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. 10879 Order No. R-10033

APPLICATION OF TEXACO EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION INC. FOR AN EXCEPTION TO DIVISION GENERAL RULE 303-A TO PERMIT DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO,

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on December 2, 1993, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Jim Morrow.

NOW, on this <u>10th</u> day of December, 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 cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) The applicant, Texaco Exploration and Production, Inc. (Texaco), seeks approval to downhole commingle Jalmat and Langlie Mattix oil production within seven certain wells (two existing and five to be drilled) in its Cooper Jal Unit located in Sections 13 and 24, Township