## 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. 8280 Order No. R-7622

APPLICATION OF GULF OIL CORPORATION FOR DUAL COMPLETION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

## ORDER OF THE DIVISION

# BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8 a.m. on July 25, 1984, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 7th day of August, 1984, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

#### FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Gulf Oil Corporation, seeks authority to complete its Artesia State Com Well No. 1 located 1780 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 23, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, as a dual completion to produce oil and gas from the Travis-Upper Pennsylvanian Pool through a string of tubing and gas from the North Turkey Track-Morrow Gas Pool through the casing-tubing annulus by means of a cross-over assembly.
- (3) That the mechanics of the proposed dual completion are feasible and in accord with good conservation practices.
- (4) That approval of the subject application will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Gulf Oil Corporation is hereby authorized to complete its Artesia State Com Well No. 1 located

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PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the applicant shall complete, operate, and produce said well in accordance with the provisions of Rule 112-A of the Division Rules and Regulations insofar as said rule is not inconsistent with this order;

PROVIDED FURTHER, that the applicant shall take packer leakage tests up... completion and annually thereafter during the Annual Shut-in Test Period for gas wells in Southeastern New Mexico.

(2) That 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.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

JOE D. RAMEY,

Director