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RE: Proposed:

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Gentlemen:

I have examined the application for the:

Buccous 17 #-A 17-175-380 Jacolo 7 Operator

and my recommendations are as follows:

Yours very truly, Jerry Sexton Supervisor, District 1

NSL-3710 9/10/96

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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

September 6, 1996

William J. LeMay, Director State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attention: Engineering Department

RE: Letter dated August 30, 1996 (attached) requesting Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Location Burrows 17 Lease, Well #1 870' FNL & 1180' FEL, Section 17, T17S, R38E Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Maralo, Inc. has revised the surface location footage for the Burrows 17 lease, Well #1. The adjusted measurement, 870' FNL & 1180' FEL, remains a non-standard location. A corrected copy of the application for Permit to Drill (Form C-101), Acreage Dedication Plat (Form C-102), Location Verification and Vicinity Maps are enclosed in duplicate.

We would appreciate prompt administrative approval due to immediate drilling rig availability.

Sincerely,

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Dorothea Logan Regulatory Analyst

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cc: OCD/Hobbs, NM

Maralo Inc. / P.O. Box 832 / Midland, Texas 79702 / (915) 684-7441



August 30, 1996

William J. LeMay, Director State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attention: Engineering Department

RE: Application for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Location on Burrows 17 Lease, Well #1 800' FNL & 1300' FEL, Section 17, T17S, R38E Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Maralo, Inc., hereby requests administrative approval for an exception to Rule G-104(B)(1) Exploration Well on the Burrows 17, Well #1. This non-standard location is based upon the geologic considerations of structural positioning and quality of seismic data.

A copy of the geologic exhibit, Application for Permit to Drill (Form C-101), Acreage Dedication Plat (Form C-102), Location Verification and Vicinity Maps are enclosed.

There are <u>no</u> other owners within the 990-foot radius of the proposed location. If you have any question regarding this request, please contact Richard Gill, Petroleum Engineer or Shane Lough, Geologist at (915) 684-7441.

Sincerely,

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cc: OCD/Hobbs, NM