

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

CASE NO. 11203
ORDER NO. R-10333

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ("DIVISION") ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT W. J. CONOVER, OWNER/OPERATOR, AMERICAN MANUFACTURES MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, SURETY, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE J. M. LEWELLING WELL NO. 1 (API NO. 30-035-20010), LOCATED 660 FEET FROM THE NORTH AND WEST LINES (UNIT D) OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 9 EAST, NMPM, OTERO 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 March 16, 1995, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 31st day of March, 1995, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS THAT:

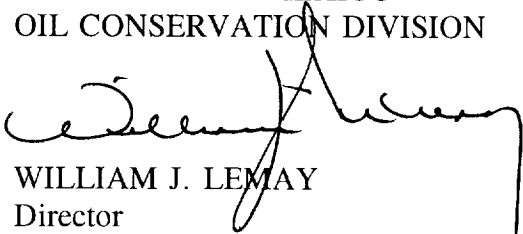
Inasmuch as the current owner/operator of the subject well and the surface owner whose land the well is on, Mr. Kenneth Owens, whose address is P. O. Box 1042, Magdalena, New Mexico 87825 (telephone No. 505-854-2963), are negotiating with the Artesia District Office of the Division on future arrangements as to the status of the well, this case should therefore be dismissed at this time.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Case No. 11203 is hereby dismissed.
- (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.

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WILLIAM J. LEMAY
Director

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