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August 19, 2010

XTO Energy Inc. Attn: Mr. Ryan O'Kelley 810 Houston Street Fort Worth, TX 76102-6298

Administrative Order NSL-6241

Re:

MN Galt H Well No. 2 API No. 30-045-32578 2400 feet FNL & 990 feet FWL Unit E, Section 1-27N-10W San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. O'Kelley:

Reference is made to the following:

- (a) your application (administrative application reference No. pTGW10-21029764) submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (the Division) in Santa Fe, New Mexico on July 29, 2010, and
 - (b) the Division's records pertinent to this request.

XTO Energy Inc. (XTO) has requested to drill the above-referenced well at an unorthodox gas well location, as described above in the caption of this letter. The NW/4 of Section 1 will be dedicated to this well in order to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing unit in the Otero-Chacra Gas Pool (82329). This pool is governed by statewide Rule 15.10.C, which provides for 160-acre units, with wells located at least 660 feet from a unit outer boundary. This location is less than 660 feet from the southern unit boundary.

Your application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 15.13 and 4.12.A(2).



It is our understanding that you are seeking this location in order to utilize and existing wellbore.

It is also understood that notice of this application to offsetting operators or owners is unnecessary due to common ownership.

Pursuant to the authority conferred by Division Rule 15.13.B, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

This approval is subject to your being in compliance with all other applicable Division rules, including, but not limited to Division Rule 5.9.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Sincerely,

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.

Acting Director

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec United States Bureau of Land Management