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Texaco Exploration and Production Inc. Attention: K. S. Hillman

P. O. Box 3109 Midland, TX 79701

RE: Getty -24- Federal Well No. 7

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1980' FSL & 660' FWL, Sec. 24, T22S, R31E

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hillman:

I am pleased to approve your Application for Permit to Drill (APD) at the present location. Your copy of the APD, with attached stipulations, is enclosed.

As you may be aware, there has been a significant increase in APD's in the Secretary's Potash area. Unfortunately, this has resulted in time delays, which I sincerely hope have not impacted your company.

If you need any additional information, please contact Tony Herrell or Craig Cranston at the Carlsbad Resource Area, (505) 887-6544.

Sincerely,

## Monte G. Jordan

Associate Larry L. Woodard State Director

## 1 Enclosure:

1 - Application for Permit to Drill (APD)

cc:

IMC Fertilizer

Attention: Dan Morehouse

P. O. Box 71

Carlsbad, NM 88220

## bcc:

NM (910, L. Woodard)

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