

**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 TO CONSIDER:**

**CASE NO. 20709  
ORDER NO. R-20888**

**APPLICATION OF HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY FOR  
AN EXCEPTION TO THE WELL DENSITY  
REQUIREMENTS OF THE SPECIAL RULES AND  
REGULATIONS FOR THE BLANCO-MESAVERDE GAS  
POOL, RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**ORDER OF THE DIVISION**

**BY THE DIVISION:**

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on August 8, 2019 at Santa Fe, New Mexico before Examiner William V. Jones.

NOW, on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September 2019, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendation of the Examiner,

**FINDS THAT:**

The pool rule change signed by the Oil Conservation Commission in September of 2019 governing well density within any gas spacing unit of the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool has provided the relief requested in this application. This application therefore should be dismissed.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

This case is hereby dismissed.

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



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ADRIENNE SANDOVAL  
Director

