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

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

CASE NO. 11126 ORDER NO. R-10250

# APPLICATION OF AMERADA HESS CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

## ORDER OF THE DIVISION

### BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on October 27, 1994 at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this <u>21st</u> day of November, 1994 the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

### FINDS THAT:

(1) Due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) The applicant, Amerada Hess Corporation, seeks authorization to drill its North Bell Lake Federal Well No. 2 at an unorthodox gas well location 1100 feet from the South line and 1500 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 5, Township 25 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, to test the Ellenburger formation, Lea County, New Mexico. The W/2 of said Section 5 is to be dedicated to said well to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit.

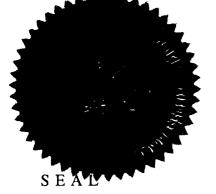
(3) Prior to the hearing, the applicant requested this matter be dismissed.

(4) Dismissal of this case should be granted.

# IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 11126 is hereby dismissed.

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



STATE OF NEW MEXICO **OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION** QQ WILLIAM J. LEMAY Director