Mid-Continent Region Exploration/Production

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

RE: Application to Amend NSL Order # 4411 To Wildcat Seven Rivers

> State B-19 #2 Section 19, T-18-S, R-37-E, H API # 30-025-34936 Lea County, NM

Dear Mr. Stogner,

Conoco applied for a Non-Standard location for this well to test the Abo in February, 2000. You approved this request with Order # 4411 as a non-standard Undesignated Goodwin- Abo well. This well was spudded March 21, reached a TD of 7950' on April 6. The Abo was perforated, fraced, and tested non-productive. The drilling unit was moved off and the well was temporarily abandoned pending data evaluation. Based on log calculations and a show of oil on the pits when drilling through this formation, Conoco's geoscientists believe that this well is a Northern extension connecting the East Eumont pool with the NW Eumont pool. The closest Eumont production is the Southwest Royalty, McMillian #2 located in Section 29, T-18-S, R-37-E, Unit letter K. This production is more than 1 mile from the State B-19 #2. Conoco believes that this well will be completed as an oil well thereby requiring a standard proration unit of 40 acres just like the Goodwin – Abo. The N/2, N/2 SW/2 and SE/4 of Section 19 is a single state lease issued by the NMSLO (Lease # BH-1535) in which Conoco, Inc is the leasehold operators; therefore, there are no effected offsets to the subject 40 acre tract other than Conoco, Inc. In order to prevent economic waste, Conoco, Inc. request that NSL Order #4411 be amended to the Wildcat Seven Rivers.

A workover unit has become available to us that could move on this well Friday, July 21. As I am sure you are aware due to increased activity in New Mexico, scheduling projects is very tenuous. In light of this activity, I am sure you are covered up. However, I am <u>respectfully</u> requesting that you <u>please</u> review this NSL amendment today and respond with your evaluation of the feasibility of doing this work immediately. Thank you very much.

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Kay Maddox Regulatory Agent - Conoco, Inc