## STATE OF NEW MEXICO



## ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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February 8, 1990

Blackwood & Nichols Co. P.O. Box 1237 Durango, CO 81302

Attention: William F. Clark,

Operations Manager

Administrative Order NSL-2754

Dear Mr. Clark:

Reference is made to your application of January 9, 1990 for a non-standard coal gas well location for your Northeast Blanco Unit Well No. 499 to be located 925 feet from the South line and 910 feet from the East line (Unit P) of Section 20, Township 31 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Basin Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The E/2 of said Section 20 shall be dedicated to the well forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay

Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec

US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington