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

October 17, 1963

Shell Oil Company P. O. Box 1858 Roswell, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. T. H. Dwyer

Administrative Order PC-166

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application dated October 4, 1963, for administrative approval of an exception to Rule 303 (a) of the Commission Rules and Regulations to permit the commingling of the production from the Drinkard and Blinebry Pools on your Shell State Lease comprising the $\omega/2$ NE/4 of Section 15, Township 21 Jouth, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, after separately metering the Blinebry production and determining the Drinkard production by means of the subtraction method.

By the authority vested in me under the provisions of Rule 303 (b) of the Commission Rules and Regulations, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production from the aforesaid pools on said lease in the above-described manner. Provided however, that the installation shall be operated in accordance with the provisions of the Commission "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities," including the requirement for a non-reset counter on the meter, and provided further, that you shall notify the Hobbs 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 operation.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

ALP/DSN/esr

cc: Oil Conservation Commission (with enclosure) - Hobbs Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs State Land Office - Santa Fe