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NSL

Order

State of New Mexico
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August 3rd, 2021

Mr. Brian Wood,
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NON-STANDARD LOCATION

Administrative Order NSL-8190

**Tamaora Operating, LLC [OGRID 328666]
LE Ranch Well No. 1
API No. 30-005-PENDING**

Surface Location; Vertical Well

<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit/Lot</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Twsp</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
1980 FNL & 270 FWL	E	34	11S	29E	Chaves

Proposed Oil Unit

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
SW/4 NW/4 of Section 34	40	White Ranch; Siluro Devonian	64220

Reference is made to your application received on July 7th, 2021.

This vertical well was drilled at an unorthodox oil well location described above in the referenced pool or formation. This location is governed by statewide rules, which provides for 40-acre units, with wells to be located at least 330 from the QTR/QTR line.

This well's completed interval is as close as 60 feet to the western boundary. Encroachment will impact the following tracts.

Section 33, encroachment to the SE/4 NE/4

The Division understands you have given notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Paragraph (8) Subsection A of 19.15.2.7 NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

Division understands that due to geology this well will be located at an orthodox location in order to recover additional reserves and prevent waste within the Siluro Devonian formation underlying the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 34.

Your application has been filed under Subsection 6 of Paragraph of Section (C) of 19.15.16.15 NMAC, 19.15.15.13 NMAC and Paragraph (2) of Subsection A of 19.15.4.12 NMAC.

Per Subsection B of 19.15.15.13 NMAC, **Division approves this unorthodox location.**

The above approvals are subject to your following all other applicable Division rules.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of further orders as Division deems necessary.



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Importance: High

Mr. Brian Wood,

The following NSL Administrative Order has been issued and will soon be available on the Division's web site:

<http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/Imaging/Default.aspx>

NSL	AMD	Applicant	OGRID	WELL NAME	API #
8190	-	Tamara Operating, LLC	328666	LE Ranch Well No. 1	30-005-PENDING

A copy of the approved order is attached.

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