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April 4, 2000

Michael E. Stogner
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Request to Amend Administrative Order NSL-4417

Manzano Oil Corporation
Cayuma Well No. 1-A
Lots 12 and 13 of irregular Section 1, Township 16 South,
Range 36 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Manzano Oil Corporation ("Manzano") requests that the above order be amended to approve an unorthodox oil well location 3807 feet from the south line and 1179 feet from the west line of Section 1. Manzano drilled the well at the approved location (3580 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the west line), but did not encounter commercial quantities of hydrocarbons. As a result, Manzano continued drilling to the above location. I am obtaining information on the completion, and will submit that to you shortly.

The notice letter to the offset lessees is attached as Exhibit 1. Call if you need anything further in this matter.

Very truly yours,



James Bruce

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Dear Sirs:

Manzano Oil Corporation has filed an application at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division requesting an amendment to Administrative Order NSL-4417. A copy of the application is attached hereto. If you object to the above well location, you must notify the Division in writing no later than Monday, April 24, 2000. The Division's address is 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 (Attention: Michael E. Stogner).

Very truly yours,


James Bruce
Attorney for Manzano Oil Corporation

