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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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GOVERNOR

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Meridian Oil, Inc.  
P.O. Box 4289  
Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Attention: Peggy Bradfield

*Amended Administrative Order NSP-1579(L)*

Dear Ms. Bradfield:

Reference is made to your application dated September 13, 1990 to amend Division Administrative Order NSP-1579(L) dated July 19, 1989, which authorized Northwest Pipeline Corporation to drill its Rosa Unit Well No. 240 at an unorthodox coal gas well location 1310 feet from the South line and 945 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Irregular Section 1, Township 31 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, whereby all of said Section 1 would be dedicated to said well forming a non-standard 303.88-acre gas spacing and proration unit.

It is our understanding that Meridian, which is now the operator of the Rosa Unit, seeks to relocate the subject well to an alternate location 1900 feet from the South line and 900 feet from the East line (Unit J) of said Section 1, due to numerous topographic, archeological and wildlife considerations at its original location.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, said Order NSP-1579(L) is hereby amended and the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location is approved. All other provisions of said Order NSP-1579(L) shall remain in full force and effect until further notice.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William J. LeMay", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

William J. LeMay  
Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington  
US Bureau of Land Reclamation - Durango



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July 19, 1989

Northwest Pipeline Corporation  
3539 East 30th Street  
Farmington, NM 87401

Attention: Mike Turnbaugh  
Senior Engineer

Administrative Order NSP-1579(L)

Dear Mr. Turnbaugh:

Reference is made to your applications of December 6, 1988 and February 14, 1989 for a 303.88-acre non-standard gas proration unit consisting of the following acreage in the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool:

RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, NMPM  
Section 1: All

It is my understanding that this unit is to be dedicated to your Rosa Unit Well No. 240 to be drilled at an unorthodox coal gas well location 1310 feet from the South line and 945 feet from the East line (Unit O) of said Section 1, hereby approved under provisions of Rule 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for this pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768.

Also, by authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 6 of said Order No. R-8768, the above non-standard gas proration unit is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay  
Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
NM Oil and Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs  
US Bureau of Land Management - Farmington