

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Butte DISTRICT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
BOX 2038  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

DATE April 22, 1980

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL a \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated April 18, 1980  
for the Merrill & Bayless Well #7 A-3-26N-12W  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approved  
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Yours very truly,

Frank S. Day

ROBERT L. BAYLESS

PETROLEUM CLUB PLAZA BUILDING

P. O. BOX 1541

FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401

April 18, 1980

State of New Mexico  
Energy & Minerals Division  
Oil Conservation Division  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

ATTENTION: Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Director

RE: Hickman #7  
Administrative Order NSL-1086  
NE/Sec. 3, T26N, R12W

Gentlemen:

We have previously requested and received permission for an unorthodox location for the above well due to terrain problems.

We have now drilled the well, unfortunately we encountered some gas in the Fruitland formation which we would like to produce and did not reach the Pictured Cliffs formation. Therefore, it is necessary we have an amendment to the above referred to Order to include the Fruitland formation.

Yours truly,

MERRION & BAYLESS

By



ROBERT L. BAYLESS

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USGS - Farmington  
Southland Royalty (Certified Mail)  
J. P. McHugh (Certified Mail)

