

DOCKET: SPECIAL EXAMINER HEARING – THURSDAY – MARCH 1, 2001

9:00 A.M. - OCD Hearing Room  
1120 South St. Francis  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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**CASE 12587:** (READVERTISED)

Amended application of Sapient Energy Corp for an unorthodox well location and (i) two non-standard 160-acre spacing units, or in the alternative (ii) one non-standard 160-acre spacing and proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location for its Bertha J. Barber Well No 12 ("Barber 12 Well") which is located at an unorthodox gas well location 330 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, to be dedicated to a non-standard 160-acre gas proration and spacing unit consisting of either (i) the E/2 E/2 of this section, or in the alternative, (ii) the E/2 NE/4 of Section 7 and the W/2 NW/4 of Section 8 for production from the West Monument-Tubb Gas Pool **retroactive to the date of first production (September 9, 1999)**. In addition, should the Division approve a non-standard 160-acre spacing and proration unit consisting of the E/2 E/2 of Section 7, then the applicant seeks the approval of a second non-standard 160-acre proration and spacing unit consisting of the W/2 E/2 of this section. This unit is located approximately 12 miles southwest of Hobbs, New Mexico.

**CASE 12605:** Application of Sapient Energy Corporation for special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks the promulgation of special pool rules for the West Monument-Tubb Gas Pool, which currently comprises the E/2 of Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 37 East (located approximately three miles southwest of Monument, New Mexico), including provisions for 80-acre spacing and designated well location requirements.