



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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December 9, 2002

Amoco Production Company
c/o **BP America Production Company**
P. O. Box 3092
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Attention: **Mary Corley**

Re: Application for Wellhead Category Determination
NGPA Section 107 - Tight Formation
Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 323 (API No. 30-045-24615), located
1030 feet from the South line and 860 feet from the West line (Unit M) of
Section 32, Township 29 North, Range 12 West, NMPM, West Kutz-
Pictured Cliffs Pool (79680), San Juan County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Corley:

Per your response of December 5, 2002 to my letter dated November 19, 2002, the subject application is hereby withdrawn and is being returned to you at this time. Please note that under Rule 2 of the Division's "Special Rules for Applications for Wellhead Price Ceiling Category Determinations," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-5878-B, as amended, the \$25.00 filing fee is non-refundable.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

MES/ms

cc: Kathy Valdes - NMOCD, Santa Fe ✓

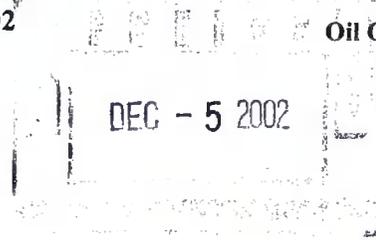


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Dear Ms. Corley:

I have reviewed your application submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("Division") in Santa Fe on September 19, 2001, which also included the mandatory \$25.00 filing-fee.

Your application indicates that the subject Pictured Cliffs well is within the Designated Tight Formation Area New Mexico-55 ("NM-55") that was finalized by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on October 28, 1993. NM-55 covers an area of 1902 acres, more or less, comprising all of Sections 15, 16, and 23 of Township 29 North, Range 12 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico (see attached documentation). The Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 323 is located in Section 32, Township 29 North, Range 12 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico; I therefore cannot approve this application at this time.

If applicable, please submit an amended Affidavit that references the appropriate Tight Formation Area, or confirm withdrawal of this application. Please submit your reply by Tuesday, December 10, 2002.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

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Please accept this a BP America's
official withdrawal of this NGPA
application GC4323 P.C.
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