BLACKWOOD & NICHOLS CO., LTD. P.O. BOX 1237

DURANGO, COLORADO 81302-1237

(303)247-0728 November 22, 1989

Mr. Michael E. Stogner Oil Conservation Division State of New Mexico P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

> Re: Unorthodox Coal Gas Well Location Northeast Blanco Unit No. 424 2073' FNL, 1330' FWL F, Section 4, T30N, R7W Basin Fruitland Coal Pool San Juan County, New Mexico

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Dear Mr. Stogner:

In response to your letter of November 7, 1989, the referenced well was moved to the approved unorthodox location of 2100' FNL and 1330' FWL to enable the well pad size to be increased by 25' for safety reasons. This location is fairly close to Navajo Lake and to be able to construct a larger drill pad and preserve the requested tree screen toward the lake it is necessary to move the drill pin 25'.

Mr. LeMay approved the original unorthodox location by Administrative Order NSL-2634 in February 1989. Since then Blackwood & Nichols has completed several good producing wells in this area and the originally staked well pad is inadequate. Attached is a copy of the Bureau of Land Management Sundry Notice to move the well.

THank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

BLACKWOOD & NICHOLS CO., LTD.

William F. Clark Operations Manager

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Attachment

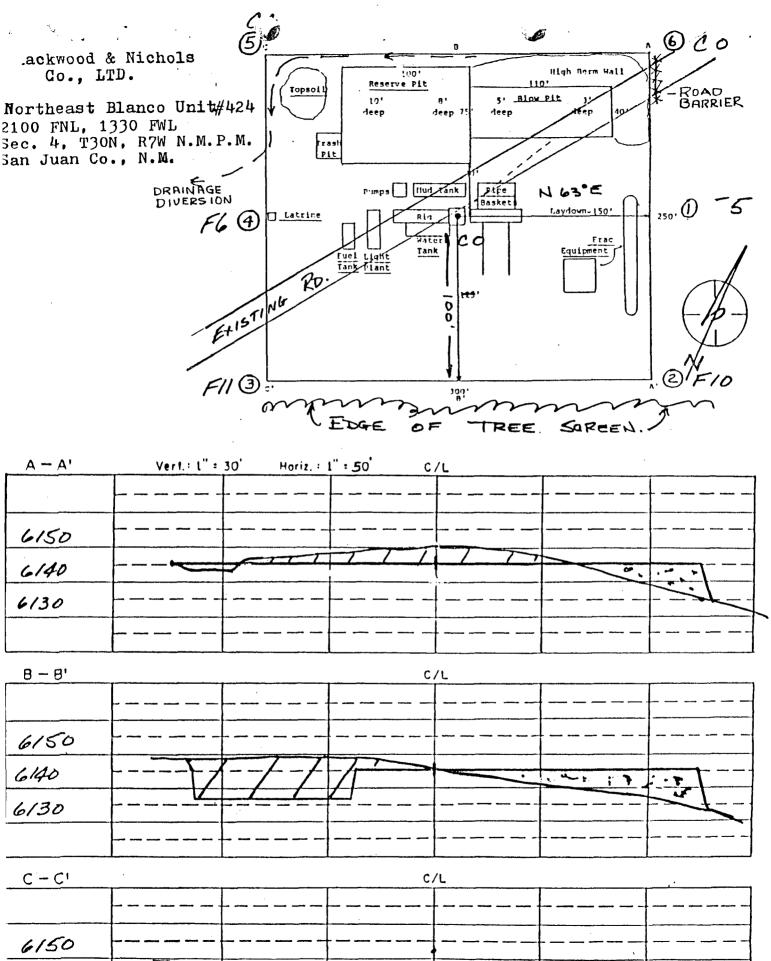
cc: W. F. Carr Steve Cromwell

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	Form 9–331 Dec. 1973	Form Approved. Budget Bureau No. 42-R1424
	UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY	5. LEASE SF079043
		6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME
	SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS (Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or plug back to a different	7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME Northeast Blanco
	reservoir, Use Form 9–331–C for such proposals.)	8. FARM OR LEASE NAME Northeast Blanco Unit
	well well other	9. WELL NO. 424
	2. NAME OF OPERATOR Blackwood & Nichols Co., LTD	10. FIELD OR WILDCAT NAME
	3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR P.O. Box 1237, Durango, CO 81302-1237	Basin Fruitland Coal 11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND SURVEY OR
	4. LOCATION OF WELL (REPORT LOCATION CLEARLY. See space 17	AREA
	below.) AT SURFACE: 2100' FNL - 1330' FWL AT TOP PROD. INTERVAL:	Sec. 4, T3ON, R7W, NMPM 12. COUNTY OR PARISH San Juan NM
	AT TOTAL DEPTH: 16. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE,	14. API NO.
	REPORT, OR OTHER DATA	15. ELEVATIONS (SHOW DF, KDB, AND WD)
	REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO: SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF: TEST WATER SHUT-OFF	
	PULL OR ALTER CASING	(NOTE: Report results of multiple completion or zone change on Form 9–330.).
	CHANGE ZONES ABANDON* (other) Change footage location	
	17. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*	
	Propose to change footage location and layout as shown on the attached cut & fill diagram. All cuts and fills will be outside the staked perimeter, but within the construction zone. Corners 2, 3, and 6 will be at steep slopes to avoid treeline and archaeology site.	
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1 (8) 	Subsurface Safety Valve: Manu. and Type	Set @ Ft
	18. I fiereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct	
	SIGNED R. E. Fulde TITLE Agent	DATE August 28, 1989
	(This space for Federal or State office use)	
	APPROVED BY TITLE TITLE	DATE

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