

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

APPLICATION OF DUKE ENERGY FIELD  
SERVICES, LP FOR AN ACID GAS INJECTION  
WELL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 13589  
ORDER NO. R-12546-E

PROPOSED ORDER OF DCP MIDSTREAM, LP TO EXTEND THE STAY  
OF CERTAIN CONDITIONS IN ORDER NO. R-12546 AND ALLOWING  
TEMPORARY INJECTION

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**BY THE COMMISSION:**

THIS MATTER came before the Oil Conservation Commission (the Commission) for hearing on March 13, 2006, and on May 5, 2006, the Commission entered Order No. R-12546, which granted the application of Duke Energy Field Services, LP, now known as DCP Midstream, LP (DCP) to inject acid gas into the Lower Bone Spring (Wolfcamp) formation through a well to be drilled 1980 feet from the South and West lines (Unit K) of Section 30, Township 18 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

NOW, on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2010, the Chair of the Commission,

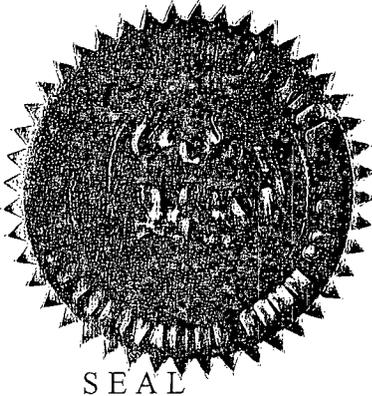
**FINDS THAT:**

- (1) In Order No. R-12546-D, the Commission authorized DCP to temporarily inject acid gas into its Linam Ranch AGI well and stayed Paragraphs N and Q in Order No. R-12546 for a period of 90 days from the date of the Order.
- (2) The draft discharge permit is currently under review with the Oil Conservation Division's Environmental Bureau staff.
- (3) DCP has requested an extension of time to be allowed to temporarily continue to inject acid gas into the AGI well and for a stay of Paragraphs N and Q.
- (4) An additional 60 days will give the Division staff sufficient time to complete its review and issue a discharge permit to DCP.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

- (1) For good cause shown, the conditions in Paragraphs N and Q will be stayed for an additional period of sixty (60) days until April 19, 2010.
- (2) DCP is hereby authorized to inject acid gas into the Linam AGI well during the extended stay in accordance with the conditions in Order No. R-12546-D.
- (3) Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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



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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark E. Fesmire".

MARK E. FESMIRE, P.E., Chair