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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P.O. Box 2088
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Re: Non Standard Gas
Proration Unit
Amerada Federal #1
Chaves Co., New Mexico

Gentlemen,

The subject well was drilled as an oil well in the SE1/4 SW1/4 of Section 5, T-15-S, R-30-E NMPM. It was drilled on a farmout from Amerada Hess Corporation covering the SW1/4 of Section 5.

The well was completed as a gas well and Union Texas Petroleum Division of Allied Chemical Corporation has agreed to farmout to me and communitize their 120 acres covering the N1/2 SE1/4 and SW1/4 SE1/4 of Section 5, T-15-S, R-30-E.

Wiser Oil Company owns the SE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 5 and they have declined to farmout and withdrew from a tentative joinder to drill the well.

The above acreage is all held under Federal Leases and it is requested that an exception be granted to rule 2 - order R 3981-A as amended by R 4434 rule 3 for a non-standard proration unit covering the S1/2 of Section 5 except for the SE1/4 SE1/4 all in T-15-S, R-30-E. This unit will contain 280 acres to be assigned to the Amerada Federal #1.

A copy of this letter is being sent to the parties listed on the attached sheet by certified mail.

Very truly yours,

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