OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

January 17, 1964

Marathon Oil Company P. O. Box 220 Hobbs, New Maxico

Attention: Mr. John R. Barber

Administrative Order PC-184

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application dated December 20, 1963, for administrative approval of an exception to Rule 303 (a) of the Commission Rules and Regulations to permit the commingling of Monument Grayburg-San Andres, Monument-Blinebry, and Monument-Paddock production on your Bertha Barber Lease comprising the S/2 SW/4 of Section 32, Township 19 South, Range 37 East and the NW/4 and N/2 SW/4 of Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, after separately metering the Monument-Blinebry production and determining the Monument Grayburg-San Andres and Monument-Paddock production by means of the subtraction method, allocating the production to each of the two latter zones by means of periodic tests.

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 non-reset counters on the meters, and provided further, that you shall immediately notify the Commission at such time as any well in either the Monument Grayburg-San Andres or the Monument-Paddock Pools is capable of top allowable production. 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

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

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