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PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION

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Subject:

Application for (1) Unorthodox Well Location (2) Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit - Pan American Petroleum Corporation, U.S.A. H. V. Pike Well No. 1 - Tubb Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr. (3) Secretary-Director New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Post Office Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

Pan American Petroleum Corporation respectfully submits application for and requests approval of one unorthodox well location for our U.S.A. H. V. Pike Well No. 1, located 330 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the East line and in the NE/4 of the NE/4 (Unit "A") of Section 6, T-23-S, R-38-E, NMPM, Tubb Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

This unorthodox well location was occasioned by our completion of the Tubb Gas zone in connection with the Drinkard and Elinebry Oil zone completions in the new well.

Also, this is an application for approval of a 40-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the Tubb Gas Pool, consisting of the following acreage:

LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST NE/4 of the NE/4 of Section 6

This unit will be assigned to our U.S.A. H. V. Pike Well No. 1.

In support of our request for exception approval without notice and hearing to Rule 2 and Rule 5(A), respectively, of Order No. R-1670, the following is submitted:

- 1. This application letter is submitted in triplicate.
- 2. The non-standard gas proration unit

(a) consists of a single quarter section;

(b) lies wholly within a single governmental section;

- (c) may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas;
- (d) length or width of proration unit does not exceed 2,640 feet;
- (e) lies within the horizontal limits of the Tubb Gas Pool.
- 3. By resigtered mail, copies of this letter are being furnished all offset operators notifying that application is being made for a non-standard proration unit.
- 4. A plat showing acreage to be dedicated, well location and offset ownership is attached.

Yours very truly,

V. E. Staley Area Superintendent

Attachment

Copies w/Attachments to:

✓ Gulf Oil Corporation Box 2167 Hobbs, New Mexico

✓ DeKalb Agriculture Assn. Inc. 315 N. 5th DeKalb, Illinois

✓ Union Texas Petroleum Box 196 Midland, Texas TEXACO, Inc. Box 728 Hobbs, New Mexico

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Box 2045 Hobbs, New Mexico

Cities Service Oil Co. Box 97 Hobbs, New Mexico

