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PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT
SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION

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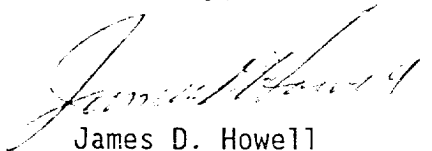
Application for Unorthodox Location
BTA-Bell Lake, 7909 JV-P Well #1
Mid-Bell Lake (Morrow) Pool
Unit F, Sec. 18, T23S, R34E
Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240-1980

Attn: Mr. Jerry Sexton

BTA Oil Producers has advised Exxon Corporation of their application for an unorthodox location for the above referenced well. Exxon does not object to BTA completing an unorthodox location well in the Mid-Bell Lake (Morrow) Pool in Unit F, of Section 18, referenced above.

Sincerely,



James D. Howell

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