## APPLICATION TO NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR RECOMPLETION AT AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION

THE EASTLAND OIL COMPANY WELL NO. 2 CARTHEL FEDERAL

## LOCATED

2030' FNL & 2080' FEL SEC 5,T23S,R29E EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

This application is for administrative approval of the recompletion of a well previously drilled to another horizon at an unorthodox location. The recompletion will be an unorthodox location.

Coronado Exploration Corporation's (changed to Cibola Energy Corporation) Carthel Federal No. 2 was drilled 2030 feet from the north line and 2080 feet from the east line of Section 5, T23S,R29E, Eddy County, New Mexico as a Morrow completion from 12,727' to 12734 feet. The nonstandard location was approved June 16, 1980 by Administrative Order NSL1203. The well was drilled on Federal oil and gas lease NM0556291 with the east half of Section 5 dedicated to the completion. Carthel Federal #2 was plugged and abandoned in April, 1983.

The Eastland Oil Company, as operator, has acquired the operating rights to Federal oil and gas lease NM59383 containing 602 acres in Section 5, T23S,R29E. Eastland is making application to reenter Carthel Federal No. 2 to test the Atoka formation at an approximate depth of 12,000 feet. The north half of Section 5 will be dedicated to this recompletion.

In view of these facts, the Eastland Oil Company respectfully requests exception to Section B of Rule 104 to permit the recompletion of Carthel Federal No. 2 at the unorthodox location of 2030 feet from the north line and 2080 feet from the east line of Section 5, T23S,R29E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

## NORTH HALF SEC.5, T23S, R29E EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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