

Richard

This case was heard on July 7.

Certain Williams exhibits and testimony were offered as confidential and admitted under seal. I requested Ocean to prepare a confidentiality order. (copy for Williams)

This is the order that Ocean prepared, and Jim apparently accepted, except that I added the 2d sentence of paragraph 6.

I recommend approval.

David

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RE 7/19/11

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF WILLIAMS PRODUCTION CO. LLC FOR AN EXCEPTION
TO THE SPECIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE BASIN-MANCOS
GAS POOL FOR INCREASED WELL DENSITY IN THE ROSA UNIT, SAN
JUAN AND RIO ARriba COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 14663
ORDER NO. R-13440

CONFIDENTIALITY ORDER

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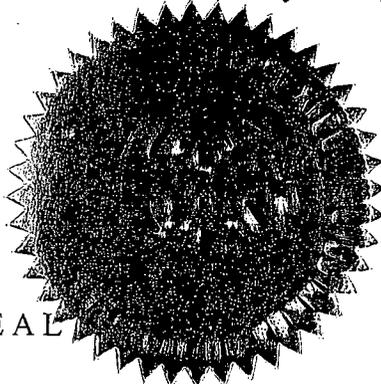
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 - (1) deemed in good faith by the party or person producing them to constitute trade secret, confidential, or propriety information; and
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4. Access to Confidential Material and Confidential Information shall be limited to Qualified Persons who require access to such Confidential Material and Confidential Information to perform their duties in this action. Qualified Persons shall not disclose any information designated as confidential to any other persons or entities.

5. Any party who seeks to introduce Confidential Material as an exhibit at the hearing shall inform the Division that the proposed exhibit consists of or contains Confidential Material and/or Confidential Information and shall request that, in accordance with NMSA 1978, § 71-2-8, the Confidential Materials and Confidential Information, and any associated testimony, not be made a part of the public case record.

6. The Division reserves ruling on the admissibility and handling of Confidential Material until the time of hearing. The rulings of the Hearing Examiner appearing in the hearing transcript admitting exhibits and testimony under seal shall constitute the Division's ruling sealing these matters unless and until revised or superseded by written order of the Director.

Dated this 26th day of July, 2011.



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

JAMI BAILEY
Division Director

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Approved By:

Signed copy furnished to the Division
Ocean Munds-Dry, Attorney for Williams Production Co., LLC

Approved by email on 7/18/11
James Bruce, Attorney for San Juan Basin Resources, LLC

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Dated this 20th day of July, 2011.

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

By: 
Jami Bailey, Director

Approved By:

Signed copy furnished to the Division
Ocean Munds-Dry, Attorney for Williams Production Co., LLC

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