STATE OF NEW MEXICO



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 2040 S. PACHECO SANTA FE. NEW MEXICO 87505 (505) 827-7131

March 21, 1997

Exxon Corporation P. O. Box 1600 Midland, Texas 79702-1600 Attention: Alex M. Correa

Administrative Order NSP-1771

FOR RECORD CHEN

Dear Mr. Correa:

Reference is made to your application dated February 18, 1997 for a 39.76-acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit consisting of the following acreage in the Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool:

LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO <u>TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM</u> Section 2: Lot 3 (NE/4 NW/4 equivalent)

It is my understanding that this unit is to be dedicated to your existing New Mexico "S" State Well No. 14 (API No. 30-025-09963), located at a standard gas well location 660 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of said Section 2.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 2(a)4 of the "General Rules for the Prorated Gas Pools of New Mexico/Special Rules and Regulations for the Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended, you are hereby authorized to operate the above-described non-standard gas spacing and proration unit, with allowable assigned thereto in accordance with Rule 5 of said special pool rules based upon the unit size of 39.76 acres.

Sincerely,

Lynly Dinais William J. LeMay Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs / File: Case 11479

REMARKS: Previous Division Order R-10579, which authorized the simultaneous dedication of Blinebry gas production from the subject New Mexico "S" State Well No. 14 and the New Mexico "S" State Well Nos. 28 and 38, located respectively at an unorthodox gas well location 2100 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line (Unit E) and 2160 feet from the North line and 1800 feet from the West line (Unit F), both in said Section 2, to a 159.92-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising Lots 2 and 3 and the S/2 NW/4 of said Section 2 shall be placed in abeyance until further notice.