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Mr. R. L. Stamets
New Mexico Oil
Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: New Mexico State No. 1
Lea County, New Mexico

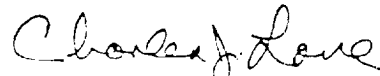
Dear Mr. Stamets:

Mid-America Petroleum, Inc., is operator of the above referenced gas well which was originally permitted for a standard location in the La Rica Morrow field. Application was made for a new Morrow pool and when granted was classified as the East La Rica Morrow. At this time this location was "grandfathered" in. The acreage dedicated to this well is 320 acres in the N/2 of Sec. 2 T-19-S R-34-E.

We now wish to drill a second Morrow test located 1980' FNL & 1650' FEL, Section 2. To do this the 320 acre spacing unit must be revised to E/2 and W/2 320's. This would give us an unorthodox location for the New Mexico State No. 1.

We hereby apply for an unorthodox location for the New Mexico State No. 1 located 1734' FNL & 1650' FWL, Section 2 T-19-S R-34-E, with the spacing unit comprised of 320 acres in the W/2 Sec. 2. We are enclosing letter waivers from all offset operators.

Very truly yours,



Charles J. Love
Production Manager

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