

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

Attention: R. E. Mathis

Administrative Order NSL-1468

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Alkali Federal Well No. 12 to be located 990 feet from the South line and 280 feet from the West line of Section 35, Township 5 South, Range 25 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