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Exception to NMOCD Rule 303 (A). Application to Downhole Commingle Teague;Tubb North (Assoc)/Teague; Drinkard-Abo, North (Assoc) Pools G.W. Sims "B" #1 Unit Letter B, Sec. 9, 23S, 37E Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico Energy and Minerals Department Oil Conservation Commission 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attention: Mr. Ben Stone

Texaco Exploration & Production Inc., respectfully requests administrative approval to downhole commingle the TeagueTubb North (Assoc) and the Teague Drinkard Abo North (Assoc) Pool within the subject wellbore. Currently the well is a dual completion. Texaco operates 100% of the offset acreage, therefore notification of this application is complete. The royalty is common in all zones.

The proposed downhole commingling will provide a more economical means of production. It will allow complete development of the productive capacity on the subject lease by allowing both intervals to be artificially lifted simultaneously. This will extend the productive life of both completions, thereby preventing waste.

The subject well meets all of requirements as set forth by Rule 303 (C). In addition, it should be noted that all produced fluids have entered a common production facility with no fluid compatibility problems.

It is requested that the allocation of production for each zone be allocated to the TeagueTubb North (Assoc) and the Teague Drinkard Abo North (Assoc) Pool by the Fixed Percentage Allocation Formula % for each zone based on previous production. (See form C-107A).

If you have any questions concerning this application, please contact Paula S. Ives at (505)397-0432.

Yours very truly,

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C Paula S. Ives Engineer Assistant

Attachments

cc: Chris Williams/NMOCD/Hobbs

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P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88241-1980

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

Form C-102 Revised February 10,1994 Instructions on back Submit to Appropriate District Office Fee Lease - 3 Copies

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⁴ Property Code 013194					⁵ Property Name SIMS, G. W.					e M			ell No. 1	
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EXHIBIT "B" - CASE NO. 11353, ORDER NO. R-10470-A

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Form C-107-A New 3-12-96 APPROVAL PROCESS Administrative ____Hearing

APPLICATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING

EXISTING WELLBORE

X YES	_ NO
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Texaco Exploration & Producing I	<u>nc.</u>	<u>205 East B</u>	ender	Hobbs, New Mexico	88240
Operator		Address			
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The following facts are submitted in	Lower	Intermediate	Upper
support of downhole commingling:	Zone	Zone	Zone
1. Pool Name and	Teague; Tubb, North (Assoc)		Teague; Drinkard Abo, North (Assoc)
Pool Code	96315		96313
2. Top And Bottom of Pay Section (Perforations)	6098'-6244'		6424'-6995'
3. Type of production			
(Oil or Gas)	Gas		Oil
 Method of Production (Flowing or Artificial Lift) 	Flowing		Flowing
5. Bottomhole Pressure Oil Zones - Artificial Lift: Estimated Current	(Current) a.560 (Original)	а.	a.615
Gas & Oil - Flowing: Measured Current All Gas Zones:	b.	b.	b.
Estimated Or Measured Original			
6. Oil Gravity (* API) or Gas BTU Content	41		41.5
 Producing or Shut-In? Production Marginal? (yes or no) 	Producing Yes		Producing Yes
 If Shut-In, give date and oil/gas/ water rates of last production Note: For new zones with no production 	Date: Rates:		
history, applicant shall be required to attach			
production estimates and supporting data			
* If Producing, give date and oil/gas/	Date:3-97		Date: 3-97
water rates of recent test	Rates:13/208/5		Rates: 12/250/7
(within 60 days)			
8. Fixed Percentage Allocation Formula -% for each zone	Oil: Gas: 52 % 45 %	Oil: Gas: % %	Oil: Gas: 48 % 55 %

9. If allocation Formula is based upon something other than current or past production, or is based upon some other method, submit attachments with supporting data and/or explaining method and providing rate projections or other required data.

10. Are all working, overriding, and royalty interests identical in all commingled zones? <u>X</u> Yes ___ No If not, have all working, overriding, and royalty interests been notified by certified mail? __ Yes __ No Have all offset operators been given written notice of the proposed downhole commingling? X Yes _ No

____Yes X__No If yes, are fluids compatible, will the Formations not be damaged, will any cross-11. Will cross-flow occur? flowed production be recovered, and will the allocation formula be reliable. _Yes __ No (If No, attach explanation)

12. Are all produced fluids from all commingled zones compatible with other?

X_Yes No Yes X_No 13. Will the value of production be decreased by commingling? (If Yes, attach explanation)

14. If this well is on, or communitized with, state or federal lands, either the Commissioner of Public Land or the United States Bureau of Land Management has been notified in writing of this application. X Yes No

ORDER NO(S). 15. NMOCD Reference Cases for Rule 303(C) Exceptions:

16. ATTACHMENTS:

* C-102 for each zone to be commingled showing its spacing unit and acreage deication.

* Production curve for each zone for at lease one year. (If not available, attach explanation.)

* For zones with no production history, estimated production rates and supporting data.

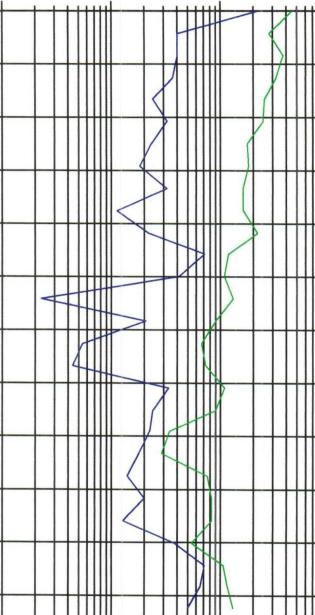
* Notification list of all offset operators.

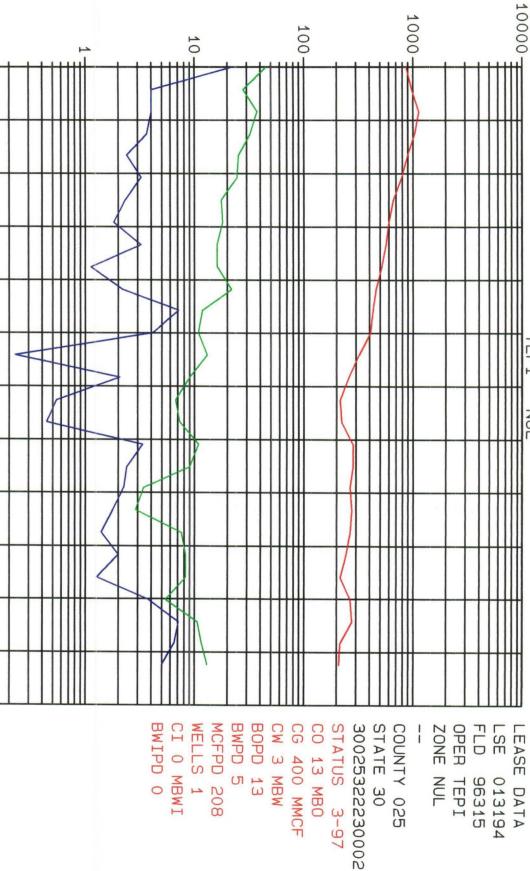
* Notification list of working, overriding, and royalty interests for uncommon interest cases.

Any additional statements, data or documents required to support commingling.

I hereby certity that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief

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TYPE OR PRINT NAME Paula S. Ives	TELEPHONE NO. (505) 397-0432







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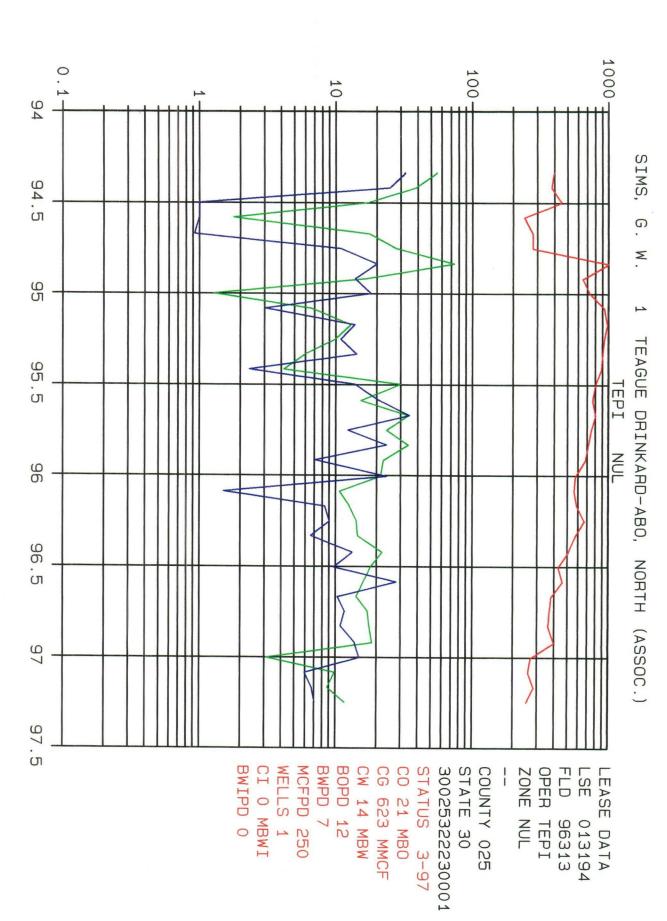
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