OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

June 25, 1964

Fan American Petroleum Corporation F.O. Box 68 Hobbs, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. V. E. Staley

Administrative Order CTB-118

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application dated May 20, 1964, for administrative approval of an exception to Rule 309-A of the Commission Rules and Regulations to permit the domining of Empire Abo production from that portion of Federal Leases Nos. 1C-061783-A, 1C-061783-B, 1C-065478-B, NN-025604, NN-033825, and NN-025530, lying within the N/2 N/2, S/2 NE/4, NH/4 SE/4, and the SW/4 of Section 3, the E/2 of Section 4, the E/2 of Section 9, and the W/2 of Section 10, Township 18 South, Range 27 East, and Empire Abo production from that portion of your Julian E. Simon Lease comprising the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 4 in the same township, Eddy County, New Mexico, after separately and continuously metering the production from each lease. The original authority for this commingling with the exception of the Simon Lease, was granted by Order No. R-1399, dated Nay 25, 1959.

Under the authority granted me pursuant to Rule 309-8, ran American Petroleum Corporation is hereby authorised to commingle the above-described production as proposed, subject to the provisions of the Commission "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities," including the requirement for temperature compensated meters, samplers, and non-reset counters on the meters. And provided further, that you shall notify the Artesia District Office of the Commission at such time as this installation is complete in order that a field inspection may be made of the installation prior to putting it in use.

That portion of Order No. R-1399 relating to your Empire Abo Storage System III in the above-described acreage is hereby placed in abeyance.

Very truly yours,

A. E. Porter, Jr. Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission (with enclosure) Artesia
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs

United States Geological Survey - Roswell

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PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION

P. O. Box 68 Hobbs, New Mexico

April 23, 1965

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File:

Subject: Administrative Order

CTB-118 Amendment Chalk Bluff Draw #3-P

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Post Office Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Attached is a copy of Mr. John A. Anderson's letter dated April 19, 1965 granting the United States Geological Survey's authority to commingle Empire Abo production from our Chalk Bluff Draw Well No. 3 with other Empire Abo oil production at our Empire Abo Storage System III.

Yours very truly,

V. E. Staley Area Superintendent

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Drawer 1857 Roswell, New Mexico 88201

IN REPLY REFER TO:

Pan American Petroleum Corporation P. O. Box 68 Hobbs, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Your letter of April 2 requests approval to commingle Abo oil produced from Chalk Bluff Draw well No. 3-P, SEZNEZ sec. 8, T. 18 S., R. 27 E., Eddy County, New Mexico, lease Las Cruces 054205, with other Abo production at your Empire Abo Storage System III, located in the SWZSWZ sec. 3, T. 18 S., R. 27 E. Said well No. 3-P was determined as a noncommercial unit well.

For royalty purposes pertaining to the system, the volume of oil sales will be prorated back to the leases based upon the metered volumes delivered from each. Form 9-361, Lessee's Monthly Report of Sales and Royalty, for each lease involved, must show all computations used in the calculation of lease sales.

The method of commingling described by your letter is hereby approved subject to like approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission. You are requested to notify the District Engineer, U. S. Geological Survey, Drawer U, Artesia, New Mexico, when the installation is completed and operative so that an inspection can be made.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN A. ANDERSON

Regional Oil and Gas Supervisor