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Mr. Brad Jones
New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

**RE: Texas Eastern Products Pipeline Company LLC
Annual Temporary Permission to Discharge**

Dear Mr. Jones:

Texas Eastern Products Pipeline Company (TEPPCO) is submitting this letter to serve as a formal request to obtain annual temporary permission to discharge hydrostatic test water. TEPPCO accepts and will comply with the conditions set forth in the Guidelines for Hydrostatic Test Dewatering, revised January 11, 2007. Annual temporary permission to discharge covers all hydrostatic tests Enterprise may perform during an approved one-year period that satisfy the following conditions: Hydrostatic test discharges will be for quantities less than 25,000 per test when the water to be discharged is generated from new pipe utilizing clean water. "Clean" water is defined as water from a public/municipal water supply or other OCD approved sources. Oral or written notification must be provided to the OCD 72 hours prior to each hydrostatic discharge event. Hydrostatic discharge water will not enter any lake, perennial stream, river or their respective tributaries that may be seasonal. No discharges will occur: where ground water is less than 10 feet below ground surface; within 200 feet of a watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole or playa lake; within an existing wellhead protection area; within, or within 500 feet of a wetland; or within 500 feet from the nearest permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church. Best Management practices will be implemented to contain the discharges onsite, control erosion, and not impact adjacent property. Water discharged from hydrostatic testing of petroleum or natural gas transportation pipelines will not cause water pollution pursuant to Subsection CCC of 20.6.2.7 NMAC. In order for hydrostatic test wastewater to be discharged in an area where it may reach fresh water supplies, it must be demonstrated that the wastewater discharges will meet or exceed the quality of the receiving waters and/or not cause the ground water to exceed standards as set forth in Section 3103 A, B, and C of the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission Regulations. Landowners of each discharge will be properly notified prior to a discharge event. An annual report summarizing all tests of new pipe with less than 25,000 gallon per event will be submitted to the OCD within 45 days after the temporary permission expiration date; the report will

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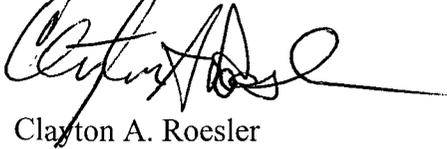
TE Products Pipeline Company, Limited Partnership
TEPPCO GP, Inc., General Partner

contain the following: The location of hydrostatic tests (Section/Township/Range or GPS coordinates), the date of each test, the volume discharged, and the sources and quality of the test water.

TEPPCO requests that annual temporary permission be granted immediately upon receipt of the \$100 filing and \$150 temporary permission fee.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact Don Fernald at (505) 599-2141 or Ken Huddleston at (713) 803-5429.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Clayton A. Roesler", written over a horizontal line.

Clayton A. Roesler
Manager, Environmental Permitting

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