

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

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ARTESIA, OFFICE

CASE NO. 7569  
Order No. R-6982

APPLICATION OF PETROLEUM CORP. OF  
DELAWARE FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on May 12, 1982,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 24th day of May, 1982, 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, Petroleum Corp. of Delaware, is  
the owner and operator of the Parkway West Unit Well No. 3,  
located in Unit K of Section 29 and the Parkway West Unit Well  
No. 10, located in Unit G of Section 27, both in Township 19  
South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico
- (3) That the applicant seeks authority to commingle Atoka  
and Morrow production within the wellbore of the above-described  
wells.
- (4) That the proposed commingling may result in the  
recovery of additional hydrocarbons from each of the subject  
pools, thereby preventing waste, and will not violate  
correlative rights.
- (5) That the reservoir characteristics of each of the  
subject zones are such that underground waste would not be  
caused by the proposed commingling provided that the well is not  
shut-in for an extended period.

(6) That to afford the Division the opportunity to assess the potential for waste and to expeditiously order appropriate remedial action, the operator should notify the Artesia district office of the Division any time the subject well is shut-in for 7 consecutive days.

(7) That in order to allocate the commingled production to each of the commingled zones in the subject well, 38 percent and 29 percent of the commingled production should be allocated to the Atoka zone, respectively, in said Well No. 3 and Well No. 10 with the remainder being allocated to the Morrow zone.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Petroleum Corp. of Delaware, is hereby authorized to commingle Atoka and Morrow production within the wellbores of the Parkway West Unit Well No. 3, located in Unit K of Section 29, and the Parkway West Unit Well No. 10, located in G of Section 27, both in Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(2) That 38 percent and 29 percent of the commingled production shall be allocated to the Atoka zone, respectively, in said Well No. 3 and Well No. 10 with the remainder being allocated to the Morrow zone.

(3) That the operator of the subject wells shall immediately notify the Division's Artesia district office any time either of the wells has been shut-in for 7 consecutive days and shall concurrently present, to the Division, a plan for remedial action.

(4) 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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