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	[B]	[X] Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
	[C]	[] Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
	[D]	[] Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
	[E]	[] For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
	[F]	[] Waivers are Attached
[3]	INFORMA	TION / DATA SUBMITTED IS COMPLETE - Statement of Understanding

I hereby certify that I, or personnel under my supervision, have read and complied with all applicable Rules and Regulations of the Oil Conservation Division. Further, I assert that the attached application for administrative approval is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and where applicable, verify that all interest (WI, RI, ORRI) is common. I understand that any omission of data, information or notification is cause to have the application package returned with no action taken.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with supervisory capacity.

Danask Poge	District Landman	4/13/10
Signature	Title	Date

David M. Poage Print or Type Name



April 20, 2010

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Attn: Mr. David Brooks 1220 South St. Francis Drive. Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Administrative Approval of Unorthodox Location Jicarilla 96 # 1C Well Surface Location: 2200' FSL, 1870' FEL (Unit J) Section 11, T26N, R3W (SE/4) Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

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Dear Mr. Brooks:

Energen Resources Corporation (Energen) hereby requests Administrative Approval for an Unorthodox Location of its Jicarilla 96 # 1C well as it pertains to a recent pay add of the Tapacito Pictured Cliffs formation.

This well is located 2,200' FSL & 1,870' FEL of Section 11-T26N-R3W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico and is dedicated to a spacing unit consisting of the SE/4 of Section 11, in the Tapacito Pictured Cliffs pool. The Jicarilla 96 # 1C was originally approved as a standard SE/4 160.00/320.00 acre spacing unit and completed as a Gallup-Dakota/Mesaverde well in January of 2002.

The Jicarilla 96 # 1C as situated is in accordance with set-back rules for the Blanco Mesaverde pool as originally permitted. The Tapacito Pictured Cliffs pool rules call for a 660' set-back. The above referenced pay-add creates an unorthodox location relative to the Tapacito Pictured Cliffs pool.

This application does not have any affected owners as Energen Resources is the offset affected party therefore no additional notice is required. A plat depicting Energen as the lease holder and owner of All of Section 11-26N-3W is attached.

Attached is a well location plat showing dedicated acreage (C102) as originally drilled in 2001.

Please advise if any additional information is required. Your favorable consideration of this request would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

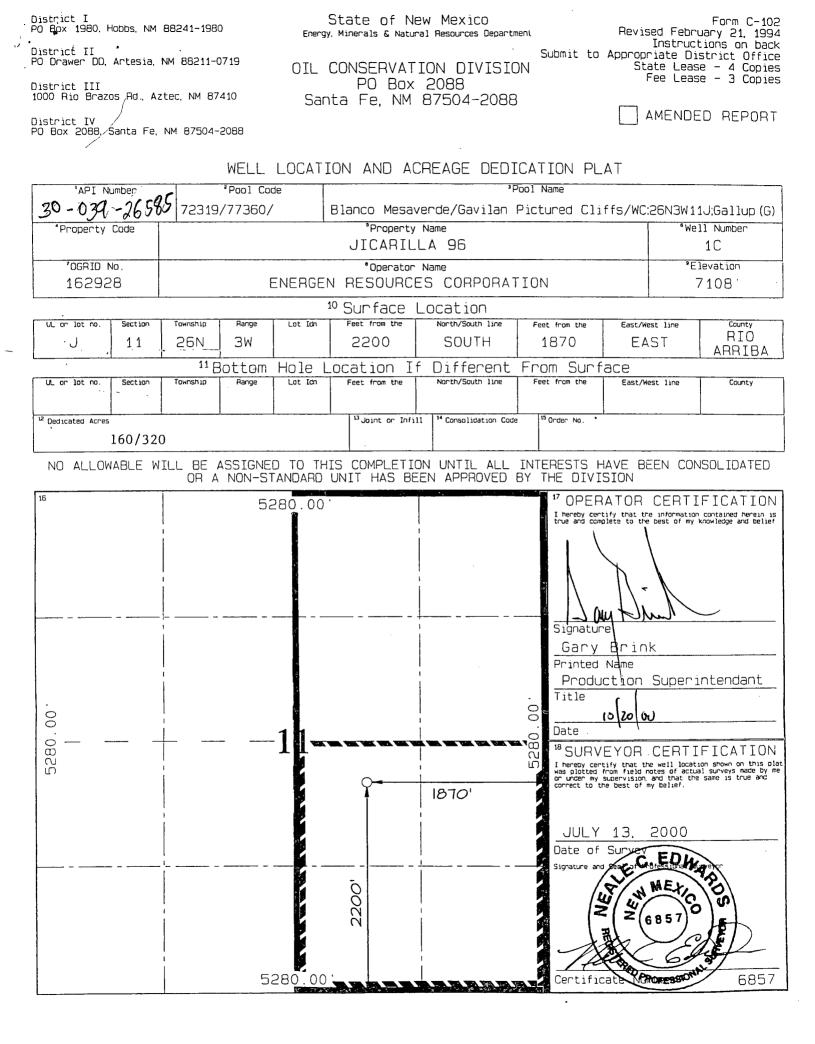
David M. Poage District Landman

Energen Resources Corporation Jicarilla 96 # 1C: SE/4 160.00 Acres Offset Operator / Owner Plat Surface to Base of the Dakota Section 11, Township 26 North, Range 3 West

-	Energen 160.00 Acres	Energen 160	0.00 Acres	Lease Owner Energen Resources Jicarilla Apache Tribe # 96 amongst other lands lease covers the entire 640.00 Acres of TWP 26N, RNG
·				3W SEC.11 from the surface to the base of the Dakota
	Energen 160.00 Acres			

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New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Jim Noel Deputy Cabinet Secretary Mark Fesmire Division Director Oil Conservation Division



April 27, 2010

Mr. David M. Poage Energen Resources Corporation 2010 Afton Place Farmington, NM 87401

Re: Jicarilla 96 Well #1C API No. 30-039-26585 Unit J, Section 11-26N-3W Rio Arriba County, New Mexico NSL Application

Dear Mr. Poage:

I have received the attached application for approval of an NSL for this well in the Pictured Cliffs.

Your application specifies the Tapacito Pictured Cliffs. However, it seems that this location is clearly in the Gavilan Pictured Cliffs, and not the Tapacito Pictured Cliffs. This does not really matter, as spacing is the same, but I thought I might be missing something, and accordingly am sending this inquiry to you, and copying Steve Hayden in our Aztec office, so I can be corrected if that is the case.

Sincerely

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David K. Brooks Legal Examiner 505-476-3450

ec Steve Hayden OCD Aztec



Brooks, David K., EMNRD

From: Sent: To: Subject: Hayden, Steven, EMNRD Tuesday, April 27, 2010 11:38 AM Brooks, David K., EMNRD RE: Energen - Jicarilla 96 #1C; NSL Application

It is in the Gavilan PC.

Steve Hayden

District Geologist NM OCD District 3 1000 Rio Brazos Rd. Aztec, NM 87410 505 334 6178-Office 505 334 6170-Fax

From: Brooks, David K., EMNRD Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2010 10:47 AM To: Hayden, Steven, EMNRD Subject: Energen - Jicarilla 96 #1C; NSL Application

Steve

Please look at the attached letter and tell me if I am right or wrong.

David

Brooks, David K., EMNRD

From: Sent: To: Subject: David Poage [David.Poage@energen.com] Tuesday, May 18, 2010 10:57 AM Brooks, David K., EMNRD NSL-Jicarilla 96 # 1C

David, Energen filed an application for an NSL for the Jicarilla 96 # 1C well on April 22, 2010. This application contained an error in that it referred to an unorthodox location in the Tapacito Pictured Cliffs pool. This well is not in the Tapacito PC pool but in the Gavilan Pictured Cliffs pool. Please change the application to read the Gavilan Pictured Cliffs pool.

If there is anything else needed to approve this application please contact the undersigned.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

David M. Poage District Landman Energen Resources Corp. 2010 Afton Place Farmington, NM 87401 505-324-4133