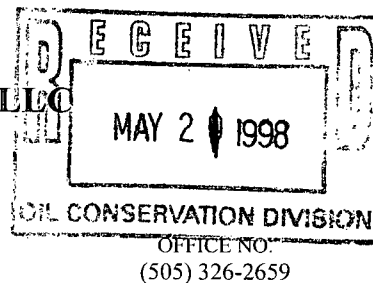


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ROBERT L. BAYLESS, PRODUCER LLC

P. O. BOX 168
FARMINGTON, NM 87499

FAX NO.
(505) 326-6911



May 15, 1998

Ms. Lori Wrotenbery, Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested

Universal Resources #Z 382113889
Taurus Exploration #Z 382113888
Cross Timbers #Z 382113890

RE: Request for Administrative Approval of
an Unorthodox Basin Fruitland Coal Location
Robert L. Bayless
Tiger #8
710' FNL & 1415' FWL
Section 34, T30N, R13W
San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

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Enclosed with this request you will find a map showing the existing offsetting wells to our proposed well as well as ownership of Fruitland Coal rights around it. Other than a Bayless well location staked in the northeast quarter of section 34, there are no Fruitland Coal wells offsetting the proposed Tiger No. 8. Also enclosed you will find an acreage dedication plat for the Tiger No. 8 and copies of this letter which were sent to offset leaseholders. As per NMOCD regulations, by copy of this letter to offset leaseholders, Robert L. Bayless is asking offset leaseholders to waive any objection to this Fruitland Coal unorthodox location.

I believe this request provides all the information required by NMOCD regulations for an unorthodox location. If any other information is needed, please call. Your prompt response to this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Tom McCarthy
Engineer

enc.

The undersigned has no objection to the
Unorthodox Location request.

By: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

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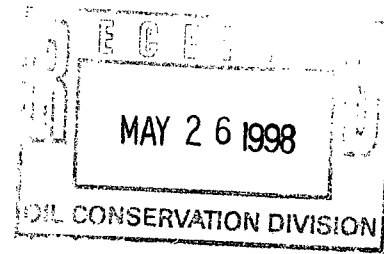
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TAURUS

TAURUS EXPLORATION, INC.
2198 Bloomfield Highway
Farmington, New Mexico 87401
Telephone (505) 325-6800

May 22, 1998

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RE: Waiver of Objection
Tiger 8
710' FNL & 1415' FWL
Sec. 34-T30N-R13W
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Enclosed is an executed waiver of any objection to Bayless' request for administrative approval of an unorthodox location involving the captioned well.

If there should be any questions please let me know.

Sincerely,

Richard P. Corcoran
District Landman

RPC/df

cc: Tucker Bayless, Robert L. Bayless, Producer LLC

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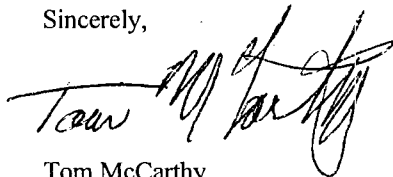
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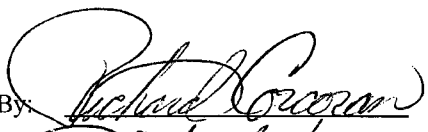
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Engineer

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By: 
Title: District Landman
Date: May 22, 1998

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PO Box 2088, Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

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☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

1 API Number		2 Pool Code		3 Pool Name BASIN FRUITLAND COAL	
4 Property Code		5 Property Name TIGER			6 Well Number 8
7 OGRID No.		8 Operator Name ROBERT L. BAYLESS			9 Elevation 5679

10 Surface Location

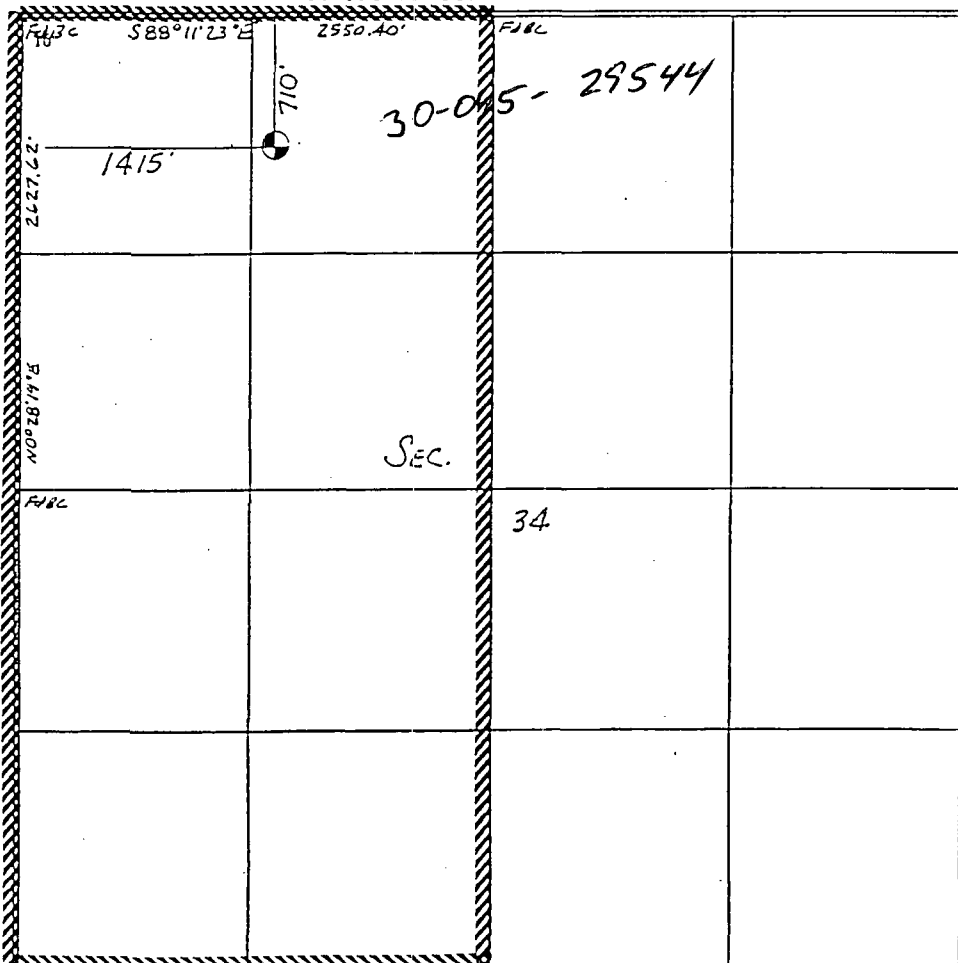
UL or lot no. C	Section 34	Township 30 N	Range 13 W	Lot Idn	Feet from the 710	North/South line North	Feet from the 1415	East/West line West	County San Juan
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11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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12 Dedicated Acres	13 Joint or Infill	14 Consolidation Code	15 Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

	17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief Signature PRICE M. BAYLESS Printed Name ENGINEER Title 2/10/98 Date
	18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION 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 belief. 2 Feb 1998 Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor #8466 William R. Mahnke II Certificate Number 8466

