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February 16, 2007

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1301 W. Grand Ave. Artesia, New Mexico 87504

Attention: Mr. Tim Gumm

Re:

**Unorthodox Location** 

Administrative Approval Request

Burch Keely Unit #985 1170' FNL & 290' FEL Section 24 T-17S R-29E Eddy County, New Mexico

30-015-35440

Dear Mr. Gumm:

Marbob Energy Corporation respectfully requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location of the Burch Keely Unit #985 well as referenced above. Attached is an OCD Form C-102 showing the proposed oil well spacing unit along with a map showing the adjoining spacing units. The well is unorthodox to the east boundary of the NE/4NE/4. The affected spacing unit is included in the Burch Keely Federal Unit which covers all of Section 24. Notice has been provided to the operator and working interest owners of that unit.

This location will also increase our secondary/tertiary flood pattern options and give us more flexibility to modify or change flood patterns in the future to maximize oil recovery from this unit. The surface problem encountered was cultural but the fifty foot move was perceived as a reasonable compromise and this was the only acceptable location to the archeologist.

Thank you for your consideration of this. If you need to talk with me further please call me at 800-748-1550.

Sincerely,

William Miller

Land Department

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/wm **Attachments** 

> **BRYAN G. ARRANT** DISTRICT II GEOLOGIST

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## State of New Mexico

DISTRICT I 1625 N. FRENCH DR., HOBBS, NM 88240

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

DISTRICT II

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DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISI 1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



orm C-102 Revised October 12, 2005 Submit to Appropriate District Office State Lease - 4 Copies

Fee Lease - 3 Copies

DISTRICT IV 1220 S. ST. FRANCIS DR., SANTA FE, NM 875	WELL LOCATION AND	ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT	□ AMENDED REPORT			
API Number	Pool Code	Pool Code Pool Name				
	28509	GRBG JACKSON SR Q GRB	G SA			
Property Code	Prop	Property Name				
	BURCH	BURCH KEELY UNIT				
OGRID No.		ator Name	Elevation			
14049	MARBOB ENER	GY CORPORATION	3609'			

## Surface Location

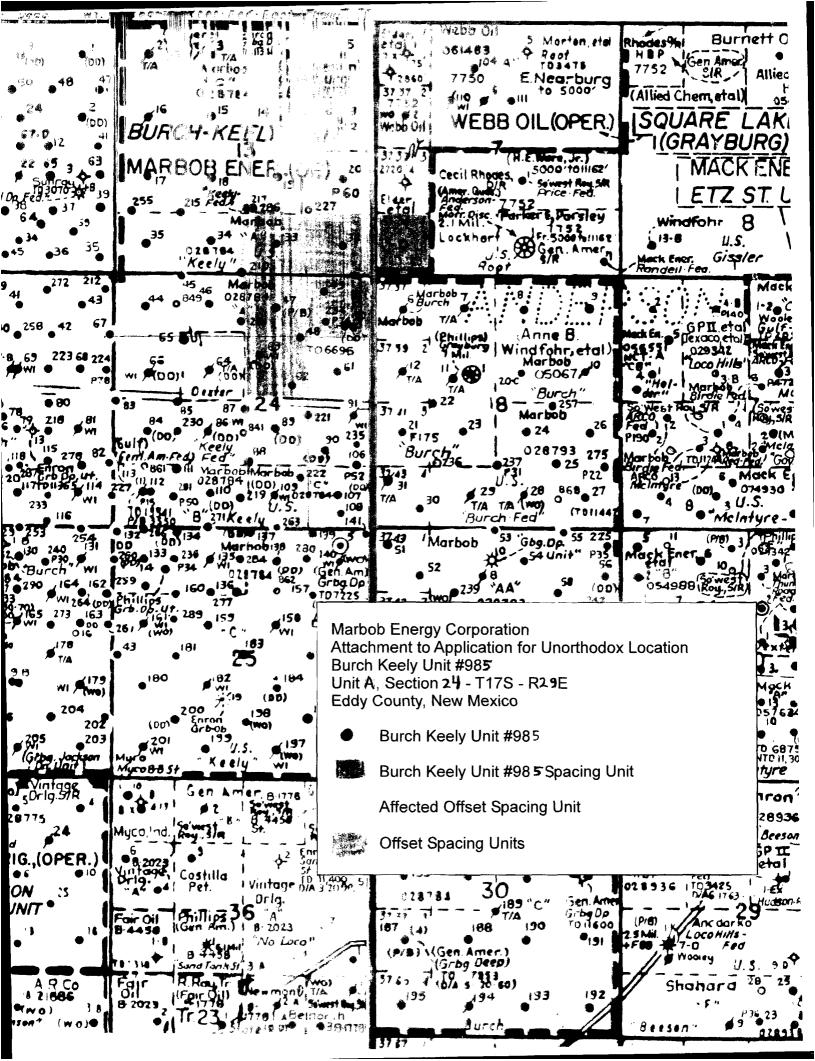
UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
Α	24	17-S	29-E		1170	NORTH	290	EAST	EDDY

## Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
Dedicated Acre	s Joint o	r Infill Co	nsolidation (	Code Or	der 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 TI	HE DIVISION
3612.8'	OPERATOR CERTIFICATION  I hereby certify that the information herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.  ONLY I. MILLIAM J. 2007  Signature Date  Nancy T. Agnew  Printed Name  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.
	NOVEMBER 09, 2006  Date Surveyed DSR Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor  Day 1 20mm/2/5/06  06.11.1771  Certificate No. GARY EDSON 12641





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Marbob Energy Corp. P.O. Box 227 Artesia, NM 88221-0227

> RE: Unorthodox Surface Location Administrative Approval Request Burch Keely #985 1170' FNL & 290' FEL Section 24, T-17S R-29E Eddy County, New Mexico

## Gentlemen:

This letter will serve as notice of our application for the above described unorthodox location. A copy of the complete application is enclosed for your review. If you object to this application please advise OCD Santa Fe in a timely manner. If you do not object no action is required on your part. If you have any questions regarding this please contact me.

Sincerely,

William Miller Land Department

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/wm Enclosures