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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 7351  
Order No. R-6788

APPLICATION OF MID-AMERICA PETROLEUM,  
INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND THE  
RESCISSION OF ORDER NO. R-6722, LEA  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on September 9, 1981, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 2nd day of October, 1981, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the applicant, Mid-America Petroleum, Inc., filed application for an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the W/2 of Section 12, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That applicant further requested rescission of Order No. R-6722 which approved an unorthodox location for the subject well based on dedication of the S/2 of said Section 12.

(4) That all interests in the proposed proration unit have been pooled voluntarily and applicant now requests dismissal of that part of Case No. 7351 relating to compulsory pooling.

(5) That Order No. R-6722 should be rescinded inasmuch as with the rededication of acreage, the proposed well location is now standard and no penalty should be imposed.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That that portion of Case No. 7351 relating to compulsory pooling is hereby dismissed.

(2) That Division Order No. R-6722 is hereby rescinded.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is 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.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



JOE D. RAMEY  
Director

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