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August 13, 1979

Joe D. Ramey
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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
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Re: Application For Administrative Approval
of Unorthodox Location of the Pan Am Fed #1E
Well in San Juan County, New Mexico

500/N, 800/W
D-24-30N-14W

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Enclosed are the following items regarding the Application for Administrative Approval of the Unorthodox Location of the Pan Am Fed #1E Well which will be located in the W/2 of Section 24, Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M., San Juan County, New Mexico.

1. Three copies of the Application for Administrative Approval of the Unorthodox Location for the Pan Am Fed #1E Well.
2. Three copies of a plat showing the ownership of all leases offsetting the W/2 of Section 24, Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M. This plat also shows all of the wells completed on these leases.
3. Three copies of a Certificate of Mailing stating that all operators of leases offsetting the dedicated acreage for this well have been notified of the Application by certified mail, and the Supervisor of the District III Office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, and the U. S. Geological Survey have been notified of the Application by regular mail.

If you need further information or assistance, please advise.

Sincerely,

Richard T. C. Tully

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Attorney for Applicant

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Enclosures



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APPLICATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVAL
OF UNORTHODOX LOCATION

Applicant: Dugan Production Corp. (Operator)
P. O. Box 208
Farmington, N.M. 87401

Lease: USA SF 081231-B

Lease Date: September 1, 1951

Lease Term: Five Years

Lands Described in Lease
Dedicated to the Well: Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 24: W/2
Containing 320 acres, more or less
San Juan County, New Mexico

Name of Well: Pan Am Fed #1E Well

Proposed Unorthodox Location: Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 24: 500' FNL - 800' FWL
(Unit Letter D)
San Juan County, New Mexico

Reason for Unorthodox Location: Topographical conditions as further described
on Exhibit "A" to this Application.

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Rule Authorizing Application: Rule 104(D)(II)(F)

Offsetting Leases and Operators:

A. USA NM 0207001
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 24: E/2
Section 25: NE/4
San Juan County, New Mexico

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B. USA SF 079070
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 13: E/2
San Juan County, New Mexico

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C. USA NM 6899
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 13: W/2
San Juan County, New Mexico

Curt C. Parsons, District Engineer
Southland Royalty Company
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Farmington, N.M. 87401



- D. USA NM 628 (Molly Pitcher Lease)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 14: E/2
San Juan County, New Mexico
- Dugan Production Corp.
Box 208
Farmington, N.M. 87401
- E. USA NM 2555, NM 15272, and NM 13213
(Mucho Deal F/A)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 14: SW/4 (NM 2555-E/2 SW/4;
NM 15272 - SW/4 SW/4; NM 13213 - NW/4 SW/4)
San Juan County, New Mexico
- Dugan Production Corp.
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- J. F. Gavlick, Division Landman
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- F. USA NM 26357
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 23: All
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- G. USA NM 0206994 (Carpenter and Horace Smith
Lease)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 25: N/2 NW/4, SE/4 NW/4, N/2 SW/4
Section 26: N/2 SE/4
San Juan County, New Mexico
- Dugan Production Corp.
Box 208
Farmington, N.M. 87401
- B. F. Pracko, Division Landman
Amoco Production Company
Security Life Bldg.
Denver, CO 80202
- H. USA NM 33050 (Jacobs Lease)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 26: NE/4
San Juan County, New Mexico
- Dugan Production Corp.
Box 208
Farmington, N.M. 87401
- I. Winifred Lease (Fee)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 26: S/2 SE/4
San Juan County, New Mexico

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- J. USA NM 28761 (Nail Lease)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 25: SW/4 NW/4
San Juan County, New Mexico

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- K. USA NM 23072 (Hammer Lease)
Township 30 North, Range 14 West, N.M.P.M.
Section 25: S/2 SW/4
San Juan County, New Mexico

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EXHIBIT "A"
to Application for Unorthodox
Location of Pan Am Fed #1E Well

DESCRIPTION OF TOPOGRAPHICAL CONDITIONS

The Pan Am Fed #1E Well is an infill well which will be located in the NW/4NW/4 (Unit Letter D) of Section 24, T-30-N, R-14-W, N.M.P.M., San Juan County, New Mexico. The W/2 of Section 24 has been previously dedicated to the Pan Am Fed #1 Well. The Pan Am Fed #1 Well is located in the SE/4SW/4 (Unit Letter N) of this same section.

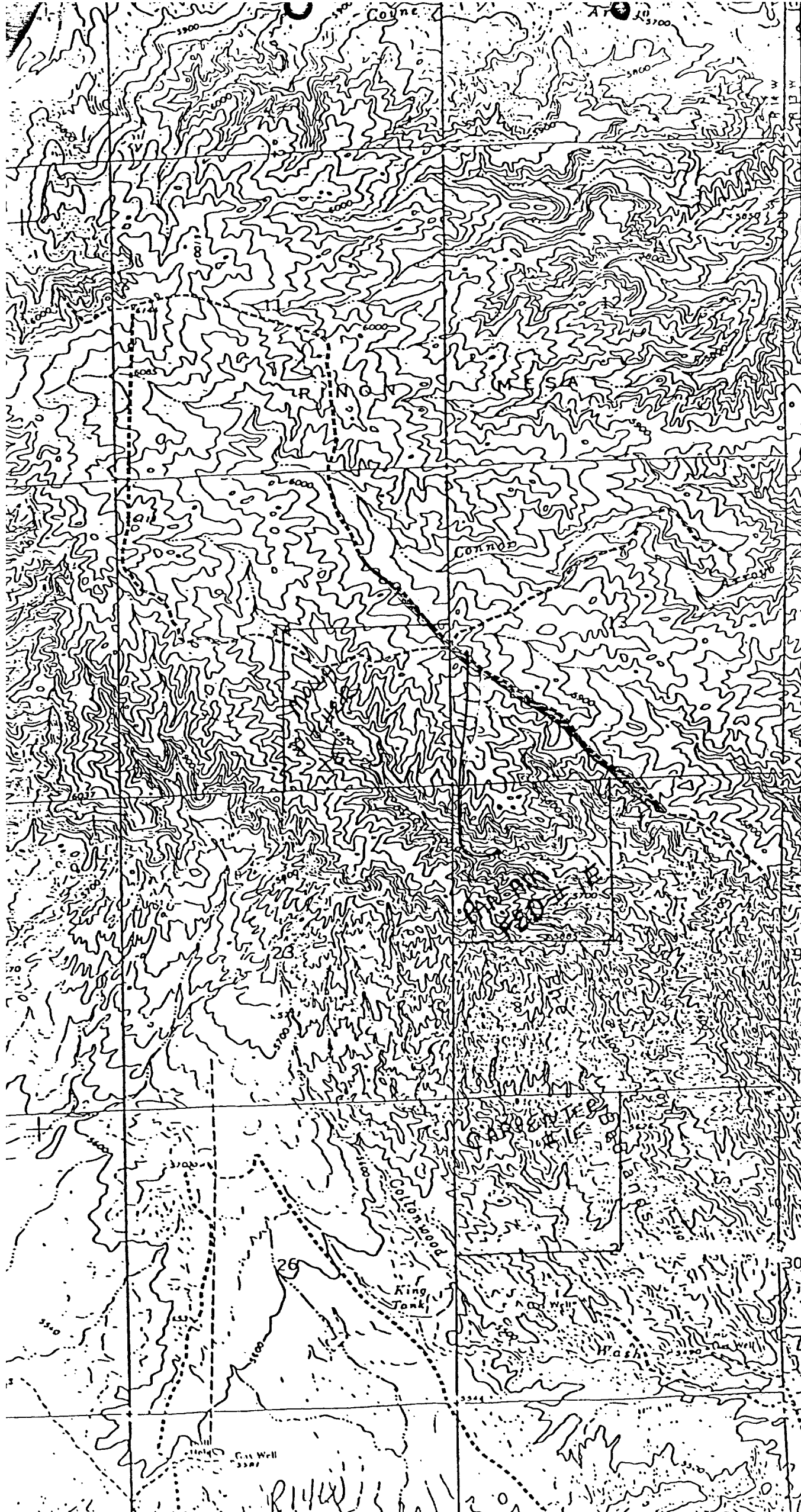
Dugan Production Corp. originally staked the location for the Pan Am Fed #1E Well at the following description:

T-30-N, R-14-W, N.M.P.M.
Section 24: 790' FNL-1040' FWL
(Unit Letter D)
San Juan County, New Mexico

However, the original location was not approved by the Bureau of Land Management, and this agency requested a change in the well's location. The proposed location as stated in this Application is acceptable to the BLM, but is unorthodox under the rules and regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

Enclosed is a copy of a topography map showing the proposed location of the Pan Am Fed #1E Well. This map shows the steep canyon walls and the location of small mesas in the area of the well. There are very few good locations for a Dakota well in this quarter section, and even the majority of the good locations would be unorthodox under the NMOC Rules and Regulations.

It is respectfully submitted the Application for Unorthodox Location be approved because of the lack of good orthodox locations for this well, and because the BLM and the Applicant have agreed upon a suitable substitute for the original well location in an area with severe topographical conditions.



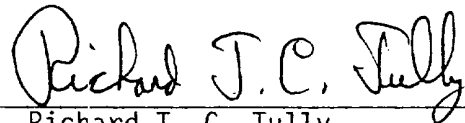
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that I mailed a copy of the Application for Unorthodox Location of the Pan Am Fed #1E Well by certified mail to all operators of leases offsetting the dedicated acreage for the Pan Am Fed #1E Well; and to the Supervisor of the District III Office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, and to the U. S. Geological Survey by regular mail on this 14th day of August, 1979.



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