GRIMM OIL COMPANY

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JACK F. GRIMM

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Mr. George M. Hatch New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 O. C. C. Artesia, office

Dear Mr. Hatch,

An application to drill the Jack F. Grimm #1 J. P. White, Jr., well has been submitted to the district office in Artesia.

The application shows the location to be 1,500' from the West line and 880' from the South line of Section 20, T. 11S, R. 29E, Chaves County, New Mexico.

I hereby request permission to drill the well at the above described location. I have oil and gas leases on all of the land surrounding this irregular location and the mineral interest is not affected in any way by this location. The reason for staking it is that the geophysical data indicated that this was a high structure point for a Devonian test.

This letter is being written to you as instructed by you in our telephone conversation today and I hope that the location will be approved as herein stated.

Sincerely yours,

JFG: jm

cc: W. A. Gressett

Drawer DD Artesia, N. Mex. 88210