March 12, 1997

The Wiser Oil Company 8115 Preston Road Suite 400 Dallas, Texas 75225

Attention: Susan Hopper

Re:

Surface Commingling

Rinewalt Lease

Dear Ms. Hopper:

Reference is made to your application dated March 5, 1997, to surface commingle Drinkard and Penrose Skelly Pool production on the Rinewalt Lease. Please be advised that the application cannot be approved as submitted. I am enclosing a copy of Division Rule No. 303.B for your review. This rule details the information required to be sumitted for approval of a surface commingling request.

Please submit the required information at which time your application will be processed.

If you should have any questions, please contact me at (505) 827-8184.

Sincerely,

David Catanach

Engineer

xc: Non-Compliance File

## THE WISER OIL COMPANY

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March 5, 1997

New Mexico Minerals and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe, NM 87505

Attn: Surface Commingling Department

The Wiser Oil Company as operator of the following wells and leases in Lea County, New Mexico, hereby requests permission to commingle all oil production from same. We currently have only one tank for each lease and are having to shut-in the wells each month due to Shell Pipeline scheduling. Production will be allocated based on well tests. Gravity ranges from 34.5 to 35.7 and is also under one contract. All working and revenue interests are common between the two leases.

| Rinewalt "A" #1 | Drinkard                | 16237 | 30-025-10043 |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-------|--------------|
| Rinewalt 1D     | Penrose Skelly Grayburg | 16243 | 30-025-10042 |

Please let us know as soon as possible what more we need do as our foreman need to begin connecting all production.

Yours very truly,

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Susan Hopper