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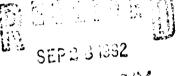
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Attention: Peggy Bradfield

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Administrative Order NSL-3160

Dear Ms. Bradfield:

Reference is made to your application dated August 28, 1992 for a non-standard Kutz Gallup oil well location for your existing Angel Peak Well No. 1 which was drilled in 1960 and completed in the Basin Dakota Pool at a standard gas well location 1150 feet from the South line and 1090 feet from the West line (Unit M) of Section 2, Township 27 North, Range 11 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

It is my understanding that the Kutz Gallup Oil zone is to be downhole commingled with the Basin Dakota Pool, and pursuant to General Rule 104.C.(1) said location is considered to be unorthodox.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104.F.(1), the above-described unorthodox oil well location is hereby approved. Further, the SW/4 SW/4 of said Section 2 shall be dedicated to said well forming a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for said Gallup pool.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM J. LEMA

Director

WJL/MES/jc

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec /

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