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ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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January 11, 1991

Amerada Hess Corporation P.O. Drawer D Monument, NM 88205

Attention: Denise Wann

Proving of oil meter on Monument A State No. 1, RE: Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Wann:

Reference is made to your letter dated October 25, 1990 and to your telephone conversation with Michael E. Stogner, Petroleum Engineer in the Division's Santa Fe office, whereby it is our understanding that low marginal oil production from the State Monument "A" Lease Well No. 1 is being metered separately before it is commingled with production from the State I, M, J, and S Leases (see Division Administrative Order CTB-345).

As requested, the Division has no objection to a bi-annual proving schedule for said meter, such approval is hereby granted until further notice.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay Director

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Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs cc: NM State Land Office - Santa Fe File CTB-345

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P. O. DRAWER "D" MONUMENT, NEW MEXICO 88265 (505) 393-0253

October 25, 1990

NMOCD P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Proving of oil meter on Monument A State #1.

Amerada Hess Corporation seeks exception of monthly meter proving of the commingling meter on the Monument A State #1 lease (order Number CTB-345). Lease production averages 2.5 BOPD and it is requested that permission be granted to bi-annual proving of the commingling meter.

Sincerely,

Denise Wann Senior Petroleum Engineer

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