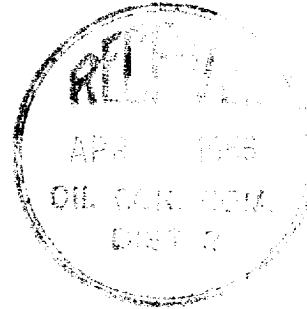


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April 3rd, 1956



Mr. A. L. Porter  
Secretary and Director  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
125 Mabry Hall - Capitol Building  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corporation is requesting permission to drill a Mesa Verde well on an unorthodox location. The unorthodox location is staked 1160' from the north line and 635' from the east line of Section 15, Township 31N, Range 6W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

An orthodox location in this quarter section would be under water after the completion of the proposed Navajo Dam.

Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corporation holds leases on the entire acreage in Section 15 and on all offset acreage.

Yours very truly,

*T. A. Dugan*  
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In Duplicate

cc: Emery C. Arnold ✓  
Phil McGrath  
W. R. Johnston  
Les Truby

