BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIES ILED STATE OF WYOMING

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPEAL OF THE NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND ORDER ISSUED TO: Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. 20 North Broadway Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 3102-8260

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Terri A. Lorenzon, Director Environmental Quality Council Docket No. 06-3812

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This matter came before the Wyoming Environmental Quality Council (Council) on Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.'s (Devon) <u>Notice of Appeal and Petition for Hearing</u> filed August 28, 2006, contesting Notice of Violation (NOV) and Order No. 3878-06 issued by Respondent Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Water Quality Division (WQD) on August 11, 2006. The DEQ subsequently issued a <u>Notice of Compliance</u>, dated January 23, 2007 and filed with the Council January 25, 2007, confirming Devon's compliance with and satisfaction of all terms and conditions of the contested Order in DEQ Docket No. 3878-06.

On September 13, 2007, the DEQ filed a motion to dismiss Devon's appeal on the grounds that the appeal is moot and should be dismissed because there are no longer any unsatisfied requirements under the contested Order, making adjudication of the issues unnecessary. The Council having considered the motion, with recusal of Kirby Hedrick and Dave Searle, and being fully advised in the premises,

IT IS ORDERED that:

Devon's Notice of Appeal and Petition for Hearing in this matter is dismissed.

DATED this <u>3</u> day of October, 2007.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kim McGee, certify that at Cheyenne, Wyoming, on the 9th day of November, 2007, I served a copy of the foregoing ORDER by depositing copies of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, duly enveloped and addressed to:

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