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

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

Case 9129 (DE NOVO) Order No. R-8653-A

APPLICATION OF VIRGINIA P. UHDEN, HELEN ORBESEN, AND CARROLL O. HOLMBERG TO VACATE DIVISION ORDER NOS. R-7588 AND R-7588-A, AND/OR FOR THE FORMATION OF SIX 160-ACRE GAS PRORATION UNITS, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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APPLICATION FOR REHEARING

Applicants, pursuant to N.M. Stat. Ann. § 70-2-25 (1987 Repl.) hereby apply for a rehearing of the above order. Applicants submit that the above order is erroneous as follows:

- One well is not capable of effectively and efficiently draining 320 acres;
- 2. Applicants' property interest has been taken by state action without due process of law in contravention of the state and federal Constitutions;
- 3. Proper, adequate, and/or constitutionally sufficient notice was not given to applicants of the cases resulting in Order Nos. R-7588 and R-7588-A;
- 4. By entering into oil and gas leases, applicants did not waive their right to notice, pursuant to constitutional requirements, of the cases which resulted in increased spacing for the subject pool;

- 5. The correlative rights of other interest owners will not be impaired because any recovery by applicants will be solely against Amoco Production Company;
- 6. Finding No. 26 is not supported by the record; in the alternative, the lease language does not negate or waive applicants' constitutional rights;
- 7. Order Nos. R-7588 and R-7588-A, and Order Nos. R-8653 and R-8653-A are not supported by the law or the facts;
- 8. Applicants are not receiving their proper royalty payments pursuant to the law and the lease;
- 9. Finding No. 29 is not supported by the facts of this case; and
 - 10. Royalty owners are necessary parties in spacing cases.

WHEREFORE, applicants request that Order Nos. R-8653 and R-8653-A be reversed, and that Order Nos. R-7588 and R-7588-A be vacated as to applicants.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing application for a rehearing were mailed this day of October, 1988 to all opposing counsel of record.

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