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R. E. Jackson 1020 Simms Building Albuquerque, New Mexico NSL 124

October 29, 1957

Re:

Request for unorthodox location SW/4 Sec. 19

T 29 N, R 10 W.

Oil Conservation Commission Santa Fe New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Due to topographical difficulties as outlined on the attached plat I am requesting the location of a Pietured Cliffs test be approved at 2180' from south line and 1220' from west line, Sec. 19, T 29 N, R 10 W.

I am the operator of this proposed test and upon completion of the well have agreed to transfer the operation to Horace F. McKay, Jr., who owns the full working interest in these leases through various agreements. Attached hereto is a letter from Horace F. McKay, Jr., who is the only offset operator directly affected by this unorthodox location, that being the NW/4 Sec. 19, T 29 N, R 10 W. Also attached is a letter waiving objections to this location by Pan American Petroleum Corp. which at present has record title to the Sanchez lease on which this well will be located and the Gonzales leases in the N/2 of the quarter section. By agreement these leases are being transferred to R. E. Jackson who in turn will assign them to Horace F. McKay, Jr., upon completion of the test well.

We would very much appreciate your immediate action on this request as one of the leases expires November 1, 1957, which would break up our proposed unit.

Very truly yours,

John P. Grehemen, Agent. E. Jackson

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PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION

P. O. Box 1714 Albuquerque, New Mexico October 29, 1957

> Re: Proposed Pictured Cliffs Unit SW/4 Section 19-29N-10W San Juan County, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission State of New Mexico State Capitol Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

It is our understanding that Mr. R. E. Jackson of Farmington, New Mexico is requesting your approval of an unorthodox Pictured Cliffs location in the SW/4 Section 19-29N-10W, being 2180 from South line and 1220 from West line of said Section 19.

Pan American has reached a verbal agreement with Mr. R. E. Jackson, whereby Pan American has traded to Mr. Jackson four leases covering fee acreage in San Juan County, New Mexico, more fully described as follows:

Lease covering S/2 NW/4 SW/4 Sec. 19-29N-10W (Rumaldo Gonzales, Lessor)

Lease covering E/2 NE/4 SW/4 Sec. 19-29N-10W (Rumaldo Gonzales, Lessor)

Lease covering N/2 NW/4 SW/4 Sec. 19-29N-10W (Rafael Sanchez, Lessor)

Lease covering SW/4 NW/4 Sec. 30-29N-10W (Rhoda Abrams, et al, Lessor)

Mr. Jackson has traded to Pan American a portion of one fee lease covering the following described acreage in San Juan County, New Mexico, being the S/2 SE/4 Section 29-29N-10W.

The necessary assignments covering the acreage to be transferred between the parties are now being prepared by Pan American and will be executed by the parties as soon as convenient.

The Rafael Sanchez lease, above described, will expire 11-1-57, unless drilling operations are commenced prior to said date.

Pan American holds a part interest lease covering S/2 SE/4 Sec. 19-29N-10W and a lease covering N/2 SE/4 Sec. 24-29N-11W, both of which are adjacent to the unit to be formed in the SW/4 Sec. 19-29N-10W, which unit will contain the above-described acreage traded to Mr. R. E. Jackson.

Pan American Petroleum Corporation has no objection to the unorthodox Pictured Cliffs location staked by Jackson, as above described. Because of the location of the San Juan River and adjacent swamp area in the SW/4 of said Sec. 19, it would apparently be almost impossible to secure an orthodox location even if the early expiration date of the Sanchez lease were not a factor in this matter.

Yours very truly,

PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Ben R. Kee

District Landman

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Horace F. McKay, Jr. 800 Loma Linda Place, S. E. Albuquerque. New Mexico

October 28, 1957

Oil Conservation Commission Santa Fe New Mexico

Gentlemen:

By various agreements I am the full working interest owner of the NW/4 and the SW/4 of Section 19, T 29 N, R 10 W, San Juan County, New Mexico. I am requesting an unorthodox location in the SW/4 Section 19, T 29 N, R 10 W, to be located 1220' from the west line and 2180' from the south line due to topographical difficulties in placing this in an orthodox position. Attached is a plat of the prosposed location showing the terrain difficulties.

As the only offset operator affected by this location I hereby give my approval. I would appreciate your taking immediate action as we are faced with a loss of lease on November 1, 1957.

Thank you for your co-operation.

very truly yours

Horace F. McKay, Jr

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for Caroll T. Payne and W. R. Zachry

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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