

**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS  
HEARINGS DIVISION**

**OIL & GAS DOCKET NO. 08-0310088**

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**THE APPLICATION OF OXY USA INC. (630591) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 32 FOR THE SOUTH CURTIS RANCH (40691) LEASE, WELL NOS. 421, 1513, 2221, 2352, 2353, 2818, 2841, 2842, 2844, AND 2851, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) FIELD, MIDLAND AND MARTIN COUNTIES, TEXAS**

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**FINAL ORDER**

The Commission finds that after statutory notice in the above-numbered docket heard on June 6, 2018, the Technical Examiner and Administrative Law Judge (collectively "Examiners") have made and filed a report and recommendation containing findings of fact and conclusions of law, for which service was not required; that the proposed application complies with all statutory requirements; and that this proceeding was duly submitted to the Railroad Commission of Texas at conference held in its offices in Austin, Texas.

The Commission, after review and due consideration of the Examiners' report and recommendation, and the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, hereby adopts as its own the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and incorporates said findings of fact and conclusions of law as if fully set out and separately stated herein.

Therefore, it is **ORDERED** by the Railroad Commission of Texas that OXY USA Inc. is hereby **GRANTED** authority to flare gas from the following units:

- South Curtis Ranch Unit 2352 (Permit No. 31717), Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Martin County, Texas, up to 290 MCF of casinghead gas per day from March 22, 2018 through April 4, 2018.
- South Curtis Ranch Unit 2353 (Permit No. 32640), Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Martin County, Texas, up to 270 MCF of casinghead gas per day from March 18, 2018 through April 4, 2018.
- South Curtis Ranch Unit 2851 (Permit No. 33124), Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Martin County, Texas, up to 285 MCF of casinghead gas per day from June 9, 2018 through December 9, 2018.
- At the hearing, OXY USA Inc. withdrew its flaring request for the South Curtis Ranch Units 421, 1513, 2221, 2818, 2841, 2842, and 2844, Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Midland and Martin Counties, Texas.

This authority is granted, provided all production is reported on the appropriate Commission forms. The operator shall file the Statewide Rule 32 Exception Data Sheet and, shall file at the same time, the appropriate Commission required administrative Statewide Rule 32 Exception gas flaring fee for the facility.

Pursuant to §2001.144(a)(4)(A) of the Texas Government Code and by agreement of the Parties in writing or on the record, **the parties have waived right to file a Motion for Rehearing and this Final Order is effective on the date the Master Order relating to the Final Order is signed.**

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018.

**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS**

**(Order approved and signatures affixed  
by Hearings Division's Unprotested  
Master Order dated September 18, 2018)**