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Western Natural Gas Co. 2112 West Main Farmington, New Mexico February 11, 1959

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 1721 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. Elvis Utz

Dear Mr. Utz:

Western Natural Gas Company wishes at this time to apply for a change in status on the Nordhaus Federal #3 well located in SW/4 of NE/4 of sec. 17, T25N, R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. An Initial Deliverability test form C-122-A (Blue form) was submitted on 8-29-58 which showed the well to have a calculated deliverability of 4.23 MCFPD. Therefore, based on the well's inability to produce, we seek to have the well reclassified as a marginal well making it exempt from taking the Annual Deliverability test.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours

Petroleum Engineer

Western Natural Gas Company

Calvin M. Rayer

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

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