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March 14, 1996

Oil Conservation Division  
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Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Attention: Mr. Tim Gum

RE: Unorthodox Well Location

Dear Mr. Gum:

Marbob Energy Corporation respectfully requests an administrative approval of the following unorthodox locations pursuant to Order No. R-7900-B:

**Burch Keely Unit #227**

660 feet from the South line  
50 feet from the East line  
Section 23, Township 17 South  
Range 29 East, Eddy County, New Mexico

**Burch Keely Unit #231**

660 feet from the South line  
1240 feet from the West line  
Section 19, Township 17 South  
Range 30 East, Eddy County, New Mexico

The wells may be completed in the upper 500 feet of the Yeso, the Grayburg, the San Andres, and or the Seven Rivers Formation in the Grayburg Jackson Pool.

Attached to the applications are the following Exhibits:

- A. Application for Permit to Drill filed with the Bureau of Land Management (Exhibit A).
- B. Oil Conservation Division Form C-102 which shows the location and all other wells within the quarter-quarter section (Exhibit B).

Well number 227 will be 5230 feet from the unit boundary and 50 feet from the interior quarter quarter line. Well number 231 will be 4040 feet from the unit boundary and 660 feet from interior quarter quarter line.

If these unorthodox locations meet with your approval, please sign below. Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

*Raye Miller*

Raye Miller  
Attorney-in-Fact

RM/mm  
Attachments

Approved this 27 day of March, 1996

By: *Jan W. Gurn*

Title:

Oil Conservation Division  
Artesia Office