## STATE OF NEW MEXICO



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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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Attention: E. L. Buttross, Jr.

Administrative Order NSL-3401

## Dear Mr. Buttross:

Reference is made to your application dated June 7, 1994 for a non-standard oil well location for the purpose of completing an efficient production/injection pattern within the East Shugart Waterflood Project Area, established by Division Order No. R-3769, dated May 28, 1969.

It is our understanding that the proposed East Shugart Unit Well No. 45 is to be drilled 2500 feet from the South line and 580 feet from the West line (Unit L) of Section 35, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Shugart (Yates-Seven Rivers-Queen-Grayburg) Pool, East Shugart Unit Area, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Said well to be dedicated to the existing standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit comprising the NE/4 SW/4 of said Section 35, which is currently dedicated to the East Shugart Well No. 20, located at a standard oil well location 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of said Section 35.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104 F(1), the above-described unorthodox oil well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay

Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia

US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad