TEXACO

PETROLEUM PRODUCTS



DRAWER 728 HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240

February 12, 1964

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico

> Re: Revision of Application to Commingle Production, TEXACO Inc., L. R. Kershaw Lease, Skaggs and Undesignated Tubb Pools, Lea County, New Mexico

ATTENTION: Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.

Gentlemen:

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TEXACO Inc. respectfully requests a revision to the subject application dated January 24, 1964, to permit commingling by the subtraction method rather than by metering production from each zone. In the application, it was requested that an exception to Rule 303 (a) be granted to permit commingling in a common tank battery the liquid hydrocarbon production from the Skaggs Pool, 34.6° API gravity, and Undesignated Tubb Pool, 37.7° API gravity. Since the gravity of each crude is less than 45° API and the Tubb zone is capable of producing more than top allowable, TEXACO Inc. desires to commingle by metering the crude from the Tubb zone and using the subtraction method for determining the Skaggs production.

This would be in accordance with Item II, Section 2-B of the current "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities". It is proposed to meter the Tubb production with a positive displacement, non-reset counter meter and use a liquid sampler for determining the BS&W content. A revised schematic diagram of the proposed installation is attached.

Your early consideration of this matter would be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

J. G. Blevins, Jr.

Assistant District Superintendent

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