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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Meridian Oil, Inc. P.O. Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Attention: Peggy Bradfield

Administrative Order NSL-2826

Dear Ms. Bradfield:

Reference is made to your application dated June 5, 1990 for a non-standard coal gas well location for your existing Huerfano Unit Well No. 66 which was drilled in 1956 and completed in the West Kutz Pictured Cliffs Pool at a standard gas well location 1650 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line (Unit I) of Section 6, Township 26 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

It is my understanding that the Pictured Cliffs zone will be properly plugged back and said well will be recompleted to the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, which pursuant to the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool as promulgated by Division Order R-8768, is unorthodox. Further, Lots 1 and 2, the S/2 NE/4 and the SE/4 of said Section 6 shall be dedicated to the well forming a standard 320.24-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 Division Order No. R-8768, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely, William J. LeMay Director WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington