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State Of New Mexico
Oil Conservation division
P.O. Drawer DD
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Gentlemen:

Vintage Petroleum respectfully requests an exemption to Division rule 402 for the Hudson Federal number one well located in section 29-20S-30E Eddy Co., New Mexico. This gas well produces over 100 barrels of water per day which causes wellbore liquid loading problems when the well is shut in. We usually have to swab the well several days in order to regain production at considerable expense.

Please exempt the well until such time that it is shut in for operational reasons, at that time we will send in a pressure test. Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions you may call me at 1-918-588-9111.

Sincerely,

Don Williams

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District Engineer

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