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Oil Conservation Commission  
P.O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

I would like to request that a Non-Standard Proration Unit be granted for a gas well on acreage, as shown on attached plat, located in the Jalmat field of Lea County, New Mexico, described as follows:

The East half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M.

Well drilled on this acreage is 330' from the North line and 2310' from the West line of Section 24. Well was drilled to a total depth of 3,285', 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Casing was set at 3,213' and cemented with 150 sacks. Casing was perforated from 2,936-38', 2,943-48', 2,974-78', 2,982-86', 3,009-11', 3,018-20', 3,028-34', 3,044-48', 3,054-56', 3,060-62', 3,068-72', 3,088-94' in the Yates formation and water-fraced with 15,000# sand and 15,000 gal. water. Top of the Yates formation is 2,894'. On volume test made on Oct. 24, 1960 the well flowed gas at the rate of 1,716 MCF per day.

The above acreage is on Federal Lease No. NM 048582 subleased by myself from Gulf Oil Corporation.

To the best of my knowledge the granting of this unit will not violate anyone elses correlative rights.

Yours very truly,

*Byard Bennett*  
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November 8, 1960

Mr. Byard Bennett  
P. O. Box 48  
Roswell, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your application for an 80-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Jalmat Gas Pool. This could be granted administratively provided you notified all offset operators and none objected. However, the 330 foot location is unorthodox for a Jalmat gas well and this unorthodox location does not appear to have resulted from topographical conditions or from the recompletion of a well previously drilled to another horizon. These are the only two grounds for approving an unorthodox location in this pool without notice and hearing.

Please advise me whether you wish to have the matter docketed for an examiner hearing.

Very truly yours,

OLIVER E. PAYNE  
General Counsel

OEP/esr

cc: Mr. Joe Ramey  
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Hobbs, New Mexico

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