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Mr. Richard L. Stamets  
Oil Conservation Division  
P. O. Box 2088  
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Re: Rio Pecos Corporation

Dear Mr. Stamets:

Please set the enclosed application for hearing on  
July 31, 1985.

Very truly yours,

  
W. Thomas Kellahin

WTK:ca  
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cc: Scott Wilson  
Rio Pecos Corporation  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF RIO PECOS CORPORATION, FOR  
AN UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE: 8663

A P P L I C A T I O N

Comes now RIO PECOS CORPORATION, by and through its attorneys, Kellahin & Kellahin, and applies to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for an order approving an unorthodox oil well location in the Casey-Strawn Pool at a location 1470 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 27, T16S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof would show:

1. Applicant has the right to drill and develop the S/2NW/4 of Section 27, T26S, R37E, NMPM.
2. Applicant proposes to drill a well to test the Casey-Strawn Pool at a location 1470 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 27, T16S, R37E, NMPM.
3. The Special Rules of the Casey-Strawn oil pool require a standard location within 150 feet of the center of any governmental quarter-quarter section.
4. The subject well will be closer to the outer boundary of the spacing and proration unit than is allowed by the special rules.

5. Applicant proposes to dedicate an 80-acre tract  
consisting of the S/2NW/4 of said Section 27 to the well.

6. This application will prevent waste and protect  
correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, after notice and hearing, the applicant  
requests that this application be granted.

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