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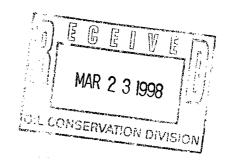
Mid-Continent Region Exploration/Production Conoco Inc. 10 Desta Drive, Suite 100W Midland, TX 79705-4500 (915) 686-5400

March 17, 1998

Mr. Michael Stogner New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 2040 Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

RE: Application for Non-Standard Location Jicarilla 22 #6 API # 30-039-20442

Dear Mr. Stogner,



The proposed recompletion of this well in the Mesaverde requires a non-standard location order. This well is located in Section 22, T-25-N, R-4-W, A, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The well is currently producing from the Lindrith West Gallup/Dakota pool. The Blanco Mesaverde pool rules require a standard location to be 790' from the Section line. This well is located 670' FEL & 830' FNL. We are requesting a non-standard location order be given for the Mesaverde.

As shown on the attached production plot for completions nearest to the Jicarilla 22 #6, estimated recoveries and initial production rates from wells completed in the Mesaverde formation are insufficient to justify drilling stand alone wells. Utilization of the Jicarilla 22 #6 will prevent economic waste by allowing access to the Mesaverde in an existing wellbore. Note that this location is standard as regards to the current Jicarilla 22 #6 completion in the Lindrith West Gallup/Dakota Pool. An application to downhole commingle production utilizing the subtraction allocation method has been filed.

The offset operator plat shows that M&W Petroleum is the only offset operator that could be affected by this non-standard location. Please find enclosed evidence that they have been notified.

A non-standard location order is requested based on the reasons given in the preceding paragraph. If there are further questions concerning this application please call me at (915) 686-5798.

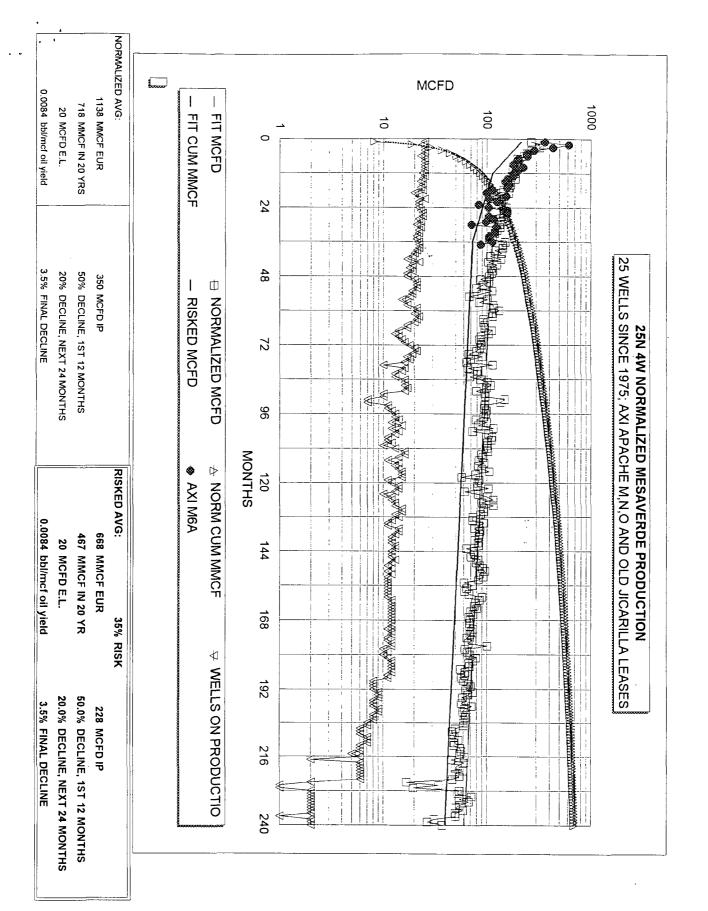
Sincerely,

Kay Maddox

Regulatory Agent/ Conoco, Inc.

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec



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## WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

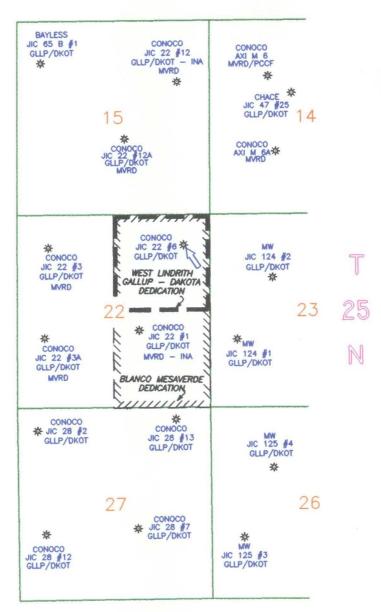
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All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section Well No. Leane Continental Oil Company Jicarilla 22 Grat Letter County Townships Hange 22 25 North 4 West Rio Arriba 670 830 East North feet firm the Unit and Ground Level Elev. Producing Formation Dedicated Acreage: 7112 Gallup-Dakota West Lindrith Gallup-Dakota 160 Acres 1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure 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 dated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling. etc? JUN 1 2 1972 If answer is "yes," type of consolidation \_ OIL CON. COM. If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolid 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 Commission. CERTIFICATION & I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Administrative Supervisor CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY D≈te June 8, 1972 I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from 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 Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor Certificate de. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_



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NOTES		EPNGNA MIDLAND DIVISION				
NOTE:	DATE: 3/04/98	CONOCO JICARILLA 22 LEASE				
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BUT NON-STANDARD FOR A BLANCO MESAVERDE (POINT LOOKOUT) RECOMPLETION.	APPROVED BY:	STATE COUNTY WELL DRAWING				
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Jicarilla 22 #6 API # 30-039-20442 Section 22, T-25-N, R-4-W Rio Arriba County, NM

## **Offset Operators:**

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