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February 6, 1980

Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Secretary-Director New Mexico Energy Resources Board New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 NSL Me saver de Blanco 10 H E Rule me diente

Re: Application for a non-standard location, Northeast Blanco Unit Well No. 24R

Dear Mr. Ramey:

As operator of the Northeast Blanco Unit, we are requesting administrative approval of a non-standard well location to be completed in the Mesaverde Formation.

We intend to drill the Northeast Blanco Unit Well No. 24R, a replacement well, located 760' F/SL - 2240' F/EL, 0-17-30N-7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

As per the enclosed map the SW/4 of Section 17, T-30N-R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico is mostly inundated by the Navajo Lake. Due to the lake we have surveyed the well site in the most practical location. While repairing a casing leak on the original Northeast Blanco Unit No. 24 well, located 420' F/SL - 2515' F/EL, Section 17, T-30N, R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, extreme mechanical difficulties were encountered, consequently, the well was plugged and abandoned.

All offset acreage is within the bounds of the Northeast Blanco Unit and will present no drainage problems to any offset operator.

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Very truly yours,

BLACKWOOD & NICHOLS CO., LTD.

DeLasso Loòs, District Manager

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission Aztec, New Mexico 87401

> United States Geological Survey Durango, Colorado 81301

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102 Supersedes C-128 Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section. Well No. Operator 24-R NORTHEAST BLANCO UNIT BLACKWOOD & NICHOLS County Section Unit Letter 7W.N.M.P.M RIO ARRIBA 30 N. Actual Footage Location of Wells 2240 south east 760 feet from the feet from the line and Ground Level Elev: Producing Formation Dedicated Acreage: 320 Blanco-Mesaverde 6269 U.G. Mesaverde Acres 1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below. 2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty). 3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling. etc? If answer is "yes," type of consolidation ___Unitization XX Yes If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.). No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commis-CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. DeLasso Loos District Manager Company Blackwood & Nichols Co. Date January 21, 1980 I heraby certify that the well location Tract 61 Tract 61 shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same Is true and correct to the best of my Federal knowledge and belief. Date Surveyed Tract 63 2240 Nov. 30,/1979 1941

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