

J. GREGORY MERRION  
PETROLEUM ENGINEER  
P. O. Box 507  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401

OFF. 325-5093  
RES. 327-9094

September 17, 1981

State of New Mexico  
Energy & Minerals Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

ATTENTION: Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Director

RE: Application for Administrative  
Approval of Unorthodox Location  
Federal Com A #5 1530 N 800 W  
NE/4 Sec. 35, T25N, R6W

*Ballard - Pictured Cliffs Test Well Pool*

Gentlemen:

I request administrative approval of subject unorthodox location because of topography conditions. The location is staked 120 feet north of the standard location and so located to avoid the necessity of making an excessively deep cut into the steeply sloping sandy location.

Offset owners as identified on the enclosed plat have been notified by Certified Mail. One waiver is enclosed herewith.

Yours very truly,

  
J. GREGORY MERRION

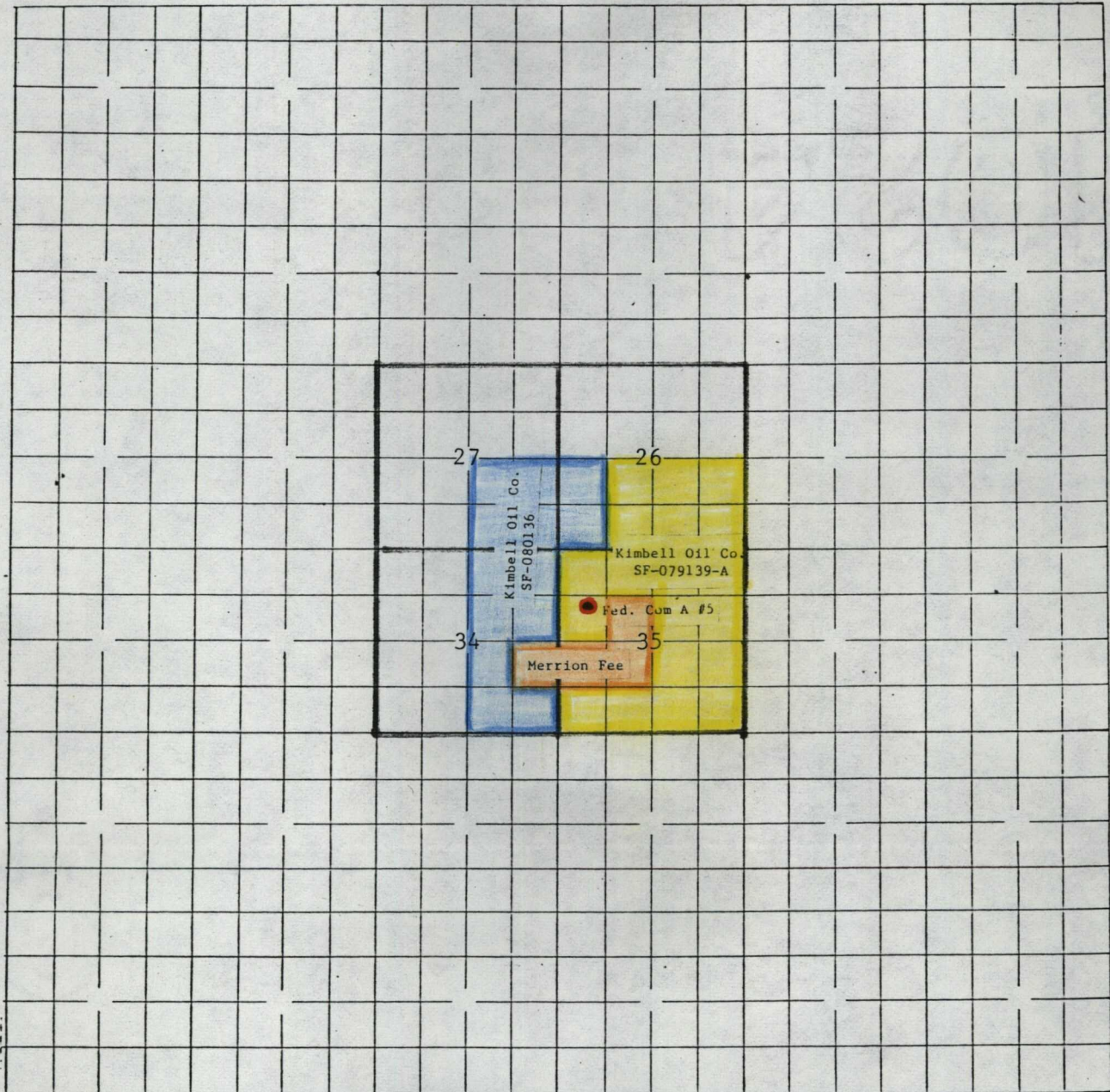
JGM/eh

xc: NMOCC, Aztec

Enclosures: 2 - Plat  
2 - Topo Map  
2 - copy of waiver requests

*NSL - 1431  
Rule 104 F  
10-12-81  
Waivers in  
OK*

J. GREGORY MERRION  
Application for Unorthodox Location  
Federal Com A #5  
1530' FNL & 800' FWL  
Section 35, T25N, R6W  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico  
Ballard Pictured Cliffs Field



TOWNSHIP 25 North RANGE 6 West



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Federal Com A #5  
1530' FNL & 800' FWL  
Section 35, T25N, R6W  
Rio Arriba County, N.M.

Water Supply:

Existing Tank Battery:

### Existing Roads:

Proposed Access Route:





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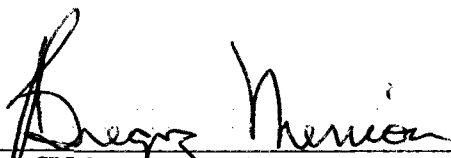
ATTENTION: Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Director

RE: Application of J. Gregory Merrion  
for Unorthodox Location  
Federal Com A #5  
NW/4 Sec. 35, T25N, R6W  
Rio Arriba County, NM

Gentlemen:

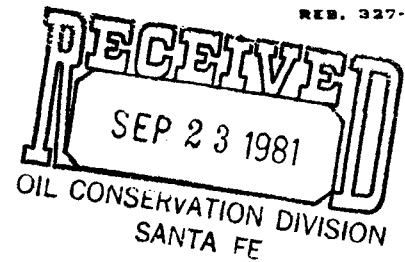
Please be advised that the undersigned, as owner of fee minerals in  
offset locations to above proposed unorthodox location, has no objection  
the the location.

Yours very truly,

  
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J. GREGORY MERRION

JGM/eh

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P. O. BOX 507  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401



September 17, 1981

Kimbell Oil Company  
3000 Ft. Worth National Bank Bldg.  
Ft. Worth, TX 76102


RE: Application of J. Gregory Merrion  
for Unorthodox Location  
Federal Com A #5  
NW/4 Sec. 35, T25N, R6W  
Rio Arriba County, N.M.

Gentlemen:

As you will note from the copy of the application enclosed, J. Gregory Merrion is applying for an administrative approval of an unorthodox location on the above referred to well. We would appreciate your advising the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division in Santa Fe, NM, that you have no objection to this location.

It would be helpful if you would sign a copy of this letter and send it directly to Santa Fe.

Yours very truly,

  
J. GREGORY MERRION

JGM/eh

Enclosures: Copy of Application  
Extra copy of letter

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The undersigned has no objection to the above unorthodox location.

Date

9/19/81

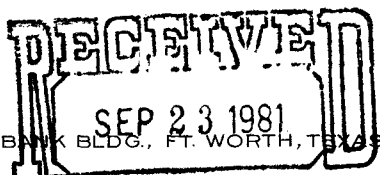
KIMBELL OIL COMPANY

By: 

KIMBELL OIL COMPANY

3000 FT. WORTH NAT'L BANK BLDG., FT. WORTH, TEXAS 76102

(817) 335-2591



OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
SANTA FE

September 21, 1981

State of New Mexico  
Energy & Mineral Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
P.O. box 2088  
Sante Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attn: Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Director

Re: Application for approval  
Unorthodox Location  
Federal Com. #A-5  
N/E Sec 35, T25N, RW6  
Rio Arriba County, NM

Gentlemen:

In compliance with the request of J. Gregory Merrion, find enclosed the approval of Kimbell Oil Company for a location 120 ft. North of a standard location on the captioned application.

Yours truly,

KIMBELL OIL COMPANY

Sam W. Sims, Jr.

SWS/jb

Enclosure