

# SKELLY OIL COMPANY

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Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.  
Secretary Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 871,  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

SE 1/4 SW 1/4

Dear Sir:

Due to an error made by San Juan Engineering Co. in surveying, the location for our L. L. McConnell Well No. 3, was staked 2200' east of the West line and 1157' north of the South line, putting well in the SW/4 Section 31-25N-3W, when it should have been 1758' west of the East line and 1157' north of the South line, or in the SE/4 of the section.

We had drilled this well to a depth of 3660' before the error was discovered. We ran Schlumberger which indicated a fair Pictured Cliffs sand from 3530' to 3610'. 5-1/2" casing has been set and cemented at 3654'.

Since we are not crowding any offset producer's line, we are wondering if we can get approval to complete this well without getting written permission from offset operators. An early reply will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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District Foreman