TEXAS PACIFIC OIL COMPANY, INC.

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

O. C. C. ARTESIA, OFFICE

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

> Re: J. H. ANSLEY NO. 1 660' FN & EL, Sec. 27, T-17-S, R-26-E EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO KENNEDY FARMS (MORROW) FIELD

Gentlemen:

Texas Pacific Oil Company, Inc. requests administrative approval to flare 20 MMCFG from the above captioned well over a five day period.

DST pressure build ups and a 24 hour pressure build up prior to the back pressure test indicate an apparent drop in reservoir pressure suggesting rapid depletion. In order to prove or disprove the apparent depletion we wish to run an extended pressure build up test on this well. This will require flaring 20 MMCFG from the well to establish a stabilized rate prior to starting the pressure build up test. This well is not connected to a pipeline and our Gas Sales Department advises that it will take at lease four weeks and probably longer to finalize a contract, resulting in a delay of at least two months in obtaining a pipeline connection. A prompt evaluation of the apparent pressure decline is needed as our evaluation of this area for further drilling is contingent on the results.

Yours very truly,

TEXAS PACIFIC OIL COMPANY, INC.

Original Signed By T. J. Waller

R. J. Womack District Manager

MLS:cs cc: O.C.C. - Artesia, New Mexico Dale Hawkins