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Attention: C.P. Basham

Administrative Order NSL-3166

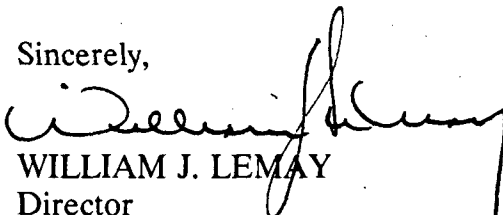
Dear Mr. Basham:

Reference is made to your application dated September 9, 1992 for three non-standard oil well locations to permit the completion of an efficient production/injection pattern within the Rhodes Yates Waterflood Project, established by Division Order No. R-4521, dated May 17, 1973, Rhodes Yates Pool, Rhodes Yates Unit, Lea County, New Mexico. All three wells are to be located in Section 27, Township 26 South, Range 37 East, NMPM.

Well No	Footage Location	Unit	Dedicated 40-Acre Tract
14	2445' FNL - 1521' FWL	F	SE/4 NW/4
15	1516' FSL - 1453' FWL	K	NE/4 SW/4
16	1295' FNL - 1357' FWL	C	NE/4 NW/4

By the authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104.F.(1) the above-described unorthodox oil well locations are hereby approved.

Sincerely,


WILLIAM J. LEMAY
Director

WJL/MES/jc

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
U.S. BLM - Carlsbad