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MASE FILE - 10418

Amoco Production Company P. O. Box 800 Denver, Colorado 80201

Attn: Mr. J. W. Hawkins

Re: Application to Surface Commingle Condensate San Juan 28-7 Unit Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hawkins:

Reference is made to your surface commingling application dated December 16, 1991, wherein you propose to surface commingle condensate production from the San Juan 28-7 Unit Well No. 102-N located on State Lease No. E-290-40. According to the information provided, this well is located in Section 2, Township 27 North, Range 7 West and is producing from both the Blanco-Mesaverde and Blanco-Pictured Cliffs pools and is the only state lease identified as a surface commingling candidate. Your application proposes to surface commingle condensate and water production from the PC separator and pipe it to an existing Mesaverde tank for collection Production into the tank will then be measured each and sales. month and allocated back to the individual well using an annual GOR test. It is our understanding that this well is already included within the Mesaverde and Pictured Cliffs participating areas and therefore are allocated production according to the participation formula in effect.

The Commissioner of Public Lands has this date granted approval to your proposed request. Please be advised than any deviation from your proposed request will be grounds to rescind our approval. Our approval is subject to like approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division and the Bureau of Land Management.

If you have any questions, or if we can be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

JIM BACA COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS BY: FLOYD O. PRANDO, Director Oil/Gas and Minerals Division (505) 827-5744 JB/FOP/pm encls.



#### Amoco Production Company

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Jim Baca New Mexico Commissioner of Public Lands Oil/Gas and Minerals Division P. O. Box 1148 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1148

File: CAW-391-986.511

Application to Surface Commingle Condensate San Juan 28-7 Unit Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Amoco Production Company hereby makes application to surface commingle condensate production from gas wells in the San Juan 28-7 Unit, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. We have received your letter of November 19, 1991 regarding this application. The San Juan 28-7 Unit is a Federal Exploratory Unit consisting of four (4) participating areas. The State of New Mexico, by virtue of its mineral ownership in the participating areas receives royalty from the participating area production regardless of where the wells are located (i.e. on state lands or not). Pursuant to State Land Office Rule 1.055, the following information is provided:

- A. Amoco's application is for permission to surface commingle condensate production from any dual wells or pairs of wells that are located in close proximity to each other within the San Juan 28-7 Unit. This will allow us to use an existing tank to collect the condensate from the dual well and avoid installation of a second tank at each wellsite. The gas production from each well will continue to be separately measured and will not be affected. Attached is the required application fee of thirty dollars (\$30.00).
- B. Attached is NMOCD Hearing Case 10418 Exhibit No. 1, a plat showing the unit boundary and the four participating areas shaded in different colors.
- C. Attached is a portion of Exhibit "B" for the San Juan 28-7 Unit showing details of each of the state leases in the unit.
- D. Attached is a listing of surface commingling candidate wells and the pool from which each well produces. San Juan 28-7 Unit Well No. 102 is currently the only well located on a state lease identified as a surface commingling candidate.

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- Attached is NMOCD Hearing Case 10418 Exhibit No. 3 showing Ε. simple economic analysis for purchasing a new tank. The condensate production from these wells is expected to be very small, approximately 0.1 BCPD per PC well. Currently, this nominal amount of condensate is not being collected and is carried over in the water and/or gas stream. Surface commingling into an existing tank will provide an economic means of collecting this condensate for the benefit of all owners.
- F. Attached is NMOCD Hearing Case 10418 Exhibit No. 4 showing a schematic diagram for a typical commingling system for a dual Mesaverde/Pictured Cliffs well.
- G. Not applicable.
- The condensate commingling operation will require installing H. a separator on the PC well production stream (if not already in place). Condensate and water production from the separator will be separately piped to existing Mesaverde tanks for collection and sales. Production into the tank will be measured each month and allocated back to the individual well using an annual GOR test. An example of this allocation method is attached as NMOCD Hearing Case 10418 Exhibit No. 5.
- The San Juan 28-7 Unit is federally supervised and, therefore, I. requires BLM approval as well as State approval. The BLM has reviewed this plan and is in general agreement with it. They have requested Amoco file for approval on an individual well basis so they have opportunity to observe and approve the annual GOR tests used in this allocation procedure. This level of supervision will ensure the operation is carried out prudently and accurately for the benefit of all owners in the unit.

Sincerely,

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J. W. Hawkins

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Attachments

cc: Tom Lapinski Eric Root Barbara Sturgeon Eric Nitcher John Montero

12/18/91 Jim Bow

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# San Juan 28-7 Unit Surface Commingling Cost Comparison

Cost of New Tank

\$ 7500

## Forecasted Condensate Revenues

0.1 BCPD per PC Well\$20 per BC23.4% Royalties

\$ 560 per year BT

Simple BT Payout

13 years

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### SAN JUAN 28-7 UNIT COMMINGLE ALLOCATION EXAMPLE

	Annual GOR Test <u>(MCF/BBL)</u>	Monthly Gas Prod. MCF	
Well 1 (MV)	270	9720	
Well 2 (PC)	1850	5880	

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Commingled condensate - 37 BBL

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#### 1. <u>Calculate theoretical condensate production:</u>

Well :	1 (MV)	9720	MCF/270 MCF/BBL =	36.00	BBL
Well :	2 (PC)	5880	MCF/1850 MCF/BBL =	3.2	BBL
	Total			39.2	BBL

2. <u>Determine allocation factor for each well:</u>

Well	1	(MV)	36.0	BBL/39.2	BBL =	0.918
Well	2	(PC)	3.2	BBL/39.2	BBL =	0.082

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	Well	1	(MV)	37	BBL	x	0.918	=	34	BBL
	Well	2	(PC)	37	BBL	x	0.082	=	3	BBL

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### Surface Commingling Candidates

San Juan 28-7 Unit

Well	Formation	Location	Well	Formation	Location
SJ 28-7 1	MV	A332807-001	SJ 28-7 60	MV	B192807-060
SJ 28-7 1	PC	A332807-001	SJ 28-7 146	PC	B192807-146
SJ 28-7 8A	MV	1182807-008A			
SJ 28-7 8A	PC	1182807-008A	SJ 28-7 62	MV	G122707-062
SJ 28-7 12A	MV	C172807-012A	SJ 28-7 118	PC	K122707-118
SJ 28-7 12A	PC	C172807-012A			
SJ 28-7 20A	MV	J082807-020A	SJ 28-7 116	PC	G172707-116
SJ 28-7 20A	PC	J082807-020A	SJ 28-7 154	DK	G172707-154
SJ 28-7 30A	MV	E182807-030A	•		
SJ 28-7 30A	PC	E182807-030A	SJ 28-7 187	DK	A242807-187
SJ 28-7 32A	MV	C192807-032A	SJ 28-7 264	PC	A242807-264
SJ 28-7 32A	PC	C192807-032A			
SJ 28-7 33A	MV	J132807-033A			
SJ 28-7 33A	PC	J132807-033A			
SJ 28-7 51A	MV	O242807-051A			
SJ 28-7 51A	PC	O242807-051A			
SJ 28-7 52	MV	H272807-052			
SJ 28-7 52	PC	H272807-052			
SJ 28-7 61A	MV	P102807-061A			
SJ 20-7 01A		P102807-061A			
SJ 28_7 71		L342807-071	•		
SI 28-7 72	FC MV	L342807-071			
SJ 28-7 72		L352007-072			
SJ 28-7 73	MV				•
SJ 28-7 73	PC	A282807_073			
SJ 28-7 74A	MV	112907-0744			
SJ 28-7 74A	PC	1112807-074A			
SJ 287 79	MV	H112707-079			
SJ 28-7 79	PC	H112707-079			
SJ 28-7 81	MV	G092707-081			
SJ 28-7 81	PC	G092707-081			
SJ 28-7 86	ΜV	K072707-086			
SJ 28-7 86	PC	K072707-086			
SJ 28-7 88	MV	A102707-088			
SJ 28-7 88	PC	A102707-088			
SJ 28-7 91	MV	B342807-091			
SJ 28-7 91	PC	B342807-091			
SJ 28-7 94A	MV	E302807-094A			
SJ 28-7 94A	PC	E302807-094A			
SJ 28-7 95	MV	M042707-095			
SJ 28-7 95	PC	M042707-095			
SJ 28-7 102	MV V	N022707-102			
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SJ 28-7 103	MV	A032707-103	:		
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SJ 28-7 104 SI 29 7 104	MV	M032707-104			
SI 28-7 104		MU32707-104	*		
SJ 28-7 106Y		M102707-106X	-		
SJ 28-7 107		MIU2/0/-106X			• •
SJ 28-7 107		112/07 - 107			
SJ 28-7 109		N192707 400			
SJ 28-7 109	MV	N182707 - 109			
SJ 28-7 169	СК	102107 - 109 D092707 - 160			
SJ 28-7 169	PC	D002707160			