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Amerada Petroleum Corporation P. O. Box 2040 Tulsa 2, Oklahoma

Attention: Mr. R. S. Christie

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter of April 24, 1962, requesting an exception to Rule 107 (e) (1) for your Apache F Well No. 9, located in the SE/4 of Section 16, Township 25 North, Range 5 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

It is our understanding that you propose to complete this well in the Graneros formation with 2 7/8-inch casing at approximately 7500 feet and also, if possible in the Gallup with 2 7/8-inch casing at approximately 6500.

Approval for a single zone tubingless completion in either of the aforesaid formations is hereby given. In the event the well is completed as a dual completion, approval for such completion must be obtained in the usual manner.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

ALP/DSM/og cc: Mr. E. C. Arnold Aztec, New Mexico

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