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February 11, 1966

**C** Mobil Oil Company  
Post Office Box 1800  
Robbs, New Mexico 88240

Attention: Mr. A. J. Mousingo

Re: Request for Approval of Exception  
to Rule 303 (a) and 309-A  
State Bridges Lease, Lea County,  
New Mexico

Gentlemen:

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We wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 4, 1966, in which you have proposed to commingle production from the Military Institute acreage which is located in the Northwest Quarter, the West Half of the Northeast Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, and extend the gathering system for this production to a point in the Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 17 South, Range 34 East, where you propose to install the storage and common gathering installation. It is our understanding that there will be no intercommunication of the handling, separating, treating, or storage of production being derived from lands belonging to the New Mexico Military Institute and that production derived from lands belonging to the Common Schools of New Mexico.

**Y**  
After examining your proposal, it appears that your operation will satisfactorily fulfill our requirements for commingling. As a condition of this approval, we would like to ask that you notify us after the facilities have been completed but before they are put into operation in order that we might make an inspection at the site.

Therefore, the Commissioner of Public Lands hereby approves your proposal to commingle production belonging to the New Mexico Military Institute and to store and commingle such production at a site located on lands belonging to the Common Schools of New Mexico, which is specifically located within the Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 17 South, Range 34 East. This approval is not to be construed to allow commingling of production between the two beneficiaries. The Commissioner, however, does reserve the right to amend this approval at his discretion if the operation becomes contra to the best interest of the State of New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

GUYTON B. HAYS  
Commissioner of Public Lands

By

TED BILBERRY, Director  
Oil and Gas Department

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission ←

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**Mobil Oil Company**

A Division of Socony Mobil Company, Inc.  
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February 4, 1966

PC-297

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

RE: REQUEST FOR EXCEPTION TO RULE  
303 (a) AND 309-A, STATE  
BRIDGES LEASE, LEA COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

Gentlemen:

Under the provisions of Rule 303 (b), permission is herewith requested to commingle into common storage the production from the Vacuum Blinebry, Vacuum Glorieta, Vacuum North Abo, Vacuum Wolfcamp and Vacuum Upper Penn Pool production from Socony Mobil Oil Company's wells drilled in Section 25, T-17-S, R-34-E, of the State Bridges Lease, Lea County, New Mexico. The acreage in the requested area consists of the N/2 of the NE/4, the SW/4 of the NE/4 and the NW/4 of Section 25, T-17-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico. The royalty and working interest are common, the State of New Mexico owning the former and the Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc. operating the latter. All the acreage in the lease in Section 25 is contiguous.

The following exhibits are attached:

- Exhibit I - Location plat showing the area involved (outlined in red) and the wells involved (color coded).
- Exhibit II - A schematic diagram of the proposed commingling installation.
- Exhibit III - Detailed data concerning gravity, volumes and value of crude oil.

You will note that we propose to locate the commingling installation in Section 26, T-17-S, R-34-E. The pipeline which services this area already has their gathering system terminated at the proposed location in Section 26. It would be a definite economic and operating advantage to them if they did not have to extend the gathering system. Also, Socony Mobil already has temporary equipment on the proposed site which lends



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Santa Fe, N. Mex.

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itself to the proposed commingled installation. One central location for operation will be an advantage to Socony Mobil in operating expenses as well as a savings by not having to move presently installed equipment.

There will be no commingling of production from Section 25 of the State Bridges Lease with the rest of the State Bridges Lease and there will be no intercommunication of the handling, separating, treating or storage facilities designated to each account. Upon approval, the commingling installation will be operated in accordance with the provisions of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities."

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Yours very truly,

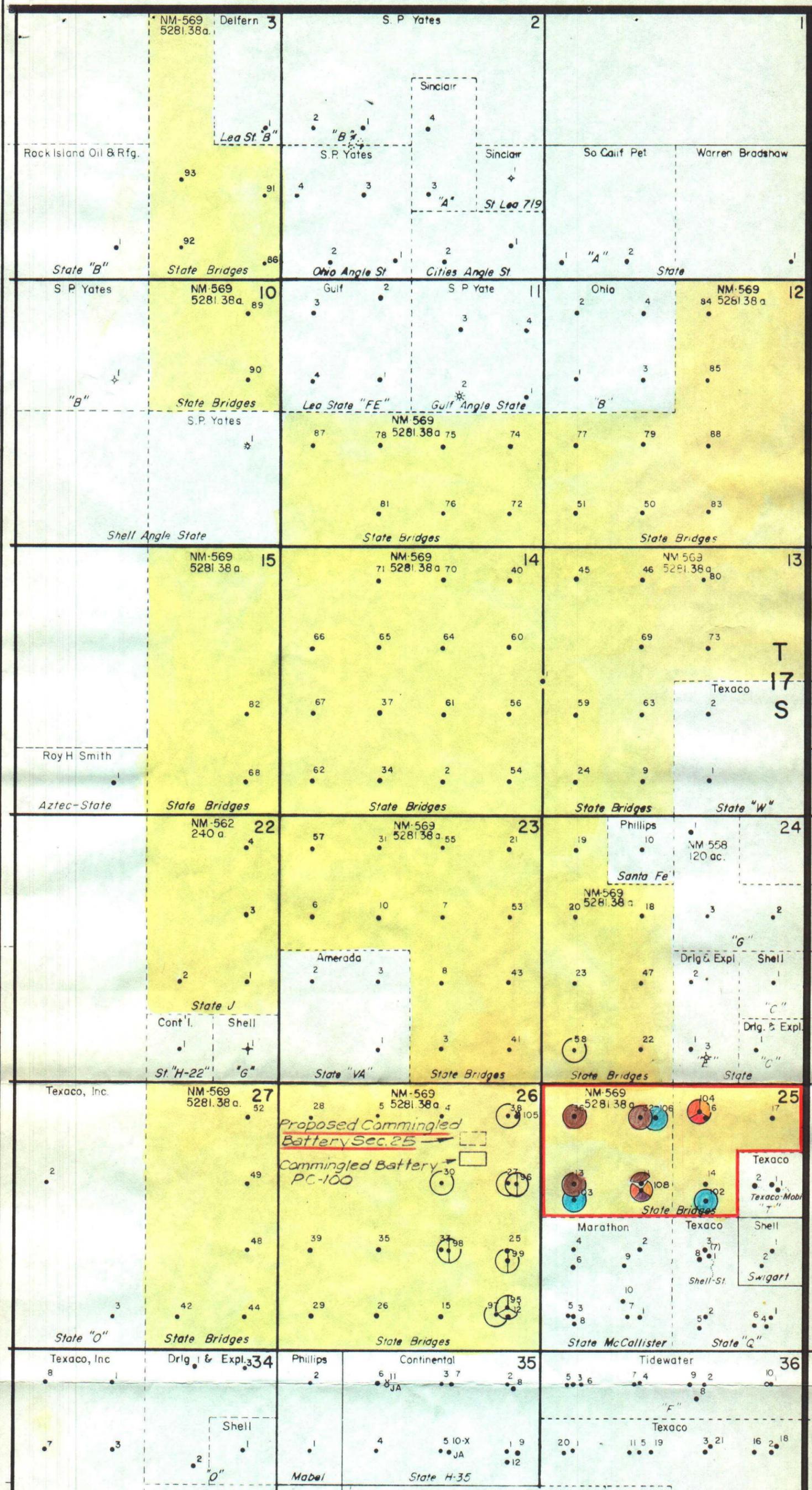
A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "A. J. Monzingo".

A. J. Monzingo  
Acting Producing Superintendent

JMMcGee/jlh  
Attachments - 3 sets  
plat  
sketch  
table

cc: Commissioner of Public Lands  
State of New Mexico

# R-34-E

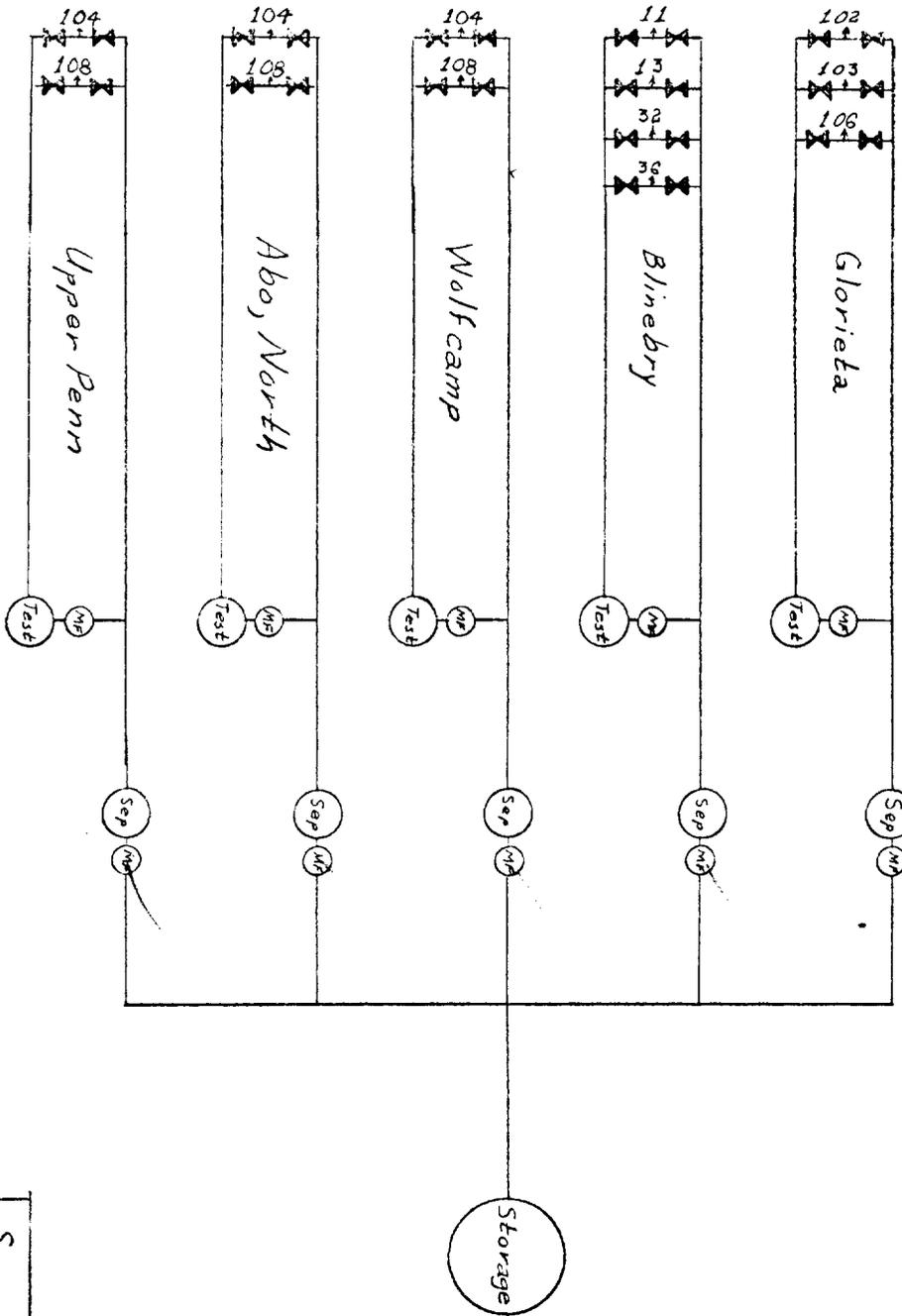


## LEGEND

- Grayburg - San Andres
- Lower Penn
- Blinbry
- Devonian
- Glorieta
- Abo North
- Wolfcamp
- Upper Penn

<b>STATE BRIDGES</b>			
<b>COMMINGLING PLAT</b>			
Lea County,		New Mexico	
<b>SOCONY MOBIL OIL COMPANY, INC.</b>			
<b>Hobbs Producing District</b>			
DRAWN	C.T.A.	SCALE 1" = 2000'	DWG. NO.
CHECKED	J.M.M.		
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# Vacuum Field



## Legend

- ⌘ Valve
- ⊙ Production Separator
- ⊙ Test Separator
- ⊙ Metering Facility (To include prover loop and sampler when water production is more than 2%)

Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc.

Schematic Diagram of the Proposed Commencing Installation, Section 25 of the State Bridges Lease, Lea County, New Mexico

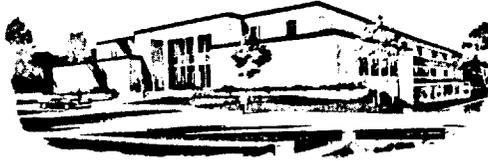
J.M. McGee

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COMMINGLED FLUID PRODUCTION  
 SOCONY MOBIL OIL COMPANY, INC.  
 SECTION 25, STATE BRIDGES LEASE  
VACUUM FIELD AREA - LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

<u>Pool</u>	<u>API Gravity</u>	<u>Production Bbls/Month</u>	<u>Unit Value</u>	<u>Total Value</u>
Vacuum Blinebry	37.3	2,900	2.95	8,555.00
Vacuum Glorieta	38.1	5,200	2.97	15,444.00
Vacuum North Abo	39.1	6,200	2.99	18,538.00
Vacuum Wolfcamp	39.4	6,300	2.99	18,837.00
Vacuum Upper Penn	41.8	16,800	3.01	50,568.00
Average	40.1	37,400	3.01	111,942.00
Total Increase In Value of Production				632.00

State of New Mexico



Commissioner of Public Lands



GUYTON B. HAYS  
COMMISSIONER

P. O. BOX 1148  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

February 11, 1966

Mobil Oil Company  
Post Office Box 1800  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

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New Mexico

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Very truly yours,

GUYTON B. HAYS  
Commissioner of Public Lands

By *Ted Bilberry*  
TED BILBERRY, Director  
Oil and Gas Department



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## Mobil Oil Company

A Division of Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc.

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1800 88240

March 10, 1966

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Administrative Order PC-297

Dear Mr. Porter:

This is to inform you that Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc. will not utilize the off-lease storage provisions contained in PC-297. We now plan to build the commingled battery for the Section 25 portion of our State Bridges Lease on Section 25. As discussed this morning by Mr. D. S. Nutter of your office and Mr. J. C. Gordon, Jr. of this office, the change would merely make the off-lease storage provisions of PC-297 non-effective.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lee E. Robinson, Jr." with a flourish at the end.

Lee E. Robinson, Jr.  
Acting Producing Supt.  
Producing Department

JCGordon, Jr:mj

CC: Oil Conservation Commission  
Hobbs

State Land Office  
Santa Fe

**OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

P. O. BOX 2088

**SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

**April 1, 1966**

**Mobil Oil Company  
P. O. Box 1800  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240**

**Attention: Mr. L. E. Robinson, Jr.**

**Re: Administrative Order PC-297**

**Gentlemen:**

**This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 10, 1966, advising that the off-lease storage provisions contained in Administrative Order PC-297 will not be utilized, and that you plan to build a commingling battery for the Section 25 portion of your State Bridges Lease on Section 25.**

**Very truly yours,**

**A. L. PORTER, Jr.  
Secretary-Director**

**ALP/DSM/esr**

**cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Hobbs  
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs  
State Land Office - Santa Fe**

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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
P. O. BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

April 1, 1966

Mobil Oil Company  
P. O. Box 1800  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88340

Attention: Mr. E. E. Robinson, Jr.

Re: Administrative Order EC-297

Gentlemen:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 10, 1966, advising that the off-lease storage provisions contained in Administrative Order EC-297 will not be utilized, and that you plan to build a commingling battery for the Section 23 portion of your State Bridge Lease on Section 23.

Very truly yours,

A. L. FORTNER, Jr.  
Secretary-Director

ALP/NSM/ear

cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Hobbs  
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs  
State Land Office - Santa Fe