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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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September 12, 1989

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Nassau Resources, Inc.
c/o Jerome P. McHugh & Associates
P.O. Box 809
Farmington, NM 87499-0809

Attention: Fran Perrin

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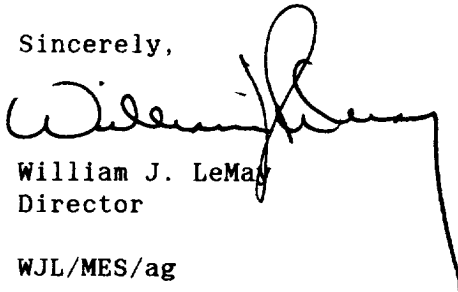
Administrative Order NSL-2694

Dear Ms. Perrin:

Reference is made to your application of August 21, 1989 for a non-standard coal gas well location for your Carracas Unit "14-A" Well No. 1 to be located 1000 feet from the North line and 680 feet from the East line (Unit A) of Section 14, Township 32 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Basin Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The N/2 of said Section 14 shall be dedicated to the well forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,


William J. LeMay
Director

WJL/MES/ag

REMARKS: This well replaces the Carracas Unit "14-A" Well No. 4 which was approved by Division Order No. R-8844 to be located at a more unorthodox coal gas well location 790 feet from the North and West lines (Unit D) of said Section 14.

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec
New Mexico Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington
US Forest Service - Blanco



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AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
(505) 334-6178

GARREY CARRUTHERS
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Date: 8-29-89

Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Re: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 8-21-89

for the NASSAU RESOURCES, INC. CARRANCO UNIT #1
Operator Lease & Well No.

A-14-32N-5W and my recommendations are as follows:
Unit, S-T-R

Approve

Yours truly,

E. Bunch

August 17, 1989

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
ATTN: Mike Stogner
P O Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

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RE: Application for Unorthodox Location
Nassau Resources, Inc.
Carracas Unit 14 A #1
1000' FNL - 680' FEL
Sec. 14, Township 32 North, Range 5 West, NMPM
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Nassau Resources, Inc., hereby requests administrative approval of an unorthodox location for the captioned well based upon topographic conditions and archeological findings.

The extremely rough terrain, heavy concentration of archeological sites and Carson National Forest guidelines have restricted placement of a location. Although the Carracas Unit 14 A #4 in the NW/4 was approved by OCD as an unorthodox location (R-8844), the location has been abandoned due to archeological sites.

This well is in Nassau's Carracas Unit. Offsetting operators, as shown on the attached lease plat, have been notified of this application by certified mail. Amoco Production Co. is a party to the unit and has been notified of this application by certified mail. Jerome P. McHugh and Kindermac Partners are operating affiliates with Nassau.

Also attached are the C-102 plat, production map, topographic map and a copy of a letter from Philip Settles of the Jicarilla Ranger District of Carson National Forest.

Please contact us if anything further is required to complete this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Fran Perrin

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Attachments

XC: Ernie Busch, NMOCD, Aztec, NM
Kindermac Partners
Amoco Production Co.
Celeste Grynberg

Main Office
Jerome P. McHugh & Associates
Operating Affiliate: Nassau Resources, Inc.
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(303) 321-2111

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DISTRICT II
P.O. Drawer 140, Azusa, 91701 88210

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Arriba St., Aztec, 87410 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

Operator Nassau Resources, Inc.		Section 14		Towship 32 North		Range 5 West		County Rio Arriba		Well No.	
Actual Footage Location of Well:		1000 feet from the North		1000 feet from the East		1000 feet from the West		1000 feet from the South		Dedicated Acreage: 320.0 Acres	
2380		Fruitland Coal		Basin Fruitland Coal							

1 Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or ballpoint marker 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 interest of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, forced pooling, etc?

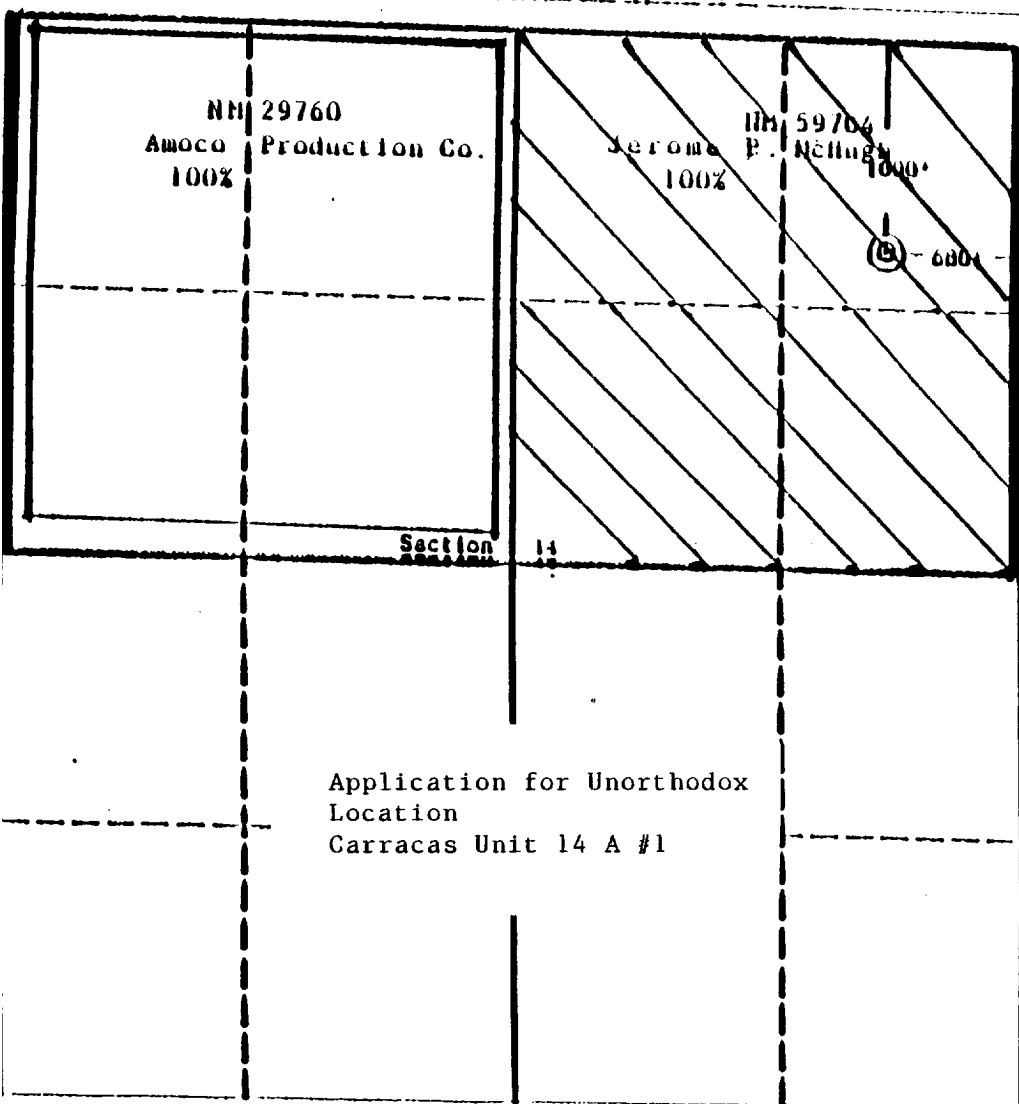
☒ Yes

☐ No

If answer is "yes" type of consolidation Carracas Unit - Unitization

If answer is "no" list the owners and their designations which have actually been consolidated (the reverse side of this form if necessary)

The acreage will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced pooling, or otherwise) or until a new standard unit, encompassing such interest, has been approved by the Division



OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

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

Signature

Printed Name

James S. Hazen

Position

Field Supt.

Company

Nassau Resources, Inc.

Date

8/16/89

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

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

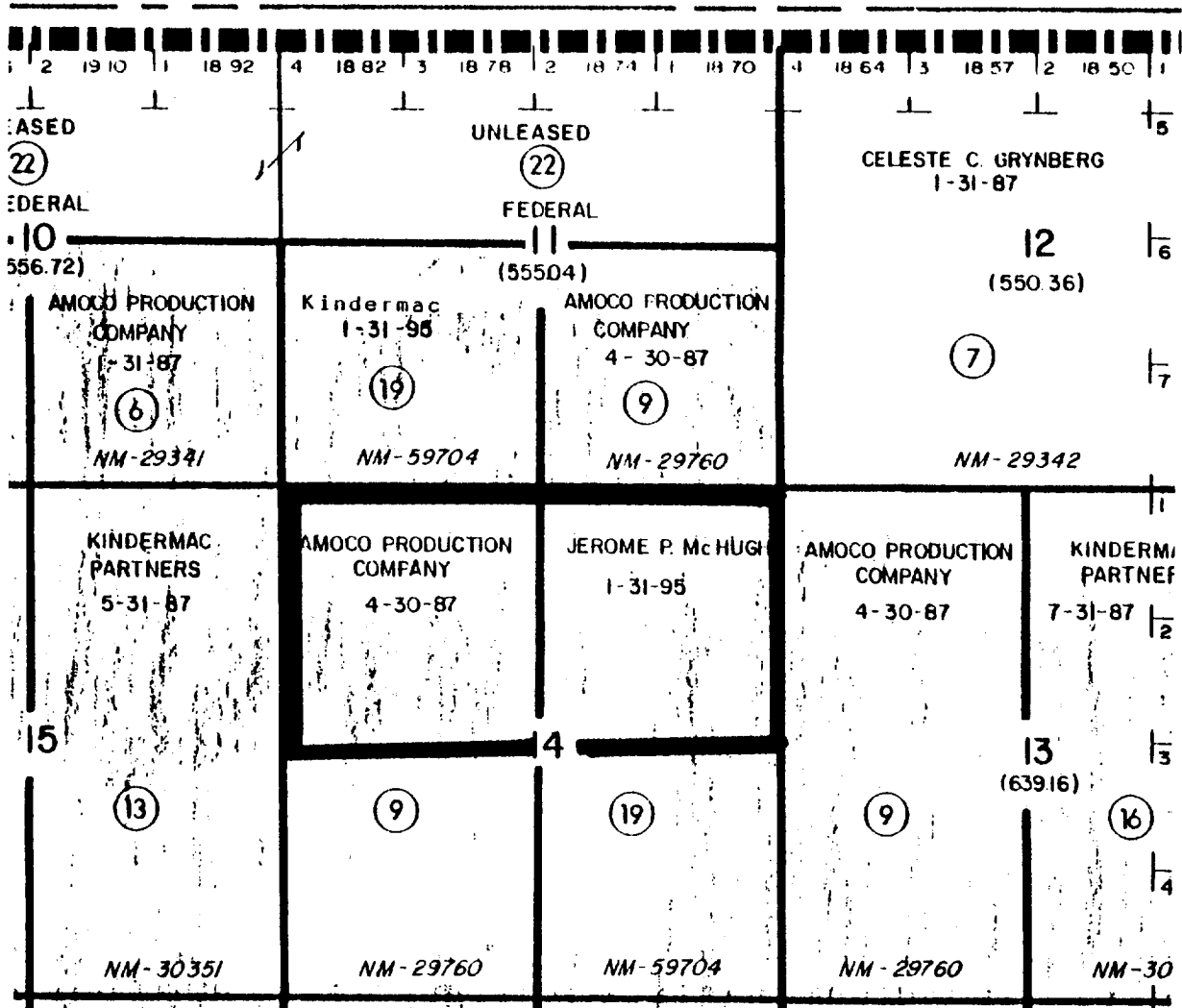
August 3, 1989

Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor



LEASE PLAT

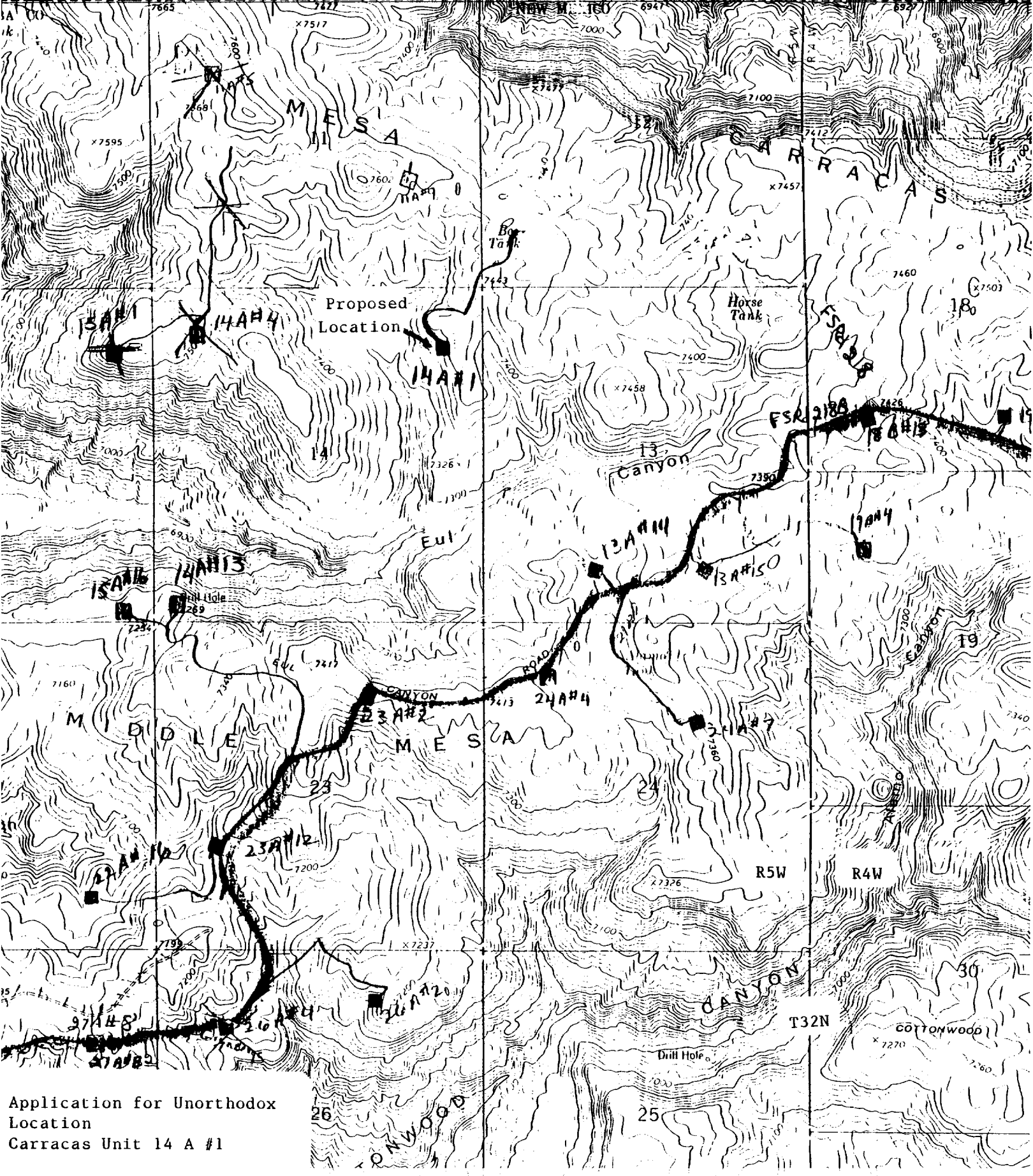
Township 32 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico



OFFSETTING OPERATOR:
Celeste C. Grynberg

PARTY TO THE UNIT:
Amoco Production Co.

OPERATING AFFILIATES:
Jerome P. McHugh
Kindermac Partners



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Location
Carracas Unit 14A #1

J. Zaborski

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Colorado

New Mexico

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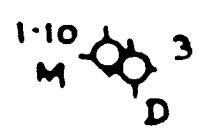
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L.P.G.S.

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○ Carracas Unit
11 A #9

San Juan 32.5 Unit

Pan Am

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Proposed Location of
Carracas Unit
14 A #13

Proposed Location of
Carracas Unit
13 A #14
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United States
Department of
Agriculture

Forest
Service

Jicarilla
Ranger District

Gobernador Route
Blanco, NM 87412

Reply to: 2820

Date: August 3, 1988

Mr. James Hazen
Nassau Resources, Inc.
P.O. Box 809
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Dear James:

It was brought to my attention by Mike Atchison that you will be needing to apply for some unorthodox locations for some of the wells in the Carracas Unit. The current location in need of unorthodox approval is the well location just northwest of the Carracas Administrative site, Section 18, T. 32 N., R. 4 W. The need for moving the location to the new site is based upon wildlife habitat protection and in keeping within the guidelines set forth in the Carson Forest Plan. The Plan, as you know, has a major emphasis in wildlife and wildlife habitat. Also key to this request for moving the location is the current Off-Road-Vehicle restriction policy in place over the entire Carracas Unit. This restriction is in place to limit off-road-vehicle travel within a key wildlife management area so that security area will not be lost by unnecessary road construction.

Whenever possible, locations will be required to be placed along open access roads. Further unorthodox locations can be expected within the Carracas Unit to keep in line with the management direction set forth for this area.

Because of this management direction and the probability of future relocations, I would hope the approval of these unorthodox locations can become routine. If not, please don't hesitate to contact me for further help or if needed to appear in person before the approving officer. If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

Philip R. Settles

PHILIP R. SETTLES
District Forest Ranger

Jerome P. McHugh
Farmington, N.M.

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