

EXHIBIT A

**APPLICATION OF V-F PETROLEUM INC.
FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION AND
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

NOTICE LIST

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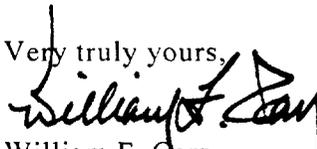
Re: Application of V-F Petroleum Inc. for an unorthodox gas well location
and simultaneous dedication, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that V-F petroleum Inc. has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking an exception to Rule 104.C.(2)(b) to permit the simultaneous dedication of the following wells to an existing 320-acre spacing and proration unit in the Morrow formation comprised of the N/2 of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 31 East, NMPM: the Denali "33" Federal Well No. 2 which produces from the Middle Morrow Zone at a standard gas well location 1580 feet from the North line and 760 feet from the West line; and the Dow "B" Federal Well No. 2 to be re-entered and re-completed in the Lower Morrow zone at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the North line and 2310 feet from the West line of said Section 33 in the East Cedar Lake-Morrow Gas Pool.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on September 5, 2002. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases are required by Division Rule 1208.B to file a Prehearing Statement three days in advance of a scheduled hearing. This statement must be filed at the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe office located at 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 and shall include: the names of the parties and their attorneys; a concise statement of the case; the names of all witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time the party will need to present its case; and identification of any procedural matters that are to be resolved prior to the hearing.

Very truly yours,

William F. Carr
ATTORNEY FOR V-F
PETROLEUM INC.

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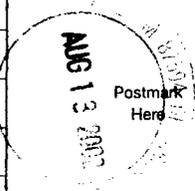


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