

ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Mr. J. Gregory Merrion Petroleum Engineer P. O. Box 507 Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Administrative Order NSL-1431

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Federal Com A Well No. 5 to be located 1530 feet from the North line and 800 feet from the West line of Section 35, Township 25 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Ballard-Pictured Cliffs Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F of the Division Rules and Regulations, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

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JOE D. RAMEY

Director

JDR/RLS/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs

U. S. Geological Survey - Farmington