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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. 8069  
Order No. R-7475

APPLICATION OF ANADARKO PRODUCTION  
COMPANY FOR FIVE UNORTHODOX WELL  
LOCATIONS, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8 a.m. on February 29, 1984, and on March 14, 1984, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiners Michael E. Stogner and Richard L. Stamets, respectively.

NOW, on this 15th day of March, 1984, 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, Anadarko Production Company, is the operator of the Burnham GSA Unit Waterflood Project, approved by Division Order No. R-4610, dated August 24, 1973, Square Lake Grayburg-San Andres Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant seeks approval of five unorthodox oil well locations to be drilled as producing oil wells in said Burnham GSA Unit Waterflood Project, all in Section 2, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Square Lake Grayburg-San Andres Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico, as follows:

<u>Tract No.</u>	<u>Well No.</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
5	3	2630' FSL and 1200' FWL
2	4	2630' FSL and 2630' FEL
6	4	1310' FSL and 2630' FWL
2	5	2630' FSL and 1290' FEL
4	2	1210' FSL and 1220' FEL

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(4) That the quarter-quarter section wherein any of said wells is located in said Section 2 is to be dedicated to such well.

(5) That no offset operator objected to the proposed unorthodox locations.

(6) That approval of the subject application should provide an efficient oil production pattern in the aforesaid Burnham GSA Unit Waterflood Project and result in the recovery of otherwise unrecoverable oil, thereby preventing waste.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the application of Anadarko Production Company for five unorthodox oil well locations to be drilled as producing oil wells in the Burnham GSA Unit Waterflood Project is hereby approved, said wells all to be located in Section 2, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Square Lake Grayburg-San Andres Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico, as follows:

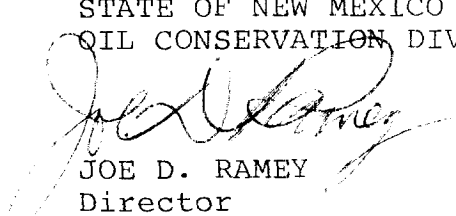
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(2) That the quarter-quarter section wherein any of the above-described wells is located in said Section 2 shall be dedicated to such well.

(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  
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JOE D. RAMEY  
Director

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