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Attention: Peggy Bradfield

Administrative Order NSL-2932

Dear Ms. Bradfield:

Reference is made to your application dated August 8, 1990 for a non-standard Basin-Fruitland coal gas well location for your existing Huerfano Unit Well No. 232 which was drilled in 1972 and completed as a gas well in the Angel Peak Gallup Associated Pool, 970 feet from the South line and 1150 feet from the East line (Unit P) of Section 8, Township 26 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

It is my understanding that the Gallup zone will be properly plugged back and said well will be recompleted to the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, which pursuant to the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, is unorthodox. Further, the E/2 of said Section 8 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 said Division Order No. R-8768, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely, William J. LeMay Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington