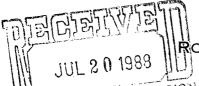
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Fost Blever Cliffs Pool Pictured Cliffs Pool 160 Dons NE 14 Sect dod.

RE: Request for Administrative Approval

of an Unorthodox Location

Jicarilla 459 #3 1658' FNL & 1901' FEL Section 18, T30N, R3W

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

We request administrative approval of an unorthodox location for our Jicarilla 459 #3 Pictured Cliffs formation gas well, located 1658' FNL & 1901' FEL, Section 18, T30N, R3W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. This well is staked 50 feet west of the orthodox window to prevent disturbance of an archaeological site.

Please note from the enclosed lease map that Robert L. Bayless is the operator of all surrounding 160 acre tracts to this well. If you need further information on this matter, please advise.

Yours truly.

Price M. Bayless

Engineer

PMB/lmc

Enclosure

