

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF POGO PRODUCING COMPANY  
FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 12619

APPLICATION

Pogo Producing Company applies for approval of an unorthodox gas well location in Section 13, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, and in support thereof, states:

1. Applicant is a working interest owner in the S $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 13, and has the right to drill a well thereon.

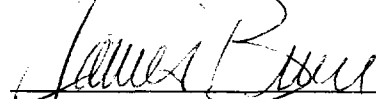
2. Applicant is drilling its WBR Fed. Com. Well No. 5 at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the south line and 2310 feet from the west line of Section 13, to test the Morrow formation (Undesignated Bootleg Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool), with a S $\frac{1}{2}$  unit. The location was approved by Division Administrative Order NSL-4523.

3. Applicant requests approval to directionally drill the well to an unorthodox location 2270 feet ( $\pm 50$  feet) from the west line of the section, and no closer than 330 feet from the south line of the section.

4. The approval of the unorthodox location will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

**WHEREFORE**, Applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order approving the above location.

Respectfully submitted,



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