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N THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

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CASE NO. 10864 Order No.R-10024

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APPLICATION OF TEXACO EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION INC. FOR NINE LEASE LINE WELLS (NINE UNORTHODOX OIL WELL LOCATIONS), LEA COUNTY. NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 A.M. on November 18, 1993, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 23rday of November, 1993, 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 case and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) By Order No. R-4522, issued in Case No. 4935 and dated May 17, 1973, the Division approved the application of Texaco Inc. for its Rhodes Yates Unit comprising the following described 520 acres, more or less, of State and Federal lands in Lea County, New Mexico:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM

Section 21: E/2 SE/4

Section 27: W/2

Section 28: N/2 NE/4 and SE/4 NE/4

(3) By Order No. R-4521, issued in Case No. 4936 and dated May 17, 1973, the Division authorized Texaco Inc. to institute a waterflood project (therein designated the Texaco Rhodes Yates (Unit) Waterflood Project Area) by the injection of water into the Rhodes (Yates-Seven Rivers) Pool within the above-described Unit, Lea County, New Mexico.