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Lori Wrotenbery
Director
Oil Conservation Division

Energen Resources Corporation
2198 Bloomfield Highway
Farmington, New Mexico 87401
Attention: Richard Corcoran

Administrative Order NSL-4711

Dear Mr. Corcoran:

30-039-26925

Reference is made to the following: (i) your application dated February 15, 2002 (*application reference No. pKRV0-205137773*), which was received by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("Division") in Santa Fe on February 19, 2002; and (ii) the Division's records in Santa Fe and Aztec: all concerning Energen Resources Corporation's request to drill its proposed Bullridge Well No. 101 at an off-pattern non-standard coal gas well location 1835 feet from the North line and 1095 feet from the West line (Unit E) of Section 33, Township 32 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

The N/2 of Section 33 is to be dedicated to this well in order to form a standard 320-acre lay-down gas spacing and proration unit for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool (71629).

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of the "*Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool*," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, as amended, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

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