Tenneco Oil Exploration and Production

A Tenneco Company

Western Rocky Mountain Division

6162 South Willow Drive PO. Box 3249 Englewood, Colorado 80155 (303) 740-4800



May 30, 1984

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87501 Attn: Joe D. Ramey

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1000 Rio Brazos Road Aztec, NM 87401 Attn: Frank Chavez NSL-1842 RULE 104FI AND SPECIAL RULE3 ORDER R-1670-C Release Immediately

RE: Application for Unorthodox Location Newberry A2E, 560' FNL, 1720' FWL

Sec. 9, T31N, R12W /

San Juan County, New Mexico)

Dedicated Acreage W/2 Sec. 9 BASIN DAKOTA POOL

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OFFSET OPERATORS:

El Paso Natural Gas Company P.O. Box 4990 Farmington, NM 87499 Attention: Don Reed

Southland Royalty Bloomfield Highway Farmington, NM 87401 Attention: Bob Fielder

Amoco Production Company 1670 Broadway Denver, CO 80202 Attention: R. C. Brooke, Jr.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO JERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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Form C-107 Revised 10-1-78

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6170	Dakota		320 Acres							
1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.										
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).										
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling.etc?										
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If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.)										
No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.										
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