



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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November 13, 1995

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada)
c/o Hinkle, Cox, Eaton, Coffield & Hensley, P.L.L.C.
Attention: James Bruce
P.O. Box 2068
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2068

Administrative Order NSL-3596

Dear Mr. Bruce:

Reference is made to your application on behalf of the operator, Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), dated November 9, 1995 for a non-standard oil well location for its proposed Cactus State Well No. 12 to be drilled 990 feet from the North line and 1190 feet from the East line (Unit A) of Section 16, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Undesignated East Catclaw Draw-Delaware Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. The NE/4 NE/4 of said Section 16 is to be dedicated to said well to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Division General Rule 104.F(1), the above-described unorthodox oil well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William J. LeMay". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping tail that extends downwards and to the right.

William J. LeMay
Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia
New Mexico State Land Office - Santa Fe