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ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Attention: Peggy Bradfield

Administrative Order NSL-3850

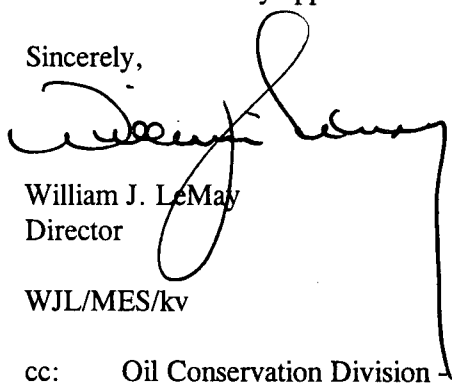
Dear Ms. Bradfield:

Reference is made to your application dated August 7, 1997 for an unorthodox "infill" gas well location for both the Blanco-Mesaverde and Basin-Dakota Pools for the proposed San Juan "28-6" Unit Well No. 143-M to be drilled 525 feet from the North line and 2070 feet from the West line (Unit C) of Section 20, Township 28 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Production from the Basin-Dakota Pool is to be included in an existing standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising the W/2 of said Section 20 which is currently dedicated to your San Juan "28-6" Unit Well No. 143 (API No. 30-039-20156), located at a standard gas well location 1550 feet from the South line and 1600 feet from the West line (Unit K) of said Section 20 and production from the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool is to be included in an existing standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit that also comprises the W/2 of said Section 20 and is currently dedicated to Burlington's San Juan "28-6" Unit Well No. 87 (API No. 30-039-07346), located at a standard gas well location 800 feet from the South and West lines (Unit M) of said Section 20.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 2(d) of the "General Rules for the Prorated Gas Pools of New Mexico/Special Rules and Regulations for the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool/Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Dakota Pool", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended, the above-described unorthodox "infill" gas well location for the San Juan "28-6" Unit Well No. 143-M is hereby approved.

Sincerely,


William J. LeMay
Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec
U. S. Bureau of Land Management - Farmington