



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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## *AMENDED Administrative Order NSL-4707*

Dear Ms. Hlava:

Reference is made to your application (*application reference No. pKRV0-221134808*) dated July 24, 2002 requesting that Division Administrative Order NSL-4707 be amended to reflect a location change for BP America Production Company's ("BP Amoco") proposed Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 583 to be drilled within a standard 320.24-acre stand-up gas spacing unit for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool (71629) comprising Lots 3 and 4, the S/2 NW/4, and the SW/4 (W/2 equivalent) of Section 4, Township 27 North, Range 12 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Division Administrative Order NSL-4707, dated March 7, 2002, authorized BP Amoco to drill the Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 583 at an unorthodox coal gas well location 440 feet from the South line and 1630 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 4.

It is our understanding that Navajo Agricultural Products Industries requested BP Amoco move this location to the east a distance of 10 feet and to the south a distance of 5 feet in order to avoid a crop circle.

This amended application has been duly filed under the provisions of the "*Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool*," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, as amended.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of the special rules governing the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool, Division Administrative Order NSL-4707 is hereby amended to reflect a location change for the proposed well in the W/2 equivalent of Section 4 to be drilled at an unorthodox coal gas well location that is 435 feet from the South line and 1640 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 4. All other provisions of said Order NSL-4707 shall remain in full force and effect until further notice.

Sincerely,

Lori Wrotenberg  
Director

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
U. S. Bureau of Land Management - Farmington  
File: NSL-4707