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Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Secretary  
Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

This will confirm our telephone conversation of this morning in regards to an unorthodox location at the Stoney Butte structure, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Mr. L. G. Stearns, et al, desires to drill a well located 1299 from the South line and 1065 from the East line of Section 36, T-22N, R-11W, San Juan County, New Mexico. This unorthodox location was made due to rough terrain, for geologic reasons, and to adhere to the Commission's rules and regulations as to not locating a well closer than 200 feet to buildings and improvements.

It would be greatly appreciated by Mr. Stearns and the writer if you would approve this location since the surveyor staked same last Saturday.

With best personal regards,

Yours very truly,

O. J. Lilly

cc- Mr. Emory Arnold  
Mr. L. G. Stearns

