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April 10, 1991

RE: Application for Unorthodox Location  
Gem, 8705 JV-P, Well No. 4  
Wildcat, Atoka  
510 FSL & 1980' FWL  
Sec. 2, T20S, R33E  
Lea County, New Mexico

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
Energy & Minerals Department  
Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
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Attn: Mr. Michael Stogner

Gentlemen:

BTA hereby requests administrative approval to drill an Atoka test at the above referenced location.

The necessity of this location is due to surface obstruction with a dry hole located at the legal location of 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line.

BTA operates three wells in this section producing from the Teas (Bone Spring). This well has been permitted in the Teas (Bone Spring) and, if administrative approval is obtained as a result of this application, we will drill to the Atoka at 12,900 feet.