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APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 306 (See Rule 306 and Rule 1129)

А.	Applicant MARATHON OIL COMPANY				
	whose address is <u>P. O. BOX 552, MIDLAND, TX 79701</u> ,				
	hereby requests an exception to Rule 306 for <u>SEVEN (7)</u> days or until				
	<u>December 31</u> , Yr 2002, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):				
	Name of Lease Federal Indian Basin D Gas ComName of Pool <u>Indian Basin Upper Penn Gas Pool</u>				
	Location of Battery: Unit Letter <u>A</u> Section <u>30</u> Township <u>21-S</u> Range <u>23-E</u>				
	Number of wells producing into batteryONE (1)				
B.	Based upon oil production of0barrels per day, the estimated * volume				
	of gas to be flared is3500MCF; Value\$2,000per day.				
C.	Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:				
	INDIAN BASIN GAS PLANT, SECTION 23, T-21-S, R-23-E				
D.	DistanceEstimated cost of connection				
E.	This exception is requested for the following reasons: <u>Permanent Production Facilities are not</u>				
	present at this well site. Flow test is necessary to determine if economic to install permanent				
. ··	facilities and flowlines				

OPERATOR	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation Division have been complied with and that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.	Approved Until BEC 8172;
Signature Kinny Larke	Sim Wi ker
Printed Name	Title District Sportson
& Title <u>Ginny Larke, Engineering Technician</u>	Date DEC 0 6 2002
Date <u>11/25/02</u> Telephone No. <u>915-687-8321</u>	

* Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.