

**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. 12625
ORDERS NO. R-6483-B
R-8575-B**

**APPLICATION OF RAPTOR RESOURCES, INC. FOR AN UNORTHODOX
INFILL GAS WELL LOCATION AND SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, LEA
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on April 19 and June 28, 2001 at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 27th day of February, 2002, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

FINDS THAT:

(1) Due public notice has been given, and the Division has jurisdiction of this case and its subject matter.

(2) At the hearing Division Cases No. 12623, 12624, and 12625 were consolidated for the purpose of testimony.

(3) The applicant, Raptor Resources, Inc. ("Raptor"), seeks an exception to the well location and well density provisions currently governing the Jalmat (Tansill-Yates-Seven Rivers) Gas Pool for its proposed: (i) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 79 to be located at an unorthodox infill gas well location 660 feet from the North and West lines (Unit D) of Section 11, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico; and (ii) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 80 (API No. 30-025-35567) to be located at a standard infill gas well location 1980 feet from the North and West lines (Unit F) of Section 11.

(4) By Order No. R-6483, issued in Case No. 7022 and dated October 20, 1980, the Division, authorized the simultaneous dedication of the following four wells to a standard 640-acre gas spacing and proration unit ("GPU") for the Jalmat Gas Pool comprising all of Section