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PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT WELL
JICARILLA APACHE WELL NO. 17
SECTION 34, T.26N., R.5W.,
RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Gentlemen:

On June 21, 1974, Marathon submitted an Application to Drill (Form 9-331C) Jicarilla Apache Well #17 (1940' FNL, 720' FEL, Sec. 34, T.26N., R.5W.). The New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission has since informed us that this is a non-standard location, so we wish to cancel the application.

Enclosed are the original and seven copies of an Application to Drill, survey plot, and development plan for surface use for Jicarilla Apache #17 which is now proposed for drilling at a standard location (1850' FNL, 790' FEL, Sec. 34, T.26N., R5W.).

Please return all approved copies not required for your use to this office.

Very truly yours,

Carl M. Morris
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