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Re: Request for Extension
To Order No. R-1427
O. H. Randell Well No. 4
Gallegos Gallup Oil Pool
San Juan County, New Mexico

*15-26-11
O. H. Randell Well No. 4*

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr. (2)
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico



Dear Sir:

Please refer to Order No. R-1427 which permits flaring of casinghead gas from a new well in the Gallegos Gallup Oil Pool for a period of 90 days in order to give the operator sufficient time to make beneficial use of the produced casinghead gas.

Pan American Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests administrative approval for a 90 day extension of the 90 day flaring period provided under Order No. 1427 for O. H. Randell Well No. 4, located SE/4 SW/4 Section 15, T26N-R11W, Gallegos Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico. O. H. Randell Well No. 4 is a marginal well and an extension of the time to test this well is necessary in order that we might determine if said well is an economic producer and should be connected to the pipeline. The pipeline company is reluctant to connect O. H. Randell Well No. 4 to its gas gathering system because of the low producing rate and the expense involved in connecting the well. Approximately 8000 feet of pipeline will be required to connect the well. An additional testing period is required in order to ascertain if said well will continue to produce at its present rate.

In view of the foregoing, Pan American Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests that a 90 day extension to Order No. R-1427 in order that O. H. Randell Well No. 4 may continue to be produced, and that gas may still be flared during this additional test period.

Yours very truly,

S. B. Richards

cc: Mr. E. C. Arnold

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