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March 28, 1996

Mr. William J. LeMay, Director New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 2040 S. Pacheco Street P. O. Box 6429 Santa Fe, NM 87505

Application for Exception to Rule 303-C Downhole Commingling Jicarilla Contract #155-31 Well Unit H Section 29-T26N-R5W Otero Chacra (Pool IDN 82329) and South Blanco Pictured Cliffs (Pool IDN 72439) Pools <u>Rio Arriba, New Mexico</u>

Enclosed please find an administrative application form (C-107-A) and attachments for downhole commingling for the captioned well.

Should you have questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (303) 830-5344.

Sincerely, Pamela W. Staley

Enclosures

cc: Steve Smethie Patty Haefele Wellfile Proration file

> Frank Chavez, Supervisor NMOCD District III 1000 Rio Brazos Road Aztec, NM 87410

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#### 2040 S. Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6429

APPROVAL PROCESS: X Administrative \_\_\_\_ Hearing

Spacing Unit Lease Types: (check 1 or more)

**EXISTING WELLBORE** XYES NO

## APPLICATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING

Amoco Production Company P.O. Box 800 Denver, CO 80201 Unit H Section 29-T26N-R5W **Rio Arriba** Jicarilla Contract #155 31 Le

Property Code Federal x State (and/or) Fee OGRID NO. 000778 000741 API NO. 3003922569

The following facts are submitted in support of downhole commingling:	Upper Zone	Intermediate Zone	Lower Zone		
1. Pool Name and Pool Code	SOUTH BLANCO PICTURED CLIFFS 72439		OTERO CHACRA 82329		
2. Top and Bottom of Pay Section (Perforations)	2836' - 2874'		3710' - 3824'		
3. Type of production (Oil or Gas)	GAS		GAS		
4. Method of Production (Flowing or Artificial Lift)	FLOWING		FLOWING		
5. Bottomhole Pressure Oil Zones - Artificial Lift: Estimated Current	(Current) 762 PSI a.	a.	<sup>a.</sup> 724 PSI		
Gas & Oil - Flowing: Measured Current All Gas Zones: Estimated or Measured Original	(Original) 1131 PSI b.	b.	Þ. 1156 PSI		
6. Oil Gravity (° API) or Gas BTU Content	1020 BTU / 47.9 DEG API		1235 BTU / 49.8 DEG API		
7. Producing or Shut-In?	PRODUCING		PRODUCING		
Production Marginal? (yes or no)	YES		YES		
If Shut-In, give data and oil/gas/water rates of last production Note: For new zones with no production history, applicant shall be required to attach production estimates and supporting data	Date: Rates:	Date Rates:	Date Rates:		
<ul> <li>If Producing, give date and oil/gas/water rates of recent test (within 60 days)</li> </ul>	Date: Rates: 60 MCFD 0 BCPD 0.58 BWPD	Date: Rates:	Date: 30 MCFD Rates: 0.01 BCPD 0.59 BWPD		
8. Fixed Percentage Allocation Formula -% for each zone	<sup>Oil:</sup> 0 <sup>Gas</sup> 67 <sub>%</sub>	Oil: Gas %: %	<sup>Oil:</sup> 100 <sup>Gas</sup> 33 <sub>%</sub>		

9. If allocation formula is based upon something other than current or past production, or is based upon some other method, submit attachments with supporting data and/or explaining method and providing rate projections or other required data.

10. Are all working, overriding, and royalty interests identical in all commingled zones? If not, have all working, overriding, and royalty interests been notified by certified mail? Have all offset operators been given written notice of the proposed downhole commingling?

11. Will cross-flow occur? Yes X\_No If yes, are fluids compatible, will the formations not be damaged, will any cross-flowed production be recovered, and will the allocation formula be reliable. \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_ No (If No, attach explanation)

- 12. Are all produced fluids from all commingled zones compatible with each other?
- 13. Will the value of production be decreased by commingling? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_X\_ No (If Yes, attach explanation)
- 14. If this well is on, or communitized with, state or federal lands, either the Commissioner of Public Lands or the Untied States Bureau of Land Management \_X\_Yes \_\_\_ No JICARILLA CONTRACT #155 has been notified in writing of this application.

ORDER NO(S).\_

\_X\_Yes \_\_\_No

15. NMOCD Reference Cases for Rule 303(D) Exceptions:

16. ATTACHMENTS:

- \* C-102 for each zone to be commingled showing its spacing unit and acreage dedication.
- \* Production curve for each zone for at least one year. (If not available, attach explanation.)
- \* For zones with no production history, estimated production rates and supporting data.
- Data to support allocation method or formula.
  Notification list of all offset operators.
- \* Notification list of working, overriding, and royalty interests for uncommon interest cases. \* Any additional statements, data, or documents required to support commingling.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief

SIGNATURE Tomas A Talun TITL	E REGULATORY AFFAIRS REP DATE 3/25/96	
TYPE OR PRINT NAME PAMELA W. STALEY	TELEPHONE NO. ( _ 303 _ ) _ 830-5344	

Form C-107-A New 3-12-96

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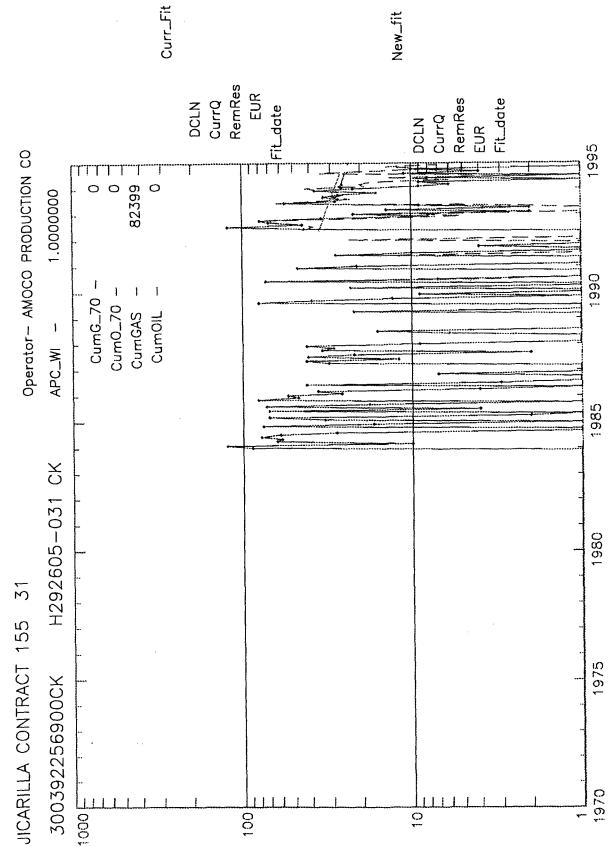
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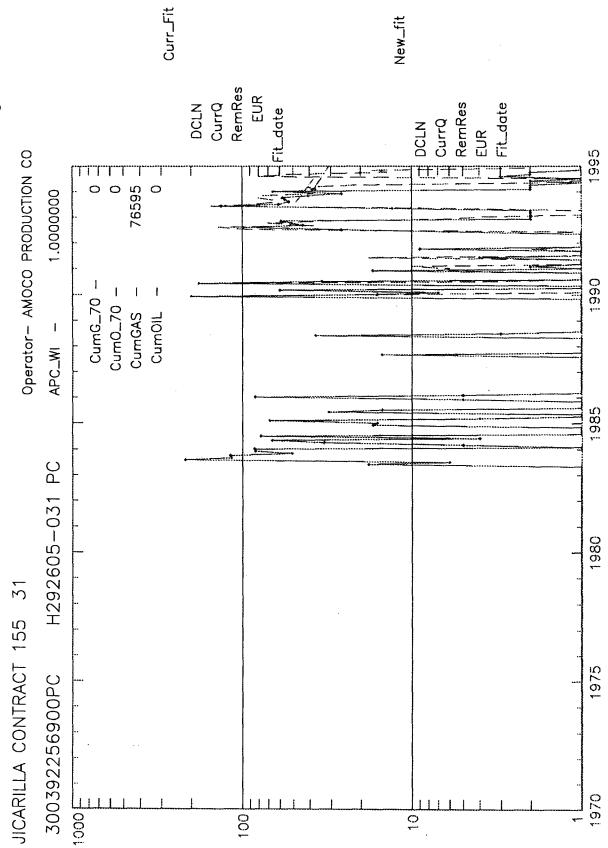
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