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## PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Box 487, Farmington, New Mexico April 27, 1959

File:

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Subject:

Unorthodox Location Jack Frost "B" No. 1 Angels Peak Gallup Field

Mr. A. L. Porter (2) New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 1901 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

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Pan American Petroleum Corporation is presently completing the Jack Frost "B" No. 1, 1190 feet from south line and 895 feet from east line, Section 27, T-27-N, R-10-W, San Juan County, New Mexico, as a dual well in the Dakota and Callup zones. It was necessary to drill the well at a location orthodox for a gas well due to extremely rugged terrain in the area. The well is located on a long, steep, narrow ridge which extends into the southeast quarter of Section 27 from the east.

It is respectfully requested that Pan American Petroleum Corporation be granted administrative approval to well location requirements to provide for an unorthodox <u>oil well</u> location at the above footage distances due to topographic conditions. We will subsequently make application for approval of the dual completion itself when final well testing has been accomplished. Pan American is the owner of all oil and gas leases within a radius of 790 feet of well location.

A well location and acreage dedication plat will also be filed later showing the acreage attributable to the Gallup zone if our request for the unorthodox oil well location is granted.

Yours very truly,

PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION

L. O. Speer, Jr. Field Superintendent

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cc: Mr. E. C. Arnold NMOCC - Aztec, N.M.