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March 25, 1997

Non-Standard Proration Unit Sims, Well No. 10 Tubb Oil and Gas Pool Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals, & Natural Resources Dept.
Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Attention: Michael Stogner, P. E.

Gentlemen:

Phillips Petroleum Company respectfully requests administrative approval for a non-standard proration unit for the Phillips operated Sims, Well No. 10. This well is completed in the Tubb Oil and Gas Pool, Lea county, New Mexico. This request is due to the Phillips operated Sims, Well No. 3 being re-classified from a gas well to an oil well per a recent test. Both well No. 10 and Well No. 3 shared a common proration unit which was described as the NW/4, 160 acres, of Section 24, T-22-S, R-37-E, Lea County.

With the re-classification of the Sims, Well No. 3 to an oil well and having to dedicate 40 acres to said well, it became necessary to dedicate 120 acres to Sims, Well No. 10. The appropriate plats, Form C-102, are attached.

Copies of this request have been provided to the Hobbs District Office and all offset operators to non-standard proration unit (list attached). if you need any additional information, please contact me at the letterhead address or telephone (915) 368-1488.

Sincerely,

L. M. Sanders,

Senior Regulations Analyst

LMS:jha

cc: Hobbs District Office

Offset Operators - List Attached



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OFFSET OPERATORS

Sims, Well No. 10 Non-Standard Proration Unit Lea County, New Mexico

Hendrix, John H., Corporation P. O. Box 3040 Midland, Texas 79702-3040

Cross Timbers Operating Company P. O. Box 50847 Midland, Texas 79705

Marathon Oil Company P. O. Box 552 Midland, Texas 79702

American Internal Energy Corporation 5701 Woodway, Suite 333 Houston, Texas 77057

The Allar Company P. O. Box 1657 Graham, Texas 76450-1567

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State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION PO Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

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ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

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POST OFFICE BOX 1980 HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88241-1980 (505) 393-6161

GOVERNOR OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 RE: Proposed: MC DHC NSL NSP SWD WFX PMX Gentlemen: #3-F 24-22-37 I have examined the application for the: and my recommendations are as follows: very truly,

Supervisor, District 1

STATE OF NEW MEXICO



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



BRUCE KING

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

December 13, 1993

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504 (505) 827-5800

Phillips Petroleum Company 4001 Penbrook Odessa, TX 79762

Attention: Larry M. Sanders

Administrative Order NSL-3336(SD)

Dear Mr. Sanders:

Reference is made to your application dated November 18, 1993, for an unorthodox Tubb gas well location in an existing standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit (GPU) for said Tubb Oil and Gas Pool comprising the NW/4 of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Said GPU presently has dedicated to it the Sims Well No. 3 located at a standard gas well location 1980 feet from the North and West lines (Unit F) of said Section 24.

It is our understanding that the subject well in this application is currently completed in the Wantz Granite Wash Pool at a standard oil well location 1980 feet from the North line and 550 feet from the West line (Unit E) of said Section 24. Further, it is our understanding that the Granite Wash zone will be properly plugged back off and said well will be recompleted to the Tubb interval, which pursuant to the Special Rules and Regulations for the Tubb Oil and Gas Pool, as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended, is an unorthodox gas well.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 2(c) of said Special Rules and Regulations, the following described well located at an unorthodox gas well location is hereby approved:

Sims Well No. 10 1980' FNL - 550' FWL (Unit E)

Also, you are hereby authorized to simultaneously dedicate Tubb Gas production from the Sims Well No. 3 with the Sims Well No. 10. Furthermore, you are hereby permitted to produce the allowable assigned the subject GPU from both of said wells in any proportion.

Sincerely

William J. LeMay

Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs