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Yates Petroleum Corporation
207 South Fourth Street
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Administrative Order NSL-1158

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for approval of a non-standard location for your Federal IX Well No. 1 to be located 2180 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 3, Township 9 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Abo Sand, Chaves County, New Mexico.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

JOE D. RAMEY,
Director

JDR/RLS/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
U. S. Geological Survey - Artesia