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August 22, 1984

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Administrative Order No. DHC-512

Dugan Production Corp. P. O. Box 208 Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Attention: Steve Folk, Geologist

Re: Ladd Petroleum's Lindrith No. 14, Unit H, Sec. 4, T-26-N, R-7-W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico Largo Gallup and Basin Dakota Pools

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 303-A of the Division Rules and Regulations for the subject dually completed well to permit the removal of the down-hole separation equipment and to commingle the production from both pools in the wellbore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of Rule 303-C, and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such downhole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and any Administrative Division Order which may have authorized the dual completion and required separation of the two zones, is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with the provisions of Rule 303.C.4., total commingled condensate production from the subject well shall not exceed 40 barrels per day, and total water production from the well shall not exceed 80 barrels per day. The maximum amount of gas which may be produced daily from the well shall be determined by the Gas Allocations for each respective pool printed in the Oil Conservation Division's San Juan Basin Gas Proration Schedule.

Assignment of allowable to the well and allocation of production from the well shall be on the following basis:

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Largo Gallup Pool: Condensate 82%, Gas 82% Basin Dakota Pool: Condensate 18%, Gas 18%

Pursuant to Rule 303-C 5, the commingled authority granted by this order may be rescinded by the Division Director if, in his opinion, conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

Very truly yours,

JOE D. RAMEY, Division Director

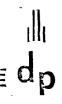


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RE: Proposed MC Proposed DHC Proposed NSL Proposed SWD Proposed WFX Proposed PMX	
Gentlemen: I have examined the application dated http://www.news.application.com/	
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Operator Lease and Well No.	Unit, S-T-R
and my recommendations are as follows:	
Yours truly,	
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## dugan production corp.

July 27, 1984

Joe Ramey, Director New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87501

Re: Request for Administrative Approval to Downhole Commingle Ladd Petroleum's Lindrith #14 Well Largo Gallup and Basin Dakota Pools Unit H, Sec. 4, T26N, R7W, NMPM Rio Arriba Co., NM



## Gentlemen:

We are writing on behalf of Ladd Petroleum Corp. to request administrative approval to commingle production in the wellbore of the Lindrith #14 Well.

The subject well was drilled and completed in 1962 and is located 1850' FNL and 790' FEL, Section 4, T-26-N, R-7-W, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The well is currently dually completed in the Largo Gallup and Basin Dakota pools. The pressure of the Dakota reservoir has declined to a point that it will not flow continuously against the existing pipeline pressure, which averages approximately 350 psi and will load with liquids necessitating the blowing of the Dakota tubing to the atmosphere in order to unload a minor amount of water and condensate that accumulates. At present, the Gallup reservoir is produced through a compressor to meet pipeline pressure requirements and it is our plan to produce the commingled stream through the existing compressor. We believe that downhole commingling of the Lindrith #14 well will improve the Dakota production, eliminate the waste of the gas and condensate (which results from our efforts to unload accumulated fluids and keep the Dakota producing) and will generate increased revenues. This well is assigned a 320 acre production unit consisting of the E/2 of Section 4 (See Figure 1 attached).

Gas from the Gallup and Dakota horizons are subject to the Natural Gas Policy Act Section 104 pricing under a replacement contract. Likewise, the produced condensates from the subject pools are classed as Tier 1 and as such are qualified for Tier 1 windfall profit taxes.

We estimate the remaining reserves of the two pools at 1,072,596 Mcf. The Gallup production represents the majority contribution at 884,040 Mcf or 82%. The Dakota production is estimated to be 188,556 Mcf or 18% of the remaining hydrocarbons. These figures were arrived at using a 9%/year decline for the Largo Callup pool and a 7%/year decline for the

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Basin Dakota pool. Refer to Figures 2 and 2a for the respective production decline curves. Please accept as evidence, the fact that there are Gallup-Dakota commingled wells in the subject area, to show that the fluids from the respective horizons are compatible. Sand and water frac's are a common stimulation practice in the area, therefore, indicating that the formations in question are not fluid-sensitive. We do not anticipate crossflow between zones to be a problem.

The current bottom hole pressure of the Gallup at a depth of 6656' (top perf) is calculated to be 417 psia and the bottom hole pressure of the Dakota at a common datum of 6656' is 746 psia.

The ownership of the subject pools is common. The offset operators indicated in Figure 1 have been notified in writing of this application and by copy of this application we are notifying the Minerals Management Service as this well is located on Federal Lease No. SF-079161.

In summary, we would like to request permission to downhole commingle Ladd Petroleum Corp's Lindrith #14 Well. The pools to be commingled are the Largo Gallup and the Basin Dakota. There are several wells with the Gallup-Dakota commingled in the subject area, namely Ladd Petroleum's Lindrith #13, Unit K, Section 3, T-26-N, R-7-W, NMPM, and Ladd Petroleum's Lindrith #24, Unit F, Section 4, T-26-N, R-7-W, NMPM. We believe that commingling the Lindrith #14 Well will eliminate waste, improve production and prolong the economic life of the well.

If you require more information regarding this application, please do not hesitate to contact me or Mr. John Roe at Dugan Production Corp.

Respectfully,

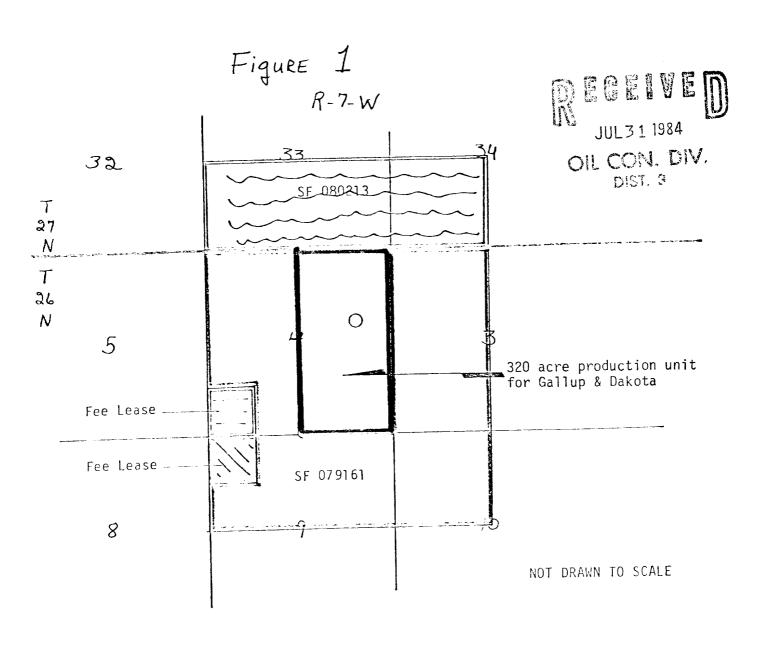
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All Offset Operators



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