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Mid-Continent Region Exploration/Production

February 25, 1999

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

RE: Application for Non-Standard location Basin Dakota Pool San Juan 28-7 Unit # 126M 1730' FNL & 2165' FWL Unit Ltr F, Section 1, T-26-N, R-7-W Rio Arriba, NM 27A

Dear Mr. Stogner,

Conoco, Inc plans to drill the above referenced well in 1999. The Basin Dakota pool rules state that this well must be 790' from the center section line. This well is staked 1730' FNL & 2165' FWL. This location places the well only 475' from the center half-section line thereby requiring this application for a non-standard location order. The referenced location is an open 160-acre Dakota infill drill site. In an effort to prevent waste and too effectively/efficiently develop and produce the 28-7 unit to its fullest potential, Conoco selected this location to serve two purposes. The location will serve to accommodate both a primary, 160 acre Dakota infill, and an 80 acre Mesaverde infill withdrawal point (per Order No. R-10987-A, issued out of case No. 12069). Topography, arch, and infrastructure also played a role in limiting our location selection. The ability to access both horizons in a single wellbore well reduce development costs and surface disturbance. Please note that the location is interior to the 28-7 unit, and does not encroach on any unit boundaries. An application to downhole commingle (C-107A) Blanco Mesaverde and Basin Dakota will be filed concurrently (per Order No. R-10476-B, issued out of case No. 11815).

Conoco respectfully requests that a non-standard location for the Basin Dakota Pool be issued for the referenced well for the reasons cited above. If there are any further questions concerning this application, please feel free to call me at (915) 686-5798.

Sincerely, ′Ka**∛** Maddox

Regulatory Agent

Cc: OCD Aztec

Conoco Inc. 10 Desta Drive, Suite 100W Midland, TX 79705-4500 (915) 686-5400



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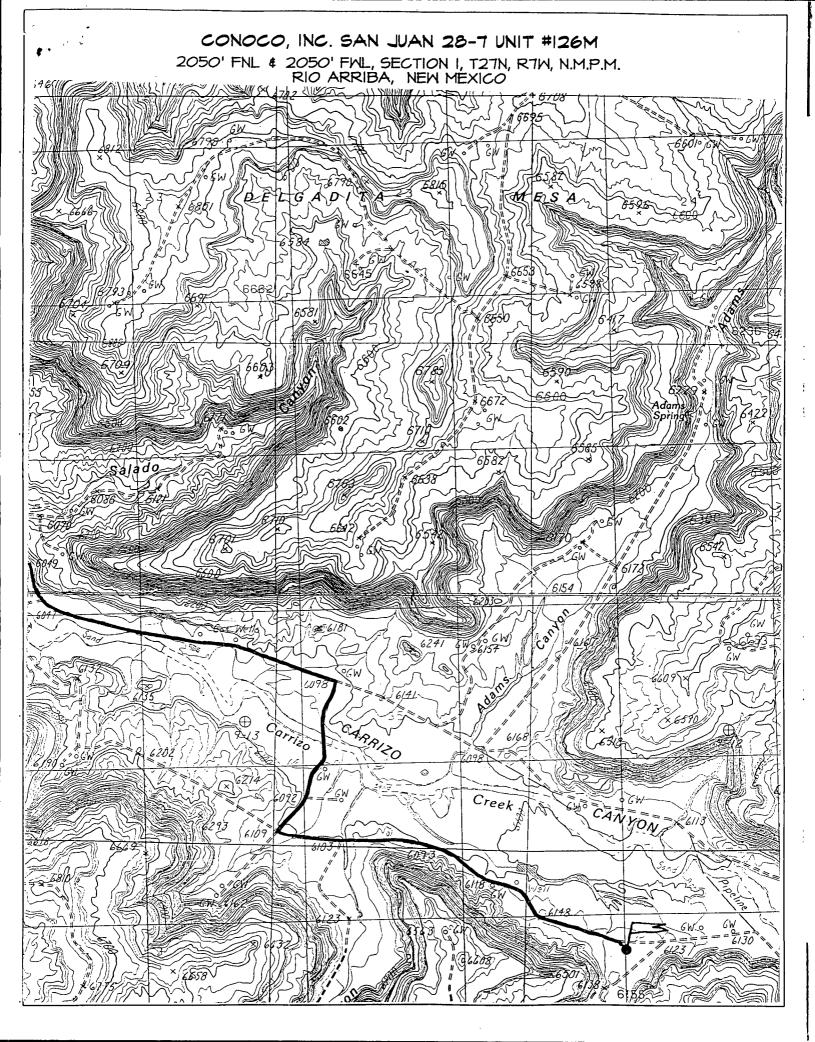
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San Juan 28-7 Unit Well # 126M

Conoco, Inc is the sole operator of the 28-7 Unit. This well does not encroach on any outside unit boundary lines therefore there are no offset operators to be notified.

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