



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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December 27, 1996

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Attention: James E. Haas

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OIL CON. DIV.
DIST. 2

RE: Administrative application of ~~Mewbourne~~ Oil Company ("Mewbourne") for an unorthodox gas well location within a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising the W/2 of ~~Section 35~~, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico in the North Turkey Track-Morrow Gas Pool for its proposed ~~Section Draw "35"~~ State Well No. 1 to be drilled 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit N) of said Section 35.

Dear Mr. Hansen:

Cancel Det - 9-5-97
[Signature]

The subject application was filed with the Division on December 5, 1996, your letter of objection dated December 20, 1996 (see copy attached) was received by the Division on December 27, 1996, or 22 calendar days after the official filing date of the Mewbourne application. Pursuant to Division General Rule 104.F(4):

"The applicant shall submit a statement attesting that applicant, on or before the same date the application was submitted to the Division, has sent notification to the affected parties by submitting a copy of the application, including a copy of the plat described in Rule 104.F(3) above by certified or registered mail-return receipt in accordance with Rule 1207(A)(5) advising them that if they have an objection it must be filed in writing within twenty days from the date notice was sent. The Division Director may approve the unorthodox location upon receipt of waivers from all said parties or if no said party has entered an objection to the unorthodox location within 20 days after the Director has received the application."