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## BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ORDER NO. AG-N-35-E

SUPPLEMENTAL GAS PRORATION ORDER FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1973

This cause came on for public hearing by the Commission's Examiner, Elvis A. Utz, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on April 11, 1973, at 9 a.m., pursuant to legal notice for the purpose of setting the allowable production of gas from the following nine gas pools in San Juan, Rio Arriba, and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico, for the month of May, 1973.

Basin-Dakota, Blanco-Mesaverde, Aztec-Pictured Cliffs, Ballard-Pictured Cliffs, Blanco-Pictured Cliffs, South, Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs, Kutz-Pictured Cliffs, West, Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs, and Devils Fork-Gallup.

NOW, on this 17th day of April, 1973, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the supplemental nominations of purchasers, the capacity of producing wells, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises,

## FINDS:

(1) That the total nomination of purchasers of gas produced from the above-listed nine gas pools for the month of May, 1973, is 48,168,300 Mcf. The individual pool nominations are as follows:

Basin-Dakota	18,294,200 Mcf
Blanco-Mesaverde	22,402,000 Mcf
Aztec-Pictured Cliffs	1,174,300 Mcf
Ballard-Pictured Cliffs	1,116,200 Mcf
Blanco-Pictured Cliffs, South	3,316,500 Mcf
Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs	768,400 Mcf
Kutz-Pictured Cliffs, West	318,500 Mcf
Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs	744,100 Mcf
Devils Fork-Gallup	34,100 Mcf

- (2) That the potential producing capacity of all gas wells in the nine gas pools listed above is in excess of the nominations of purchasers of gas, and in order to prevent waste and protect correlative rights, the production of gas from the above-listed nine gas pools should be limited, allocated, and distributed during the month of May, 1973.
- (3) That all the producing gas wells, together with the expected completed or recompleted wells in the nine gas pools listed above, can produce a total of 48,163,300 Mcf without causing waste during the month of May, 1973, and an allocation based upon such production would be reasonable and would protect correlative rights.