

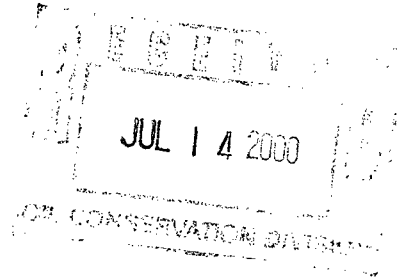


Cross Timbers Oil Company

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July 11, 2000

Mr. Michael E. Stogner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



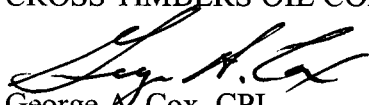
RE: Application for Administrative Approval of Unorthodox Location
Cross Timbers Operating Company's P.O. Pipkin #6 Well
1,010' FSL and 1,670' FEL (SW/4 SE/4)
Unit O, Section 18-27N-R10W
San Juan County, New Mexico
Angle Peak Gallup Formation

Dear Mr. Stogner:

I sent the enclosed application to your office on June 2, 2000 and I show that it was received on June 5, 2000. I have not received a reply as to the status of this application and I was concerned that maybe it had been misplaced. I would appreciate your help in determining the status of this application.

Should you have any questions, or need anything further, please feel free to contact me at (817) 885-2454.

Sincerely,
CROSS TIMBERS OIL COMPANY


George A. Cox, CPL
Landman

Enclosure