

State of New Mexico
ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



July 5, 1995

Exxon Company, USA
P.O. Box 1600
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Attention: Alex M. Correa

Administrative Order NSL-3542

Dear Mr. Correa:

Reference is made to your application dated April 21, 1995 for a non-standard Tubb gas well location for your existing F. F. Hardison "B" Well No. 3 (**API No. 30-025-07010**) which was originally drilled in 1946 and completed in the Drinkard Pool at a standard oil well location 2012 feet from the North line and 1978 feet from the East line (Unit G) of Section 34, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Said well is currently completed as a gas well in the Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool, under authority of Division Order No. NSP-1663, dated March 3, 1993, however said well is shut-in at this time.

It is our understanding that the Blinebry interval will remain shut-in as this well is to be recompleted as a gas well in the Tubb Oil and Gas Pool, which pursuant to the "*General Rules for the Prorated Gas Pools of New Mexico/Special Rules and Regulations for the Tubb Oil and Gas Pool*", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended, is also unorthodox. Further, the NE/4 of said Section 34 shall be dedicated to the well forming a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit for the Tubb Oil and Gas Pool.

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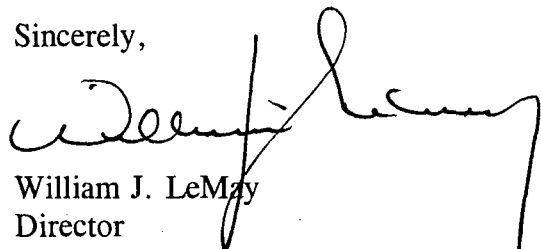
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By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 2(c) of said Special Rules and Regulations, the aforementioned F. F. Hardison "B" Well No. 3 located at an unorthodox Tubbs gas well location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William J. LeMay". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

William J. LeMay
Director

WJL/MES/kv

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
File: NSP-1663