Entered June 16, 1982

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

CASE NO. 7553 Order No. R-6975

APPLICATION OF FRED POOL DRILLING COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on April 22, 1982, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this <u>l6th</u> day of June, 1982, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the exhibits, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That on March 23, 1982, the applicant, Fred Pool Drilling Company, filed an application seeking an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface down through the Abo formation underlying the SW/4 of Section 17, Township 6 South, Range 25 East, NMPM. Chaves County, New Mexico.
- (3) That as of March 8, 1982, Jack J. Grynberg had filed an application also seeking an order pooling all mineral interests in the Abo formation underlying the SW/4 of said Section 17.
- (4) That the Jack J. Grynberg application was set as Case No. 7535 and was consolidated for purposes of testimony with the subject case.
- (5) That by its Order No. R-6974 dated June 16, 1982, the Division approved the application of Jack J. Grynberg in said Case No. 7535.

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(6) That the application of Fred Pool Drilling Company in this concomitant case should be $\underline{\text{denied}}$.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the application of Fred Pool Drilling Company for an order pooling all mineral interests, whatever they may be, from the surface down through the Abo formation underlying the SW/4 of Section 17, Township 6 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico, to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit is hereby denied.
- (2) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EMERY C. ARNOLD, Chairman

ALEX J. ARMIJO, Member

JOE D. RAMEY, Member & Secretary

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