

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
El Paso DISTRICT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

*Dick Starnets*

DATE 4-24-78

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_  
NWD            XXX

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 4-17-78  
for the Union Texas Petroleum Johnston Fed #11 N-1-31-9  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve - this is more than 125% of a  
standard unit. The W/U acreage is 209.50 Ac.

El Paso is applying for the W/U of section 18 to  
the south for 201.47 acres.

Yours very truly,

*Al Kendrick*



Union Texas Petroleum Division  
Suite 1122 Lincoln Tower  
Denver, Colorado 80203

April 17, 1978

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Johnston-Federal #11  
~~SE~~ ~~SW~~ SW Section 7-T31N-R9W  
San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Attached is a copy of the surveyor's plat for our proposed Johnston-Federal No. 11. We propose to drill this well to the Pictured Cliffs. As you are aware, Section 7 is not a standard size section. Therefore, a well drilled in the west half cannot be assigned a normal governmental quarter section proration unit. We respectfully request that administrative approval be granted for a nonstandard proration unit for the subject well. It is our desire to have the entire west half of Section 7 assigned to this well. However, the regular 160-acre proration unit size would be satisfactory.

Should anything prevent the administrative approval of our request, please place the matter on the docket for hearing. Thank you for your assistance.

Yours very truly,

DONALD B. WELLS

Assistant District Production Manager

Encl.

DBW:rw

cc: Mr. A. R. Kendrick  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road  
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