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March 26, 1984

Bureau of Land Management  
Caller Drawer 4104  
Farmington, NM 87499

Attention: Ken Townsend

NM 31311

Re: NTL-4A, Permission to vent oil well gas on the Champlin Federal  
#3, 330' FNL & 330' FEL, Sec 10-T25N-R13W, San Juan Co., NM

Dear Ken,

Southern Union Exploration Company (SX) is requesting permission to vent gas on the above referenced well. A pumping unit was placed on the well February 21, 1984 and first new oil recieved March 5, 1984. A GOR test was run March 25, 1984 with a result of 0 ( 23 BOD, 0 MCFGD).

SX is negotiating a pipeline right- of- way with the NIIP but at this time it is uncertain how long this process may take. This application for venting oil well gas is justified as it is anticipated SX's action plan will eliminate venting of the gas within one year of the date of this letter. If anything further is required, please so advise.

Sincerely,

*Katherine F. Folk*  
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Geologist

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