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October 14, 1976

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attn: Joe Ramey

Re: State of New Mexico Lease L-5316 Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

I am proposing to re-enter the Stanolind #1 State "AF" located 1787 feet from the North line and 467 feet from the East line of Section 3, Township 17 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico. This well was drilled to a total depth of 13,**6**00 feet and plugged and abandoned in 1954. As this is a nonstandard location it is requested that we be given administrative approval to re-enter this hole.

I am the operator of all acreage shown on the attached plat as 'West''. Exxon, Houston Natural Gas and Texaco, as off-set operators, were notified of this proposed re-entry in September.

Please advise at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

Tom L. Ingram

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cc: Houston Natural Gas Oil Company Texaco, Inc. Exxon Corporation Marathon Oil Company West Oil Company OCC - Hobbs