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Mesa Petroleum Co. Vaughn Building Suite 1000 Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Mr. R. E. Mathis

Administrative Order NSL-1381

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for approval of a non-standard location for your Acme Well No. 3 to be located 2150 feet from the South line and 2050 feet from the East line of Section 30, Township 8 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Abo formation, Chaves County, New Mexico.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F of the Division Rules and Regulations, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

JOE D. RAMEY, Director

JDR/RLS/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
U. S. Geological Survey - Artesia