

BRIDGE OIL (U.S.A.) INC.

Manager for PETRUS OIL COMPANY, L.P. PIN OAK JOINT VENTURE

December 15, 1989

Division Director Oil Conservation Commission Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87501

Dear Sir:

By copy of this letter, we are hereby requesting administrative approval for exception to well location requirements. Attached please find a copy of Petrus Oil Company, L.P.'s application for permit to drill the Langlie Mattix Queen Unit Well No. 43 located in Lea County, New Mexico. The unorthodox location is needed to commence an infill drilling program in the Langlie Mattix Queen Unit. This additional development will allow Petrus to complete a more efficient production and injection pattern and increase the ultimate primary and secondary recovery from the unit.

Attached for your information is a plat showing the proposed location and lease ownership in the general area. Since the proposed location falls in a center spacing unit within the Langlie Mattix Unit, we are not required to notify offset operators of this request.

If you should require any additional information, please contact me at (214) 788-3397.

Sincerely,

Sheryl J. Carruth

Sheryl J. Carruth Technical Assistant

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Enclosure

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