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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr., Secretary-Director

RE: Tenneco Oil Company's
Lovejoy Com. #1 Well
1980' FSL & 330' FEL
Sec. 14, T-9-S, R-35-E
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

We hereby request an exception to Rule 104 (c) II (a) concerning the location of the captioned well.

The Lovejoy #1 Well was drilled as an orthodox location for the Bough Devonian Field to a depth of 12,137'. The Devonian zone was non-productive of hydrocarbons. The hole was plugged back in a manner approved by the Oil Conservation Commission in Hobbs and 4-1/2" casing was set and cemented at 4929'. The well was completed as a San Andres gas well in the interval from 4770' to 4836'.

The location of the well is unorthodox for a gas well to which 160 acres can be dedicated.

We request your approval of the unorthodox location so that the 160 acres comprising the SE/4 of Section 14, T-9-S, R-35-E, Lea County, New Mexico, can be dedicated to the well.

The operators of the 40-acre tracts directly and diagonally offsetting the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 14, T-9-S, R-35-E, have been furnished a copy of this request.

Attached is a plat of the area showing the captioned well and other San Andres gas wells.

Your consideration and approval of this request will be appreciated.

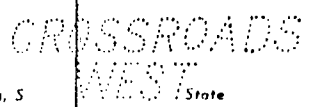
Yours very truly,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY

A. W. Lang

District Production Superintendent
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Attachments

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