OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION P. O. BOX 871 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

June 11, 1963

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. P. O. Box 1688 Nobbs, New Mexico

Administrative Order OLS-13

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter of May 13, 1963, wherein you request that Administrative Order CTB-105 dated May 10, 1963, be cancelled inasmuch as you now plan an off-lease storage system rather than commingling as originally planned.

It is our understanding that you propose to transfer the Langlie-Mattix production from your Eaton "B" $\lambda/c-2$ Lease comprising the NM/4 of Section 12, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, to your Eaton "B" $\lambda/c-1$ Lease in the ME/4 of Section 12, End to there measure and store the production in a separate tank battery.

Administrative Order CTB-105 is hereby cancelled and Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company is pursuant to the authority granted me by Rule 309-C, hereby authorised off-lease storage as outlined above, provided, however, that there shall be no intercommunication of the handling, separating, treating, or storage facilities designated to each lease.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr., Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Hobbs Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs

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May 13, 1963

PLEASE ADDRESS REPLY TO COMPANY AT P. O. Box 1688 Hobbs, New Mexico

State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: A. L. Porter, Jr., Secretary-Director

Re: Application for administrative approval of off-lease storage for Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company's Eaton "B" A/c-2 Lease located in Section 12, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company respectfully requests cancellation of its April 18, 1963 application to commingle the above mentioned lease and in lieu thereof respectfully requests an exception to Rule 309-A under the provisions of Rule 309-C, Order No. R-2174, for off-lease storage facilities for its Eaton "B" A/c-2 Lease to be situated on Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company's Eaton "B" A/c-1 Lease, both leases constituting the north half of Section 12, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

The Eaton "B" A/c-2 lease covers the north west quarter of Section 12. Eaton "B" A/c-2, Well No. 3 is located 1650 feet from the north line and 2310 feet from the south line of Section 12 and is being produced into a test tank at the well site while the casinghead gas is being flared. With the approval of this application we propose to erect a tank battery for the Eaton "B" A/c-2 Lease adjacent to the tank battery on Eaton "B" A/c-1 Lease. This lease covers the north east quarter of Section 12 and the battery and only producing Well No. 1 is located in the south west quarter of the lease. This proposed location of Eaton "B" A/c-2 battery will make both oil and gas pipeline connections immediately available thus eliminating oil trucking and flaring of casinghead gas. Attached is a plat of the leases showing the wells on the leases, the formations in which they are completed and the proposed location of the tank batteries. In further support of this request, these conditions, as outlined in Rule 309-C, are presented for your consideration:

- 1. All production is from the same common source of supply.
- 2. Commingling of production from the two leases will not result.
- 3. There will be no intercommunication of the handling, seperating, treating or storage facilities designated to each lease.
- 4. All parties owning an interest in the leases have been furnished copies of this application by registered mail.

In view of these facts, it is requested that administrative approval be granted for off-lease storage for the Eaton "B" A/c-2 Lease on the Eaton "B" A/c-1 Lease.

Respectfully yours,

TEXAS PACIFIC COAL AND OIL COMPANY

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Rollins M. Roth Petroleum Engineer

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CC: State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2045 Hobbs, New Mexico

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