

April 9, 1976

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Drawer DD Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Attention: W. A. Gressett, Supervisor

Re: #6 Nash Unit, 5100' Cherry Canyon Test 1980' FNL & 330' FWL Section 18-23S-30E Eddy County, New Mexico Mesa OP NM-553-6 RECEIVED

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Gentlemen:

Mesa Petroleum Co., as operator of the Nash Unit, hereby applies for a permit to drill the captioned well. Ten copies each of N.M.O.C.C. Form C-101 and Form C-102 are enclosed for your consideration and distribution. In compliance with N.M.O.C.C. order #R-111 we have this date mailed (registered mail, return receipt) copies of these forms to each of the operators who hold potash leases within a radius of one mile of the captioned well. According to information reflected by plats furnished under Article IX, Paragraph (3) of order #R-111 and information obtained from State and Federal records in Santa Fe, the only potash operators within one mile of the captioned location are Leland A. Hodges, Trustee and International Minerals and Chemical Corporation.

The #6 Nash Unit will be the sixth test well drilled on the State and Federal Approved Nash Unit Area (14-08-0001-14168). We respectfully request your prompt and favorable consideration of the enclosed application, and if additional information in this regard is required please advise.

Very truly yours,

Robert H. Northington

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Enclosures

Copies: Leland A. Hodges, Trustee International Minerals and Chemical Corporation Supervisor, U.S.G.S., Roswell Commissioner of Public Lands Nash Unit Partners