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Gentlemen:

We hereby acknowledge receipt of the Completion Reports and a copy of the application for dual completion on the subject well.

According to our geologist, Mr. John Runyan, the upper zone in this well is in the basal abo and therefore would require 160 acre spacing, unless you expand your hearing to include 320 acre spacing for the abo.

Please submit the proper acreage dedication (160 acres) for the abo.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to call upon me.

Sincerely yours,

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W. A. Gressett Supervisor, District II

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