

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 2040 S. PACHECO SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87505 (505) 827-7131

November 13, 1995

Amoco Production Company P. O. Box 800 Denver, Colorado 80201

Attention: Pamela W. Staley

Administrative Order NSL-2150-A

Dear Ms. Staley:

Reference is made to your application dated October 19, 1995 for a non-standard Basin-Fruitland coal gas well location for your existing Sanchez Gas Com "C" Well No. 1 (API No. 30-045-25618), located 750 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line (Unit A) of Section 28, Township 29 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico. According to the well records on file with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, the Sanchez Gas Com "C" Well No. 1 was drilled in 1983 and dually completed in the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool and Armenta-Gallup Oil Pool. By Division Administrative Order NSL-2150, dated September 17, 1985, this location was approved as an unorthodox gas well location for the Mesaverde gas producing interval, the location was considered to be a standard oil well location for the Gallup interval.

It is our understanding that the Gallup interval was abandoned and plugged-back in 1993 and the well is currently producing as a single completion from the Mesaverde interval, which is also to be plugged-back and abandoned and recompleted in the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool. Pursuant to the "*Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool*", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, as amended, the location of this well is also considered to be "unorthodox".

It is our further understanding that said well is to be a replacement well for your Pollock Com "E" Well No. 1 (API No. 30-045-25743), located at an unorthodox coal gas well location (approved by Division Administrative Order NSL-3064, dated October 23, 1991) 860 feet from the South line and 805 feet from the East line (Unit P) of said Section 28, which is currently dedicated to the E/2 of said Section 28 being a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.

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By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of said Order No. R-8768, as amended, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location for the Sanchez Gas Com "C" Well No. 1 is hereby approved.

Further, said original Order NSL-2150 shall be placed in abeyance until further notice.

Sincerely, William J. LeMay Director WJL/MES/kv

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec File: NSL-2150 NSL-3064