

CASE 5887: GAS COMPANY OF NEW MEXICO FOR  
SUSPENSION OF RULES 14(A) AND 15(A) OF  
THE GAS PRORATION RULES, EDDY COUNTY, NM

*Dismiss*

Case Number

5887

Application

Transcripts

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BEFORE THE  
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
March 23, 1977

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Gas Company of New Mexico )  
for suspension of Rules 14(a) and 15(a) ) CASE  
of the gas proration rules, Catclaw ) 5887  
Draw-Morrow Gas Pool, Eddy County, )  
New Mexico. )

BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets, Examiner

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

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| For the New Mexico Oil   | Lynn Teschendorf, Esq.           |
| Conservation Commission: | Legal Counsel for the Commission |
|                          | State Land Office Building       |
|                          | Santa Fe, New Mexico             |

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1 MR. STAMETS: We will call Case 5887.

2 MS. TESCHENDORF: Case 5887, application of Gas  
3 Company of New Mexico for suspension of Rules 14(a) and 15(a)  
4 of the gas proration rules, Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool,  
5 Eddy County, New Mexico.

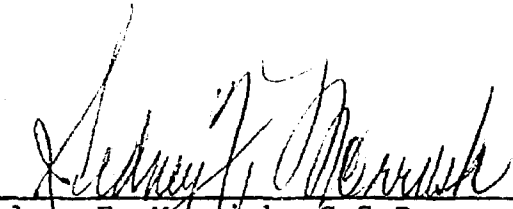
6 Mr. Examiner, we have heard from the applicant in  
7 this case and they request that we dismiss Case 5887.

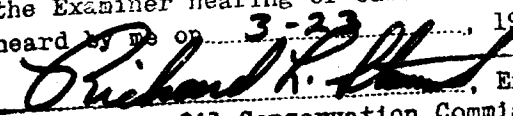
8 MR. STAMETS: Case 5887 will be dismissed.  
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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
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## OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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Re: CASE NO. 5887  
ORDER NO. R-5406

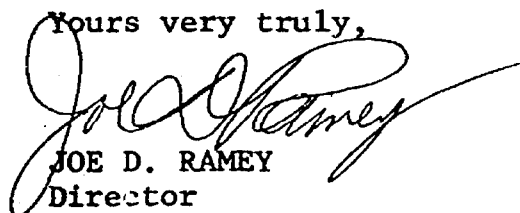
Applicant:

Gas Company of New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Commission order recently entered in the subject case.

Yours very truly,

  
JOE D. RAMEY  
Director

JDR/fd

Copy of order also sent to:

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N.M. Oil Conservation Commission  
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Attention: Mr. Dan Nutter

Re: In the matter of the application of Gas Company of  
New Mexico for suspension of the balancing  
requirements for the period of one year beginning  
April 1, 1977, in the Catclaw-Draw Morrow Gas  
Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that at the request of our client we  
are hereby withdrawing our application in the above-  
referenced case. If you have any questions, please  
contact me.

Sincerely yours,

*Owen M. Lopez*  
Owen M. Lopez

OML:RB

c.c. Mr. R. J. McCrary  
Mr. Jack Hertz

Dockets Nos. 11-77 and 12-77 are tentatively set for hearing on April 6 and April 20, 1977. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MARCH 23, 1977

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM  
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

- CASE 5882: Application of Amoco Production Company for special pool rules, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the promulgation of a special gas-oil ratio limit of 6000 cubic feet of gas per barrel of oil for the South Empire Wolfcamp Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5883: Application of Am-Bett Oil Company, Inc. for an oil treating plant permit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purposes of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the SE/4 NW/4 of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5884: Application of ECO, Inc., for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to commingle Greenhorn, Graneros, and Dakota production in the wellbore of its Dunn Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 10, Township 23 North, Range 7 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5885: Application of Continental Oil Company for amendment of Order No. R-5315, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-5315 to permit the dedication of a previously approved 320-acre proration unit comprising the W/2 of Section 31, Township 22 South, Range 31 East, Los Medanos Field, Eddy County, New Mexico, to a well to be drilled at a standard location in Unit E of said Section 31, rather than in Unit L as previously approved.
- CASE 5886: Application of Continental Oil Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of a well to be drilled at a point 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 31, Township 22 South, Range 31 East, Los Medanos Field, Eddy County, New Mexico, the N/2 of said Section 31 to be dedicated to the well.
- CASE 5887: Application of Gas Company of New Mexico for suspension of Rules 14(a) and 15(a) of the gas proration rules, Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks suspension for a period of one year from April 1, 1977, of those provisions of Rules 14(a) and 15(a) of the General Rules and Regulations for the prorated gas pools of Southeastern New Mexico promulgated by Order No. R-1670, as amended, that provide for the cancellation of underproduction and the shutting-in of overproduced wells, as applied to the Catclaw Draw-Morrow Gas Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5888: Application of Dalport Oil Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its A. L. Christmas Well No. 3 to be drilled 330 feet from the South line and 2310 feet from the East line of Section 25, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, Jalmat Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 5889: Application of Saturn Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests down to and including the Blinberry formation underlying the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 11, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to its Lineberry Well No. 1 located in Unit I of said Section; and underlying the NW/4 SE/4 of said Section 11 to be dedicated to its Lineberry Well No. 2 located in Unit J of said Section. In the event re-entry into either well is unsuccessful, applicant proposes to drill a replacement well at a standard location on its tracts. Also to be considered will be the costs of recompletion or drilling and completing said wells and the allocation of the costs thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the wells and a charge for risk involved in recompletion or drilling of said wells.
- CASE 5890: Application of James C. Whitten for an unorthodox well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the re-entry of a well at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 14, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, Lea Devonian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico. If said re-entry is unsuccessful, applicant proposes to drill a new well at an unorthodox location 2030 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section 14.



CASE 5891: Application of Sam H. Snoddy for directional drilling and a non-standard gas proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the directional drilling of two 13,500 foot Morrow test wells from a single drilling site in the extreme Northwest five acres of the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 25, Township 20 South, Range 32 East, Potash-Oil Area, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant proposes to vertically drill each of said wells to a depth of approximately 3000 feet and to then directionally drill one well in a Northeasterly direction bottoming said well in the approximate center of the NE/4 of said Section 25, and to then directionally drill the other well in a Southwesterly direction, bottoming said well in the approximate center of the SW/4 of said Section 25. Applicant would dedicate the N/2 to the first of the aforesaid wells, and would dedicate a non-standard 160-acre unit comprising the SW/4 of said Section 25 to the second.

CASE 5820: (Continued from March 9, 1977, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Texas Oil & Gas Corporation for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations underlying the W/2 of Section 4, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 5892: Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for the creation and extension of certain pools in Eddy and Lea Counties, New Mexico.

(a) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Atoka production and designated as the East Burton Flat-Atoka Gas Pool. The discovery well is the J. C. Williamson & D. W. Underwood et al Williamson Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 9, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMFM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMFM  
Section 9: E/2

(b) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the North Eidson-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Sabine Production Company North Eidson Fee Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 34, Township 15 South, Range 34 East, NMFM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMFM  
Section 34: W/2

(c) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production and designated as the Forehand Ranch Delaware Pool. The discovery well is the Husky Oil Company of Delaware Forehand Well No. 2 located in Unit K of Section 15, Township 23 South, Range 27 East, NMFM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMFM  
Section 15: SW/4

(d) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Strawn production and designated as the Grayburg-Strawn Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Amoco Production Company Empire South Deep Unit Gas Com Well No. 8 located in Unit L of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, NMFM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMFM  
Section 33: S/2

(e) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the Indian Flats-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Perry R. Bass Big Eddy Unit Well No. 41 located in Unit J of Section 35, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, NMFM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMFM  
Section 35: E/2

(f) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the South Maroon Cliffs-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Perry R. Bass Big Eddy Unit Well No. 44 located in Unit H of Section 16, Township 21 South, Range 30 East, NMFM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMFM  
Section 16: E/2

(g) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Atoka production and designated as the Quahada Ridge-Atoka Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Perry R. Bass Big Eddy Unit Well No. 40 located in Unit G of Section 22, Township 21 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM  
Section 22: N/2

(h) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the East Red Tank-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Gulf Oil Corporation Covington "A" Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit C of Section 25, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM  
Section 25: N/2

(i) CREATE a new pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, classified as a gas pool for Morrow production and designated as the South Rock Tank-Morrow Gas Pool. The discovery well is the Amoco Production Company South Rock Tank Well No. 1 located in Unit H of Section 2, Township 24 South, Range 24 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM  
Section 2: N/2

(j) CREATE a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Wolfcamp production and designated as the Trinity-Wolfcamp Pool. The discovery well is the Wainoco, Inc. Hodge et al Well No. 1 located in Unit P of Section 28, Township 12 South, Range 38 East, NMPM. Said pool would comprise:

TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM  
Section 28: SE/4

(k) EXTEND the Baum-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM  
Section 30: NE/4

(l) EXTEND the South Bell Lake-Atoka Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM  
Section 31: S/2  
Section 32: W/2

(m) EXTEND the South Bell Lake-Morrow Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM  
Section 36: NE/4

(n) EXTEND the Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM  
Section 21: SW/4  
Section 28: NW/4

(o) EXTEND the Cemetery-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM  
Section 36: S/2

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, NMPM  
Section 28: S/2  
Section 31: S/2  
Section 32: S/2  
Section 33: All  
Section 34: N/2  
Section 35: N/2

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM  
Section 1: All

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM  
Section 6: Lots 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15 & 16

- (p) EXTEND the North Dagger Draw-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, NMPM  
Section 13: SE/4

- (q) EXTEND the South Empire-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM  
Section 5: S/2

- (r) EXTEND the Indian Draw-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM  
Section 7: S/2 SW/4  
Section 18: N/2 NW/4

- (s) EXTEND the South Loco Hills-Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM  
Section 29: All

- (t) EXTEND the Red Lake Queen-Grayburg-San Andres Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, NMPM  
Section 22: S/2 NE/4  
Section 23: S/2 SE/4 and SW/4 NW/4

- (u) EXTEND the North Teague-Devonian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM  
Section 22: SE/4

- (v) EXTEND the North Vacuum-Abo Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM  
Section 2: NW/4

- (w) EXTEND the Warren-Tubb Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM  
Section 21: S/2

- (x) EXTEND the White City-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM  
Section 15: All  
Section 28: All

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM  
Section 2: All

Docket No. 10-77

Dockets Nos. 11-77 and 12-77 are tentatively set for hearing on April 6 and April 20, 1977. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

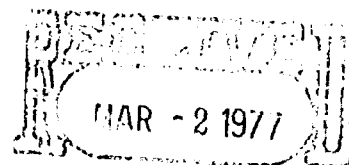
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1 P.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM  
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

CASE 5893: Application of the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion for a redefinition of the vertical limits of the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool, Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico, to include the interval from the Huerfanito bentonite marker to a point 500 feet below the top of the Point Lookout sandstone, except that South and West of a Northwest-Southeast line generally running from the Northwest corner of Township 31 North, Range 13 West, to the Southwest corner of Township 24 North, Range 1 East, the vertical limits would include only the interval from a point 750 feet below the Huerfanito bentonite marker to 500 feet below the top of the Point Lookout sandstone.

CASE 5821: (DE NOVO)

Application of Blackwood & Nichols Co., Ltd., for a hearing de novo, San Juan County, New Mexico. Upon petition of applicant in the above-styled cause and pursuant to the provisions of Rule 1220, Paragraphs (i) and (j) of Case No. 5821 will be heard de novo for the purpose of considering the nullification of Paragraphs (i) and (j) of Order No. R-5339 which created and defined the Navajo City-Chacra Pool in Township 30 North, Range 8 West, and the Animas-Chacra Pool in Township 31 North, Range 10 West, both in San Juan County, New Mexico.



OIL CONSERVATION COMM.  
Santa Fe

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
APPLICATION OF GAS COMPANY  
OF NEW MEXICO FOR SUSPENSION  
OF THE BALANCING REQUIREMENTS  
FOR THE PERIOD OF ONE YEAR  
BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1977, IN  
THE CATCLAW-DRAW MORROW GAS  
POOL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 5887

A P P L I C A T I O N

Comes now the applicant, Gas Company of New Mexico, by and through its attorneys, Montgomery, Federici, Andrews & Hannahs, and applies to the Commission for suspension of the balancing requirements in the Catclaw-Draw Morrow Gas Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, and in support of this Application, states:

1. By Order No. R-4157, dated June 21, 1971, this Commission designated the Catclaw-Draw Morrow Gas Pool, then located within Township 21 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico and by subsequent orders has since expanded the limits of the said pool.
2. By Order No. R-4704, dated January 15, 1974, prorationing was instituted in the Catclaw-Draw Morrow Gas Pool.
3. Applicant is the purchaser from two gas wells in the Catclaw-Draw Morrow Gas Pool, to-wit: the Nan Bet Com #1 Well, located in Unit E, Section 19, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., in the Texaco-E.J. Lever Fed #1 Well, located in Unit N, Section 12, Township 21 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.
4. The wells from which the applicant purchases gas are presently in an underproduced status and pursuant to Rules 13 and

14A of the General Rules and Regulations Governing Prorated Gas Pools in Southeastern New Mexico, as reflected in Order R-1670, as amended, are in jeopardy of having the allowable attributable to the wells cancelled.

5. Applicant asks that the balancing period in the Catclaw-Draw Morrow Gas Pool be extended for one year, beginning April 1, 1977, to allow the applicant and other operators or purchasers to make up the underproduced allowable attributable to the various wells in the pool.

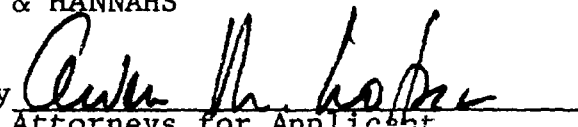
6. The granting of this Application will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

This matter may be set for hearing before the Commission or one of its designated examiners as may be convenient.

Respectfully submitted,

MONTGOMERY, FEDERICI, ANDREWS  
& HANNAHS

By

  
Attorneys for Applicant  
P.O. Box 2307  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

*JS*  
CASE NO. 5887

Order No. R- 5406

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APPLICATION OF GAS COMPANY OF NEW MEXICO FOR SUSPENSION  
OF RULES 14(a) and 15(a) of the GAS PRORATION RULES,  
CATCLAW DRAW-MORROW GAS POOL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

*JS*  
ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on March 23, 1977,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1977, the Commission,  
a quorum being present, having considered the record and the recom-  
mendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

That the applicant's request for dismissal should be  
granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 5887 is hereby dismissed.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove  
designated.

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

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Order No. R-5406

APPLICATION OF GAS COMPANY OF NEW MEXICO  
FOR SUSPENSION OF RULES 14(a) AND 15(a)  
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NOW, on this 29th day of March, 1977, the Commission, a  
quorum being present, having considered the record and the recom-  
mendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

That the applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

PHIL R. LUCERO, Chairman

  
EMERY C. ARNOLD, Member

  
JOE D. RAMEY, Member & Secretary

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jr/