



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Dewey E. Thornton

Administrative Order NSL-1551

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Ridge Federal Well No. 1 to be located 487 feet from the North line and 1620 feet from the West line of Section 23, Township 24 South, Range 24 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Joe D. Ramey", written over the typed name and title.

JOE D. RAMEY,  
Director

JDR/RLS/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia  
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs  
Minerals Management Service - Artesia