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October 17, 2000

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Re: Authorization to Convert to SWD
Hudson Federal #1
Eddy County, New Mexico
File: 400-WF: 00AQHF#1.SWD

SWD-788

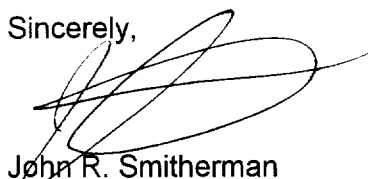
Mark Ashley
Oil Conservation Division
2040 Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Mr. Ashley:

Regarding your conversation with Kent Adams of this office on October 10, 2000 the requested requirements per Administrative Order SWD-788 dated September 1, 2000 have been met. A cement bond log was run on the James Ranch Unit #36 and the top of cement was found to be at 2112' versus the 4200' documented by a previous temperature survey. The 2112' is above the reported intermediate casing shoe.

If additional information is required, please contact Kent Adams at the letterhead address.

Sincerely,



John R. Smitherman
Division Production Manager

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