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

CASE NO. 12758-A ORDER NO. R-11712-C

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION THROUGH THE SUPERVISOR OF THE DISTRICT I HOBBS OFFICE ON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER REQUIRING CERTAIN OPERATORS TO BRING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVEN (147) WELLS INTO COMPLIANCE WITH DIVISION RULE 201.B AND ASSESSING APPROPRIATE CIVIL PENALTIES; LEA, ROOSEVELT AND CHAVES COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on May 2, 2002, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 20^{M} day of May, 2004, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

FINDS THAT:

(1) Due public notice has been given, and the Division has jurisdiction of this case and its subject matter.

(2) On April 21, 2004, the Division issued Order No. R-11712-B in this case.

(3) However, the Division failed to give timely notice of the issuance of Order No. R-11712-B to certain of the operators affected thereby.

(4) By Ordering Paragraph (8) of Order No. R-11712-B, the Division retained jurisdiction to enter such further orders in this case as the Division may deem necessary.

(5) Due to the failure of the Division to notify certain operators of the issuance of Order No. R-11712-B, such order ought now to be withdrawn and reissued as of this date, so that proper and timely notice may be given to all persons affected thereby.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

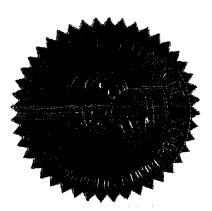
(1) Order No. R-11712-B, issued on April 21, 2004, is hereby withdrawn and re-promulgated as of the date of this Order.

(2) The time for compliance with the directives set forth in the ordering paragraphs of Order No. 11712-B shall run from the date of issuance of this Order No. 11712-C.

(3) In all other respects, Order No. R-11712-B is unchanged.

(4) Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

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



STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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