STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT





April 15, 1987

GARREY CARRUTHERS

GOVERNOR

Diamond Shamrock Exploration Company 2001 Ross Avenue Dallas, Texas 75201-2916

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE. NEW MEXICO 87501 (505) 827-5800

Attn: Randy Simmons

Reservoir Engineer Manager

Re: Federal Well No. 2 Unit P,

Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, Lea

County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Simmons:

Division Order No. R-8331, dated November 4, 1986, authorized the drilling of the subject well to test the Antelope Ridge Atoka Gas Pool at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the South and East lines (Unit P) of said Section 34. Division Order No. R-8331-A, dated March 13, 1987, amended R-8331 to include the Undesignated Antelope Ridge Morrow Gas Pool into the provisions set forth in that order. Both orders indicated the S/2 of said Section 34 was to be dedicated in both pools to the well.

Your letter dated April 10, 1987, requesting a reorientation of the dedicated acreage in both pools for the subject well to include the E/2 of said Section 34, has been considered and reviewed. Since this change would facilitate the drilling of an Atoka/Morrow well in the SW/4 of said Section 34 and the ownership of minerals is common throughout the entire section, your request to rededicate the E/2 of said Section 34 to the subject well is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM J. LEMAY

Director

WJL/MES/et

xc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

Paul Cooter Case Nos. 9005, 9087