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December 3, 1957

Northwest Production Corporation 520 Simms Building Albuquerque, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. W. R. Johnston

Administrative Order NSL-126

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for approval of an unorthodox well location for your "C" Lease Well No. 17-29 to be located 205 feet from the South line and 1850 feet from the East line in the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 29, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, South Blanco Pictured Cliffs Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

It is our understanding that this unorthodox well location is based upon extreme topographic conditions in the SE/4 of said section.

Inasmuch as you furnished waivers from the offset operators, it is possible for immediate approval to be granted. Therefore, by authority granted me under provisions of Rule 4 of the Special Rules and Regulations of the South Blanco Pictured Cliffs Pool, as set forth in Order R-565-C, you are hereby granted an exception to Rule 3 of Order R-565-C for the above described unorthodox well location. You must also obtain like approval from the U. S. Geological Survey, if this well is on Federal lands.

Very truly yours.

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Aztec
U. S. Geological Survey - Farmington



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