

**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. 13392  
Order No. R-12281**

**APPLICATION OF PLATINUM EXPLORATION, INC. FOR AN  
UNORTHODOX SUBSURFACE HORIZONTAL OIL WELL LOCATION, LEA  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**ORDER OF THE DIVISION**

**BY THE DIVISION;**

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on January 6, 2005, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2005, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

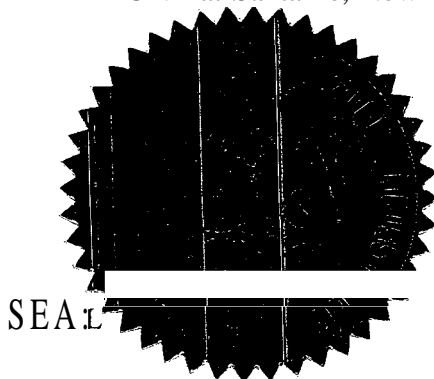
**FINDS THAT.**

The applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

Case No. 13392 is hereby dismissed.

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



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

MARK E. FESMIRE, PE  
Director