

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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Attention: Mike McCredie

Administrative Order TX-178

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your request for an exception to the tubing setting requirements as contained in Division Rule 107(d)(3) for the below-named well.

Pursuant to the authority granted me by Rule 107(d)(4), you are hereby authorized to set 3 1/2 casing with no tubing in the following well:

Well Name and Number: Atlantic A Well No. 19

Location: Sec. 27, T-31-N, R-10-W, NMPM, San Juan  
County, New Mexico

The Division reserves the right to rescind this authority in the event that waste appears to be resulting therefrom.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William J. Lemay".

WILLIAM J. LEMAY,  
Division Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec

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# Tenneco Oil Exploration and Production

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May 1, 1987

State of New Mexico  
Oil & Gas Conservation Commission  
Mr. William J. LeMay  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Atlantic A #19  
Sec. 27, T31N, R10W  
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Tenneco Oil Company plans to drill the referenced well during the 2nd quarter of 1987. According to the State requirements, "all gas wells equipped with casing larger in size than 2 7/8-inch OD shall be tubed" (Rule 107-02). Tenneco has proposed a slimhole completion in the Pictured Cliffs formation using 3 1/2-inch casing.

Tenneco Oil Company respectfully requests administrative approval for a tubingless completion as stated in Rule 107-04.

Very truly yours,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY

*Mike McCredie*

Mike McCredie  
Administrative Analyst

MMc/cc:2148P