

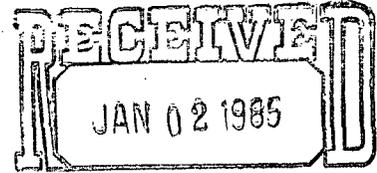
Release January 22, 1985

By DRC

PH. 505-325-5093

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

P. O. Box 1017  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499



*NSL-1979  
RULE-104FE*

December 31, 1984

*Deducted Acct-80*

*E12 SE14*

*Federal land*

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
SANTA FE

*Original - NSL-1100  
Approved for Basin Dakota  
Pool.*

State of New Mexico  
Energy and Minerals Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Delhi Taylor 5E  
Sec. 17, T26N, R11W  
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

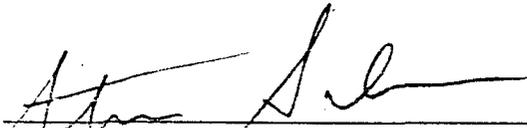
The above referred to location is a well bore which we have purchased for the purpose of recompletion in the Gallegos Gallup formation. We request approval of this unorthodox location in order to use the existing well bore. The well was originally staked as unorthodox to comply with the Navajo Irrigation Project.

Letters have been sent certified mail to the offset operators requesting their approval.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Yours truly,

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

  
Steve S. Dunn, Operations Manager

SSD/am

Enc.

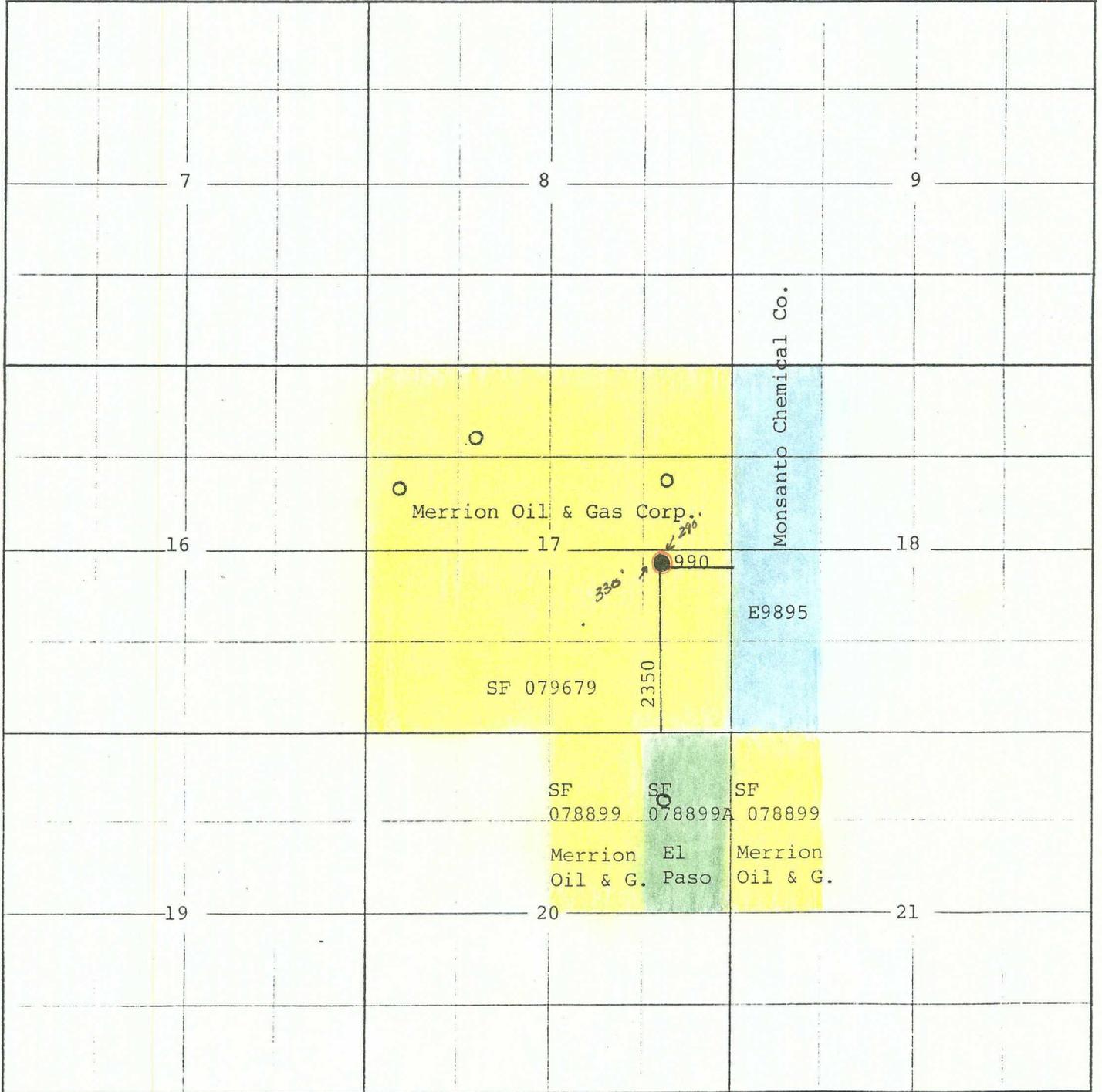
cc: Frank Chavez

*Note: This well was originally approved as a non-standard location for the Basin-Dakota Pool by Administrative Order No. NSL-1100 dated November 26, 1979 for Tenneco Oil Company.*

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Delhi Taylor 5E

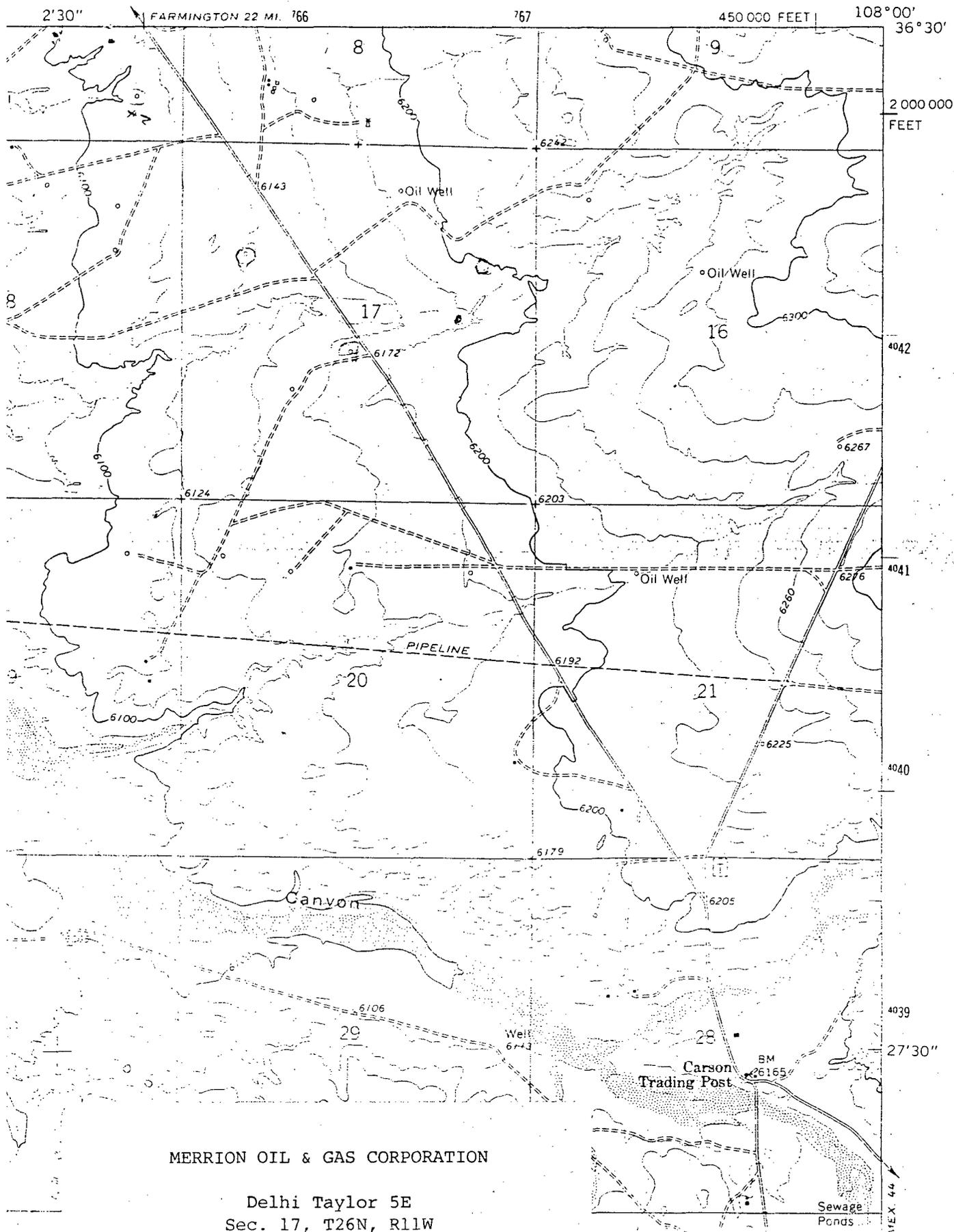
TOWNSHIP 26N RANGE 11W COUNTY San Juan STATE New Mexico



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For an oil well, location is 40' North of standard  
For gas well,

7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)



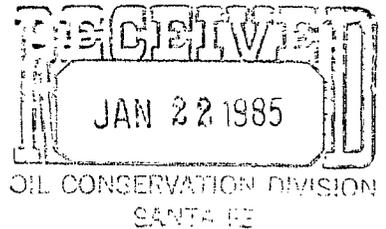
MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

Delhi Taylor 5E  
Sec. 17, T26N, R11W  
San Juan Co., New Mexico

# Monsanto Oil Company

5613 DTC Parkway, Suite 600  
Englewood, Colorado 80111  
Phone: (303) 850-9090

January 16, 1985



New Mexico Oil Conservation  
Commission  
Post Office Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Township 26 North-Range 11 West  
Section 17: SE $\frac{1}{4}$   
San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Delhi Taylor 5E well located on the captioned land, 990 feet from the east line, 2350 feet from the south line. They desire to plug the Dakota formation and recomplete the well in the Galloup Gallegos Sand formation at what would be an unorthodox location. This will advise you that Monsanto Oil Company does not object to that recompletion. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

MONSANTO OIL COMPANY

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Alan D. Wild".

Alan D. Wild  
Senior Landman

ADW/gam

cc: Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation

**El Paso**  
Exploration Company

P. O. BOX 4289  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499-4289  
PHONE: 505-325-2841

January 7, 1985

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
Attention: Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Post Office Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation  
Delhi Taylor 5E  
Request For Unorthodox Location  
Sec. 17, T26N, R11W  
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Ramey:

The referenced well has been proposed as an unorthodox location.

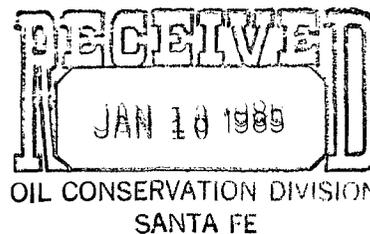
Please be advised that as an offset operator, El Paso Exploration Company has no objections to this well location.

Very truly yours,



Alan Alexander  
District Land Manager

AA/gm  
NM-4582  
Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation



NSL-1979



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410  
(505) 334-6178

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

DATE 1-25-85

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL x \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
SANTA FE

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 1-2-85

for the Merrion Oil & Gas Corp. Delhi Taylor #5E I-17-26N-4W  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Appears:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Yours truly,

Em Busch

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

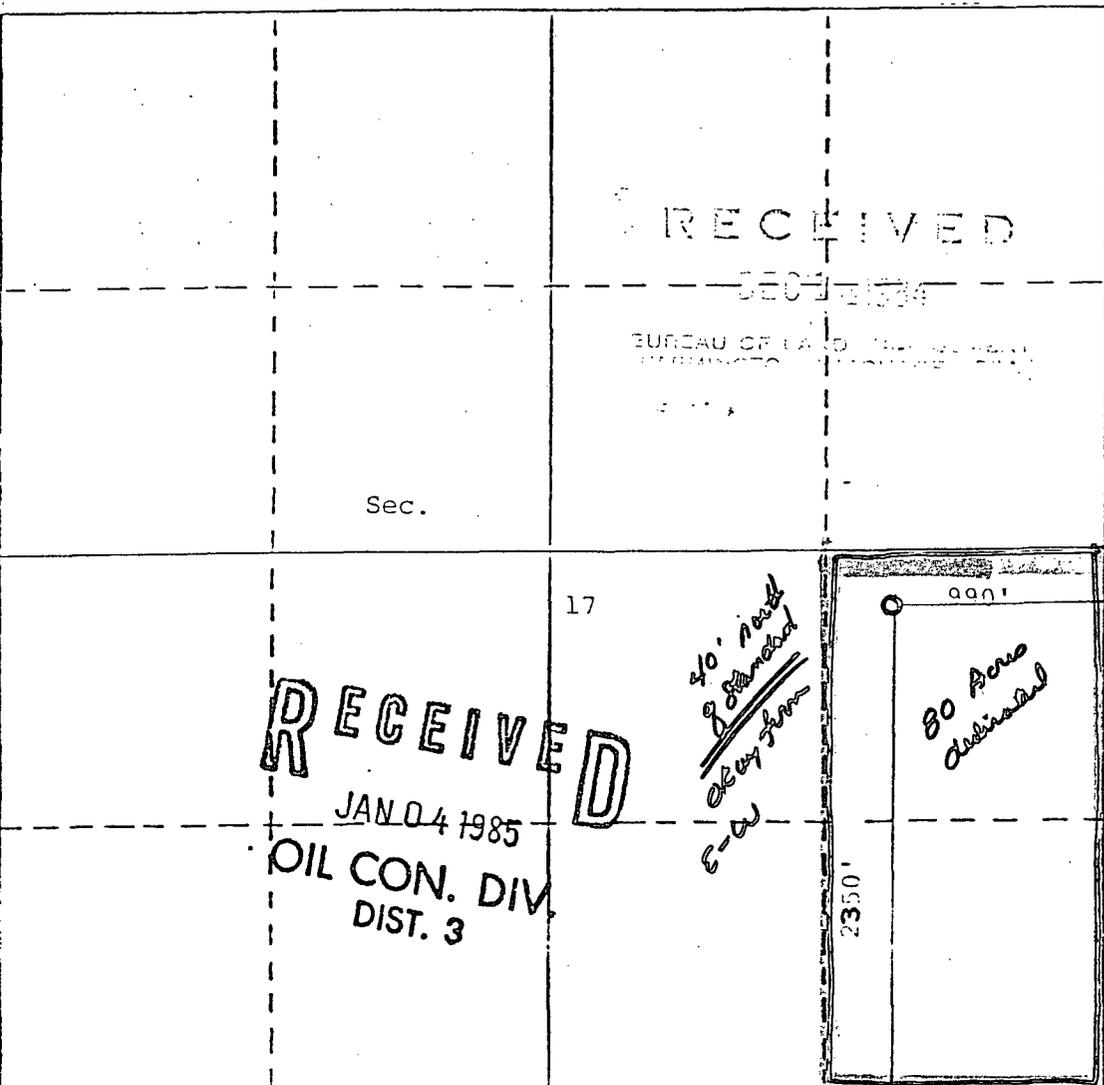
Operator Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation			Lease DELHI-TAYLOR		Well No. 5-E
Unit Letter I	Section 17	Township 26N	Range 11W	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Wells: 2350 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev. 6202	Producing Formation Gallup	Pool Gallegos Gallup		Dedicated Acreage: 80 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

Yes  No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation \_\_\_\_\_

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) \_\_\_\_\_

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Steve S. Dunn*

Name  
Steve S. Dunn  
Position  
Operations Manager  
Company  
Merrion Oil & Gas Corp.  
Date  
12/13/84

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed  
July 21, 1979

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor  
*Fred B. Kerrigan*

Certificate No. 3450



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

BRUCE KING  
GOVERNOR

November 26, 1979

LARRY KEHOE  
SECRETARY

POST OFFICE BOX 2088  
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501  
(505) 827-2434

Tenneco Oil Co.  
720 South Colorado Blvd.  
Denver, Colorado 80222

Attention: J. M. Lacey

Administrative Order NSL-1100

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Delhi-Taylor Well No. 5-E to be located 2350 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 17, Township 26 North, Range 11 West, Basin Dakota Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 3 of Order No. R-1670-V, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

JOE D. RAMEY,  
Director

JDR/RLS/dr

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