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Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation
P. O. Box 1017
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Attention: Steve S. Dunn

Administrative Order NSL-2031

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Canada Mesa Well No. 3E to be located 790 feet from the North line and 1190 feet from the West line of Section 14, Township 24 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Devils Fork-Gallup and Dakota Formations, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The N/2 of said Section 14 shall be dedicated to the Dakota formation and the NW/4 of said Section 14 shall be dedicated to the Devils Fork-Gallup Formation.

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

Sincerely,

R. L. STAMETS, DIRECTOR

RLS/DC/dr

cc: ✓ Oil Conservation Division - Aztec
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
Bureau of Land Management - Farmington

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MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

P. O. Box 1017
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499

NSL-2031

April 25, 1985

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Mr. David Catanach

Re: Canada Mesa 3-E
Sec. 14, T24N, R6W
Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico

Dear Mr. Catanach,


It is our understanding the enclosed application for Non Standard Location on the above referenced well submitted January 2, 1985, was not received by your office. Therefore we have enclosed copies of the original application along with copies of waiver letters submitted by offset acreage holders.

This location was moved East to avoid an archaeological site. We propose to complete the Gallup and Dakota intervals in this well, and although the well is standard for Dakota it is not for Gallup.

Since we will be ready to drill in two to three weeks and all waivers have been submitted, we request you expedite our application.

Sincerely,

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION



Steve S. Dunn, Operations Manager

SSD/am

Enc.

cc: Ernie Busch

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MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

P. O. Box 1017
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499

January 2, 1985

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Canada Mesa 3E
Sec. 14, T24N, R6W
Rio Arriba Co., New Mexico

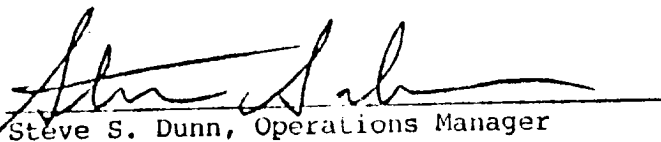
Dear Sir:

The above referred to location is for a well to be drilled to the Dakota Formation. This location is non-standard because of topography. Certified Letters have been sent to the offsetting operators advising them of this location. We hereby request approval of this location for drilling.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Yours truly,

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION


Steve S. Dunn, Operations Manager

SSD/am

Enc.

cc: Frank Chavez

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MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

P. O. Box 1017
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499

April 3, 1985

Texaco Oil Co.
P. O. Box 2100
Denver, Colorado 80201

Re: Canada Mesa 3E
Sec. 14, T24N, R6W
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

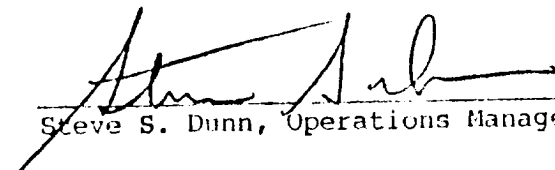
The enclosed lease plat shows the location of the above proposed well and your lease offsetting it. This location is for a well to be drilled to the Dakota Formation.

The enclosed topographic map also shows the location which will require an unorthodox location approval. We request you advise the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission if you have no objection to this location.

If you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely yours,

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION


Steve S. Dunn, Operations Manager

SSD/am

Enc.



TEXACO U.S.A.
P. O. Box 2100
Denver, CO 80201
4601 DTC Boulevard
Denver, CO 80237



April 11, 1985

Canada Mesa 3E

Unorthodox Well Location
Canada Mesa No. 3E
Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation

New Mexico Oil Conservation
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation has proposed a well to be drilled for completion in the Dakota formation at the following location:

790' FNL and 1190' FWL
Section 14-T24N-R6W
Rio Arriba County, NM

This is to advise that Texaco Inc. has no objection to this well location.

Very truly yours,

SIGNED T.L. DITMORE

T. L. DITMORE
Petroleum Engineering Manager

FSH:cub

cc: Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation
P. O. Box 1017
Farmington, NM 87401

[Handwritten signature and date: APR 15 1985]

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION

P. O. Box 1017
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499

April 3, 1985

Mesa Petroleum Company
P. O. Box 2009
Amarillo, Texas 79189-2009

Re: Canada Mesa 3E
Sec. 14, T24N, R6W
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

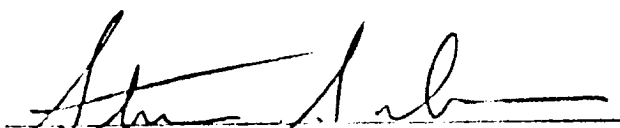
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Sincerely yours,

MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION


Steve S. Dunn, Operations Manager

SSD/am

Enc.






April 18, 1985

New Mexico Oil & Gas Conservation
Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Subject: Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation's Proposed
Canada Mesa 3E Well
Township 24 North, Range 6 West
Section 14: NW1
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico
Offsetting Mesa Lease
01-06-NM-0876-0001-000-0

Mesa Petroleum Co., record title owner of the S $\frac{1}{2}$, Section 14-T24N-R6W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, hereby advises you that it has no objection to Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation's proposed unorthodox location being 1190' FWL & 790' FNL, Section 14-T24N-R6W for the proposed Canada Mesa 3E dual Dakota/Gallup test.

Sincerely,


R.S. (Joe) Freeman, Jr.
Division Land Manager

RSF/das

cc: Jeff Yockum, Amarillo
Steve S. Dunn, Merrion

APR 23 1985
10:35 AM

APR 22 1985

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102
Supersedes C-128
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

Operator MERRION OIL & GAS CORPORATION			Lease CANADA MESA		Well No. 3E
Unit Letter D	Section 14	Township 24N	Range 6W	County Rio Arriba	
Actual Footage Location of Well 720 feet from the North line and 1190 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev. 6666	Producing Formation Dakota - Gallup		Pool Basin Dakota - Gallup Fork	Dedicated Acreage N 320 - 160 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or chalk marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Steve S. Dunn
Name

Steve S. Dunn

Position

Operations Manager

Company

Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation

Date

4/2/85

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed

March 28, 1985

Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor

Fred B. Kerr Jr.
Fred B. Kerr Jr.

Certificate No. 4255

Vicinity Map for
HERBERT OIL & GAS CORP. #3E CANADA MESA
790'FWL 1190'FWL Sec. 14-T24N-R6W
RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO