19, 1969, Order No. 53-69 was adopted by this Board amending said Special Field Rules to include therein a definition of the Norphlet Oil Pool. On March 19, 1969, Order No. 82-69 was entered by this Board amending the definition of the Smackover Oil Pool and approving permanent field rules for the Smackover Oil Pool. Said Order

provided that the spacing approved for the Norphlet Oil Pool should continue in effect until the March, 1970, meeting of this Board at which time the Board would consider a permanent spacing Order for the Norphlet Oil Pool.

III.

The Board does find that the Special Field Rules previously adopted for the Norphlet Oil Pool under date of February 19, 1969, should be approved by this Board on a permanent basis. The Board does also find that it is necessary that said Special Field Rules as previously adopted by this Board for the Norphlet Oil Pool be continued and made permanent in order to insure the proper and orderly development of said oil pool in said field, to prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, to protect and enforce the coequal and correlative rights of all owners in said pools and to prevent avoidable waste. The Board does further find that said Special Field Rules for the Norphlet Oil Pool in the East Nancy Field as more particularly set forth in Order No. 82-69, should be made permanent for the development, promotion, conservation and utilization of the natural resources of oil and gas in said field.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by this Board that the Special Field Rules adopted by this Board on February 19, 1969, by Order No. 53-69, and as approved March 19, 1969, by Order No. 82-69, be and they are hereby reapproved by this Board and are made permanent for the Norphlet Oil Pool in the East Nancy Field subject to the right of this Board after Notice and Hearing to alter, amend or repeal as provided by statute and the rules of this Board.

ORDERED this the 18th day of March, 1970.

MISSISSIPPI STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD

BY: Robert M. Farlow
Chairman