

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. 9367
Order No.

APPLICATION OF MARSH OPERATING
COMPANY 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 April 27, 1988, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this _____ day of April, 1988, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, 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, Marsh Operating Company, seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line (Unit A) of Section 34, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, to test the Undesignated South Kemnitz Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) The N/2 of said Section 34 is to be dedicated to the well.

(4) A well at said unorthodox location will better enable applicant to produce the gas underlying the proration unit.

(5) No offset operator objected to the proposed unorthodox location.

(6) Approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the affected pool(s), will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

(1) An unorthodox gas well location for the Undesignated South Kernitz Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool is hereby approved for a well to be located at a point 660 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line (Unit A) of Section 34, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

(2) The N/2 of said Section 34 shall be dedicated to the above-described well.

(3) Jurisdiction of this cause is 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. LEMAY
Director

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

CASE NO. 9367
Order No. R-8655

APPLICATION OF MARSH OPERATING
COMPANY 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 May 11, 1988,
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 17th day of May, 1988, the Division Director,
having considered the record and the recommendations of the
Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

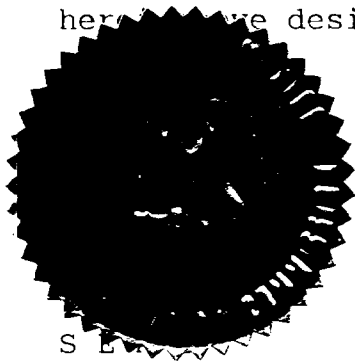
FINDS THAT:

The applicant's request for dismissal should be
granted.

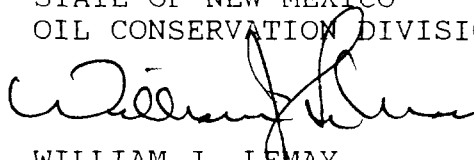
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 9367 is hereby dismissed.

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



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WILLIAM J. LEMAY
Director