

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 8803  
Order No. R-8133

APPLICATION OF DOYLE HARTMAN  
FOR A NON STANDARD GAS PRORATION  
UNIT AND UNORTHODOX GAS WELL  
LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on January 9, 1986, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 16th day of January, 1986, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, 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, Doyle Hartman, seeks approval of a 320-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the W/2 of Section 34, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, to be dedicated to a gas well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 990 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 34, Jalmat Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) The entire non-standard proration unit may reasonably be presumed productive of gas from the Jalmat Gas Pool and the entire non-standard gas proration unit can be efficiently and economically drained and developed by the aforesaid well.
- (4) No offset operator objected to the proposed unorthodox location or non-standard proration unit.
- (5) Approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce his just and equitable

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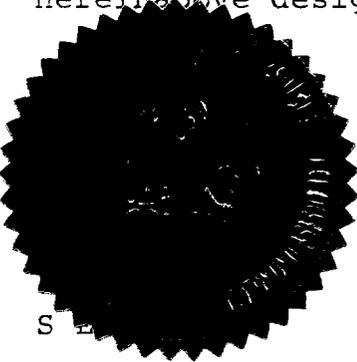
share of the gas in the Jalmat Gas Pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

(1) The applicant, Doyle Hartman, is hereby granted a 320-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Jalmat Gas Pool comprising the W/2 of Section 34, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a gas well to be drilled at an unorthodox location, hereby approved, 990 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 34.

(2) Jurisdiction of this cause 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.



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R. L. STAMETS,  
Director

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