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Meridian Oil Company P.O. Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Attention: Peggy Doak

Administrative Order NSL-2521

Dear Ms. Doak:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Donohue Well No. 3 to be located 2235 feet from the South line and 1480 feet from the East line (Unit J) of Section 7, Township 25 North, Range 7 West, NMPM, Ballard Pictured Cliffs Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The SE/4 of said Section 7 shall be dedicated to the well.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F(I), the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely.

WILLIAM J. LeMAX.

Director

WJL/DRC/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec

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