



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS  
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
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Mallon Oil Company  
P. O. Box 3256  
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Attention: Terry Lindeman

**ADDENDUM**  
*Administrative Order NSP-1788(L)*

Dear Mr. Lindeman:

Reference is made to the following: (i) your application dated February 27, 1998; and, (ii) to the records of the Division in Santa Fe including Division Order No. R-8744, issued in Case No. 9495 and dated October 28, 1988: all concerning Mallon Oil Company's request for a non-standard 86.97-acre gas spacing and proration unit consisting of the following acreage in the East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool:

**RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**  
**TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM**  
Irregular Section 19: Lots 1 and 2.

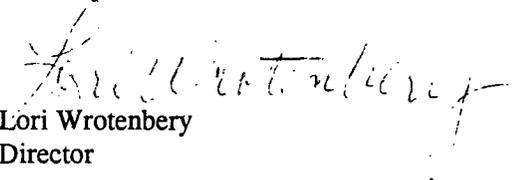
It is our understanding that this unit is to be dedicated to the proposed Jicarilla 459-19 Well No. 9 (API No. 30-039-25764), to be drilled at an unorthodox gas well location 1850 feet from the North line and 750 feet from the West line (Unit F) of said irregular Section 19.

The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rules 104.F and 104.D(2) of the General Rules and Regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("Division").

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Division General Rules 104.F(2) and 104.D(2)(b), the above-described unorthodox gas well location and 86.97-acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit are hereby approved.

Further, that portion of Division Order No. R-8744, issued in Case No. 9495 dated October 28, 1988, which established a 173.21-acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit within the East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool comprising Lots 3 and 4 of irregular Section 18 and Lots 1 and 2 of irregular Section 19, Township 30 North, Range 3 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico [see Decretory Paragraph No. (1) on page 3 of said Order No. R-8774], shall be placed in abeyance until further notice.

Sincerely,

  
Lori Wrotenbery  
Director

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