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July 6, 1993

State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

ATTN: Michael E. Stogner Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

RE: Amended C-102 For Gallegos Canyon Unit #9

Daer Mr. Stogner,

In response to your letter of June 28, 1993, I am submitting a revised C-102 showing S/2 dedication to Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 9. This will make it possible for Gallegos Canyon Unit No. 273 to be recompleted in the N/2 of Section 32. If you need any additional information to grant NSL approval for GCU #273, please contact me directly at (713) 780-5301.

Sincerely

Carl Kolbe Regulatory Affairs Representative

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State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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310 Old Santa Fe Trail, Room 206 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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Attention: Carl Kolbe

Administrative Order NSL-3139

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Dear Mr. Kolbe:

Reference is made to your application dated January 31, 1992 for a non-standard Basin-Fruitland coal gas well location for your existing Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 9 which was drilled in 1953 and completed in the West Kutz - Pictured Cliffs Pool at a standard gas well location (pursuant to the Special Pool Rules applicable at the time under Division Order No. R-566) 1885 feet from the South line and 2135 feet from the West line (Unit K) of Section 32, Township 28 North, Range 12 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

It is my understanding that the Pictured Cliffs 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, as amended, is unorthodox. Further, the W/2 of said Section 32 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, as amended, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM J. LE 4Y Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec U.S. BLM - Farmington