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Mr. James Purdy
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Case 7891

Dear Mr. Purdy: *Jim*

On August 12, 1983, I attempted to file our Geothermal Rules with your office.

This attempt was unsuccessful because the geothermal rules carried many numbers identical to the Oil and Gas rules filed with you under current SRC rules. For example, both our oil and gas and geothermal rules contain a Rule 101.

To correct this matter with as little variation as possible from our historic practices, it is proposed to preface all geothermal rules with a letter G. The result would be oil and gas rules numbered Rule 1, Rule 2, Rule 101, Rule 102, etc., and geothermal rules numbered Rule G-1, Rule G-2, Rule G-101, Rule G-102, etc.

As this change requires public notice and hearing and as filing of all geothermal rules at one-time is an extensive task, we would like to be assured that this numbering system meets with your approval prior to its adoption and request confirmation of the same.

Sincerely,

Dick

R. L. STAMETS
Technical Support Chief

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*Approved: James H. Purdy
8/25/83*