

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

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

*Case No. 12279
Order No. R-11316*

**APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR AN ORDER
REQUIRING MERIT ENERGY COMPANY TO PLUG THREE WELLS IN
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on February 3, 2000, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 4th day of February, 2000, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

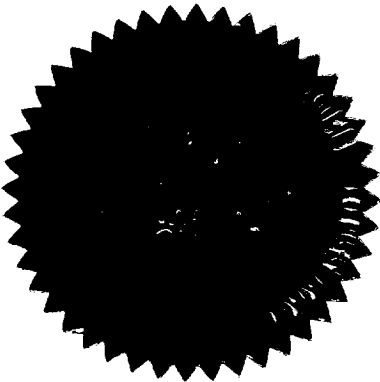
FINDS THAT:

Prior to the hearing, legal counsel for the Oil Conservation Division requested that this case be dismissed.


IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 12279 is hereby dismissed.

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



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LORI WROTENBERY
Director