

Exploration & Production Department

P. O. Box 2113  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

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July 1, 1964

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr., Secretary-Director  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2062  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Phillips Petroleum Company hereby applies for permission to except from Rule 307-1 to combine production from three separate lease land leases in a common tank battery. The following information pertains to this request:

1. State Land

| Lease No. | Well Name and No. | Location                                  |
|-----------|-------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 3-2003    | Santa Fe No. 33   | SE 1/4 Sec. 13, T. 1 N., R. 10 E., County |
| 3-1517    | Santa Fe No. 29   | " " " "                                   |
| 3-2861    | Santa Fe No. 20   | " " " "                                   |

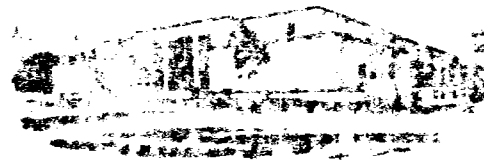
2. All wells produce from the Fort Indio Formation, in the Fort Indio Pool.

3. These wells produce into one common battery, known as Santa Fe Lease Battery No. 12. This battery was installed in 1928 and these wells have been producing into the battery since that time. A recent inquiry from the State Land Office as to whether Phillips had approval for this commingling revealed that we were unable to find a formal approval in our files. Because it is possible that we do not have prior approval, this application is being submitted.

4. A schematic diagram is attached showing the proposed commingling and testing facilities in Battery No. 12.

5. A plot is attached showing location of the well in the battery.

# State of New Mexico



## Commissioner of Public Lands

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January 1, 1966

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Phillips Petroleum Company  
P. O. Box 2100  
Hobbs, New Mexico, 88240

Attention: Mr. W. C. Briggs  
Area Superintendent  
Production Division

Gentlemen: The Department of Public Lands is pleased to advise you that the following information is being furnished to you for your information:  
1. The Department of Public Lands is currently reviewing the Phillips Petroleum Company's application for a permit to drill for oil and gas in the Hobbs area, New Mexico. The Department is currently reviewing the application and will advise you of the results of the review as soon as possible.

Pursuant to our conference of January 1, 1966, please advise the Phillips Petroleum Company is presently operating a permit to drill for oil and gas in the Hobbs area, New Mexico. The Department is currently reviewing the application and will advise you of the results of the review as soon as possible. The Department is currently reviewing the application and will advise you of the results of the review as soon as possible.

The State Land Office has received the permit to drill for oil and gas in the Hobbs area, New Mexico. The Department is currently reviewing the application and will advise you of the results of the review as soon as possible. The Department is currently reviewing the application and will advise you of the results of the review as soon as possible.

The State Land Office is very grateful for the cooperation which Phillips Petroleum Company has offered in this problem area. As a result, we will have more economical information regarding the cost and savings of drilling and will have in its various drilling operations.

Very truly yours,

ESJW/EB/AB

E. L. GILBERT  
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

c. Oil Conservation Commission  
Oil and Gas Association of America

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant Commissioner

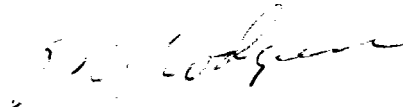
THOMAS  
Assistant Commissioner

July 1, 1954

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6. A copy of the Commissioner of Public Lands' letter of request for this comingling is attached. You will note the attached included State Lease 5-2131. At the time of my application to the Land Office we had planned to include well No. 45 on lease 5-2131 in Battery II, but this change was not made. A request for cancellation will be made for this well when contractual work is completed, allowing the change necessary.
7. The well acreages assigned to these wells have been approved and are dedicated to the Canyon Indians.
8. The Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company has been notified to this battery since its installation. By none of this company has been notified them of this comingling. Certified mail is being sent, enclosing receipt of this letter is attached.

Very truly yours,



J. C. Roberts  
State Commissioner  
Department of Public Lands

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission - Santa

Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company - Midland

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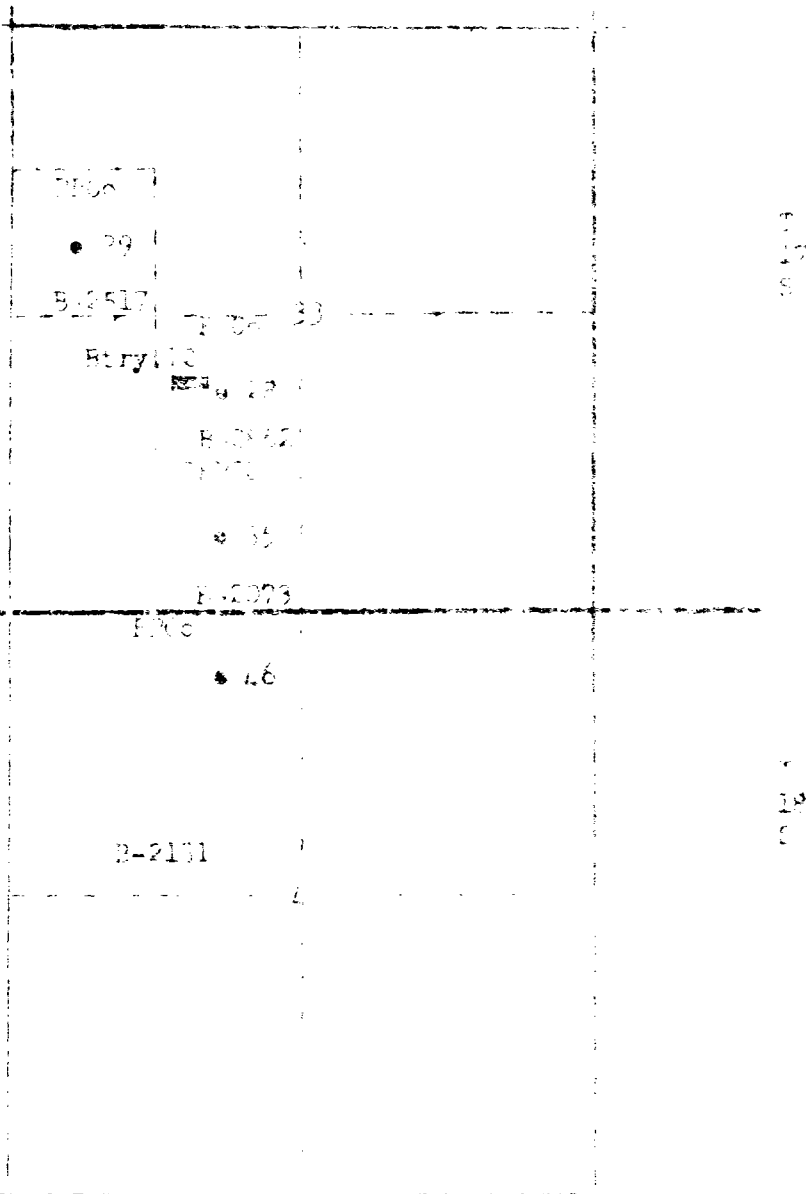
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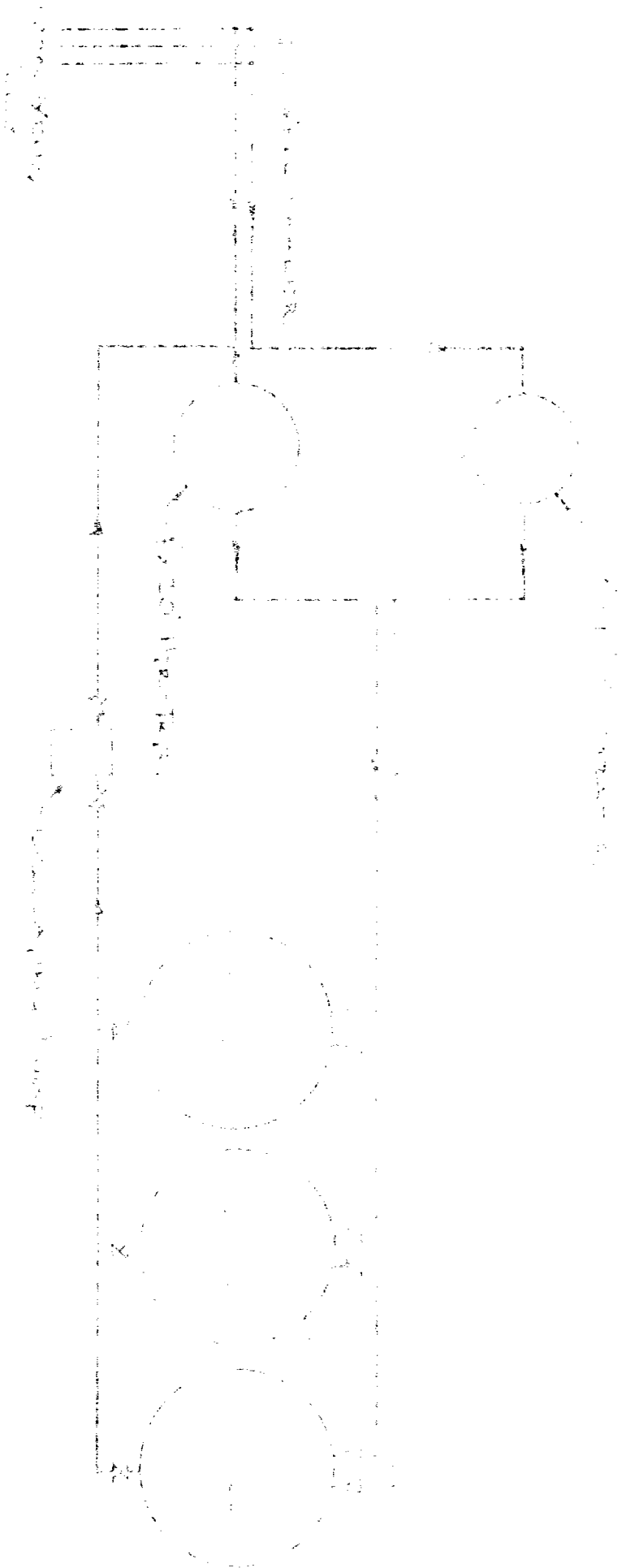
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San Juan Co. - Andres Pool

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SANTA FE TANK BATTERY

No. 12

W. H. HARRIS, 2nd. HARRIS, 1908  
6-1-1908

Exploration & Production Department

P. O. Box 2130  
Hobbs, New Mexico

April 23, 1954

Hon. E. S. Johnny Walker  
Commissioner of Public Lands  
State Land Office  
P. O. Box 791  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Phillips Petroleum Company requests your approval to convert  
Section from portions of four State leases into one common  
battery. Lease numbers, well numbers and acreage described

Battery No. 12

B-2511 Santa Fe well No. 29, SW NW, Section 1, T13S, R35E, Lea County

B-1862 Santa Fe well No. 22, NE SW, Section 1, T13S, R35E, Lea County

B-2073 Santa Fe well No. 1, SE SW Section 1, T13S, R35E, Lea County

B-2131 Santa Fe well No. 1, NW, SW, Section 1, T13S, R35E, Lea County

All wells produce from the same formation in the Western Pool. The  
unit acreages assigned to each well are the same beneficiary, being  
dedicated to the Common Pool.

The attached plat shows location of the wells and the battery. The  
battery is designated as the lease Battery No. 12 and it has indi-  
vidual well testing facilities. The granting of this request to use  
one battery for production on the four state leases will reduce in-  
vestments and operating expenses.

Very truly yours,

A. C. Baigert  
Area Superintendent  
Production Division

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cc: Oil & Gas Accounting Commission  
Attach.

**CTB - 127**



Application No. pCTB0001272002

**CTB 127**

# **Backfile Conversion Scan Sheet for Administrative Orders**