

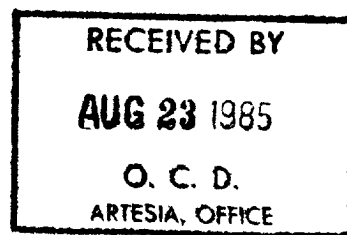


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Permit to Flare Franklin etal Fed. # 1
Crooked Creek Morrow
Eddy County, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. Les Clements

Dear Sir:

The above captioned well currently produces 93 MCFPD with a flowing tubing pressure of 575 psig. In order to evaluate the possibility of producing gas with the assistance of a compressor, we respectfully request permission to test the Franklin etal Federal No. 1 by flaring approximately 500 MCF of gas to the atmosphere. It is felt that (3) three days of testing will allow sufficient time to determine the most efficient gas producing rate.

Your very truly,


R. C. ANDERSON

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cc: CLM
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