

## ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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Attention: Dave F. Boneau

Re: Administrative  
Order OLM-12

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated February 22, 1988, whereby you requested authorization from the Division to meter the gas produced from the 14 wells described on Exhibit "A" attached to this order located in Chaves and Eddy Counties, New Mexico, off lease at the locations where the wells tie into Transwestern Pipeline's system.

Inasmuch as double measurement would constitute economic waste, you are hereby authorized to meter the gas production from the wells described on Exhibit "A" off lease at the point where each well ties into Transwestern Pipeline's system (also described below) subject to the following conditions:

1. All flow lines shall be maintained in a safe and adequate condition and any leaks or failures must be reported to the Division.
2. All separation and liquids storage facilities shall be located on the originating lease.
3. The meters shall be read and maintained by the gas purchaser.
4. Federal and State approval is required where applicable.

In addition, all production, storage, transportation, sales, and other operations shall comply with Division Rules and Regulations. It is the responsibility of the operator to notify the transporter of this approval.

Sincerely,

  
William J. LeMay  
Director

xc: OCD-Artesia  
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