

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS & NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 (505) 827-7131

April 21, 1999



Phillips Petroleum Company 5525 Highway 64 – NBU 3004 Farmington, New Mexico 87401 Attention: S. Scott Prather OIL CON. DIV. DIST. 3

Administrative Order NSL-4261

Dear Mr. Prather:

Reference is made to your application dated March 29, 1999 for an exception to the well location requirements provided within the "Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Dakota Pool," as promulgated by New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("Division") Order No. R-10987. Lots 3 and 4, the SW/4, and the W/2 SE/4 (S/2 equivalent) of Section 12, Township 30 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico is to be dedicated to the proposed well in order to form a standard 268.85-acre lay-down gas spacing and proration unit for the Basin-Dakota Pool.

The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 104.F and 605.B.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Division Rule 104.F(2), the following described well to be drilled at an unorthodox gas well location in Section 12 is hereby approved:

San Juan "30-5" Unit Well No. 112 1190' FSL & 1730' FEL (Unit O).

Further, the aforementioned well and spacing unit will be subject to all existing rules, regulations, policies, and procedures applicable to prorated gas pools in

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Northwest, New Mexico.

Sincerely,

Lori Wrotenbery

Director

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec '

U. S. Bureau of Land Management - Farmington

U. S. Forest Service - Bloomfield

Remarks: The subject application further requested approval for this well at an unorthodox gas well location in the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool. Pursuant to the recently revised "Special Rules for the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-10987-A this request is deemed unnecessary.



PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY

FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401 5525 HWY. 64 NBU 3004

March 29, 1999

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

OIL CON. DIV.

Attn: Mr. Michael Stogner

RE: REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVAL OF UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION SAN JUAN 30-5 UNIT #112 WELL S/2 SECTION 12-30N-5W RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO PHILLIPS CONTRACT C40454

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Phillips Petroleum Company (Phillips) as Operator of the captioned well, respectfully requests administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for said well.

Phillips proposes to drill the San Juan 30-5 Unit #112 well at a location of 1190" FSL & 1730" FEL of Section 12-30N-5W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. This well will be located in the Basin Dakota and Blanco Mesaverde Pools and will have the S/2 of Section 12 designated as the drillblock. This location is necessary due to topographical and archeological considerations, the prevention of unnecessary resource damage and is at the request of the Carson National Forest. For your benefit in reviewing this request, we are providing the following:

- 1. A letter from the Jicarilla Ranger District, Carson National Forest
- 2. An APD packet for the subject well (Form C-102 included)
- 3. A topographical plat of the area
- 4. A nine section plat exhibiting offset operators

This drillblock is located within the confines of the San Juan 30-5 Unit. The offset operators have been furnished with 3 copies of this correspondence by certified mail and are requested to furnish your office with a Waiver of Objection, keep one copy for their records and return one copy to our office.

Thank you for your consideration of this request and should you need additional information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Very Truly Yours,
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S. Scott Prather, CPL
Senior Landman, San Juan Area
(505) 599-3410
cc: J.L. Mathis ® C40464
Ernie Busch - OCD, Aztec

Brille Busen, CC2, 1-111	WAIVER
	hereby waives objection to Phillips Petroleum Company's application for
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a non-standard location for t	e San Juan 30-5 Unit #112 well as proposed above.
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Forest Service Southwestern Region 3 Carson National Forest Jicarilla Ranger District 664 East Broadway Bloomfield, New Mexico 87413 505-632-2956 FAX 505-632-3173

File Code: 2820

Date: 3/24/99

Patsy Clugston Phillips Petroleum 5525 Highway 64, NBU 3004 Farmington, NM 87401

RE: Unorthodox location for wells: SJ 30-5 #111, SJ 30-5 #112, SJ 30-5 #83M

Dear Ms. Clugston,,

The Jicarilla Ranger District, Carson National Forest is requesting you apply for an unorthodox location as follows, as discussed by your company representative and Camela Hooley of this office:

SJ 30-5 #111, T30N R5W Sec.13, 860'FSL/1375'FWL SJ 30-5 #112, T30N R5W Sec.12, 1190'FSL/1730'FEL SJ 30-5 #83M, T30N R5W Sec.23, 230'FNL/1440'FWL

The mineral operator is required to comply with other applicable regulations such as the Endangered Species Act and the Archeological Resources Protection Act under 36CFR228.112(c). The operator is also required under 36CFR228.108(c) to minimize or prevent damage to surface resources. The Carson National Forest Management Plan states that surface resource impacts will be minimized when administering mineral resources.

The following conditions apply which require an unorthodox location:

#112 Archeological resources prevent locating the well in an orthodox location.

#111,#112,83M Topography prevents locating the well in an orthodox location.

Threatened/endangered species concerns prevent locating the well in an orthodox location.

#111,#112,#83M Prevention of unneccesary resource damage requires the location be unorthodox.

(Previously disturbed area or existing road available outside the drilling window.)

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Mark Catron
District Ranger

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Form 3160-3

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED BY -

UNITED STATES

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NOTICE OF STAKING (Not to be used in place of Application for Permit to Drill Form 3160-3)					
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17. Additional Information (as appropriate; must include surface owner's name, address, and telephone number).

Regulatory Assistant

Date 03/19/99

Note: Upon receipt of this Notice, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) will schedule the date of the onsite predrill inspection and notify you accordingly. The location must be staked and access road must be flagged

prior to the onsite.

Operators must consider the following prior to the onsite:

- a) H2S Potential
- b) Cultural Resources (Archaeology)
- c) Federal Right of Way or Special Use Permit

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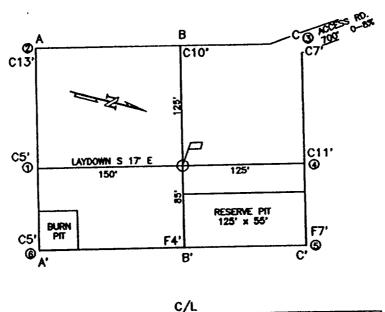
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, NM 87505

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P.O. BOX 3451 FARMINGTON, IM 87409 OFFICE: (505)334-0408



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