BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 5830 Order No. R-5350

APPLICATION OF NORTHWEST PRODUCTION .
CORPORATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING,
RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on January 5, 1977, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 17th day of January, 1977, the Commission, a quorum being present, 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 Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Northwest Production Corporation, is the owner and operator of the Jicarilla 117E Well No. 2, located in Unit H of Section 33, Township 26 North, Range 3 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant seeks authority to commingle Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs and Blanco-Mesaverde production within the wellbore of the above-described well.
- (4) That from the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs zone, the subject well is capable of low marginal production only.
- (5) That from the Blanco-Mesaverde zone, the subject well is capable of low marginal production only.
- (6) 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.