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August 22, 1983

MORRIS 8. JONES PRESIDENT

> Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Director State of New Mexico Energy and Minerals Department Oil Conservation Commission Post Office Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Request for Unorthodox Location Administrative Approval

Dear Mr. Ramey:

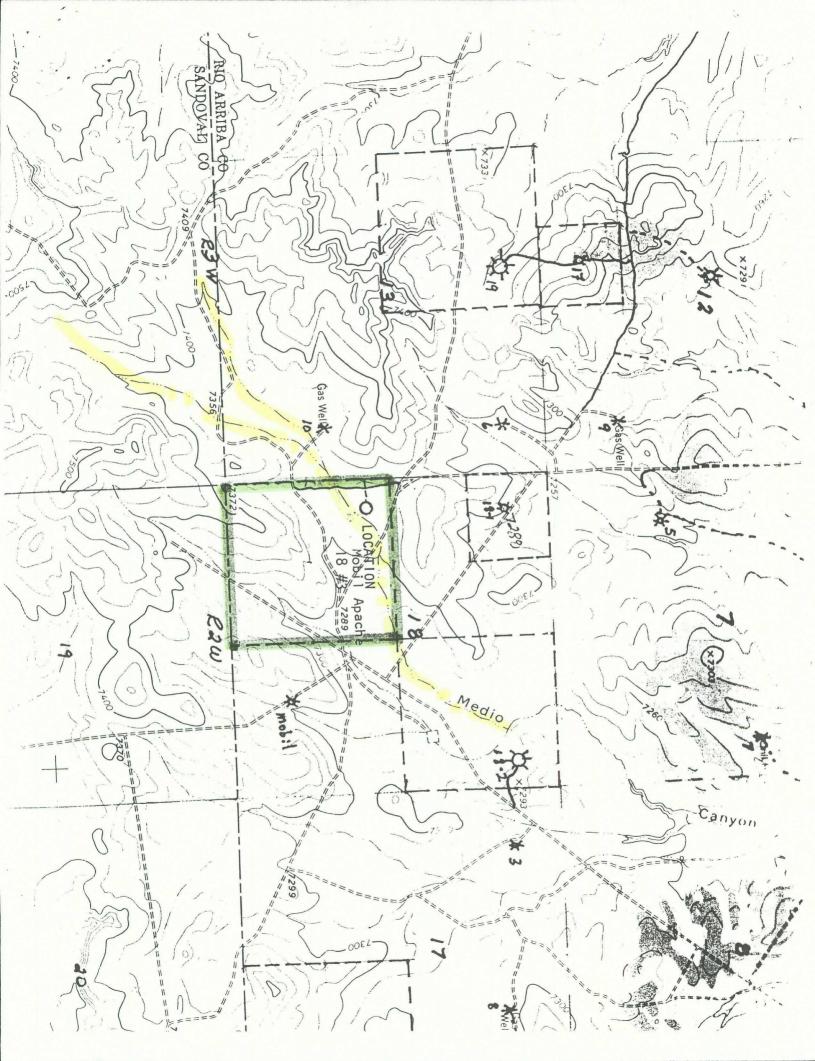
Brana Corporation would like to request approval of an unorthodox location for the following well:

Operator: Sherman F. Wagenseller Well Name and Number: Mobil Apache 18 #3 Location: 790' fwl and 2310' fsl, Section 18, T 23N, R 2W. Rio Arriba County. Field: South Blanco PC Lease: Jicarilla Apache #159 Reason for request: Topographical conditions-this location will place the well out of the arroyo located south of this location-shown on the attached plat.

Sherman F. Wagenseller is the operator of all offsetting wells, Mobil Oil Corporation owns the leases on all of these wells and all of the offsetting wells are on Jicarilla Apache leases. A copy of this application has been sent to Mobil Oil and the Jicarilla Apache Tribe.

Yours truly, forris B. Jones, President

CC: Mobil Oil Company Jicarilla Apache Tribe Sherman F. Wagenseller



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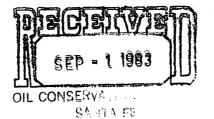
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	DICK STAMETS OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 DATE <u>8-26-83</u> RE: Proposed MC Proposed DHC Proposed NSL Proposed SWD Proposed WFX Proposed PMX
	Gentlemen:
	I have examined the application dated $8 - 25 - 83$
	for the <u>Sherman F. WAGENSELLER MOBILAPACE 18#3 L-1823</u> N-20 Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R
	and my recommendations are as follows: <u>APPROVAL Due to Torography</u>
	Yours truly, Churle Show

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P. O. BOX 4289 FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499-4289 PHONE: 505-325-2841

August 12, 1983

Amoco Production Company 501 Airport Drive Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Re: Unorthodox Gas Well Location

Gentlemen:

GWB:pb

El Paso Natural Gas Company has requested administrative approval for an unorthodox location in the Blanco Mesa Verde pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company's San Juan 27-4 Unit #152 at 1300' from the South line and 1350' from the West line of Section 3, T-27-N, R-4-W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Extremely rough terrain in the form of cliffs and ledges along the western edge of this section makes it impossible to build an orthodox gas well location.

In compliance with New Mexico Oil Conservation Division rules, we are notifying you, as operator of an offseting proration unit, of our application for administrative approval for the aforementioned unorthodox gas well location. Enclosed are three copies of this letter. If there is no objection to this location, please sign and return one copy to the New Mexico Oil Cosnervation Division, Post Office Box 2088, Sata Fe, New Mexico 87501; one copy to El Paso Natural Gas Company; and keep one copy for your files.

A plat showing the proposed well location and offsetting Mesa Verde ownership is attached.

Yours truly,

W. Brink

Approved: <u>R.B. Giles con</u>

Date:





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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO 87

August 25, 1983

State of New Mexico Energy and Minerals Department Oil Conservation Division Post Office Box 2088 State Land Office Building Santa Fe, N.M. 87501

Attention: Mr. R. L. Stamets, Tech. Support Chief

RE: Application for Non-Standard Location. Sherman F. Wagens eller, Mobil Apache 18 #3, Sec. 18, T-23N, R-2W, Rio Arriba County.

Dear Mr. Stamets:

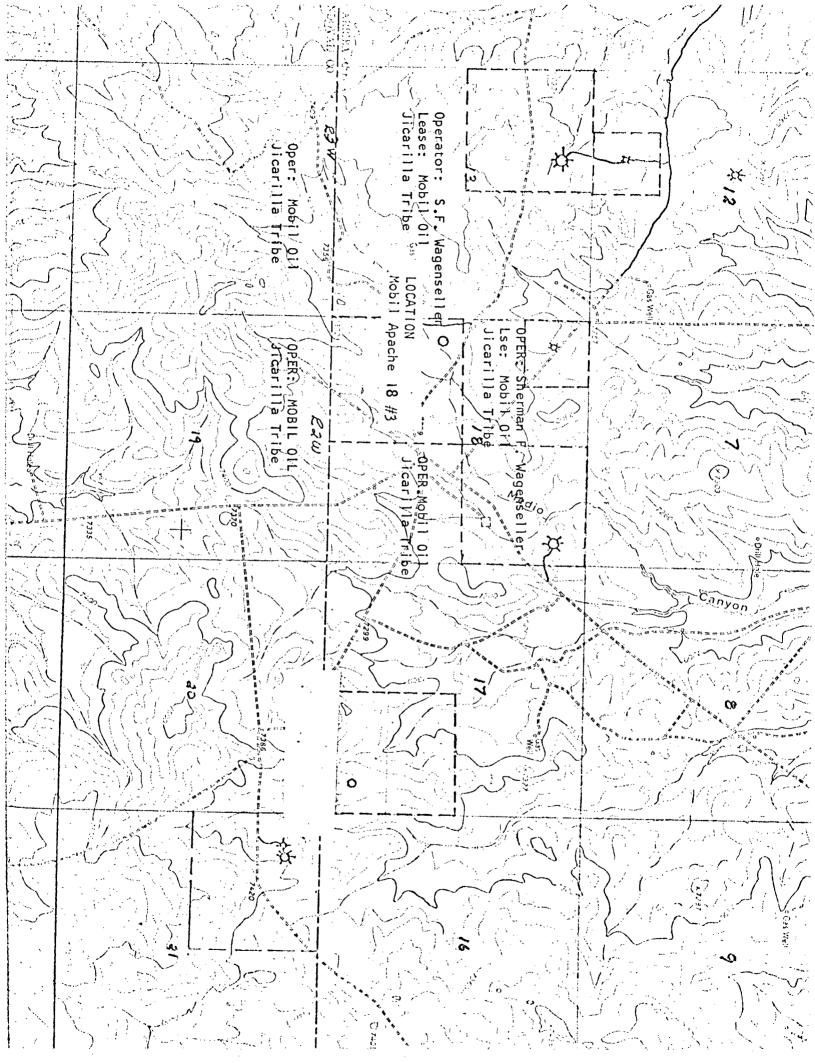
Attached is a plat showing the ownership of the offsetting leases surrounding the above well. This plat includes all acreage offsetting the SW/4 of Section 18 at the sides and corners.

I, Morris B. Jones, President of Brana Corporation, certify that I have motified Mobil Oil of Texas and New Mexico Company and the Jicarilla Apache Tribe of this application by certified mail.

Very truly yours,

Morris B. Jones, President BRANA CORPORATION

MBJ:eh Attachment



STATE OF NEW MEXICO



## ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION** 

August 23, 1983

TONEY ANAYA GOVERNOR POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 (505) 827-5800

Brana Corporation Consulting Petroleum Engineers First Interstate Bldg. Suite 1223 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102

Re:

: Application for Non-Standard Location: Mobil Apache 18 Well No.

3 Sec. 18, T-23-N, R-2-W, Rio Aribba

County, New Mexico

We may not process the subject application for non-standard location until the required information or plats checked below (is) (are) submitted.

XXX/ A plat must be submitted clearly showing the ownership of the offsetting leases. This includes all acreage offsetting the SW/4 of Section 18 at the sides and corners.

A statement must be submitted that offset owners have been notified of the application by certified mail. If there are are any offsets.

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A plat must be submitted fully identifying the topography necessitating the non-standard location.

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Other:

R. L. STAMETS Technical Support Chief

RLS/dr