OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

May 20, 1973

Texaco Inc.
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Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Attention: Mr. J. V. Gannon

Administrative Order No. DHC-127 C. H. Lockhart Federal (NCT-1) Well No. 4, Unit J of Section 18, Township 22 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Tubb and Drinkard

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 303-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations for the subject dually completed well to permit the removal of the down-hole separation equipment and to commingle the production from both pools in the well-bore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of Rule 303-C, and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such down-hole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and Commission Order No. DC-991, which authorized the dual completion and required separation of the zones, is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with the provisions of Rule 303-C, total commingled oil production from the subject well shall not exceed 50 barrels per day, and total water production from the well shall not exceed 100 barrels per day. The maximum amount of gas which may be produced daily from the well shall not exceed 100 barrels per day. The maximum amount of gas which may be produced daily from the well shall be determined by multiplying 2,000 by top unit allowable for the Tubb Pool.

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Assignment of allowable to the well and allocation of the well shall be on the following basis:

Upper Pool: Lower Pool:

Pursuant to Rule 303-C 5, the commingling authority granted by this order may be rescinded by the secretary-Director to heing heat served by order may be rescinced by the secretary-Director and commingling conservation is not being best served by

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission