



STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

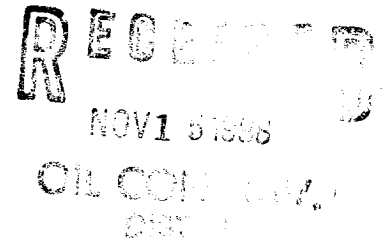
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November 8, 1988

Blackwood & Nichols Co., Ltd.
P.O. Box 1237
Durango, CO 81302

Attention: William F. Clark
Operations Manager



Administrative Order NSL-2599

Dear Mr. Clark:

Reference is made to your application of October 31, 1988 for a non-standard coal gas well location for your Northeast Blanco Unit Well No. 421 to be located 215 feet from the South line and 740 feet from the East line (Unit P) of Section 4, Township 30 North, Range 7 West, NMPPM, Basin Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The E/2 of said Section 4 shall be dedicated to the well forming a standard 320-acre, more or less, gas spacing and proration unit.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of Division Order No. R-8768, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay
Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec
New Mexico Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington



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AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO GRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

DATE 11-2-88

RE: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DIIC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 10-31-88
for the X Blackwood + Nichols NEBU #421 P-4-30N-7W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

APPROVE

Yours truly,

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BLACKWOOD & NICHOLS CO., LTD.

P.O. BOX 1237
DURANGO, COLORADO 81302-1237

(303) 247-0728

October 27, 1988

*OK
look at it*

Mr. William LeMay
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

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OCT 31 1988
OIL CON. DIV.
DIST. 1

Re: Unorthodox Gas Well Location
Northeast Blanco Unit No. 421
215' FSL - 740' FEL, Sec. 4, T30N, R7W
Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay;

Blackwood & Nichols Co., Ltd. requests administrative approval of an exception to the footage requirements of Rule 7, R -8768 for the subject well, located in the Basin Fruitland Coal Pool.

This request is for exception due to topography. A Vicinity Map and C-102 are attached for your reference. As evidenced by the Vicinity Map, there are no standard footage locations in the southwest quarter or in the alternative southeast quarter.

The east half of Section 4 will be dedicated to this well. All offset proration units are within the boundaries of the Northeast Blanco Unit.

Your prompt consideration of this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

William F. Clark

William F. Clark
Operations Manager
Blackwood & Nichols
Co., Ltd.

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OIL COMMISSION
P. O. BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 501

Form C-10
Revised 1

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

Operator Blackwood & Nichols Co., LTD.			Lease Northeast Blanco Unit		Well No. 421
Unit Letter P	Section 4	Township 30 North	Range 7 West	County Rio Arriba	
Actual Footage Location of Wells 215 feet from the South line and 740 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev. 6211 "	Producing Formation Fruitland Coal		Pool Basin Fruitland Coal		Dedicated Acreage 319.30

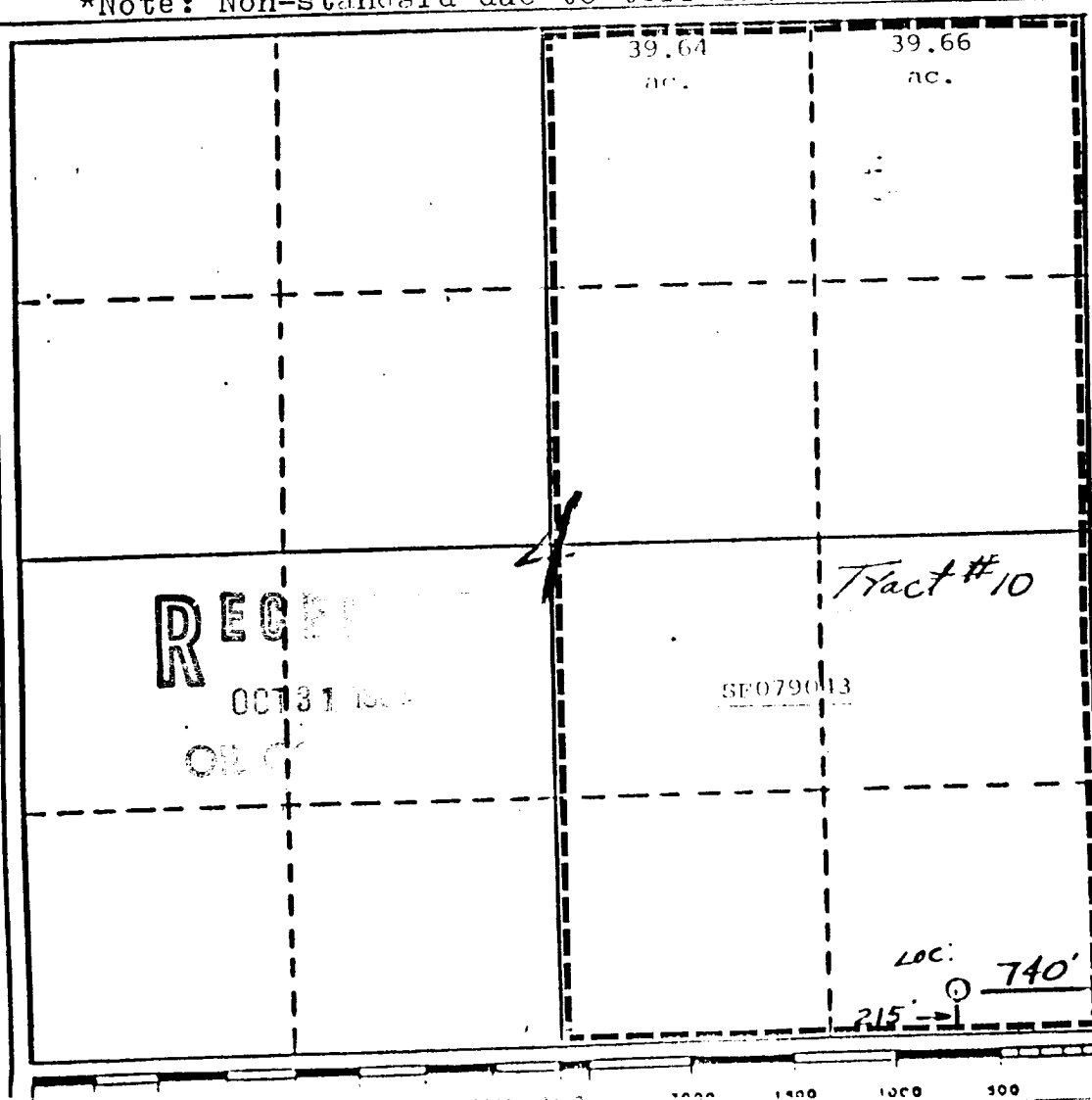
1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation NA

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse this form if necessary.)

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Director.

*Note: Non-standard due to terrain.



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Edwards
Name

Position

Operations Manager

Company

Blackwood & Nichols Co.

Date

Oct 18, 1988

I hereby certify that the information shown on this plat was obtained from a reliable source and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed

9-8-88

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

Neale C. Edwards

Certificate No.

6857

