

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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COMMINGLING ORDER PLC-197

Amerada Hess Corporation P.O. Box 840 Seminole, Texas 79360

Attention: Mr. Roy L. Wheeler, Jr.

The above named company is hereby authorized to commingle Monument-Abo (Oil -46970) and Wildcat Lower-Yeso (Oil -N/A) Pool production from the following leases:

Lease/Well:

Selby Maveety Lease (Selby Maveety Wells No. 3 & 4)

Description:

E/2 SW/4 of Section 35, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM;

Lease/Well:

W. B. Maveety Lease (W. B. Maveety Well No. 11)

Description:

NW/4 NE/4 of Section 35, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM;

Lease/Well:

W. A. Weir Lease (W. A. Weir Wells No. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 & 15)

Description:

NW/4, NW/4 SW/4 of Section 35, and the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 36, both in

Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM;

Lease/Well:

Monument Abo "35" Lease (Monument Abo "35" Well No. 2)

Description:

SW/4 SW/4 of Section 35, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM;

Lease/Well:

M. E. Gaither Lease (M. E. Gaither Wells No. 5 & 6)

Description:

N/2 SE/4 of Section 34, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM;

Lease/Well:

Smith Lease (Smith Wells No. 8 & 9)

Description:

E/2 NE/4 of Section 34, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM:

All in Lea County, New Mexico.

Oil and gas production shall be allocated by separately metering the production from each well prior to commingling.

All production shall be stored at the Monument Abo Storage Facility located in the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 35, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM.

NOTE: This installation shall be installed and operated in accordance with the applicable provisions of Rule 309-B of the Division Rules and Regulations and the Division "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities." It is the responsibility of the producer to notify the transporter of this commingling authority.

FURTHER: The operator shall notify the Hobbs district office of the Division upon commencement of commingling operations.

Remarks:

This order supersedes Division Order No. CTB-430, as amended.

Done, on this 25th day of February, 2002.

LORI WROTENBERY

Division Director

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cc:

Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs

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