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. 12973 ORDER NO. R-11892

APPLICATION OF PALADIN ENERGY CORP. FOR A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING UNIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on January 9, 2003, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this <u>22nd</u> day of January, 2003, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

FINDS THAT:

SEAL

The applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 12973 is hereby dismissed.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

LORI WROTENBERY

Director

ALSanta Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.