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BEFORE THE STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD OF MISSISSIPPI
STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD
A. Richard Henderson, Supervisor

RE: PETITION OF MOON-HINES-TIGRETT OPERATING
CO., INC. TO AMEND THE SPECIAL FIELD RULES
FOR THE TROY FIELD, PONTOTOC COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI

DOCKET NO. 315-84-544

ORDER NO. 437-84

ORDER

This day this cause came on for hearing on the Petition of Moon-Hines-Tigrett Operating Co., Inc., and the Board having considered this Petition and the evidence in support thereof, and being fully advised in the premises, finds as follows:

1.

The Board has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter of the Petition. Due and legal notice of the hearing on the Petition has been given in the time and manner required by law and the rules and regulations of this Board.

2.

Petitioner is the operator of the Moon-Hines-Tigrett Operating Co., Inc.-Griffin 26-16 Well No. 2 (the "Well") which is located 1100 feet from the South line and 1100 feet from the East line of the E 1/2 of Section 26, Township 11 South, Range 4 East, Pontotoc County, Mississippi, in the Troy Field.

3.

The Well has been completed into and is capable of producing from the Abernathy Sand Gas Pool in the Troy Field.

4.

The Special Field Rules for the Troy Field were last amended in Docket 196-84-544 by Order No. 280-84 dated July 18, 1984, and that those Special Field Rules should now be amended so to extend the geographical limits of the field to include the East Half of Section 26, Township 11 South, Range 4 East, Pontotoc County, Mississippi.

5.

The proposed amendment to the Special Field Rules will allow for and promote the proper and orderly development of the said pools and the field, will prevent waste, and will allow for the protection of the co-equal and correlative rights of all owners in the pools.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Petition filed herein is granted and the Special Field Rules for the Troy Field are hereby amended so as to extend the geographical limits of the field to include the E 1/2 of Section 26, Township 11 South, Range 4 East; *said Special Field Rules, as amended, being attached hereto as Exhibit "A".*

SO ORDERED AND ADJUDGED on this the 26th day of September, 1984.

STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD
OF MISSISSIPPI

By: Joe R. Fancher, Jr.
CHAIRMAN

EXHIBIT "A"
SPECIAL FIELD RULES
FOR THE TROY FIELD
PONTOTOC COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

A. FIELD AREA:

The Troy Field, as used herein, is that area consisting of the following described land, to-wit:

Section 26: All

Section 27: All

Section 28: All

Section 29: All

Section 32: All

Section 33: All

Section 34: All

Township 11 South, Range 4 East,
Pontotoc County, Mississippi

underlain by the Evans Sand Gas Pool, the Lewis Sand Gas Pool and the Abernethy Sand Gas Pool of the Mississippian Formation, as hereinafter defined, and all productive extensions thereof.

B. POOL DEFINITIONS:

1.1 The Evans Sand Gas Pool of the Mississippian Formation in the Troy Field shall be construed to mean those strata of the Mississippian Formation productive of gas in the interval between the electric log depths of 2178 feet to 2194 feet in The Louisiana Land & Exploration Company - J. R. Falkner 28-3 No. 1 Well, as indicated on the electric log of said well, and all sands correlative of these strata productive of gas, said well being located in the West 1/2 of Section 28, Township 11 South, Range 4 East, Pontotoc County, Mississippi.

1.2 The Lewis Sand Gas Pool of the Mississippian Formation in the Troy Field shall be construed to mean those strata of the Mississippian Formation productive of gas in the interval between the electric log depths of 2368 feet to 2410 feet in The Louisiana Land & Exploration Company - J. R. Falkner 28-3 No. 1

Well, as indicated on the electric log of said well, and all sands correlative of these strata productive of gas, said well being located in the West 1/2 of Section 28, Township 11 South, Range 4 East, Pontotoc County, Mississippi.

1.3 The Abernethy Sand Gas Pool of the Mississippian Formation in the Troy Field shall be construed to mean those strata of the Mississippian Formation productive of gas in the interval between the electric log depths of 1,859 feet and 1,900 feet in The Louisiana Land & Exploration Company - Dr. L. D. Abernethy 26-13 No. 1 Well, as indicated on the electric log of said well and all sands correlative with the strata productive of gas, said well being located in the West 1/2 of Section 26, Township 11 South, Range 4 East, Pontotoc County, Mississippi.

C. RULES

RULE 1-SPACING FOR GAS WELLS:

1.1 Every well drilled as gas well to the Evans Sand Gas Pool, or the Lewis Sand Gas Pool or the Abernethy Sand Gas Pool:

(a) Shall be located on a drilling unit consisting of (1) 320 contiguous surface acres; or (2) a governmental half section containing not less than 300 acres or more than 340 acres; or (3) eight contiguous governmental quarter-quarter sections whose total acreage is not less than 300 or more than 340 acres. In any case, no other well producing from the same pool shall be located on any such drilling unit.

(b) Any gas drilling unit formed under (a) of this Rule must be completely encompassed by the perimeter of a rectangle 3735 feet by 5380 feet. Provided, however, no unit shall be permitted which will create island acreage.

(c) The well shall be located at least 1,980 feet from every other drilling well or well completed in or producing from the same pool located in conformity with this rule; and

(d) The well shall be located not less than 990 feet from every exterior boundary of the drilling unit.

RULE 2- APPLICABILITY OF STATEWIDE RULES:

2.1 All rules and regulations contained in Statewide Order No. 201-51, and any amendments thereto, not specifically covered in the foregoing Special Field Rules are hereby adopted and shall apply to said field.

2.2 The Board expressly reserves the right, after notice and hearing, to alter, amend or repeal any and all of the foregoing rules and regulations.

- END OF SPECIAL FIELD RULES -

SOURCE: Order No. 437-84, dated September ²⁶~~28~~, 1984
in Docket No. 315-84-544