

**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. 12958  
ORDER NO. R-11880**

**APPLICATION OF ARCH PETROLEUM, INC. FOR DIRECTIONAL DRILLING,  
AN UNORTHODOX OIL WELL LOCATION, AND A NON-STANDARD OIL  
SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**ORDER OF THE DIVISION**

**BY THE DIVISION:**

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on December 19, 2002, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 20th day of December, 2002, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

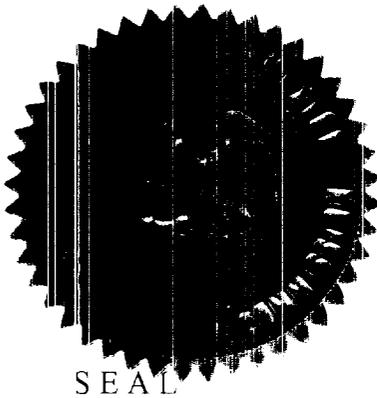
**FINDS THAT:**

The applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

Case No. 12958 be dismissed.

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



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Director