

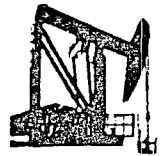


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Attention: David W. Stevens

Administrative Order NSL-2011

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Gallaher "8" State Well No. 3 to be located 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line of Section 8, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, North Vacuum (Abo) Field, Lea County, New Mexico. The W/2 SE/4 of said Section 8 is to be dedicated to the well.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule (5) of Order No. R-2421, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

R. L. STAMETS, DIRECTOR

RLS/DC/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs  
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs  
Oil & Gas Division - State Land Office - Santa Fe