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

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

CASE NO. 9063 Order No. R-8442-B

APPLICATION OF MERRION OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR ENFORCEMENT OF COMMON PURCHASER REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 70-2-19 NMSA 1978 (1984 SUPPLEMENT) AND OTHER PERTINENT PROVISIONS OF THE OIL AND GAS ACT, GAVILAN-MANCOS OIL POOL, RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION STAYING ORDER NO. R-8442

## BY THE COMMISSION:

This matter having come before the Commission upon the request of the parties for a Stay of Commission Order No. R-8442 and the Commission having considered the request and being fully advised in the premises,

NOW, on this 5th day of June, 1987, the Commission,

## FINDS THAT:

- (1) Commission Order No. R-8442 was entered on May 7, 1987, and amended on June 4, 1987, upon the application of Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation for Enforcement of Common Purchaser Requirements of Section 70-2-19 NMSA 1978 (1984 Supplement) and other pertinent provisions of the Oil and Gas Act, Gavilan-Mancos Oil Pool.
- (2) On June 5, 1987, El Paso Natural Gas Company and Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation requested a stay of the orders entered in this case. Attorneys for El Paso, Merrion, and the Oil Conservation Commission agreed that the orders would be stayed pending negotiation between the parties.
- (3) Insofar as both parties have previously requested rehearing of this case, any such decision by the Commission shall be made at the expiration of this stay.

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## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Commission Order No. R-8442, as amended, is hereby stayed in its entirety for 60 days.
- (2) Jurisdiction of this cause 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.

WILLIAM R. HUMPHRIES, Member

ERLING A. BROSTUEN, Member

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

WILLIAM J. LEMAY,

Chairman and Secretary

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