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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. 11025 ORDER NO. R-10170

APPLICATION OF ANSON GAS CORPORATION FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on July 21, 1994 at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Jim Morrow.

NOW, on this 9th day of August, 1994, 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, Anson Gas Corporation, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Strawn Formation, underlying the NW/4 SE/4 (Unit J) of Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, forming a standard 40-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent.
- (3) The applicant proposes to dedicate said oil spacing unit to its Arthur "33" Well No.1 to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. Applicant seeks designation as operator, as well as consideration of drilling and completion costs, operating costs, charges for supervision, risk penalties, and cost allocation.
- (4) At the time of the hearing, this case was consolidated with Case Nos. 11023, 11024, and 11026 for the purpose of presenting testimony.