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. 11824 ORDER NO. R-10886

APPLICATION OF DAVID PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX OIL 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 August 21, 1997, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 24th day of September, 1997, 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, David Petroleum Corporation, seeks an unorthodox oil well location in the Shipp-Strawn Pool for its proposed Conoco State Well No. 1 to be drilled 1250 feet from the South line and 1200 feet from the East line (Unit P) of Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. The E/2 SE/4 of said Section 36 is to be dedicated to said well to form a standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit for said pool.
- (3) By Administrative Order NSL-3858, dated August 20, 1997, the Division approved the subject application, thereby making this case unnecessary.
- (4) Furthermore, at the time of the hearing, legal counsel for the applicant requested this matter be dismissed.
 - (5) Dismissal of this case should therefore be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 11824 is hereby dismissed.

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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