

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Oil Conservation Division



September 17, 2014

Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation  
Attn: Ms. Kay Maddox

ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION ORDER

**Administrative Order NSL-7157**  
**Administrative Application Reference No. pMAM1425447886**

**Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation**  
OGRID 25078  
**Lewis 2028 Well No. 351**  
**API No. 30-021-pending**

**Proposed Location:**

<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
1112 FSL & 1284 FEL	P	35	20N	28E	Harding

**Proposed Unit:**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
Entire Section 35	640	Bravo Dome Carbon Dioxide Gas 640	96010

Reference is made to your application received on September 11, 2014.

You have requested to drill this well at an unorthodox carbon dioxide well location described above in the referenced pool or formation. This location is governed by special pool rules for the Bravo Dome Carbon Dioxide Gas 640 Pool which provides for 640-acre units with wells located at least 1650 feet from a unit or lot outer boundary, nor closer than 330 feet from any governmental quarter-quarter section line. This location is less than 1650 feet from a unit boundary.

Your application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 19.15.15.13 NMAC and 19.15.4.12.A (2) NMAC.

It is our understanding that you are seeking this location to avoid flash flood problems, avoid fluid losses while drilling, and safer access for roads and pipelines.

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It is also understood that notice of this application to offsetting operators or owners is unnecessary due to common ownership.

Pursuant to the authority conferred by Division Rule 19.15.15.13 (B) NMAC, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

This approval is subject to your being in compliance with all other applicable Division rules, including, but not limited to Division 19.15.5.9 NMAC.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Done at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on September 17, 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jami Bailey", is written over a horizontal line.

Jami Bailey  
Director

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division – Santa Fe  
New Mexico State Land Office –Oil, Gas, and Minerals