

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. 11348
ORDER NO. R-10437

**APPLICATION OF STRATA PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION,
ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on August 10, 1995, at Santa Fe, New Mexico,
before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 16th day of August, 1995, the Division Director, having considered the record
and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS THAT:

(1) Due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of
this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) The applicant, Strata Production Company, seeks an exception to the well location
requirements of Division General Rule 104 to permit the drilling of its Alondra Well No. 1 at an
unorthodox location 1213 feet from the South line and 888 feet from the West line (Unit M) of Section 17,
Township 7 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to a depth sufficient to test
the Devonian formation.

(3) Prior to the hearing, the applicant requested this matter be dismissed.

(4) Dismissal of this case should therefore be granted.

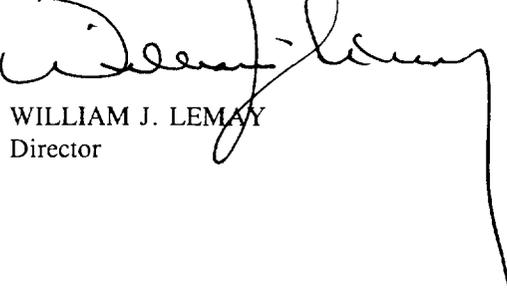
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 11348 is hereby dismissed.

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



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WILLIAM J. LEMAY
Director