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**New Mexico State Land Office  
Commissioner of Public Lands  
Ray Powell, M.S., D.V.M.**

September 7, 1999

Amerada Hess Corporation  
P.O. Box 840  
Seminole, Texas 79360

Attn: Mr. Roy L. Wheeler

Re: Application for Surface Commingling  
New Mexico "F" State Well Nos. 2, 3, and 4  
Unit Letters L, M and N, Section 17-20S-37E  
State Lease B-935  
Eumont-Yates Seven Rivers Queen and Eunice Monument-Grayburg San Andres Pool  
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

We have received a copy of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division's Order #PC-1001 which notifies this office of your application to surface commingle the production from the above-captioned wells.

Pursuant to State Land Office Rule Nos. 1.053, 1.054 and 1.055, please submit a copy of your commingling request to this office. Enclosed is a copy of our commingling rules and regulations. The filing fee for a commingling application is thirty (\$30.00) dollars.

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

Very truly yours,

RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M.  
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

BY:   
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