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

CASE NO. 11229 ORDER NO. R-10421

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ("DIVISION") ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT THE OPERATOR, PHOENIX RESOURCES COMPANY, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE POWELL WELL NO. 1 (API NO. 30-005-60668), LOCATED 660 FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 1980 FEET FROM THE WEST LINE (UNIT C) OF SECTION 23, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A DIVISION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on July 13, 1995, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this <u>18th</u> day of July, 1995, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS THAT:

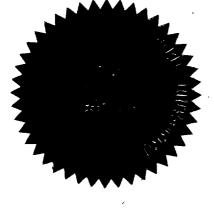
Inasmuch as Total Minatome Corporation of Houston, Texas, being successor in interest to the Phoenix Resources Company, has committed to the plugging and abandonment of the subject well, Case No. 11229 should be dismissed at this time.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

(1) Case No. 11229 is hereby <u>dismissed</u>.

(2) However, jurisdiction is hereby retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

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



STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION WILLIAM J. KEMAY Director