

CASE 7137: CAULKINS OIL COMPANY FOR  
DOWNHOLE COMINGLING, RIO ARriba COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO

CASE NO.

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SMALL EXHIBITS,

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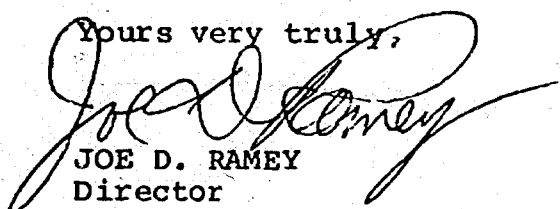
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced  
Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Yours very truly,

  
JOE D. RAMEY  
Director

JDR/fd

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4 A Exhibit Number Five is the monthly pro-  
5 duction for the Chacra wells produced by Caulkins Oil Company  
6 from September, '78, through December, 1980. It's just our  
7 monthly production reports that we make up as we start our  
8 C-115's. This is the same figure as represented on the  
9 C-115, in other words, for the monthly production for the  
10 wells.

11 Q What kind of production are you getting  
12 out of the Mesaverde formation? Is that a dry gas or do you  
13 produce liquids with the Mesaverde?

14 A The Mesaverde wells that we have will  
15 average three barrels a month of a little paraffin base con-  
16 densate. That's the average. Some will make as high as a  
17 barrel a day and some of them will only make a barrel a month,  
18 so -- but over the wells we have a three barrel a month  
19 average, so it's just enough to create problems if you didn't  
20 have a little separator on it and a tank to catch it. That's  
21 the amount of production. It's not -- it's just very marginal  
22 but you do have to --

23 Q What kind of production do you get out  
24 of the Chacra?

25 A The Chacra is a dry gas. If there's any



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2 fluid with it at all, it's very small amount of water.

3 Q Would you identify Exhibit Number Six for  
4 us, Mr. Verquer?

5 A It's a monthly production record from  
6 September, '78, through December, 1980, for all Mesaverde  
7 wells that are -- that we are now producing. As you see from  
8 the start, there are just a few on the first page; on the  
9 last one we're getting a few more Mesaverde wells. Every  
10 year we add a few.

11 Q Okay.

12 A And on the last page you'll note that  
13 some of them only have one month's production. Some of those  
14 wells I identified with the red circle were only on for one  
15 month. They were drilled and completed in 1980.

16 Q Mr. Verquer, I'd like to show you a copy  
17 of Commission Order R-6564, which was entered January of '81,  
18 with regards to setting up an administrative procedure for  
19 the downhole commingling of Chacra and Pictured Cliffs pro-  
20 duction. If you'll look at a copy of that for a moment.

21 MR. KELLAHIN: And I've handed you a  
22 copy of that same order, Mr. Nutter.

23 Q Now, that particular order sets up an  
24 administrative procedure for obtaining approval of downhole  
25 commingling for the -- I believe it was the Chacra and Pic-

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2 tured Cliffs. Have you had an opportunity to look at that  
3 order, Mr. Verquer?

4 A. I have, yes.

5 Q. Would you have any objection or comment  
6 if the Commission should enter a similar order for the com-  
7 mingling of the Mesaverde-Chacra formations for this area?

8 A. That would be agreeable to our company  
9 for this --

10 Q. All right.

11 A. --- same procedure.

12 Q. That order provides that the zones be  
13 tested by some type of bottom hole pressure test prior to  
14 commingling. Is that any kind of difficulty for you?

15 A. No, sir. We were going to recommend --  
16 it was my intention to recommend that each zone would be tested  
17 separately before they were commingled on completion of the  
18 well, so we would have pressure and flow rates for each well,  
19 and then confer with the Aztec office for a split on each  
20 well.

21 Q. All right, sir.

22 Do you have any other comments or obser-  
23 vations with regards to an administrative procedure to be  
24 developed for this area?

25 A. No, sir.

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Q Were Exhibits One through Six prepared by you directly or compiled under your direction and supervision?

A. They were completed by me.

Q And in your opinion, Mr. Verquer, will approval of this application be in the best interests of conservation, the prevention of waste, and the protection of correlative rights?

A. It will.

Q All right.

MR. KELLAHIN: That concludes our examination of Mr. Verquer. We move the introduction of Exhibits One through Six.

MR. NUTTER: Exhibits One through Six will be admitted.

CROSS EXAMINATION

BY MR. NUTTER:

Q Mr. Verquer, this administrative procedure which was authorized for the commingling of Chacra and Pictured Cliffs production in certain areas of Rio Arriba County, requires that the first condition under Rule 1 would be that wells to qualify for downhole commingling administratively, it would be necessary that the two zones would not

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2 otherwise be economically producible. These are very vague  
3 terms. Do you have any idea how we could translate that into  
4 Mcf production?

5 A. I believe --

6 Q. The wells that you're talking about here  
7 Chacra and Mesaverde?

8 A. In my opinion a well that makes any water  
9 at all that makes less than 70 Mcf per day is -- is going to  
10 create some problems keeping it on the line. Therefor a nor-  
11 mal Chacra well will come down to where its average Mcf is  
12 30 Mcf in our area, and in fact that's pretty well true of  
13 95 percent of the Chacra wells in the San Juan Basin.

14 And the Mesaverde in our area is very  
15 tight and it's the same thing. I would use a 70 Mcf, my  
16 personal opinion would be 70 Mcf, that they make less than  
17 that.

18 Q. That would be from either zone or from  
19 both zones combined?

20 A. From either zone.

21 Q. From either zone.

22 A. Yes, sir.

23 Q. So you'd have a maximum of maybe 140  
24 Mcf.

25 A. Yes, sir.

Q Now I notice that on your average production on Exhibit Six for the Mesaverde, this figures out to about 2614 per well. That would be per month, wouldn't it?

A Yes, sir, that's per month.

Q Uh-huh.

A So that's 80 --

Q That's 70 or 80 some --

A Yes.

Q Do you have an average figure on that?

A Yes, I do.

Q 1783 per month is average production.

It would be about 60.

A If you notice down the line, some of the wells that were figured in that average were only on for one month. I'll use as a reference 346, it had 4560. That was for two months, excuse me.

Q Yeah, that's first month production --

A Yes, the first month they look awfully good but you have that head that you pull off right there close and next month it's down drastically, normal.

Q What you have done is average across --

A Yes, sir.

Q -- to get an average month for each well and then average the average months.

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A. Yes, sir.

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Q. So a high one month gets in there.

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A. Yes, it did.

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Q. As a full value.

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Q. And of course, as illustrated by your

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Exhibit Number Four, the bottom hole pressure of either zone

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is not less than 50 percent of the bottom hole pressure of

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the other.

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A. That's right.

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Q. The wells would meet qualification B,

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not producing more than 10 barrels of liquid a day.

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Q. Now how about C, is the ownership of

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both zones in this entire area common throughout?

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A. Yes, they are common under every 160,

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yes.

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Q. And you could furnish these other things

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that are required under Rule 2.

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A. Right.

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Q. Okay.

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2 MR. NUTTER: Are there any further ques-  
3 tions of Mr. Verquer? He may be excused.

4 Do you have anything further, Mr. Kellahin?

5 MR. KELLAHIN: No, sir.

6 MR. NUTTER: Does anyone have anything  
7 they wish to offer in Case Number 7137?

8 We'll take the case under advisement.

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10 (Hearing concluded.)  
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I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that the said transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing, prepared by me to the best of my ability.

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Q. Let me ask you to identify Exhibit Number Five, Mr. Verquer. What is that?

A. Exhibit Number Five is the monthly production for the Chacra wells produced by Caulkins Oil Company from September, '78, through December, 1980. It's just our monthly production reports that we make up as we start our C-115's. This is the same figure as represented on the C-115, in other words, for the monthly production for the wells.

Q. What kind of production are you getting out of the Mesaverde formation? Is that a dry gas or do you produce liquids with the Mesaverde?

A. The Mesaverde wells that we have will average three barrels a month of a little paraffin base condensate. That's the average. Some will make as high as a barrel a day and some of them will only make a barrel a month, so -- but over the wells we have a three barrel a month average, so it's just enough to create problems if you didn't have a little separator on it and a tank to catch it. That's the amount of production. It's not -- it's just very marginal but you do have to --

Q. What kind of production do you get out of the Chacra?

A. The Chacra is a dry gas. If there's any

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2 fluid with it at all, it's very small amount of water.

3 Q Would you identify Exhibit Number Six for  
4 us, Mr. Verquer?

5 A It's a monthly production record from  
6 September, '78, through December, 1980, for all Mesaverde  
7 wells that are -- that we are now producing. As you see from  
8 the start, there are just a few on the first page; on the  
9 last one we're getting a few more Mesaverde wells. Every  
10 year we add a few.

11 Q Okay.

12 A And on the last page you'll note that  
13 some of them only have one month's production. Some of those  
14 wells I identified with the red circle were only on for one  
15 month. They were drilled and completed in 1980.

16 Q Mr. Verquer, I'd like to show you a copy  
17 of Commission Order R-6564, which was entered January of '81,  
18 with regards to setting up an administrative procedure for  
19 the downhole commingling of Chacra and Pictured Cliffs pro-  
20 duction. If you'll look at a copy of that for a moment.

21 MR. KELLAHIN: And I've handed you a  
22 copy of that same order, Mr. Nutter.

23 Q Now, that particular order sets up an  
24 administrative procedure for obtaining approval of downhole  
25 commingling for the -- I believe it was the Chacra and Pic-

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2 tured Cliffs. Have you had an opportunity to look at that  
3 order, Mr. Verquer?

4 A. I have, yes.

5 Q. Would you have any objection or comment  
6 if the Commission should enter a similar order for the com-  
7 mingling of the Mesaverde-Chacra formations for this area?

8 A. That would be agreeable to our company  
9 for this --

10 Q. All right.

11 A. -- same procedure.

12 Q. That order provides that the zones be  
13 tested by some type of bottom hole pressure test prior to  
14 commingling. Is that any kind of difficulty for you?

15 A. No, sir. We were going to recommend --  
16 it was my intention to recommend that each zone would be tested  
17 separately before they were commingled on completion of the  
18 well, so we would have pressure and flow rates for each well,  
19 and then confer with the Aztec office for a split on each  
20 well.

21 Q. All right, sir.

22 Do you have any other comments or obser-  
23 vations with regards to an administrative procedure to be  
24 developed for this area?

25 A. No, sir.

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2 Q Were Exhibits One through Six prepared  
3 by you directly or compiled under your direction and super-  
4 vision?

5 A. They were completed by me.

6 Q And in your opinion, Mr. Verquer, will  
7 approval of this application be in the best interests of  
8 conservation, the prevention of waste, and the protection of  
9 correlative rights?

10 A. It will.

11 Q All right.

12 MR. KELLAHIN: That concludes our exam-  
13 ination of Mr. Verquer. We move the introduction of Exhibits  
14 One through Six.

15 MR. NUTTER: Exhibits One through Six  
16 will be admitted.

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18 CROSS EXAMINATION

19 BY MR. NUTTER:

20 Q Mr. Verquer, this administrative proce-  
21 dure which was authorized for the commingling of Chacra and  
22 Pictured Cliffs production in certain areas of Rio Arriba  
23 County, requires that the first condition under Rule 1 would  
24 be that wells to qualify for downhole commingling administra-  
25 tively, it would be necessary that the two zones would not

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2 otherwise be economically producible. These are very vague  
3 terms. Do you have any idea how we could translate that into  
4 Mcf production?

5 A. I believe --

6 Q. The wells that you're talking about here,  
7 Chacra and Mesaverde?

8 A. In my opinion a well that makes any water  
9 at all that makes less than 70 Mcf per day is -- is going to  
10 create some problems keeping it on the line. Therefor a nor-  
11 mal Chacra well will come down to where its average Mcf is  
12 30 Mcf in our area, and in fact that's pretty well true of  
13 95 percent of the Chacra wells in the San Juan Basin.

14 And the Mesaverde in our area is very  
15 tight and it's the same thing. I would use a 70 Mcf, my  
16 personal opinion would be 70 Mcf, that they make less than  
17 that.

18 Q. That would be from either zone or from  
19 both zones combined?

20 A. From either zone.

21 Q. From either zone.

22 A. Yes, sir.

23 Q. So you'd have a maximum of maybe 140  
24 Mcf.

25 A. Yes, sir.

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2 Q Now I notice that on your average pro-  
3 duction on Exhibit Six for the Mesaverde, this figures out to  
4 about 2614 per well. That would be per month, wouldn't it?

5 A Yes, sir, that's per month.

6 Q Uh-huh.

7 A So that's 80 --

8 Q That's 70 or 80 some ---

9 A Yes.

10 Q Do you have an average figure on that?

11 A Yes, I do.

12 Q 1783 per month is average production.  
13 It would be about 60.

14 A If you notice down the line, some of the  
15 wells that were figured in that average were only on for one  
16 month. I'll use as a reference 346, it had 4560. That was  
17 for two months, excuse me.

18 Q Yeah, that's first month production --

19 A Yes, the first month they look awfully  
20 good but you have that head that you pull off right there  
21 close and next month it's down drastically, normal.

22 Q What you have done is average across --

23 A Yes, sir.

24 Q -- to get an average month for each well  
25 and then average the average months.

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A. Yes, sir.

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Q. So a high one month gets in there.

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A. Yes, it did.

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Q. As a full value.

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A. As a full value and it isn't really re-

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presentative. I should have dropped back and used fewer

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wells but we did turn those on and I had the month's production

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on them for 1980.

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Q. And of course, as illustrated by your

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Exhibit Number Four, the bottom hole pressure of either zone

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is not less than 50 percent of the bottom hole pressure of

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the other.

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A. That's right.

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Q. The wells would meet qualification B,

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not producing more than 10 barrels of liquid a day.

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A. Yes.

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Q. Now how about C, is the ownership of

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both zones in this entire area common throughout?

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A. Yes, they are common under every 160,

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yes.

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Q. And you could furnish these other things

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that are required under Rule 2.

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A. Right.

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Q. Okay.

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2 MR. NUTTER: Are there any further ques-  
3 tions of Mr. Verquer? He may be excused.

4 Do you have anything further, Mr. Kellahin?

5 MR. KELLAHIN: No, sir.

6 MR. NUTTER: Does anyone have anything  
7 they wish to offer in Case Number 7137?

8 We'll take the case under advisement.

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10 (Hearing concluded.)  
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## C E R T I F I C A T E

I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that the said transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing, prepared by me to the best of my ability.

Sally W. Boyd C.S.R.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete record of the proceedings in the Examiner hearing of Case No. 7137 heard by me on 1/28 1981.

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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. 7137  
Order No. R-6588

APPLICATION OF CAULKINS OIL COMPANY  
FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING, RIO ARRIBA  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on January 28, 1981, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 12th day of February, 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, Caulkins Oil Company, is the owner and operator of certain wells located in Sections 1 through 5, 7, 8, 21, 22, 24, and 25 in Township 26 North, Range 6 West; Sections 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26 in Township 26 North, Range 7 West; and Sections 33 through 35 in Township 27 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant seeks authority to commingle Chacra and Blanco Mesaverde production within the wellbores of the above-described wells.

(4) That from the Chacra zone, the subject wells are expected to be capable of low production only.

(5) That from the Mesaverde zone, the subject wells are expected to be capable of low production only.

(6) That the proposed commingling should result in the recovery of additional hydrocarbons from each of the subject pools, thereby preventing waste, and would not violate correlative rights.

(7) 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.

(8) That the establishment of an administrative procedure whereby production from the Chacra and Mesaverde formations in those sections described in Finding No. (2) above may be commingled within the wellbore of a producing well therein should permit the recovery of otherwise uneconomic reserves.

(9) That such an administrative procedure should provide for approval by the Division's District Supervisor at Aztec, safeguards to prevent crossflow between pools, and the protection of interest owners under each proration or spacing unit.

(10) That provision should be made whereby the applicant would consult with the Supervisor of the Aztec district office of the Division and determine an allocation formula for the allocation of production to each zone in each well commingled pursuant to this order and such administrative approval.

(11) That the operator of any well so commingled should immediately notify the Division's Aztec district office any time any such well commingled under terms of this order has been shut-in for 7 consecutive days and shall concurrently present, to the Division, a plan for remedial action.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That an administrative procedure is hereby adopted whereby the district supervisor of the Division District Office at Aztec may administratively authorize downhole commingling of the Chacra and Mesaverde zones in Caulkins Oil Company's wells in Sections 1 through 5, 7, 8, 21, 22, 24, and 25, Township 26 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, and in Sections 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26, Township 26 North, Range 7 West, NMPM, and in Sections 33 and 35, Township 27 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, all in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

(2) That qualification and application for and approval of requests for downhole commingling shall be made in accordance with the following rules:

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RULE 1. Wells shall qualify for approval for downhole commingling under this order provided that:

- (a) That the commingling is necessary to permit production from the Chacra and Mesaverde zones which would not otherwise be economically producible, i.e., wells which are expected to have a combined stabilized pipeline delivery rate from both zones of 150 Mcf per day or less.
- (b) neither zone produces more than 10 barrels of liquid per day;
- (c) the bottom hole pressure of the lower pressure zone is not less than 50 percent of the bottom hole pressure of the higher pressure zone adjusted to a common datum; and,
- (d) the ownership of the two zones is common (including working interest, royalty interest, and overriding royalty).

RULE 2. Applications for administrative approval of downhole commingling under this order shall include:

- (a) Name and address of the operator.
- (b) Lease name, well number, well location and names of the pools to be commingled.
- (c) A mechanical log of the well.
- (d) A diagrammatic sketch of the well showing casing, tubing, cement tops, perforations, and any downhole equipment.
- (e) Pressures and production for each zone to be commingled as determined from drill stem tests or potential tests following completion.
- (f) A formula for the allocation of production to each of the commingled zones and a description of the factors or data used in determining such formula.

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RULE 3. The district supervisor may approve the proposed downhole commingling if, in his opinion, there is no disqualifying disparity of bottomhole pressures or other reservoir characteristics, waste will not result thereby, and correlative rights will not be violated.

RULE 4. Upon such approval, the well shall be operated in accordance with the provisions of the administrative order which authorized the commingling.

RULE 5. That to afford the Division the opportunity to assess the potential for waste and to expeditiously order appropriate remedial action, the operator shall notify the Aztec district office of the Division any time any well commingled pursuant to this authority is shut-in for 7 consecutive days.

RULE 6. That in order to allocate the commingled production to each of the commingled zones in any such well, applicant should consult with the supervisor of the Aztec district office of the Division and determine an allocation formula for each of the production zones.

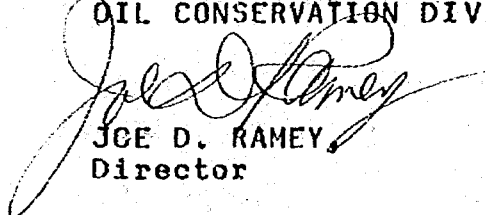
RULE 7. The Division Director may rescind authority to commingle production in the wellbore and require both zones to be produced separately in any well commingled pursuant to this authority if, in his opinion, waste or reservoir damage is resulting thereby, or if any change of conditions render the installation no longer eligible for downhole commingling under the provisions of Rule 1, paragraphs (a) through (d).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

(1) 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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# CAULKINS OIL CO.

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Well Number	Location	Order Number	Production Split	
			Chacra	Mesa Verde
54 E	P 4 26 6	R-6266	34%	66%
68 E	L 4 26 6	R-6266	32	68
104	P 5 26 6	R-5647	40	60
136E	O 10 26 6	R-5647	40	60
175E	B 8 26 6	R-5647	40	60
204E	L 9 26 6	R-5647	40	60
224A	D 13 26 7	R-5922	54	46
248E	D 13 26 6	R-6267	32	68
268E	J 16 26 6	R-6266	42	58
346	A 22 26 6	R-6266	42	58
583M	L 5 26 6	R-6266	31	69
679	J 9 26 6	R-5647	40	60
812	N 18 26 6	R-5922	52	48

All gas production being split as shown.

All oil production from commingled wells to Mesa Verde Zone.

Exhibit 2  
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Well No.	Location	Order No.	PC	Chacra	MV	Greenhorn
109	M 3 26N 6W	R-5647-A	42%	18%	40%	
220R	B 14 26N 7W	R-5926	50	20	30	
224	A 13 26N 7W	R-5927	25	30	33	12
228	A 18 26N 6W	R-5634	50	20	30	

All Gas production being split as shown.

Oil production from 224 being split 60% Mesa Verde and 40% to Greenhorn.

All oil production from 109, 220R and 228 to Mesa Verde zone.

Exhibit 3  
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# INDIVIDUAL WELL INITIAL PRESSURE

## BEFORE COMMINGLING

CHACRA ZONE						MESA VERDE ZONE					
WELL NO.	LOCATION					WELL NO.	LOCATION				
224 A	D	13	26N	7W	960	224 A	D	13	26N	7W	1017
258	F	18	26N	6W	895	4	A	33	27N	6W	1085
307	M	13	26N	7W	858	8	A	34	27N	6W	844
314	P	18	26N	6W	1003	12	A	35	27N	6W	980
330	C	23	26N	7W	1080	45	M	35	27N	6W	914
332	A	23	26N	7W	831	58	A	3	26N	6W	1039
352	F	24	26N	7W	1196	62	A	2	26N	6W	942
812	N	18	26N	6W	995	812	N	18	26N	6W	1060
264	H	17	26N	6W	975	307	M	13	26N	7W	1004
291	J	17	26N	6W	970	229	D	17	26N	6W	1023
121	D	7	26N	6W	954	341	B	21	26N	6W	1085
193	M	7	26N	6W	1005	346	A	22	26N	6W	956
217	D	14	26N	7W	1150	54 E	P	4	26N	6W	1010
342	A	21	26N	6W	1118	68 E	L	4	26N	6W	1045
346	A	22	26N	6W	926	583 M	L	5	26N	6W	1090
358	F	21	26N	6W	925	268 E	J	16	26N	6W	1140
383	O	21	26N	6W	945						
385	M	22	26N	6W	815						
387	O	22	26N	6W	930						
51	D	4	26N	6W	1040						
54 E	P	4	26N	6W	991						
68 E	L	4	26N	6W	1003						
583 M	L	5	26N	6W	998						
4	D	25	26N	6W	977						
5	M	25	26N	6W	860						
268 E	J	16	26N	6W	1020						
					(28347)						(19473)
					Avg. 977#						Avg. 1024#

Exhibit 4  
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<u>CHACRA</u>									
<u>Breecch</u>	9/78	10/78	11/78	12/78	1/79	2/79	3/79	4/79	5/79
C 228	808	1070	812	690	1330	534	861	917	908
C 258	968	1374	1238	1408	1494	1415	1225	964	1078
C 307	2760	2895	2542	3349	3142	3047	2633	2680	1924
C 324	1229	2581	1068	500	1097	1988	00	00	00
C 330	850	1501	2244	3174	00	2053	1718	1758	1460
C 332	1127	1501	1877	2595	2345	1458	00	1599	3785
C 352	917	1587	2468	2085	1890	2256	2355	2444	2039
C 354	3216	2873	2323	4008	4572	3352	3062	5287	3098
C 368	423	430	291	730	800	856	771	777	816
C 382	74	00	779	1771	1512	1503	1368	1145	831
<u>Breecch A</u>									
C 264	1404	1096	1538	1682	1495	1640	1461	1299	1192
C 291	1130	826	1028	1143	972	1046	860	795	784
C 675	00	2829	3912	4506	4037	5356	2912	3803	2615
<u>Breecch B</u>									
C 121	1338	1089	924	934	1510	895	953	1340	1003
C 193	2303	2130	2377	2479	2233	2095	1799	2014	1683
C 196	00	3816	4023	3731	3022	2983	2921	1004	2035
C 217	977	1689	1765	1743	1485	1971	1834	1545	1648
<u>Breecch D</u>									
C 342	517	892	1087	1177	1179	1077	976	897	341
C 358	981	1090	1117	1027	1021	1064	986	874	856
C 383	728	1002	1033	1194	1169	1031	939	853	958
C 385	883	1216	1429	1439	1471	1337	1156	1065	1129
C 387	1245	1900	2210	2237	2413	2033	2085	1971	1846
<u>Breecch E</u>									
C 51	804	516	1012	1679	1153	1497	329	1289	1418
C 104	00	2444	1397	2306	1761	1643	1843	1285	1299
C 109	00	2531	1083	1247	1934	1576	803	1525	1013
C 581	409	264	754	533	713	645	566	555	560
<u>Reuter</u>									
C 297	00	156	1235	1576	1116	1405	1412	1197	1073
C 343	00	690	829	1597	1465	1244	903	1121	1050
<u>Sanchez</u>									
C 4	1466	1523	1381	1643	1538	1181	1514	1364	1364
C 5	2024	1320	2464	886	873	485	00	3962	3278
<u>State C - COM</u>									
C 235-R	00	00				4094	2195	2887	2527
									1859
								1472	1320

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CHACRA	9/77	10/77	11/77	12/77	1/78	2/78	3/78	4/78	5/78	6/78	7/78	8/78
Breesh	3133	3409	5359	3842	4647	5146	5484	3478	3270	857	-0-	-0-
C 224	-0-	-0-	8975	10457	9822	9929	9436	8544	7759	5279	6005	7095
C 224-A	779	709	621	791	438	1108	793	403	537	141	5	180
C 228	1174	795	1092	683	1503	1165	801	1008	942	594	107	971
C 258	2010	1809	5218	2098	2079	2761	2038	1957	2160	880	851	468
C 307	2017	1844	1968	1968	1265	2096	4295	1930	1916	1207	311	1545
C 314	1449	1852	1304	1593	1046	1573	1609	1366	1081	260	205	1011
C 330	2072	1777	1582	1834	1468	1583	1566	1448	1481	743	823	1022
C 332	1877	1674	1457	1619	1700	1921	1717	1717	1395	444	313	1050
C 352	2888	2794	806	742	608	739	774	795	721	447	313	818
C 354	527	531	440	568	507	570	460	531	427	425	174	499
C 368	1284	843	671	1146	613	60	612	816	478	89	41	27
C 382	-0-	-0-	9365	6451	5747	1470	6733	4939	5729	5770	3193	5744
C 812	-0-	-0-	9365	6451	5747	1470	6733	4939	5729	5770	3193	5744
Breesh A	-0-	-0-	5206	3879	11580	10607	21704	1598	969	352	-0-	697
C 125	1010	743	710	1076	1249	1060	2162	713	108	706	408	827
C 264	812	714	751	632	682	656	1507	449	756	565	542	620
C 291	2086	1981	2192	2126	2091	2012	1678	1728	1431	758	515	1668
C 675	-0-	230	7480	2697	2638	2208	1036	1360	1277	996	463	1857
C 729	-0-	2073	1648	2017	1579	1764	1427	1900	1078	1071	645	1139
Breesh B	936	829	874	873	766	688	1867	823	655	706	423	530
C 121	1483	1287	778	1466	1394	1413	2924	1230	1075	492	277	1116
C 193	1527	1549	1609	1482	1145	1780	1352	1386	1236	719	508	1208
C 196	-0-	-0-	1911	1272	1914	1946	1692	1683	1487	818	200	1358
C 217	1526	-0-	1911	1272	1914	1946	1692	1683	1487	818	200	1358
C 220-R	1825	1643	2066	1942	1882	1867	1427	1291	1643	868	374	1444
Breesh D	795	789	1018	773	945	896	772	647	766	408	183	542
C 342	846	810	841	713	770	775	1564	544	772	317	387	798
C 358	1001	837	1025	925	925	885	772	732	919	444	425	886
C 383	1167	1058	1185	1188	1174	1063	997	805	1040	733	276	943
C 385	1825	1643	2066	1942	1882	1867	1427	1291	1643	868	374	1444
C 387	1825	1643	2066	1942	1882	1867	1427	1291	1643	868	374	1444
Breesh E	1133	966	1113	1083	1132	1387	971	901	995	347	145	604
C 51	895	723	692	715	659	687	577	529	463	331	302	567
C 104	757	632	833	802	1016	600	771	588	617	99	10	-0-
C 109	628	700	496	549	389	515	335	800	820	99	-0-	-0-
C 581	1204	984	1192	1154	1117	1137	994	761	940	308	8	636
Router	727	728	1038	939	1024	968	780	671	871	581	205	704
C 297	1204	984	1192	1154	1117	1137	994	761	940	308	8	636
C 343	727	728	1038	939	1024	968	780	671	871	581	205	704
Sanchez	1324	11326	11713	11774	11219	1099	1062	11420	1136	1118	994	1137
C 4	2152	2190	2546	2536	2183	1150	1367	2131	1565	3683	1421	1587
C 5	1497	1408	1856	1798	1057	1763	1326	1104	1278	518	175	941
State C - COM	1497	1408	1856	1798	1057	1763	1326	1104	1278	518	175	941
C 235-R	1497	1408	1856	1798	1057	1763	1326	1104	1278	518	175	941

CHDRA	9/80	10/80	11/80	12/80	Pum	Prob	Mid	Wt3	Wt4
Breesh									
C 224	-0-	493	6318	3003	14152	(10)	2396		
C 224-A	4007	6640	7987	6875	107410	(10)	7672		
C 228	136	-0-	1015	13148	19289	(27)	714		
C 258	515	780	1187	721	27774	(28)	991		
C 307	4188	4112	4997	5816	70332	(28)	2527		
C 314	271	1318	2168	1436	20332	(28)	11613		
C 330	473	545	711	1151	34739	(27)	1286		
C 332	567	1034	1888	1226	41114	(26)	1581		
C 352	864	910	1744	1297	44307	(28)	1582		
C 354	472	646	841	682	52082	(28)	1860		
C 358	191	242	364	295	13846	(22)	494		
C 382	8	24	1219	671	18415	(27)	682		
C 812	3092	3965	5645	3970	75831	(14)	5416		
Breesh A									
C 125	1115	1441	1710	1371	23879	(13)	1836		
C 136-E				736	736	(1)	736		
C 175-E				2762	2762	(1)	2762		
C 204-E				3542	3542	(1)	3542		
C 264	642	856	1022	913	21425	(28)	1129		
C 291	439	571	666	553	21516	(28)	768		
C 675	1162	1417	2106	1483	40555	(27)	2242		
C 679	1040	1256	1575	1181	24614	(14)	1757		
C 729	909	920	1061	996	19421	(15)	1308		
Breesh B									
C 121	623	589	826	781	25480	(28)	910		
C 193	702	988	1409	979	41917	(28)	1697		
C 196	819	1079	1566	1071	51235	(27)	1897		
C 217	452	882	1848	1362	37387	(27)	1454		
C 220-R	994	2024	2061	3670	32384	(10)	3034		
Breesh D									
C 342	415	670	1071	857	22571	(28)	804		
C 346				2985	2985	(1)	2985		
C 358	460	765	1213	1112	27216	(28)	1051		
C 383	476	795	1154	917	23274	(28)	866		
C 385	414	767	1398	1156	29684	(28)	1060		
C 387	650	1178	2080	1764	40696	(28)	1667		
Breesh E									
C 51	513	863	1400	1069	21756	(28)	991		
C 54-E				1296	1296	(1)	1296		
C 68-E				2423	2423	(1)	2423		
C 104	409	471	699	606	24944	(27)	923		
C 109	-0-	160	1080	697	23607	(25)	944		
C 581	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-					
C 583-M				1765	1765	(1)	1765		
Reuter									
C 297	189	608	1286	932	24458	(27)	905		
C 343	462	765	1145	927	23922	(27)	800		
Sanchez									
C 4	1012	1051	1006	1142	35614	(28)	1271		
C 5	834	685	574	2169	50628	(27)	1875		
State A									
C 268-E				2620	2620	(1)	2620		
State C - COM									
C 235-R	485	896	1681	1054	35551	(28)	1545		

MESA VERDE													
Breech													
MV 224	3496	3556	5802	7732	5668	4018	5379	5972	4649	2699	1285	-0-	
MV 228	1212	1606	1219	1035	1995	802	1362	1375	1360	1598	836	1271	
MV 307	625	582	482	731	661	689	526	784	566	540	645	724	
Breech A													
MV 182	807	925	1419	1717	1168	1728	812	977	1014	1150	564	461	
MV 182 "A"	-0-	792	755	575	2123	-0-	-0-	2406	2456	3376	188	568	
MV 229	702	664	1183	1915	1648	1385	1363	1703	1460	1153	979	967	
Breech D													
MV 341	1200	1736	1839	1685	1715	1715	1334	1520	1644	1581	1198	1586	
Breech E													
MV 58	1491	1336	2925	5089	5356	5362	3806	2956	2995	533	1331	-0-	
MV 64	1315	2655	3447	2188	3322	3090	2850	3061	1400	3276	2697	2322	
MV 104	-0-	-0-	2096	3460	2642	964	2764	1852	1948	1648	1306	1086	
MV 109	-0-	-0-	3659	4266	1559	-0-	-0-	77	-0-	-0-	-0-	2105	
Breech F													
MV 4	622	-0-	2186	1637	1517	1590	889	1677	1281	1414	1213	679	
MV 8	1573	1257	1271	1846	1426	1501	1563	1564	1626	1938	1243	462	
MV 12	2373	2513	5054	4798	6216	4015	5561	4089	5200	701	-0-	1313	
MV 45	1651	1913	2930	2635	4198	3533	3619	3689	1132	4147	2262	-0-	
State A													
MV 62	1277	2870	2434	100	3306	1858	1857	4055	3111	2859	1913	1823	

EX 4.6. + 6  
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# CUMULATIVE STATEMENT OF GAS PRODUCTION

Prepared by	Initials	Date
Approved by		

Well No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	9/79	10/79	11-79	12-79	1-80	2-80	3-80	4-80	5-80	6-80	7-80	8-80
<u>MESA VERDE</u>												
Breecb												
MV 224	3445	3529	5873	4224	2911	5683	3831	3606	3618	1047	-0-	-0-
MV 224-A	-0-	-0-	7645	8906	5137	8459	7185	7279	6611	4496	5113	6470
MV 228	1198	1063	930	1184	655	1659	1187	606	802	211	7	269
MV 307	594	466	472	670	529	566	693	678	653	554	448	654
MV 812	-0-	711	8644	5955	5489	6157	6217	4559	5288	4773	2947	4673
<u>Breecb A</u>												
MV 182	847	547	943	743	681	815	552	520	580	457	39	874
MV 182-A	1124	683	766	680	1908	1656	462	519	687	401	447	929
MV 229	-0-	1450	1187	1453	1107	1446	1318	1081	1168	665	222	889
MV 679	-0-	-0-	6750	4044	3955	3314	2604	2040	1915	1494	997	1883
<u>Breecb B</u>												
MV 220-R	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9231	5653	7187	5182	2132	1053	1695
<u>Breecb D</u>												
MV 341	1482	1394	1518	1281	1508	1586	1353	1154	1548	1151	787	1342
<u>Breecb E</u>												
MV 58	8	945	1912	2149	1222	3219	3685	3517	2721	2132	719	101
MV 64	2889	2661	2388	2661	2645	2504	1819	2636	2324	1154	650	1137
MV 104	1342	1085	1039	1073	990	1030	865	793	694	497	451	850
MV 109	1688	1403	1852	1783	1255	1332	1714	1305	1374	220	21	101
<u>Breecb F</u>												
MV 4	1461	1299	1303	1222	1552	1497	1166	1282	1089	808	536	1107
MV 8	-0-	1606	1273	1368	1608	1800	1576	1430	1341	430	158	1667
MV 12	4416	4117	4558	6213	5771	5575	5117	4957	4221	914	986	1916
MV 45	-0-	1781	4219	2761	-0-	4002	3836	3165	2356	402	191	529
<u>State A</u>												
MV 62	3337	2370	1448	2515	3255	3013	1992	2576	1918	579	493	836

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Case No. 7137

Well Number	Location	Order Number	Production Split	
			Chacra	Mesa Verde
54 E	P 4 26 5	R-6266	34%	66%
68 E	L 4 26 6	R-6266	32	68
104	P 5 26 6	R-5647	40	60
136E	O 10 26 6	R-5647	40	60
175E	B 8 26 6	R-5647	40	60
204E	L 9 26 6	R-5647	40	60
224A	D 13 26 7	R-5922	54	46
248E	D 13 26 6	R-6267	32	68
268E	J 16 26 6	R-6266	42	58
346	A 22 26 6	R-6266	42	58
583M	L 5 26 6	R-6266	31	69
679	J 9 26 6	R-5647	40	60
812	N 18 26 6	R-5922	52	48

All gas production being split as shown.

All oil production from commingled wells to Mesa Verde Zone.

Exhibit 2  
Case 7137

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Well No.	Location	Order No.	PC	Chacra	MV	Greenhorn
109	M 3 26N 6W	R-5647-A	42%	18%	40%	
220R	B 14 26N 7W	R-5926	50	20	30	
224	A 13 26N 7W	R-5927	25	30	33	12
228	A 18 26N 6W	R-5634	50	20	30	

All Gas production being split as shown.

Oil production from 224 being split 60% Mesa Verde and 40% to Greenhorn.

All oil production from 109, 220R and 228 to Mesa Verde zone.

Exhibit 3  
Case 7137



# INDIVIDUAL WELL INITIAL PRESSURE

BEFORE COMMINGLING

CHACRA ZONE					MESA VERDE ZONE						
WELL NO.	LOCATION				PRESSURE	WELL NO.	LOCATION				PRESSURE
224 A	D	13	26N	7W	960	224 A	D	13	26N	7W	1017
258	F	18	26N	6W	895	4	A	33	27N	6W	1085
307	M	13	26N	7W	858	8	A	34	27N	6W	844
314	P	18	26N	6W	1003	12	A	35	27N	6W	980
330	C	23	26N	7W	1080	45	M	35	27N	6W	914
332	A	23	26N	7W	831	58	A	3	26N	6W	1039
352	F	24	26N	7W	1196	62	A	2	26N	6W	942
812	N	18	26N	6W	995	812	N	18	26N	6W	1060
264	H	17	26N	6W	975	307	M	13	26N	7W	1004
291	J	17	26N	6W	970	229	D	17	26N	6W	1028
121	D	7	26N	6W	954	341	B	21	26N	6W	1085
193	M	7	26N	6W	1005	346	A	22	26N	6W	956
217	D	14	26N	7W	1150	54 E	P	4	26N	6W	1010
342	A	21	26N	6W	1118	68 E	L	4	26N	6W	1045
346	A	22	26N	6W	926	583 M	L	5	26N	6W	1090
358	F	21	26N	6W	925	268 E	J	16	26N	6W	1140
383	O	21	26N	6W	945						
385	M	22	26N	6W	815						
387	O	22	26N	6W	930						
51	D	4	26N	6W	1040						
54 E	P	4	26N	6W	991						
68 E	L	4	26N	6W	1003						
583 M	L	5	26N	6W	998						
4	D	25	26N	6W	977						
5	M	25	26N	6W	860						
268 E	J	16	26N	6W	1020						
(28347)					(19473)						
Avg. 977#					Avg. 1024#						

Exhibit 4  
Case 2137

<u>CHCRA</u>		9/78	10/78	11/78	12/78	1/79	2/79	3/79	4/79	5/79	6/79	7/79	8/79
<u>Breesh</u>													
C 228	808	1073	812	694	1330	534	534	861	917	908	930	538	847
C 258	968	1374	1238	1408	1494	1415	1415	1225	964	1078	1094	570	984
C 307	2760	2893	2542	3349	3144	3047	3047	2623	4680	1924	8303	2353	1958
C 314	1229	2581	1068	500	1097	1998	1998	100	0	0	933	1581	1943
C 330	850	1501	2244	3174	0	2058	1758	1460	1758	1460	1079	1118	1318
C 332	1127	0	1877	2595	2345	1458	1598	0	2085	2085	1644	1917	2060
C 352	917	1587	2448	2085	1890	2256	2256	2355	2444	2039	1828	1406	1739
C 354	3216	2873	2323	4008	4312	3332	3332	3062	3287	3098	2840	2306	2085
C 368	423	430	291	730	800	856	856	771	777	670	519	400	442
C 382	74	0	779	1771	1512	1503	1503	1368	1145	831	452	128	175
<u>Breesh A</u>													
C 264	1404	1096	1538	1682	1495	1440	1440	1461	1299	1193	1106	877	1110
C 291	1130	826	1028	1143	972	1046	1046	860	795	784	770	601	735
C 675	0	2829	3912	4506	4037	5356	5356	2912	3885	2615	2316	1650	2125
<u>Breesh B</u>													
C 121	1338	1085	924	934	1510	885	885	953	1340	1003	1004	921	766
C 193	2303	2130	2377	3479	2233	2095	2095	1799	2014	1683	1109	1127	1355
C 196	0	3816	4023	3731	3022	2983	2983	2921	1004	2035	2390	2196	2778
C 217	977	1685	1765	1743	1485	1971	1971	1834	1545	1648	1666	1234	1647
<u>Breesh D</u>													
C 342	517	892	1087	1177	1179	1077	1077	970	897	841	785	576	764
C 358	981	1090	1117	1027	1021	1064	1064	986	874	856	814	664	832
C 383	728	1002	1033	1194	1169	1031	1031	939	853	938	886	681	818
C 385	883	1216	1429	1439	1471	1357	1357	1156	1060	11129	1047	785	1064
C 387	1245	1900	2210	2237	2413	2033	2033	2085	1971	1846	1756	1145	1674
<u>Breesh E</u>													
C 51	804	916	1012	1679	1153	1497	1497	329	1287	1418	1175	1006	876
C 104	0	2444	1397	2306	1761	643	643	1843	1285	1299	1097	870	724
C 109	0	2531	1083	1247	1934	11516	11516	803	1075	1073	756	821	1524
C 581	409	264	754	533	713	645	645	566	555	560	540	457	562
<u>Reuter</u>													
C 297	0	156	1235	1570	1116	1405	1405	1412	1191	1073	1008	447	278
C 343	0	690	829	1597	1465	1244	1244	903	1121	1050	1058	676	748
<u>Sanchez</u>													
C 4	1466	1523	1381	1643	1538	1131	1131	1514	1364	1364	858	960	1729
C 5	2024	1320	2464	886	873	485	485	0	3962	3278	2608	1512	2779
<u>State C - COM</u>													
C 235-R	0	0	0	0	0	4044	4044	2195	2887	2627	1859	1472	1320

Exhibit 5  
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CHACRA		9/74	10/74	11/74	12/74	1/80	2/80	3/80	4/80	5/80	6/80	7/80	8/80
Brecht													
C 224		3133	3209	5359	2842	4647	5146	8484	3278	3278	857	-0.1	-0.1
C 224-A		-0.1	-0.1	8975	10457	9822	9229	8436	6544	7959	5279	6005	7995
C 228		777	708	621	791	438	1108	793	403	537	141	5	180
C 258		1174	895	1092	683	1302	1165	901	1008	919	316	107	971
C 307		2010	1809	5218	2678	2079	2038	2038	1957	2160	880	851	468
C 314		2077	1844	1567	1967	1265	2096	4235	1430	1916	1209	511	1545
C 330		1440	1852	1309	1593	1046	3096	1609	1366	1081	1207	875	1545
C 332		2012	1777	1582	1834	1468	1583	1560	1448	1440	1207	875	1545
C 352		1877	1696	1457	1619	1700	1821	1628	1717	1393	1446	1207	1545
C 354		2882	2794	804	742	608	939	724	795	1393	1446	1207	1545
C 368		527	531	440	549	507	570	440	531	1427	425	1144	818
C 382		1284	843	671	1146	692	60	612	816	478	87	41	27
C 812		-0.1	-0.1	8565	6451	5997	670	6735	4939	5727	5170	3193	5004
Brecht A													
C 125		-0.1	-0.1	5306	3898	11580	1667	2104	1398	969	322	-0.1	697
C 264		1010	743	710	1012	1249	1066	2162	713	1108	706	408	927
C 291		812	714	751	652	682	656	1507	496	756	565	342	620
C 675		2086	1981	2192	2126	2091	2012	1678	1722	1421	758	545	168
C 679		-0.1	230	4500	2697	2638	2008	1736	1360	1371	996	663	1657
C 729		-0.1	2073	1648	2017	1579	1764	1827	1406	1078	1071	543	1139
Brecht B													
C 121		934	821	874	899	766	682	1867	823	655	706	423	536
C 193		1483	1287	778	1466	1394	1413	2824	1230	1075	492	277	1116
C 196		1729	1575	1609	1492	1145	1780	1352	1386	1238	719	506	1208
C 217		1628	-0.1	1911	1272	1814	1960	1672	1683	1487	818	-200	1358
Brecht C													
C 220-R													
Brecht D													
C 342		793	789	1018	973	915	896	712	647	766	406	185	592
C 358		846	810	861	713	729	705	1624	544	722	317	387	798
C 383		1001	837	1069	925	935	885	712	732	827	464	425	886
C 385		1169	1058	1485	1188	1174	1063	997	805	1040	735	270	943
C 387		1825	1640	2066	1942	1882	1867	1627	1291	1645	868	-374	1444
Brecht E													
C 51		1133	966	113	1083	1132	1387	971	901	895	37	145	604
C 104		895	723	792	715	657	687	577	529	443	331	302	567
C 109		757	632	853	802	1016	600	721	586	617	99	10	-0.1
C 581		528	400	480	548	339	515	835	800	430	99	-2	-2
Reuter													
C 297		1207	984	1192	1254	1117	1137	992	761	940	306	8	636
C 343		727	728	1037	939	1024	968	780	671	871	587	205	704
Sanchez													
C 4		1324	1326	1273	1174	1219	1699	1022	1422	1136	1118	994	1197
C 5		2152	2190	2514	2224	2183	1150	1367	2131	1565	3683	1421	1587
State C - COM													
C 235-R		1497	1608	1854	1798	1057	1463	1322	1104	1228	518	175	941

CHACRA	9/80	10/80	11/80	12/80	Cum. Prod. Mds	Wt's Mds
<u>Breach</u>						
C 224	-0-	493	6318	3003	44162 (10)	32396
C 224-A	1007	5640	7987	6875	102410 (14)	7672
C 228	136	-0-	1015	1348	19289 (27)	714
C 258	515	780	1187	721	27274 (28)	791
C 307	4118	4118	4937	3816	70232 (20)	2587
C 314	871	1316	2168	1436	40332 (25)	1613
C 330	473	545	711	1151	34739 (27)	1286
C 332	587	1034	1888	1226	41144 (26)	1581
C 352	604	910	1749	1297	40307 (25)	1582
C 354	472	446	841	682	52082 (28)	1860
C 368	191	242	364	895	13848 (22)	494
C 382	4	24	1219	671	18415 (27)	682
C 812	3092	3965	5545	3970	75631 (14)	5416
<u>Breach A</u>						
C 125	1115	1441	1710	1371	23879 (13)	1836
C 136-E				736	736 (1)	736
C 175-E				3762	3762 (11)	2762
C 204-E				3542	3542 (1)	3542
C 264	1623	856	1022	913	31625 (28)	1129
C 291	1439	571	666	553	21516 (28)	768
C 675	11162	1417	2106	1483	40525 (27)	2242
C 679	1040	1256	1575	1181	24611 (14)	1757
C 729	909	920	1061	996	17621 (15)	1308
<u>Breach B</u>						
C 121	623	589	826	781	28420 (28)	910
C 193	703	988	1409	978	41917 (28)	1497
C 196	879	1079	1566	1071	51225 (27)	1897
C 217	452	882	1848	1362	39357 (27)	1467
C 220-R	994	2124	2041	3690	33360 (11)	3036
<u>Breach D</u>						
C 342	415	670	1071	887	22537 (28)	804
C 346				2985	2985 (1)	2985
C 358	460	705	923	745	23266 (28)	831
C 383	476	795	1054	717	24274 (28)	866
C 385	414	969	1398	1156	29684 (27)	1060
C 387	650	1178	2080	1764	46696 (30)	1667
<u>Breach E</u>						
C 51	513	863	1400	1069	21756 (23)	791
C 54-E				1296	1296 (1)	1296
C 68-E				2423	2423 (1)	2423
C 104	409	471	699	606	24944 (27)	923
C 109	-0-	160	1080	697	23607 (25)	744
C 581	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-		
C 583-M				1765	1765 (1)	1765
<u>Reuter</u>						
C 297	189	608	1296	932	24458 (22)	905
C 343	482	765	1145	927	23922 (22)	806
<u>Sanchez</u>						
C 4	1012	1051	1006	1142	35614 (28)	1271
C 5	804	685	574	2169	50623 (27)	1875
<u>State A</u>						
C 268-E				2620	2620 (1)	2620
<u>State C - COM</u>						
C 235-R	485	896	1681	1054	35551 (23)	1545

MESA VERDE													
Breech													
MV 224	3496	3556	5802	7732	5668	4018	5379	5972	4644	2699	1285	-0-	
MV 228	1212	1606	1219	1035	1995	802	1362	1375	1360	1598	836	1271	
MV 307	625	582	482	731	661	689	526	784	566	540	645	724	
Breech A													
MV 182	807	925	1419	1717	1168	1728	812	977	1014	1150	564	461	
MV 182 "A"	-0-	792	755	575	2123	-0-	-0-	2406	2456	3376	188	568	
MV 229	702	664	1183	1915	1648	1385	1363	1703	1460	1153	979	967	
Breech D													
MV 341	1200	1736	1830	1685	1715	1715	1334	1520	1644	1581	1198	1586	
Breech E													
MV 58	1491	1336	2925	5089	5356	5312	3806	2956	2995	533	1331	-0-	
MV 64	1315	2655	3447	2188	3322	3090	2850	3061	1400	3276	2697	2322	
MV 104	-0-	-0-	2096	3460	2642	964	2764	1852	1948	1648	1306	1086	
MV 109	-0-	-0-	3659	4266	1559	-0-	-0-	77	-0-	-0-	-0-	2105	
Breech F													
MV 4	622	-0-	2186	1637	1517	1590	889	1677	1281	1414	1213	679	
MV 8	1573	1257	1271	1846	1426	1501	1563	1564	1626	1938	1243	462	
MV 12	2373	2513	5054	4798	6276	4075	5561	4039	5200	701	-0-	1313	
MV 45	1651	1913	2930	3635	4198	3593	3619	3689	1132	4147	2262	-0-	
State A													
MV 62	1277	2870	2434	100	3306	1858	1857	4055	3111	2859	1913	1823	

EXhibit 6  
Case 7137



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**CUMULATIVE  
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Well No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	9/79	10/79	11-79	12-79	1-80	2-80	3-80	4-80	5-80	6-80	7-80	8-80
<b>MESA VERDE</b>												
<b>Breech</b>												
MV 224	3445	3529	5873	4226	2911	5683	3831	3606	3618	1047	-0-	-0-
MV 224-A	-0-	-0-	7645	8906	5137	8459	7185	7279	6611	4496	5113	6470
MV 228	1198	1063	930	1186	655	1659	1187	606	802	211	7	269
MV 307	594	466	472	679	529	566	693	678	653	554	448	654
MV 812	-0-	711	8644	5955	5489	6157	6217	4559	5288	4773	2947	4673
<b>Breech A</b>												
MV 182	847	547	943	743	681	815	552	520	580	457	89	213
MV 182-A	1194	683	766	680	1908	1656	462	519	687	401	447	229
MV 229	-0-	1450	1187	1453	1107	1446	1318	1081	1169	665	222	889
MV 679	-0-	-0-	6750	4044	3955	3314	2604	2040	1915	1494	997	1883
<b>Breech B</b>												
MV 220-R	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9231	2053	7187	5188	2132	1053	1695
<b>Breech D</b>												
MV 341	1482	1394	1518	1281	1508	1586	1853	1154	1548	1151	787	1342
<b>Breech E</b>												
MV 58	8	945	1912	2149	1222	3219	3685	3517	2721	2132	719	-0-
MV 64	2889	2661	2388	2661	2645	2504	1819	2636	2324	1154	650	1139
MV 104	1342	1085	1039	1073	990	1030	865	793	694	497	461	850
MV 109	1688	1403	1852	1783	2255	1332	1714	1305	1374	820	21	-0-
<b>Breech F</b>												
MV 4	1461	1299	1303	1222	1552	1497	1166	1282	1089	808	536	1107
MV 8	-0-	1006	1273	1368	1608	1800	1576	1430	1341	430	158	1667
MV 12	4416	4117	4558	6213	5771	6575	5117	4957	4221	914	986	1916
MV 45	-0-	1781	4219	2761	-0-	4002	3836	3165	2356	402	191	529
<b>State A</b>												
MV 62	3337	2370	1448	2515	3255	3013	1992	2576	1918	579	493	836

WGL NO.	9/80	10/80	11/80	12/80	2 <sup>nd</sup> yr.	2 <sup>nd</sup> yr. mo
MESA VERDE					Yr.	
Breach						
MV 224	-0-	592	6911.7	3324	92820	4117 (4)
MV 224-A	3414	4806	6803	5855	88179	6298 (4)
MV 228	204	-0-	1502	2020	29190	1081 (4)
MV 307	-0-	-4-	-0-	17	14549	581 (4)
MV 812	2853	3057	5117	3664	70204	4714 (4)
Breach A						
MV 136-E				1164	1104	1104 (4)
MV 175-E				4143	4443	4443 (4)
MV 182	55	-0-	-0-	767	2040	702 (4)
MV 182-A	225	160	533	725	25014	1000 (4)
MV 204-E					2361	2361 (4)
MV 229	991	1149	1704	1403	32354	1198 (2)
MV 670	1560	1887	2361	1771	36577	2612 (4)
Breach B						
MV 220-R	1459	2974	3057	5440	9503	4093 (4)
Breach C						
MV 248-E				1271	1271	1271 (4)
Breach D						
MV 331	906	1092	1770	1548	40164	1434 (4)
MV 346				4498	4124	4560 (4)
Breach E						
MV 54-E				2515	2515	2515 (4)
MV 58	-0-	-0-	-0-	4168	27258	2598 (4)
MV 64	1415	1401	3165	2602	65766	2348 (4)
MV 68-E				5151	5151	5151 (4)
MV 104	415	708	1446	709	32253	1288 (4)
MV 109	-0-	357	24401	1547	32918	1627 (4)
MV 583-N				2929	3729	3929 (4)
Breach F						
MV 4	238	890	11843	1171	38189	1228 (4)
MV 8	494	298	2313	1294	35326	1308 (4)
MV 12	827	2405	5798	4134	105148	3894 (4)
MV 45	-0-	-0-	-0-	2950	58091	2676 (4)
Static A						
MV 62	513	-0-	3039	2714	58063	2150 (4)
MV 248-E				3716	8716	3716 (4)

765708 ± 20 = 2612 only 182 used

## PROPOSAL:

Commingle Chacra and Mesa Verde production in wellbore in all Caulkins operated property, now completed or future wells drilled.

Ownership and all working interests are common for all producing zones.

## Exhibit # 1

Section map of all Caulkins property operated in Rio Arriba County, N. M.

## Exhibit # 2

List of wells now commingled in Chacra and Mesa Verde, their locations and Order No's. approving such commingling, and production split now being used.

Note: These wells identified on section map with red circle.

## Exhibit # 3

List of wells now commingled in Chacra and Mesa Verde zones and other zones, their locations and order no's. approving such commingling and production split as now being used.

Note: These wells identified on section map with red arrow.

## Exhibit # 4

Initial pressures taken on all Caulkins operated Chacra and Mesa Verde wells before they were commingled.

## Exhibit # 5

Monthly production records for all Chacra wells September, 1978 thru December, 1980.

## Exhibit # 6

Monthly production records for all Mesa Verde wells September, 1978 thru December, 1980.

## Exhibit # 7

Production Split recommendations.



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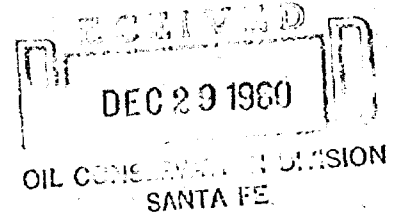
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December 24, 1980

Mr. Dan Nutter  
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P.O. Box 2088  
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RE: Caulkins Oil Company

Case 7137

Dear Dan:

On December 22, 1980, I mailed you an application for downhole commingling to be set for January 28, 1981.

Please correct the caption of the application by deleting the word "FIVE".

Very truly yours,

*W. Thomas Kellahin*  
W. Thomas Kellahin

WTK:jm  
cc: Arnold Raether  
Charles Varquer

MESA VERDE													
Breech													
MV 224	3496	3556	5802	7732	5668	4018	5379	5978	4644	2699	1285	-0-	
MV 228	1212	1606	1219	1035	1995	802	1362	1375	1360	1598	836	1271	
MV 307	625	582	482	731	661	689	526	784	566	540	645	724	
Breech A													
MV 182	807	925	1419	1717	1168	1728	812	977	1014	1150	564	461	
MV 182 "A"	-0-	792	755	575	2123	-0-	-0-	2406	2456	3376	188	568	
MV 229	702	664	1183	1915	1648	1385	1363	1703	1460	1153	999	967	
Breech D													
MV 341	1200	1736	1839	1685	1715	1715	1334	1520	1644	1581	1198	1586	
Breech E													
MV 58	1491	1336	2925	5089	5556	5362	3806	2956	2995	533	1531	-0-	
MV 64	1315	2655	3447	2188	3322	3090	2850	3061	1400	3276	2697	2322	
MV 104	-0-	-0-	2096	3460	2642	964	2764	1852	1948	1648	1306	1086	
MV 109	-0-	-0-	3659	4266	1559	-0-	-0-	77	-0-	-0-	-0-	2105	
Breech F													
MV 4	622	-0-	2186	1637	1517	1590	889	1677	1281	1414	1213	679	
MV 8	1573	1257	1271	1846	1426	1501	1563	1564	1626	1938	1243	462	
MV 12	2373	2513	5054	4798	6276	4075	5561	4039	5200	701	-0-	1313	
MV 45	1651	1913	2930	3635	4198	3593	3619	3689	1132	4147	2262	-0-	
State A													
MV 62	1277	2870	2434	100	3306	1858	1857	4065	3116	2859	1913	1823	

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**CUMULATIVE  
STATEMENT OF GAS PRODUCTION**

Initials	Date
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Well No.	9/79	10/79	11-79	12-79	1-80	2-80	3-80	4-80	5-80	6-80	7-80	8-80
<b>MESA VERDE</b>												
<b>Breech</b>												
MV 224	3445	3529	5873	4224	2911	5683	3831	3606	3618	1047	-0-	-0-
MV 224-A	-0-	-0-	7645	8906	5137	8459	7185	7279	6611	4496	5113	6470
MV 228	1198	1063	930	1186	655	1659	1197	606	802	211	7	269
MV 307	594	466	472	679	529	566	693	678	653	554	448	654
MV 812	-0-	711	8644	5955	5489	6157	6217	4559	5288	4773	2947	4673
<b>Breech A</b>												
MV 182	847	547	943	743	681	815	553	520	580	457	89	273
MV 182-A	1124	683	766	680	1908	1456	462	519	687	401	447	729
MV 229	-0-	1450	1187	1453	1107	1446	1318	1081	1169	665	222	889
MV 679	-0-	-0-	6750	4044	3955	3314	2604	2040	1915	1494	997	1883
<b>Breech B</b>												
MV 220-R	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9231	5653	7187	5188	2132	1053	1695
<b>Breech D</b>												
MV 341	1482	1394	1518	1281	1508	1586	1353	1154	1548	1151	787	1342
<b>Breech E</b>												
MV 58	8	945	1912	2140	1222	3219	3685	3517	2721	2132	717	-0-
MV 64	2889	2661	2388	2661	2645	2504	1819	2636	2324	1154	650	1137
MV 104	1342	1085	1039	1073	990	1030	865	793	694	497	451	850
MV 109	1688	1403	1852	1783	2255	1332	1714	1305	1374	220	21	-0-
<b>Breech F</b>												
MV 4	1461	1299	1303	1222	1552	1497	1166	1282	1089	808	536	1107
MV 8	-0-	1106	1273	1368	1608	1800	1576	1430	1341	430	158	1667
MV 12	4416	4117	4558	6273	5771	5575	5117	4957	4221	914	986	1916
MV 45	-0-	1781	4219	2761	-0-	4002	3836	3165	2356	402	191	529
<b>State A</b>												
MV 62	3332	2370	1448	2515	3255	3013	1992	2576	1918	579	493	836

Well No.	9/80	10/80	11/80	12/80	Sum	avg	m
MSA VERE							
Breach							
MV 224	-0-	5412	6949	3504	9856	4127	(44)
MV 224-A	3414	4806	6803	5855	8817	6298	(40)
MV 228	204	-0-	1521	2020	3919	1681	(37)
MV 307	-0-	-0-	-0-	117	1454	581	(35)
MV 812	2853	3457	5117	3664	7020	4714	(33)
Breach A							
MV 136-E				1104	1104	1104	(4)
MV 175-E				4193	4193	4193	(4)
MV 182	55	-0-	-0-	767	2040	792	(36)
MV 182-A	225	160	535	785	2501	1000	(35)
MV 204-E	991	1149	1704	2361	2361	2361	(4)
MV 229	1560	1887	2361	1771	3235	1198	(30)
MV 679					3657	2412	(48)
Breach B							
MV 220-R	1459	2974	3029	5420	4501	4093	(11)
Breach C							
MV 249-E				1571	1571	1571	(4)
Breach D							
MV 341	906	1093	1770	1548	4014	1484	(30)
MV 346			4998	4122	9120	4560	(8)
Breach E							
MV 54-E				2515	2515	2515	(4)
MV 58	-0-	-0-	-0-	4168	5725	2598	(23)
MV 64	1415	1491	3165	2608	4574	3346	(28)
MV 68-E				5141	5141	5141	(4)
MV 104	415	708	1446	909	3323	1288	(26)
MV 109	-0-	367	2401	1547	3992	1627	(17)
MV 583-M				3922	3922	3922	(4)
Breach F							
MV 4	638	890	1843	1171	3312	1228	(30)
MV 8	494	298	2313	1294	3306	1306	(30)
MV 12	827	3495	5968	4134	10514	3874	(30)
MV 45	-0-	-0-	-0-	2952	5889	2676	(23)
State A							
MV 62	513	-0-	2039	2712	5806	2150	(31)
MV 245-C				3716	3716	3716	(4)

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CHACRA	5/78	10/78	11/78	12/78	1/79	2/79	3/79	4/79	5/79	6/79	7/79	8/79
Breesh	808	1070	812	690	1330	534	861	917	903	930	558	847
C 228	968	1374	1238	1408	1494	1415	1225	964	1078	1094	590	984
C 258	2760	2895	2542	3349	3142	3047	2633	4680	1924	8305	2353	1958
C 307	1229	2581	1068	500	1097	1988	101	0	101	933	1581	1943
C 314	850	1501	2244	3174	0	2053	1718	1758	1460	1079	1118	1318
C 330	1127	0	1877	2595	2345	1458	0	1599	2785	1644	1917	2060
C 332	917	1587	2468	2085	1990	2256	2355	2444	2039	1825	1406	1737
C 352	3216	2873	2328	4008	4312	3332	3062	5287	3098	2840	2306	2285
C 354	423	430	291	730	800	856	771	777	676	519	400	462
C 368	74	0	719	1771	1512	1503	1368	1145	831	452	128	1
C 382												
Breesh A	1404	1096	1538	1682	1495	1640	1461	1299	1192	1106	877	1110
C 264	1130	826	1028	1143	972	1046	860	1793	784	1770	607	735
C 291	0	2829	3912	4506	4037	5356	2912	3803	2615	2316	1650	2125
C 675												
Breesh B	1338	1089	924	934	1510	895	953	1340	1003	1004	921	766
C 121	2303	2130	2377	2449	2333	2095	1799	2014	1683	1185	1127	1355
C 193	0	3816	4023	3731	3022	2983	2921	1004	2035	2390	2196	2778
C 196	977	1689	1765	1743	1485	1971	1834	1545	1648	1666	1234	1627
C 217												
Breesh D	517	892	1087	1177	1179	1077	970	897	841	785	576	764
C 342	981	1090	1117	1027	1021	1064	921	874	856	814	664	832
C 358	728	1002	1033	1194	1169	1031	939	853	938	886	681	818
C 383	883	1216	1429	1439	1471	1337	1154	1060	1129	1047	785	1064
C 385	1245	1900	2210	2237	2413	2033	2025	1971	1846	1756	1145	1674
C 387												
Breesh E	804	916	1012	1679	1153	1497	329	1289	1418	1175	1006	876
C 51	0	2444	1397	2306	1761	1693	1843	1285	1299	1097	870	724
C 104	0	2531	1083	1247	1934	1576	803	1525	1073	756	821	1524
C 109	409	264	754	533	713	695	566	555	560	540	457	562
C 581								4674				
Reuter	0	156	1235	1570	1116	1405	1412	1191	1073	1008	447	278
C 297	0	690	829	1597	1465	1244	903	1121	1050	1058	676	748
C 343												
Sanchez	1466	1523	1381	1643	1538	1181	1514	1364	1364	858	960	1729
C 4	2024	1320	2464	386	873	485	0	3962	3278	2608	1512	2779
C 5												
State C - COM	0	0				4044	2195	2857	2527	1859	1472	1320
C 235-R												

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CINCPA	4/79	10/79	11/79	12/79	1/80	2/80	3/80	4/80	5/80	6/80	7/80	8/80
Breesech	3133	3209	5339	3842	4447	5146	3484	3278	3290	857	-0-	-0-
C 224	-0-	709	8975	10457	9922	9922	8436	8544	7939	5279	6005	7095
C 224-A	799	709	621	791	438	1108	793	403	537	141	5	180
C 228	11172	895	10972	683	1303	1165	801	1008	942	396	107	971
C 258	2010	803	5218	2098	2079	2086	2038	1857	2160	880	8-1	668
C 307	3077	844	1467	1968	1265	2094	435	1430	1916	1207	311	1545
C 314	1430	1777	1530	1593	1046	1373	1607	1366	1081	260	275	1011
C 330	2072	1777	1582	1837	1468	1583	1560	1448	1394	703	223	1223
C 332	1877	1696	1457	1618	1700	1821	1468	1717	1395	447	1313	1550
C 352	2888	2794	896	742	608	739	774	795	421	425	174	150
C 354	527	531	440	568	509	570	440	531	421	425	174	150
C 368	1284	843	671	1146	692	60	612	816	478	89	41	27
C 382	-0-	-0-	8362	6451	5947	6629	6733	4939	5229	5170	3193	5714
Breesech A	-0-	-0-	5206	3899	11580	1067	2704	1398	969	322	-0-	677
C 125	1010	943	910	1096	1249	2146	2146	713	108	706	408	827
C 254	812	714	751	692	682	658	1507	494	756	565	342	620
C 291	2086	1481	2192	2124	2091	2012	1678	1728	1431	758	545	1668
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Breesech D	793	789	874	973	945	896	772	647	766	408	183	512
C 342	246	810	841	713	770	775	1544	544	772	317	387	798
C 358	1001	837	1069	925	935	885	772	732	827	444	225	886
C 383	1169	1058	1485	1188	1174	1063	997	805	1040	733	296	943
C 385	1825	1640	2062	1942	1882	1867	1667	1891	1643	868	374	1444
C 387	1825	1640	2062	1942	1882	1867	1667	1891	1643	868	374	1444
Breesech E	1133	966	1113	1083	1132	1387	977	901	85	347	145	684
C 51	895	723	692	715	657	687	577	528	463	331	308	567
C 104	757	632	833	802	1016	600	771	586	617	99	10	-0-
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C 297	727	728	1038	939	1084	968	780	671	871	587	205	704
C 343	727	728	1038	939	1084	968	780	671	871	587	205	704
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C 4	2152	2190	2540	2236	2183	1150	1367	2131	1565	3683	1421	1587
C 5	1497	1608	1856	1798	1057	1762	1336	1104	1278	518	175	941
State C - COM	1497	1608	1856	1798	1057	1762	1336	1104	1278	518	175	941
C 235-R	1497	1608	1856	1798	1057	1762	1336	1104	1278	518	175	941



CDRL	19/80	10/80	11/80	12/80	Cum. Dep	Mid	Unit ind. M
<b>Breach</b>							
C 224	-0-	493	6318	8003	44182	(1)	2396
C 224-A	4007	5640	7987	6876	107410	(1)	7672
C 226	136	-0-	1016	1348	19289	(2)	714
C 258	515	780	1187	721	17774	(2)	991
C 307	4188	4112	4997	3816	78332	(2)	2507
C 314	871	1316	9168	1436	40332	(2)	1613
C 330	473	545	711	1151	34239	(2)	1286
C 332	687	1034	1888	1226	41114	(2)	1581
C 352	604	910	1749	1297	44207	(2)	1582
C 354	472	646	841	682	52082	(2)	1860
C 368	191	242	364	295	13866	(2)	494
C 382	4	24	1219	671	118415	(2)	682
C 812	3092	3965	5545	3972	76831	(1)	5416
<b>Breach A</b>							
C 125	1115	1491	1710	1371	23879	(1)	1836
C 136-E				736	736	(1)	736
C 175-E				2762	2762	(1)	2762
C 204-E				3542	3542	(1)	3542
C 264	642	856	1022	913	31625	(2)	1429
C 291	439	571	666	553	21511	(2)	768
C 675	1162	1417	2106	1483	40555	(2)	2242
C 679	1040	1256	1570	1181	24611	(1)	1757
C 729	909	920	1061	976	19631	(1)	1328
<b>Breach B</b>							
C 121	623	589	826	781	25460	(2)	910
C 193	763	988	1409	978	41917	(2)	1497
C 196	879	1079	1566	1071	51235	(2)	1827
C 217	452	882	1848	1362	39457	(2)	1457
C 220-R	999	2024	2081	3670	33384	(1)	3034
<b>Breach D</b>							
C 342	415	670	1071	887	22137	(2)	804
C 346				2985	2985	(1)	2985
C 358	460	705	923	745	23266	(2)	831
C 383	474	795	1154	917	23274	(2)	866
C 395	414	969	1398	1156	29684	(2)	1060
C 387	650	1178	2080	1764	40676	(2)	1667
<b>Breach E</b>							
C 51	513	813	1400	1069	27756	(2)	991
C 54-E				1296	1296	(1)	1296
C 68-E				2423	2423	(1)	2423
C 104	409	471	697	606	24944	(2)	923
C 109	-0-	160	1080	877	23607	(2)	944
C 581	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-			
C 583-M				1765	1765	(1)	1765
<b>Reuter</b>							
C 297	189	408	1296	932	24458	(2)	905
C 343	463	765	1145	927	23922	(2)	800
<b>Sanchez</b>							
C 4	1012	1051	1006	1182	35614	(2)	1271
C 5	864	685	574	2169	50623	(2)	1875
<b>State A</b>							
C 268-E				2620	2620	(1)	2620
<b>State C - COM</b>							
C 235-R	485	896	1681	1054	35551	(2)	1545

# CAULKINS OIL CO.

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Well Number	Location	Order Number	Production Split	
			Chacra	Mesa Verde
54 E	P 4 26 6	R-6266	34%	66%
68 E	L 4 26 6	R-6266	32	68
104	P 5 26 6	R-5647	40	60
136E	O 10 26 6	R-5647	40	60
175E	B 8 26 6	R-5647	40	60
204E	L 9 26 6	R-5647	40	60
224A	D 13 26 7	R-5922	54	46
248E	D 13 26 6	R-6267	32	68
268E	J 16 26 6	R-6266	42	58
346	A 22 26 6	R-6266	42	58
583M	L 5 26 6	R-6266	31	69
679	J 9 26 6	R-5647	40	60
812	N 18 26 6	R-5922	52	48

All gas production being split as shown.

All oil production from commingled wells to Mesa Verde Zone.

BEFORE EXAMINER NUTTER  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
*Caulkins* EXHIBIT NO. 2  
CASE NO. 7137

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Well No.	Location	Order No.	PC	Chacra	MV	Greenhorn
109	M 3 26N 6W	R-5647-A	42%	18%	40%	
220R	B 14 26N 7W	R-5926	50	20	30	
224	A 13 26N 7W	R-5927	25	30	33	12
228	A 18 26N 6W	R-5634	50	20	30	

All Gas production being split as shown.

Oil production from 224 being split 60% Mesa Verde and 40% to Greenhorn.

All oil production from 109, 220R and 228 to Mesa Verde zone.

BEFORE EXAMINER MUTTER  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
*Caulkins* EXHIBIT NO. 3  
CASE NO. 7137

# INDIVIDUAL WELL INITIAL PRESSURE

## BEFORE COMMINGLING

CHACRA ZONE						MESA VERDE ZONE					
WELL NO.		LOCATION		PRESSURE		WELL NO.		LOCATION		PRESSURE	
224 A	D	13	26N 7W	960		224 A	D	13	26N 7W	1017	
258	F	18	26N 6W	895		4	A	33	27N 6W	1085	
307	M	13	26N 7W	853		8	A	34	27N 6W	844	
314	P	18	26N 6W	1003		12	A	35	27N 6W	980	
330	C	23	26N 7W	1080		45	M	35	27N 6W	914	
332	A	23	26N 7W	831		58	A	3	26N 6W	1039	
352	F	24	26N 7W	1196		62	A	2	26N 6W	942	
812	N	18	26N 6W	995		812	N	18	26N 6W	1060	
264	H	17	26N 6W	975		307	M	13	26N 7W	1004	
291	J	17	26N 6W	970		229	D	17	26N 6W	1028	
121	D	7	26N 6W	954		341	B	21	26N 6W	1085	
193	M	7	26N 6W	1005		346	A	22	26N 6W	956	
217	D	14	26N 7W	1150		54 E	P	4	26N 6W	1010	
342	A	21	26N 6W	1118		68 E	L	4	26N 6W	1045	
346	A	22	26N 6W	926		583 M	L	5	26N 6W	1090	
358	F	21	26N 6W	925		268 E	J	16	26N 6W	1140	
383	O	21	26N 6W	945							
385	M	22	26N 6W	815							
387	O	22	26N 6W	930							
51	D	4	26N 6W	1040							
54 E	P	4	26N 6W	991							
68 E	L	4	26N 6W	1003							
583 M	L	5	26N 6W	998							
4	D	25	26N 6W	977							
5	M	25	26N 6W	860							
268 E	J	16	26N 6W	1020							

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BEFORE EXAMINER NUTTER	
CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Caulkins	EXHIBIT NO. 4
CASE NO.	7137

Dockets Nos. 5-81 and 6-81 are tentatively set for February 11 and 25, 1981. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 28, 1981

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CONFERENCE ROOM,  
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner, or Richard L. Stamets, Alternate Examiner:

- CASE 7135: Application of Celeste C. Gryenberg for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Cottonwood Draw Unit Area, comprising 2555 acres, more or less, of State lands in Township 16 South, Range 24 East.
- CASE 7119: (Continued from January 14, 1981, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Shell Oil Company for a unit agreement, Bernalillo and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the West Mesa Unit Area, comprising 26,722 acres, more or less, of State, Federal, and fee lands in Townships 10, 11, and 12 North, Ranges 1 and 2 East.
- CASE 7136: Application of Hanson Oil Corporation for amendment of R-111-A, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the elimination of the NE/4 of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 30 East, from the Potash-Oil Area as defined by Order No. R-111-A as amended. In the alternative, applicant seeks an exception to the casing and cementing rules of R-111-A for its wells to be drilled within the NE/4 of said Section 26.
- CASE 7137: Application of Caulkins Oil Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Chacra and Blanco Mesaverde production in the wellbores of its wells located in: Sections 1 thru 5, and 7, 8, 21, 22, 24, and 25 in Township 26 North, Range 6 West; Sections 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26 in Township 26 North, Range 7 West; and Sections 33 thru 35 in Township 27 North, Range 6 West.
- CASE 7138: Application of Wiser Oil Company for a special gas-oil ratio limitation, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a special gas-oil ratio limitation of 6000 to cne, retroactive to May 1, 1980, for the Hardy-Drinkard Pool.
- CASE 7051: (Continued from December 30, 1980, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Petro Lewis Corporation for downhole commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Blinbry and Drinkard production in the wellbore of its L. G. Warlick "B" Well No. 2 located in Unit G of Section 19, Township 21 South, Range 37 East.
- CASE 7139: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for amendment of Division Order No. R-6367, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-6367 to designate Yates Petroleum Corporation as the operator of the two proration units pooled by said order, replacing McClellan Oil Corporation as operator.
- CASE 7140: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Morrow formation underlying the N/2 of Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of said Section 26. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.
- CASE 7100: (Continued from January 14, 1981, Examiner Hearing)
- Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for downhole commingling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Atoka and Morrow production in the wellbore of its Travis 24 State Com Well No. 1 in Unit H of Section 24, Township 18 South, Range 28 East.
- CASE 7141: Application of P & O Oil Field Service for an oil treating plant permit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority for the construction and operation of an oil treating plant for the purpose of treating and reclaiming sediment oil at a site in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 36 East.

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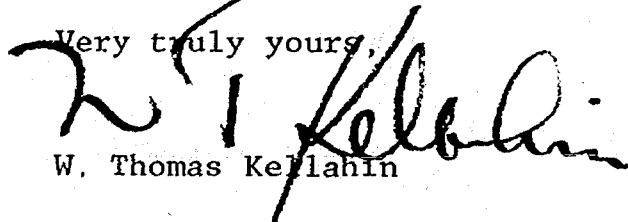
Mr. Joe Ramey  
Oil Conservation Division  
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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

RE: Caulkins Oil Company

Dear Joe:

Please set the enclosed application for hearing on  
January 28, 1981.

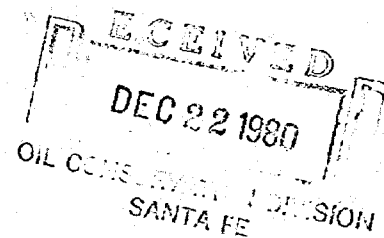
Very truly yours,

  
W. Thomas Kellahin

WTK:jm

Encl.

cc: Mr. Arnold Raether  
Mr. Charles Varquer



BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
CAULKINS OIL COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF  
DUAL COMPLETION AND DOWNHOLE COMMINGL-  
ING OF ~~SIX~~ FIVE WELLS, RIO ARriba COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

No. 7137

APPLICATION

COMES NOW CAULKINS OIL COMPANY and applies to the Oil  
Conservation Division of New Mexico for authority to commingle  
production from Chacra Formation and Mesa Verde Formation in  
various sections, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico and in support  
thereof would show the Division:

1. Applicant is the operator in the Mesa Verde and Chacra  
formations and seeks permission to downhole commingle production  
from the Chacra and Mesa Verde formations within the Blanco Mesa  
Verde Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, to-wit:

T26N, R6W

Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 21, 22, 24 & 25

T26N, R7W

Section 13, 14, 23 & 24 & 26

T27N, R6W

Section 33, 34 & 35

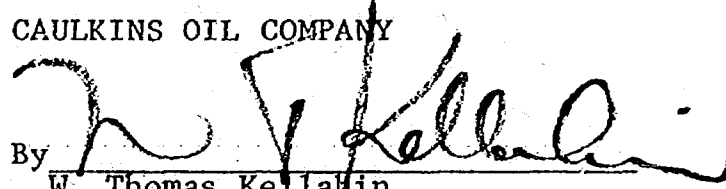


2. The approval of this application will recover gas that would not otherwise be produced, would not impair the correlative rights of others and will be in the best interest of conservation.

Respectfully submitted,

CAULKINS OIL COMPANY

By

  
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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:

CASE NO. 7137

Order No. R-6588

APPLICATION OF CAULKINS OIL COMPANY

FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING, RIO ARRIBA

COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on January 28, 1981, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter

NOW, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of February, 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, Caulkins Oil Company, is

the owner and operator of ~~the~~ certain wells located in Sections 1 through 5, 7, 8, 21, 22, 24, and 25 in Township 26 North, Range 6 West; Sections 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26 in Township 26 North, Range 7 West; and Sections 33 through 35 in Township 27 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant seeks authority to commingle Chacra and Blanco Mesaverde production within the wellbores of the above-described wells.

(4) That from the Chacra zone, the subject wells are <sup>expected to be</sup> capable of low production only.

*Mesa Verde*  
(5) That from the ~~Pictured Cliffs~~ zone, the subject wells are expected to be ~~are~~ capable of low production only.

(6) That the proposed commingling <sup>should</sup> may result in the recovery of additional hydrocarbons from each of the subject pools, thereby preventing waste, and <sup>will</sup> not violate correlative rights.

(7) 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.

(8) That the establishment of an administrative procedure whereby production from the Chacra and ~~Pictured Cliffs~~ *Mesa Verde* formations in those sections described in Finding No. (2) above may be commingled within the wellbore of a producing well therein should permit the recovery of otherwise uneconomic reserves.

(9) That such an administrative procedure should provide for approval by the Division's District Supervisor at Aztec, safeguards to prevent crossflow between pools, and the protection of interest owners under each proration or spacing unit.

*provision should be made whereby the*  
(10) That the applicant <sup>will</sup> shall consult with the Supervisor of the Aztec district office of the Division and determine an allocation formula for the allocation of production to each zone in each of the subject wells commingled pursuant to this order and such administrative approval.

(11) That the operator of ~~the subject wells~~ <sup>any well so commingled</sup> should immediately notify the Division's Aztec district office any time any <sup>such</sup> well commingled under terms of this order has been shut-in for 7 consecutive days and shall concurrently present, to the Division, a plan for remedial action.

THEREFORE

IT IS ~~SURTHER~~ ORDERED:

*Caulkins Oil Company's*

(1) That an administrative procedure is hereby adopted whereby the district supervisor of the Division District Office at Aztec may administratively authorize downhole commingling of the Chacra and ~~Pictured Cliffs~~ *Mesa Verde* zones in applicant's wells in ~~Sections 1 through 4, 9 through 14, and 23 and 24, Township 24 North, Range 4 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.~~

(2) That qualification and application for and approval of requests for downhole commingling shall be made in accordance with the following rules:

RULE 1. Wells shall qualify for approval for downhole commingling under this order provided that:

- stabilized*
- (a) that the commingling is necessary to permit production from the Chacra and ~~Pictured Cliffs~~ *Mesa Verde* zones which would not otherwise be economically producible, i.e., wells which are expected to have a combined pipeline delivery rate from both zones of 150 MCF per day or less.
  - (b) neither zone produces more than 10 barrels of liquid per day;
  - (c) the bottom hole pressure of the lower pressure zone is not less than 50 percent of the bottom hole pressure of the higher pressure zone adjusted to a common datum; and,
  - (d) the ownership of the two zones is common (including working interest, royalty interest, and overriding royalty).

RULE 2. Applications for administrative approval of downhole commingling under this order shall include:

Sections 1 through 5, 7, 8, 21, 22, 24, and 25, Township 26 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, and in Sections 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26, Township 26 North, Range 7 West, NMPM, and in Sections 33 and 38, Township 27 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, all in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

- (a) Name and address of the operator.
- (b) Lease name, well number, well location, and names of the pools to be commingled.
- (c) A mechanical log of the well.
- (d) A diagrammatic sketch of the well showing casing, tubing, cement tops, perforations, and any downhole equipment.
- (e) Pressures and production for each zone to be commingled as determined from drill stem tests or potential tests following completion.
- (f) A formula for the allocation of production to each of the commingled zones and a description of the factors or data used in determining such formula.

RULE 3. The district supervisor may approve the proposed downhole commingling if, in his opinion, there is no disqualifying disparity of bottomhole pressures or other reservoir characteristics, waste will not result thereby, and correlative rights will not be violated.

RULE 4. Upon such approval, the well shall be operated in accordance with the provisions of the administrative order which authorized the commingling, ~~and allocation of the commingled production from the well to each of the producing zones shall be in accordance with the allocation formula set forth in the order.~~

RULE 5. ~~(F)~~ That to afford the Division the opportunity to assess the potential for waste and to expeditiously order appropriate remedial action, the operator shall notify the Aztec district office of the Division any time ~~any well commingled pursuant to this authority is~~ shut-in for 7 consecutive days.

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RULE 6. ~~(F)~~ That in order to allocate the commingled production to each of the commingled zones in the well, <sup>any such</sup> applicant should consult with the supervisor of the Aztec district office of the Division and determine an allocation formula for each of the production zones.

in any well commingled pursuant to this authority.

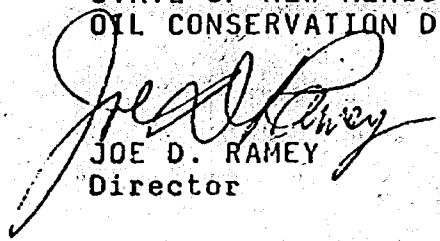
RULE 7. The Division Director may rescind authority to commingle production in the wellbore and require both zones to be produced separately if, in his opinion, waste or reservoir damage is resulting thereby, or if any change of conditions render the installation no longer eligible for downhole commingling under the provisions of Rule 1, paragraphs (a) through (d).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

- (1) 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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