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COND ENERGY CORPORATION February 28, 1996

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Telephone:405/235-3611 FAX 405/552-4550

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Principal Office 2040 S. Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

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Re:

Authorization to Commingle at Surface Todd 13 Sand Dunes (Cherry Canyon)

Todd 13 Ingle Wells (Delaware)

Section 13- T23S-R31E Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Attached please find a copy of our application to the BLM to commingle production from the two referenced pools at the surface. We are currently in the process of recompleting the Todd "13K" Federal #11 form the Ingle Wells (Delaware) to the Sand Dunes (Cherry Canyon). I discussed this situation with Tim Gum of your office this date. He indicated that using the gas meter on the test treater as a deduct meter for the time being would be acceptable for the time being.

Ultimately, we will allocate the production based entirely on the well tests. Please advise if you require further information.

Sincerely,

Devon Energy Corporation

Gerald T. (Tom) Pepper

District Engineer

any matter within its jurisdiction

## **UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

PC 935 SF

FORM APPROVED

|   |  | Expires March 31, 1993  |  |  |
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| SUNDRY NOTICES  | AND REPORTS ON WELLS   | 5. Lease Designation and Serial No.   |  |  |
| Do not use this form for proposals to drill o   | NM0404441  |   |  |  |
| Use "APPLICATION FOR  | R PERMIT—" for such proposals  | 6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name  |  |  |
|   |  |   |  |  |
| SUBMIT  | N/A 7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation  |   |  |  |
| 1. Type of Well   | 7  | 7. If Ollt of CA, Agreement Designation   |  |  |
| Other Gas Other   |  | N/A   |  |  |
| 2. Name of Operator DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION (NEVAL)  | 8. Well Name and No.  Todd Federal (please see below)  |   |  |  |
| 3. Address and Telephone No.  |  | 9. API Well No.   |  |  |
| 20 NORTH BROADWAY, SUITE 1500, OKL  | AHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73102 (405) 235-3611  | 10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area   |  |  |
| 4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Des   | scription)   |   |  |  |
| T23S-R31E (please see attached for deta   | ails by well)  | (please see below)  |  |  |
|   |  | 11. County or Parish, State   |  |  |
|   |  | Eddy Cnty, NM   |  |  |
| CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(s)  | TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REF  | PORT, OR OTHER DATA   |  |  |
| TYPE OF SUBMISSION  | TYPE OF ACTION   | l   |  |  |
| Notice of Intent  | Abandonment  | Change of Plans   |  |  |
|   | Recompletion   | New Construction  |  |  |
| Subsequent Report   | Plugging Back  | Non-Routine Fracturing  |  |  |
|   | Casing Repair  | Water Shut-Off  |  |  |
| Final Abandonment Notice  | Altering Casing  | Conversion to Injection   |  |  |
|   | Other Commingling at surface   | Dispose Water   |  |  |
|   |  | (Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well<br>Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)  |  |  |
| <ol> <li>Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pert<br/>locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers</li> </ol> | tinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any and zones pertinent to this work.)* | proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurfa  |  |  |
|   |  |   |  |  |
| Devon Energy Corporation is requesting  | ng approval for surface commingling of hydro   | ocarbon production from the   |  |  |
| following wells.  |  |   |  |  |
| Todd 13K Federal #11 Sand Dune  | s (Cherry Canyon)  | •   |  |  |
| Todd 13N Federal #14 Ingle Wells  |  |   |  |  |
| Todd 1514 I cderal #14 Ingle Wells  | (Dolaware)   | •   |  |  |
| Please be advised we are reque  | sufflike approval for surface comming  | aling with the NMOCD.   |  |  |
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|   |  | Com. Div 😂  |  |  |
| 4. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct  | OIL  | 3105F 7   |  |  |
|   | · · - · · · - · · · · · · · · ·  | DIST. 2   |  |  |
| igned andre K. Draha  | Title ENGINEERING TECH.  | Date 2/26/96  |  |  |
| This space for Federal or State office use)   |  |   |  |  |
| Orig. Signed by Shannon J. Shaw   | PETROLEUM ENGINEER   | 111100  |  |  |
| approved by   | Title  | Date 4/4/96   |  |  |
| Conditions of approval, if any:   |  |   |  |  |

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to

## APPLICATION FOR SURFACE COMMINGLING, OFF LEASE STORAGE AND MEASUREMENT APPROVAL

To: Bureau of Land Management
P. O. Box 1778
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-1778

Devon Energy Corporation is requesting approval for surface commingling of hydrocarbon production from the following formations and wells on Federal Lease No. NM0404441, Lease name: Todd 13 Federal. Production from these wells is currently collected at a facility we will refer to in the remainder of this application as the Todd 13 BC battery, more specifically described below:

| Well    | Loc. | Sec. | Twp. | Rng. | Formation              |
|---------|------|------|------|------|------------------------|
| No.     |      |      |      |      |                        |
| 13K #11 | SW/4 | 13   | T23S | R31E | Ingle Wells (Delaware) |
| 13N #14 | SW/4 | 13   | T23S | R31E | Ingle Wells (Delaware) |

A recompletion is in progress on the 13K-11 well. Production after recompletion will be from a formation designated as a different field by the NMOCD. The new production will be collected at the same battery referred to above, but with the following change in producing formation:

| Well    | Loc. | Sec. | Twp. | Rng. | Formation                  |
|---------|------|------|------|------|----------------------------|
| No.     |      |      |      |      |                            |
| 13K #11 | SW/4 | 13   | T23S | R31E | Sand Dunes (Cherry Canyon) |

Post-recompletion production from the 13-11 should commence later this week. Our current production facilities make it possible to separate liquid production from the wells but the new Cherry Canyon gas production will have to be vented until this application is approved. The attached schematic shows how we will ultimately produce and measure production from the wells after approval to surface commingle. No test data is yet available on the Cherry Canyon production from the 13-11. A recent test on the 13-14 put production at 67 BOPD, 114 MCFD, and 221 BWPD. A map is enclosed showing the lease numbers and location of all leases and wells that will contribute production to the proposed commingling facility. All unitized/communitized areas, producing zones/pools are also clearly illustrated.

A schematic diagram (Exhibit 1) is also attached which clearly identifies all equipment that will be utilized.

**Process and Flow Description**: Under the proposed flow system, both oil and gas production from the Sand Dunes (Cherry Canyon) and Ingle Wells (Delaware) will normally flow to the production treater. A header system currently in place and a second treater (test treater), also in place already, will be used to periodically test each

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well. A gas meter off the vent of the test treater will allow separate measurement of gas while testing, and liquids from the test treater will be dumped to a test tank for separate measurement.

**Production Allocation:** Production allocation will be based on periodic well tests as described above. Allocation of total gas recorded by the Sales Gas Meter will be based on these periodic tests. All liquid storage will be on lease at the 13 BC battery. The working interest owners have been notified of the proposal, and none have opposed it.

The proposed commingling of production is in the interest of conservation and will not result in reduced royalty or improper measurement of production. We understand that the requested approval will not constitute the granting of any right-of-way or construction rights not granted by the lease instrument. Further, we do not anticipate that any such rights will be needed beyond those already existing. We will submit within 30 days any applications for right-of-way approval to the BLM's Realty Section in your office if we determine that any are required.

Signed:

Name:

Gerald T. Pepper

Title:

District Engineer

Date: F

February 26, 1996

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada)

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