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FILE-PC-965

TO: Mark Ashley – NM Oil Conservation Division

FROM: Debra Anderson

DATE: December 21, 2000

RE: Temporary Permission for Pool Commingles

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COMMENTS: Per our discussion, attached are the letters requesting permission to temporarily surface commingle additional wells at lease facilities with existing Pool Commingle permits. Please provide written confirmation of your approval for our records. My fax number is 713-296-7156 and phone number is 713-296-6338. Thank you for your assistance.

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December 21, 2000

Attn: Mark Ashley
New Mexico – Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

**Re: Administrative Order PC-969
A B Baker Lease
Unit P, Section 10, Township 22S, Range 37E
Lea County, New Mexico**

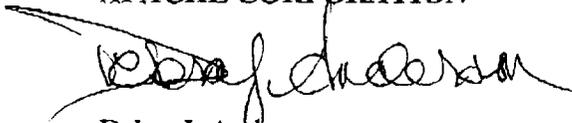
Apache Corporation would like to request temporary verbal permission to surface commingle the existing production at our A B Baker lease with the production from our A B Baker # 7 well, recently completed in the Penrose Skelly; Grayburg (50350) pool and A B Baker # 8 recently completed in the Eunice; San Andres, South (24170) pool. Our records indicate the royalty ownership is the same for all pools. The expected gravity is 36.1 and adding the referenced pools will not decrease the value of commingled production.

I am working on the necessary information to amend the referenced commingling permit and anticipate submitting same to you as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 713-296-6338. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Sincerely,

APACHE CORPORATION



Debra J. Anderson
Sr. Engineering Technician

cc: Chris Williams
District 1

*VERBAL APPROVAL
UNTIL JANUARY 23, 2001.
Mark Ashley*

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December 21, 2000

Attn: Mark Ashley
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**Re: Administrative Order PC-107
Taylor Glenn Lease
Unit I, Section 3, Township 21S, Range 37E
Lea County, New Mexico**

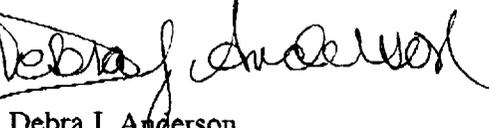
Apache Corporation would like to request temporary verbal permission to surface commingle the existing production at our Taylor Glenn lease with the production from our Taylor Glenn # 5 well, recently recompleted in the Penrose Skelly; Grayburg (50350) pool. Our records indicate the royalty ownership is the same for all pools. The expected gravity is 36.1 and adding the referenced pools will not decrease the value of commingled production.

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