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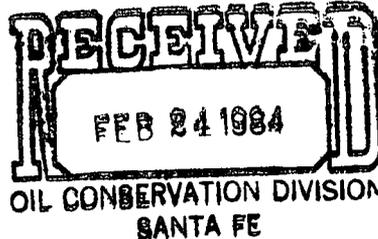
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February 22, 1984



Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Post Office Box 2088  
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Re: OCC Case No. 8038;  
Application of E. Alex  
Phillips for Compulsory  
Pooling, Rio Arriba County,  
New Mexico

Dear Mr. Ramey:

At the hearing on the above case on February 16, 1984,  
Applicant sought the following amendments to the Application:

1. That Mesa Grande Resources, Inc., be named as operator  
of the well, rather than E. Alex Phillips. Mesa Grande Resources  
is wholly owned by E. Alex Phillips.

2. Pooling of all mineral interests from the base (rather  
than the top) of the Mesaverde formation to the base of the  
Dakota formation; and

3. In the alternative to compulsory pooling, an order  
approving a 160 acre non-standard proration unit in the SE1/4 of  
Section 26.

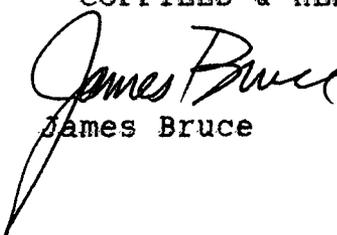
Mesa Grande Resources hereby withdraws its request for these  
three amendments, and requests that an Order be entered based on  
the Application as advertised and the evidence presented at the  
hearing. Therefore the case need not be readvertised.

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At the hearing, Ernest Padilla, on behalf of Benson-Montin-Greer, objected to the proposed 160 acre non-standard unit. I have informed him by telephone that Mesa Grande Resources is withdrawing its request for the non-standard unit and the other amendments. He stated that his client had no objection to the compulsory pooling application.

Very truly yours,

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