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Gentlemen:

Getty Oil Company requests approval to downhole commingle the Fren 7-Rivers and Grayburg Jackson zones in Federal well no. 11 on the Skelly Unit, located at Unit ltr. I, Sec. 21, T17S, R31E, Eddy County, New Mexico. At present, well no. 11 is producing the two Permian zones as a dual completion, with the flow-streams commingled at the surface.

Average daily production for the well is 45 BOPD (34 BO from the 7-Rivers, 11 from the Grayburg) and 64 BWPD (37 BW from the 7-Rivers, 27 from the Grayburg) along with 52 MCFPD of 7-Rivers gas. Since both oil streams are considered sweet crude, there would be no loss in oil value after commingling downhole. Existing pumping equipment will effectively pump off the two pays. No loss of production or damage, resulting from commingling should occur. By commingling downhole, as opposed to current surface commingling, significant reduction of equipment and operating costs will be realized.

Please forward an approved copy (if approved) to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission and return (1) copy to us.

Sincerely,

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