



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Attention: Cy Cowan

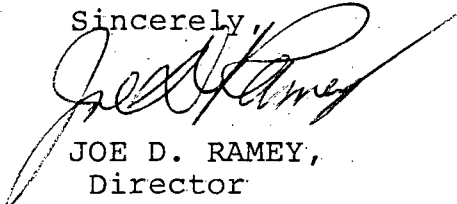
Administrative Order NSL-1694

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Groom "XB" Com Well No. 1, located 660 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 8, Township 7 South, Range 26 East, Abo Gas, Chaves 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,



JOE D. RAMEY,
Director

JDR/RLS/dr

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