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November 15, 1988

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
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Attention William J. LeMay

Gentlemen:

Examiner Hearing November 22, 1988  
Meridian Oil Inc. Compulsory Pooling  
Cases No. 9535, 9536, 9538, 9540, 9541,  
9542, 9545, 9546, and 9547

Conoco Inc. has been notified of the subject compulsory pooling cases for wells in which we have a working interest. Please enter Conoco Inc's. appearance in each of the cases numbered above.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David L. Wacker".

David L. Wacker  
Division Manager

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cc:  
Tom Kellahin

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November 15, 1988

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William J. LeMay, Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
New Mexico Department of Energy,  
Minerals and Natural Resources  
State Land Office Building  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Re: Applications for Meridian Oil Inc.,  
San Juan County, New Mexico  
(Thirteen Applications)

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed please find notices of Withdrawal of Counsel in the above-referenced cases presently set for Examiner hearings on November 22, 1988.

Very truly yours,

  
WILLIAM F. CARR

WFC:mlh  
Enclosures  
cc w/enc: W. Thomas Kellahin, Esq.

Tom Owen, Esq.  
Meridian Oil Inc.

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December 13, 1988

Mr. Michael E. Stogner  
Oil Conservation Division  
310 Old Santa Fe Trail, Room 206  
State Land Office Building  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Re: Meridian Oil, Inc. *M.S.*  
NMOCD Case 9535  
Howell "C" Com No. 301 Well  
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

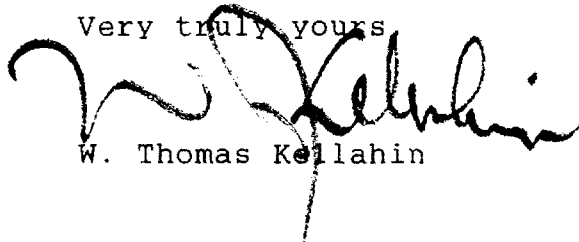
On behalf of Meridian Oil, Inc., on November 22, 1988 I present their compulsory pooling case for the referenced well.

At the hearing, Mr. John Caldwell testified that the well and spacing unit had already been administratively approved. However, he was not able to recall the order numbers.

Please find enclosed copies of NSP-1542 and NSL-2526 which administratively approved both the location and the non-standard proration unit.

Please let me know if you desire to have Mr. Caldwell return to the December 22, 1988 hearing to present testimony on the location and unit or if we may rely upon the administrative orders to satisfy those portions of this case.

Very truly yours



W. Thomas Kellahin

WTK/dm

cc: Allen Alexander  
John Caldwell

Encl.

## STATE OF NEW MEXICO

## ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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September 14, 1988

Meridian Oil, Inc.  
P.O. Box 4289  
Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Attention: Peggy Doak

Administrative Order NSP-1542

Dear Ms. Doak:

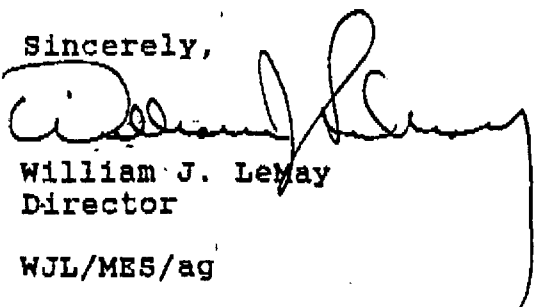
Reference is made to your application of July 11, 1988 for a 111.66-acre non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the following acreage in the Undesignated Blanco Fruitland Pool:

SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM  
Irregular Section 18: Lots 1 and 2 and the E/2 NW/4

It is my understanding that this unit is to be dedicated to your Howell "C" Com Well No. 301 located at a previously approved unorthodox gas well location (NSL-2526) 1660 feet from the North line and 1320 feet from the West line (Unit F) of said Irregular Section 18.

By authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104.D.II, the above non-standard gas proration unit is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

  
William J. Lemay  
Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington  
NM Oil and Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs  
NSL-2526 File



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June 13, 1988

Meridian Oil, Inc.  
P.O. Box 4289  
Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Attention: Peggy Doak

Administrative Order NSL-2526

Dear Ms. Doak:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your ~~Howell C Well~~ No. 301 to be located 1660 feet from the North line and 1320 feet from the West line (Unit F) of Section 18, Township 30 North, Range 8 West, NMPM, Blanco Fruitland Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico. The E/2 NW/4 and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 18 shall be dedicated to the above described well.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F(1), the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "William J. LeMay".

WILLIAM J. LeMAY,  
Director

WJL/DRC/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec

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ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

February 8, 1969

GARREY CARRUTHERS  
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Re: CASE NO. 9535  
ORDER NO. R-3357

Applicant:  
Meridian Oil, Inc.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced  
Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,

*Florene Davidson*

FLORENE DAVIDSON  
OC Staff Specialist

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCD X  
Artesia OCD X  
Aztec OCD X

Other \_\_\_\_\_  
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

March 6, 1989

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Post Office Box 2265  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: CASE NO. 9535  
ORDER NO. R-3857-A

Applicant:

Meridian Oil, Inc.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced  
Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,

*Florene Davidson*

FLORENE DAVIDSON  
OC Staff Specialist

Copy of order also sent to:

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Aztec OCD X

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BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
MERIDIAN OIL INC., FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION AND NON-  
STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNIT,  
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

CASE NO. 9535

WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

COMES NOW CAMPBELL & BLACK, P.A., and hereby withdraws as  
counsel for Meridian Oil Inc., in the above-referenced case.

Respectfully submitted,

CAMPBELL & BLACK, P.A.

By: 

WILLIAM F. CARR  
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cc: W. Thomas Kellahin, Esq.

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