27,1976

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

> CASE NO. 5717 Order No. R-5243

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANIES, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE VAUGHN STATE WELL NO. 1, LOCATED IN UNIT E OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE 17 EAST, GUADALUPE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMMISSION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on July 21, 1976, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this <u>27th</u> day of July, 1976, the Commission, a quorum being present, 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. 5717 is hereby dismissed.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION PHIL-R. LUCERO, Chairman t lance Bully Member EMERY C. ARNOLD JOE D. Member & Secretary RAMEY

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