

*Dorfman* PRODUCTION COMPANY

836 MERCANTILE DALLAS BUILDING  
DALLAS 1, TEXAS

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RIVERSIDE 7-9434

Mr. A. L. Porter  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

As provided in Order No. R-179-3, Rule 4B, Escrito (Gallup) Field, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, Dorfman Production Company requests administrative approval to drill the Elizabeth Federal No. 3 on an unorthodox location. This will be a Gallup (oil) completion located 1500' S. of N. line and 790' E. of W. line of Sec. 18, T24N, Rg 7W, Rio Arriba County.

This location is requested due to topographic conditions at a standard location on this unit. Ray Smith and Compass Exploration Company are the offset operators North and West of this unit and copies of this letter have been forwarded to them.

We are requesting that Mr. James Leese of San Juan Engineering Company forward to you a statement concerning the topography around this location.

Your consideration of this request will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

DORFMAN PRODUCTION COMPANY

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General Manager

cc: Compass Exploration Co.  
1645 Court Place  
Denver 2, Colorado

cc: Mr. Ray Smith  
Simmons Building  
Dallas, Texas

cc: U. S. Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 959  
Farmington, New Mexico

✓ cc: Mr. Emery Arnold  
N. Mex. Oil & Gas Conservation Commission  
Aztec, New Mexico

