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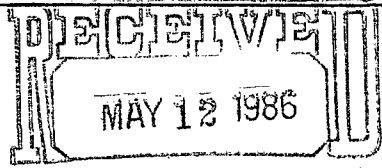
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE

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Attention: Mr. R. L. Stamets

Re: Application for Administrative Approval
UNORTHODOX LOCATION - ~~#3E~~ Fairfield #3E
1920' FSL and 1900' FWL Basin Dakota Gas Field
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NSL-2269
RULE-104F(I)

Basin Dakota Pool
320 Acres
w/ Sect 14

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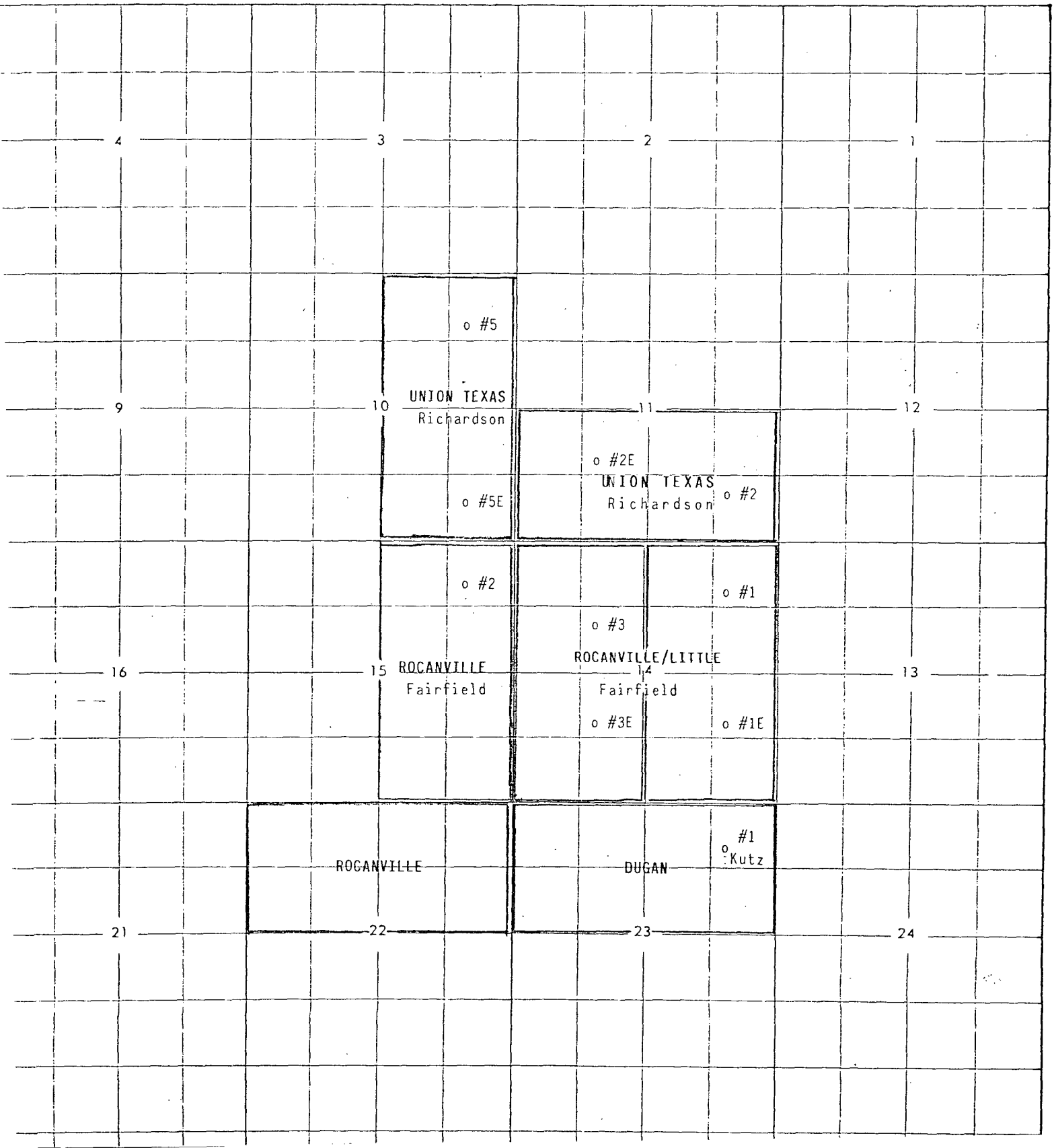
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TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH RANGE 13 WEST

COUNTY San Juan

STATE New Mexico



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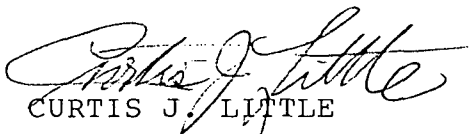
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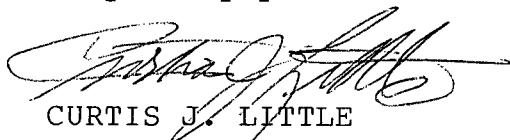
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CURTIS J. LITTLE

W A I V E R

We hereby waive any objections to Curtis J. Little's Application for Unorthodox Location as set forth above.

date

signature

May 7, 1986

Navajo Nation Cultural Resource
Management Program
609 South Behrend, Unit A
Farmington, NM 87401

Mr. Curtis Little
P.O. Box 1258
Farmington, NM 87499

Dear Mr. Little:

Enclosed is a copy of the Navajo Nation Cultural Resource Management Program's archaeological survey report NNCRMP 86-117. The survey report details the results of an archaeological survey conducted on the proposed Fairfield No. 3-E well and on the proposed pipeline and access road.

During the field survey, Site NM-H-26-199 was identified and recorded. The site is a Navajo habitation camp (1900 to present) and does appear to be eligible for nomination to the National Register under 36 CFR 60.4. Site NM-H-26-199 could also merit protection by AIRFA.

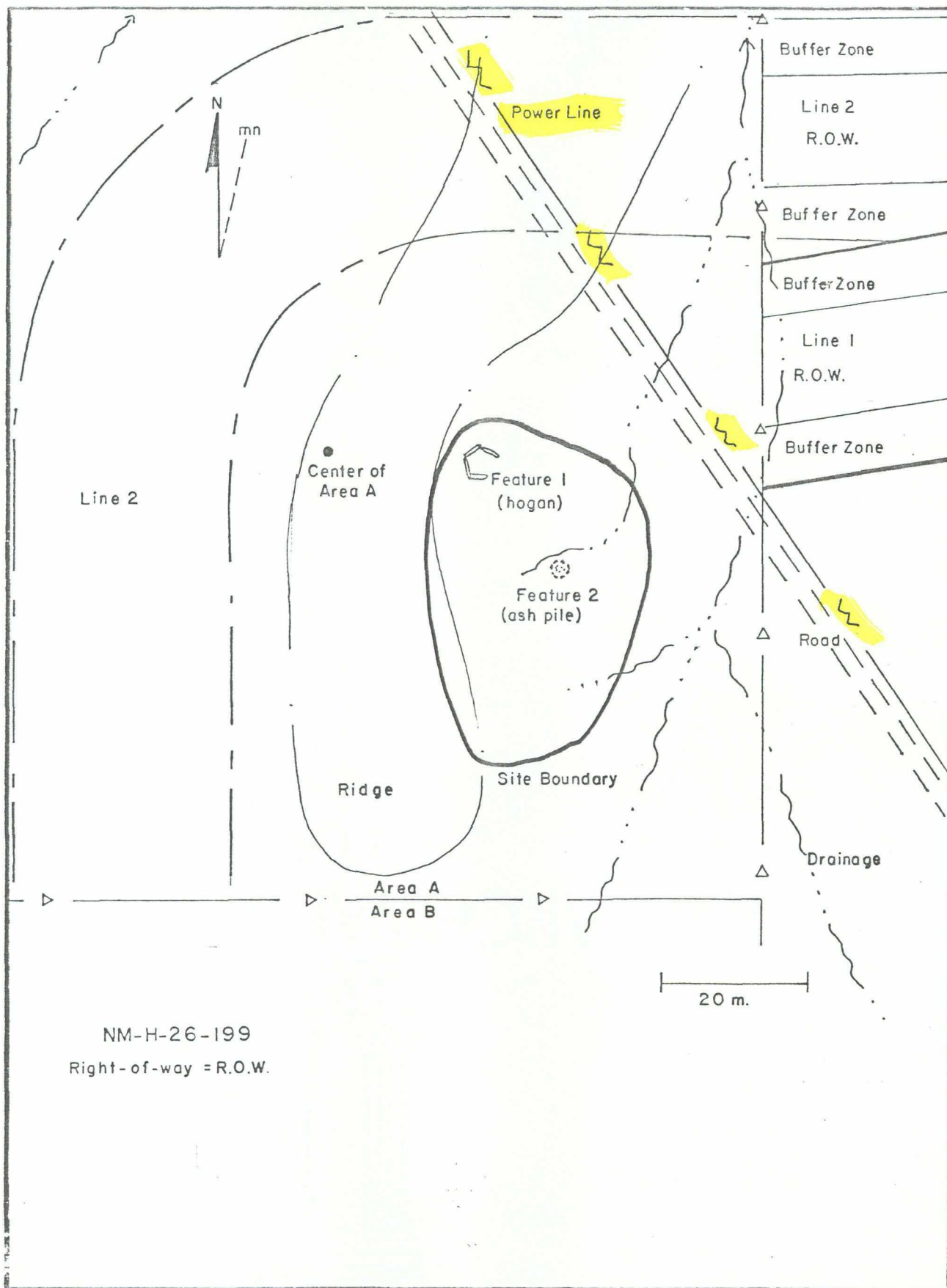
Site NM-H-26-199 is located within the original location (Area A). The site can be totally avoided through the use of the relocated well pad within Area C. Since the well pad 3-E has been relocated and the proposed pipeline and access road have been rerouted through Line 3, archaeological clearance has been recommended for the construction of the proposed Fairfield No. 3-E well in Area C and the pipeline and access road to be constructed within the right-of-way of Line 1 from Station 00+00 to Station 33+15.2 and within Line 3.

This report has been submitted to the BIA Area Archeologist in Window Rock, Arizona, for review. Once a clearance determination has been made you will hear directly from them. Should you have any questions pertaining to this report, please feel free to call me at (505) 327-6115.

Sincerely,



Clifford Werito
Archaeologist, NNCRMP



All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

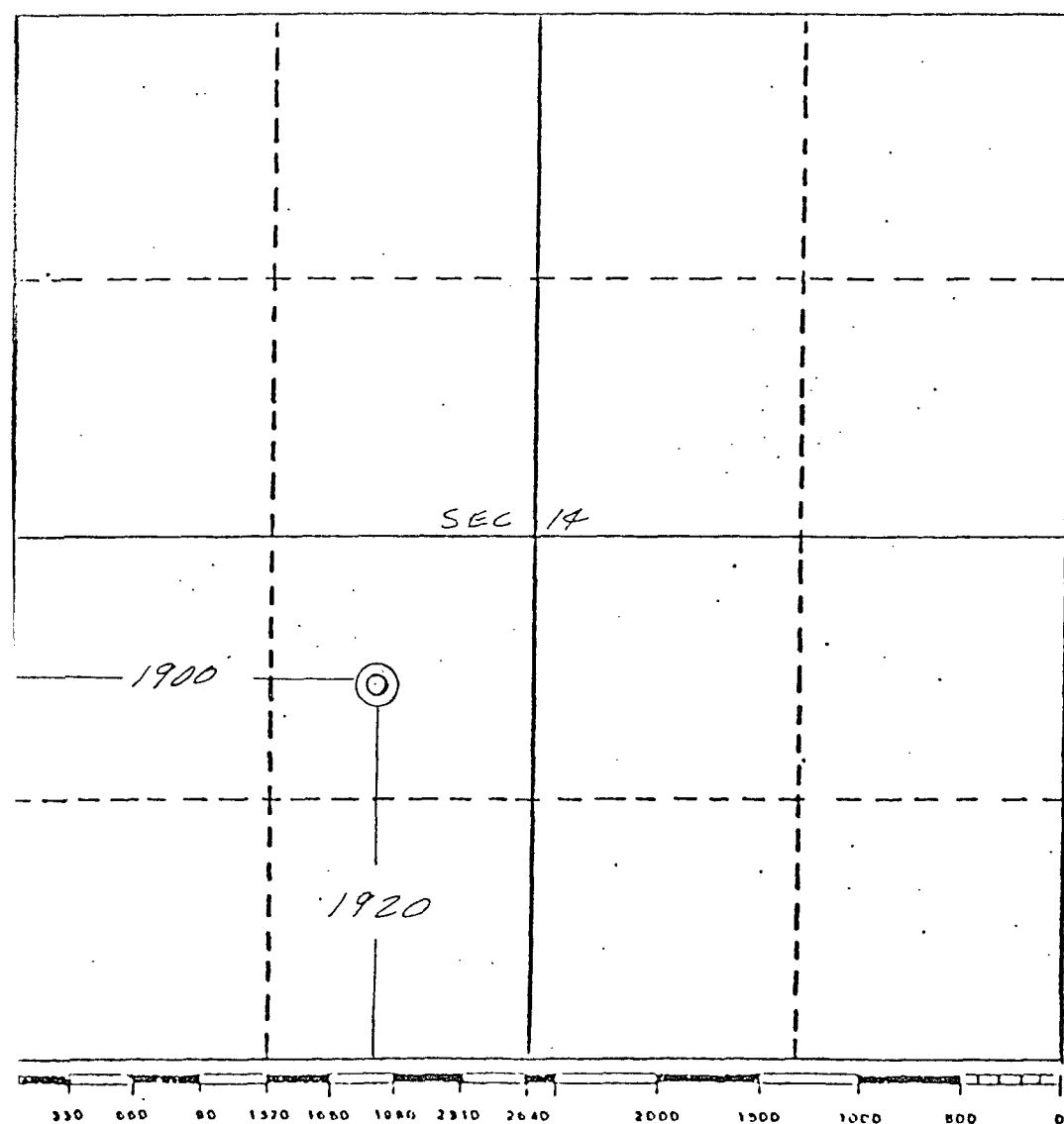
Operator Curtis J. Little		Lease Fairfield		Well No. 3E	
Unit Letter K	Section 14	Township 27 North	Range 13 West	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 1920 feet from the South line and 1900 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev. 5910	Producing Formation Dakota		Pool Basin	Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure 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?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

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 Division.



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Curtis J. Little

Name

CURTIS J. LITTLE

Position

Operator

Company

CURTIS J. LITTLE

Date

May 8, 1986

I hereby certify that the location shown on this plat was located in the 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 knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed

April 29, 1986

Registered Professional Engineer
and/or Land Surveyor

Edgar L. Risenhoover

Certificate No. 5979

Edgar L. Risenhoover, L.S.



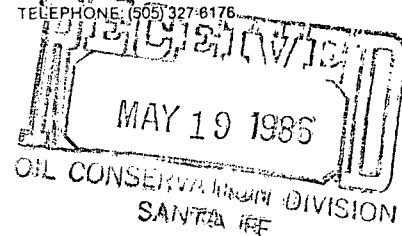
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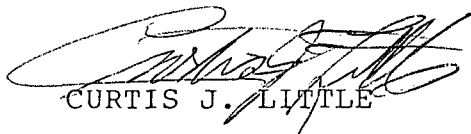
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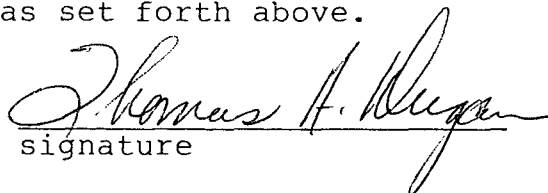
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5-10-86
date

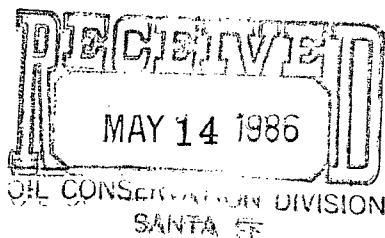

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5-12-86
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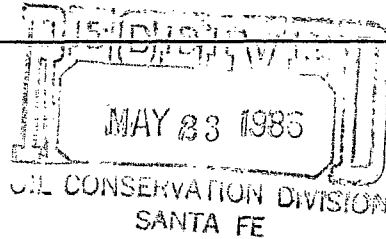
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AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

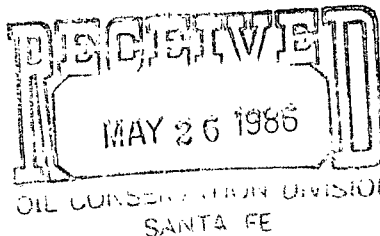
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BOX 2088
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DATE 5-22-86

RE: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____



Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 5-21-86
for the Curtis J. Little Fairfield #3E K-14-27N-R13W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit,

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve

Yours truly,

E. J. Bush