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. 11976 ORDER NO. R-11081

APPLICATION OF NEARBURG EXPLORATION COMPANY, L.L.C. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND AN UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on October 22, 1998, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Mark W. Ashley.

NOW, on this 29th day of October, 1998, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

FINDS THAT:

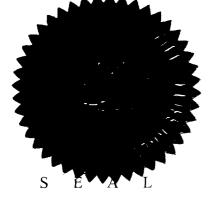
(1) Due public notice has been given and the Division has jurisdiction of this case and its subject matter.

- (2) Prior to the hearing, the applicant requested this matter be dismissed.
- (3) Dismissal of this case should therefore be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 11976 is hereby dismissed.

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



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