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## OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

AZTEC, NEW MEXICO

June 12, 1956

Magnolia Petroleum Company Box 633 Midland, Texas

> Att: Mr. Harve H. Mayfield Assist. Div. Supt.

Dear Mr. Mayfield:

The U.S.G.S. Office in Farmington has forwarded us a/Notice of Intention to Drill with attached plat on your #1 Jicarilla G well in Section 35-27N-3W.

Our understanding is that this well is projected to the Mesaverde formation with Pictured Cliffs to be tested as drilled. However your plat shows only 160 acres dedicated, which is the standard Pictured Cliffs unit in the San Juan Basin. Mesaverde wells require 320 acres or a legal half-section under the Public Land Surveys to be dedicated. Exceptions can be granted only by the Secretary-Director of the Commission or after Hearing before the Commission.

Please file a plat showing the proper acreage dedication for a Mesaverde well.

If we can be of any assistance, please advise us.

Yours very truly

Emery C. Arnold Supervisor, District #3

By: Secretary

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