# 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. 11597 ORDER NO. R-10667

APPLICATION OF AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

#### **ORDER OF THE DIVISION**

#### BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on September 5, 1996, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 16th day of September, 1996, 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, Amoco Production Company, seeks approval to drill its proposed Evelyn "35" State Com Well No. 1 at an unorthodox gas well location to test the Undesignated South Empire-Morrow Gas Pool 1730 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line (Unit H) of Section 35, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. The N/2 of said Section 35 is to be dedicated to the well to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.
- (3) By Administrative Order NSL-3700, dated August 30, 1996, the Division approved the subject application, thereby making this case unnecessary.
- (4) Furthermore, the applicant, prior to the hearing, requested this matter be dismissed.

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(5) Dismissal of this case should therefore be granted.

## **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

Case No. 11597 is hereby dismissed.

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

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

WILLIAM J LEMAY

Director