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March 22, 1991

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

RE:

Unorthodox location, Administrative Approval Request

Gallegos Canyon Unit #28 - 4

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San Juan County, New Mexico Lease Number SF 078209 API No. 30-045-07931





OIL CON. DIV.)

#### Gentlemen:

BHP Petroleum (Americas) Inc. (BHP) respectfully requests administrative approval of the following unorthodox location request. This is an unorthodox location request for an existing well bore located 400' FNL and 770' FEL, Section 30, T29N, R12W.

The well was originally drilled and completed in the Pictured Cliffs formation in 1953. The subject well was plugged back and recompleted in the N. Pinon Fruitland Sand in November 1990.

The subject well is located within the Gallegos Canyon Unit. BHP is the sub operator from the base of the Pictured Cliffs formation to surface. All offsetting proration units are within the Gallegos Canyon Unit boundary.

Your earliest consideration of this request would be greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please don't hesitate to contact either me or Mr. Cole McGary at (713) 780-5000.

Sincerely,

Chuck Williams

Administrator, Field Services

Inland Business Unit

Enclosure - Revised C - 102

cc:

Ernie Busch N.M.O.C.D, Aztec N.M.

BLM Farmington, NM.

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Cole McGary Fred Lowery Well File

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Submit to Appropriate District Office State Lease - 4 copies Fee Lease - 3 copies

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102 Revised 1-1-89

DISTRICT I P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aziec, NM 87410

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section Operator Wall No. BHP Petroleum (Ameri <u> Gallegos Canyon IInii</u> as). Township Range County 29N 12W NMPM San Juan Actual Footage Location of Well: 400 feet from the North line and feel from the Fast line Producing Formation Ground level Elev. Dedicated Acreage: 5307 Fruitland Sand Pinon Fruitland Sand 160Acres 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 interest of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc.? Yes If answer is "yes" type of consolidation If answer is "no" list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if neccessary. 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 interest, has been approved by the Division. OPERATOR CERTIFICATION 0 39.44 Amore Front. lo. I hereby carrify that the information Galliges Congra contained herein in true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Moit # 1881 . 790 FAIL -1620 FEL Signature Sport: 4/2/80 Busin Daketa Printed Name Completion Chuck Williams BNP Setschoom (American Inc) Golleges Canyon Un. 1 # 395 Field Services Administrat Company 860 FNZ - 1595 FEZ MAR2 6 1991 BHP Petroleum (Americas)In Spul: 10/25/54 Date Bosin Fruitlan d boel lan. Feb. 26, 1991 OIL CON! DIV SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION 39.52 DIST 30 ≾EC] I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervison, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Date Surveyed 13) 39.60 Signature & Scal of Professional Surveyor Original on File Certificate No. 34.68 1650 1960 2310 2000 1500 1000 500

# OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

May 12, 1953

Benson-Montin 315 1/2 West Main Farmington, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. Albert R. Greer

#### Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge your letter of May 11, 1953 in which you refer to an unorthodox location to be made 400 feet from the north line and 770 feet from the east line of Section 30. Township 29 North, Range 12 West, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Under authority granted to me by Rule 104 of the Commission, this will constitute your permission to drill and produce the unorthodox well as you have set it out in your letter.

A copy of this letter is being sent to our Aztec, New Mexico office in whose district the location will be produced.

Very truly yours.

R. R. Spurrier

Secretary Director

vc cc: Aztec USGS, Farmington Unorthodox Location File Well File

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### STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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