

STANOLIND OIL AND GAS COMPANY

OIL AND GAS BUILDING

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

C. F. BEDFORD
DIVISION PRODUCTION SUPERINTENDENT

December 15, 1955

File: RGH-4632-986.510.1

Subject: Application for Exception
to Rule 5(a), Order No. R-520,
Jalmat Gas Pool,
Lea County, New Mexico

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

Attention: Mr. W. B. Macey

Gentlemen:

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Of the 200 acres included in this proposed unit, Stanolind owns the working interest in the NW/4 NE/4 and the SE/4 SE/4 of Section 16. The working interest in the remaining 120 acres is owned by the Humble Oil and Refining Company. The entire 200 acres is composed of State leases. If the proposed non-standard unit is approved, all of the above acreage will be unitized for gas proration purposes.

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Very truly yours,



RGH:jm
Attachment

cc: Gulf Oil Corporation
Box 1290
Fort Worth, Texas

Continental Oil Company
Fair Building
Fort Worth, Texas

Skelly Oil Company
Box 1650
Skelly Building
Tulsa, Oklahoma

Sinclair Oil and Gas Company
Fair Building
Fort Worth, Texas

Humble Oil and Refining Company
Midland, Texas

The Texas Company
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Map is on file NMOCC, Santa Fe, N. M.
New Mexico Oil and Gas Engr. Comm.
Hobbs, New Mexico
December 30, 1955