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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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December 5, 1994

Amerada Hess Corporation
c/o William F. Carr
P. O. Box 2208
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Administrative Order NSL-3439

Dear Mr. Carr:

Reference is made to your application dated September 30, 1994, on behalf of the operator Amerada Hess Corporation, for a non-standard gas well location for the North Bell Lake Federal Well No. 2 to be drilled 1100 feet from the South line and 1500 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 5, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, to test the Ellenburger formation, Lea County, New Mexico. Lots 3 and 4, the S/2 NW/4, and the SW/4 (W/2 equivalent) of said Section 5 shall be dedicated to the well forming a standard 320.09-acre gas spacing and proration unit.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104.F(2) the above-described unorthodox gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "William J. LeMay / by MES".

William J. LeMay
Director

WJL/MES/kv

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad