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Memo

From

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To

Stevens Operating Corporation
Unorthodox Location

231015 + 17601E

19-85-29E

Chaves County

Fusselman formation

5/2 dedicated

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Dear Mr. Ramey:

Enclosed in triplicate for filing is the Application of Stevens Operating Corporation for an Unorthodox Location, Chaves County, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,


Ernest L. Padilla

ELP/bv

Encls

cc: Stevens Operating Corp.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF STEVENS OPERATING CORPORATION FOR
AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION, CHAVES COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

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APPLICATION

Applicant, Stevens Operating Corporation, by and through its undersigned attorney, and in support of this application states as follows:

1. That the Applicant proposes to drill a gas well to test the Fusselman formation to be located 2310 feet from the South line and 1760 feet from the East line of Section 19, Township 8 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico.

2. That the S/2 of said Section 19 shall be dedicated to the proposed well.

3. That a standard location for said well is that the well be located no closer than 1980 feet from South and East lines of said Section 19.

4. That the unorthodox location is necessitated by geological conditions.

5. That approval of this application would result in the best interests of conservation, the protection of correlative rights and the prevention of waste.

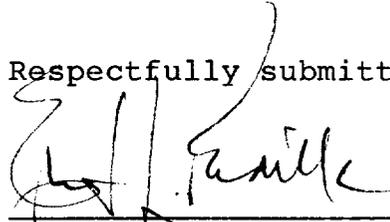
WHEREFORE, the Applicant requests that this application:

1. Be set for hearing before an examiner of the Division and that notice of said hearing be given as required by law.

2. That upon hearing the Division enter its Order to authorize the unorthodox location as described above.

3. And for such other relief as the Division may deem proper.

Respectfully submitted,



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