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September 7, 2005

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Request to vacate Division Administrative Order DHC-3086

Conoco State Well No. 3

SE1/4 §33-18S-38E

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Latigo Petroleum, Inc. ("Latigo"), Texland Petroleum, LP ("Texland"), and Occidental Permian Ltd. ("Occidental") submit this joint request to vacate the above administrative order. In support thereof, the parties state:

- 1. Latigo is a lessee of the W½SE¼, Texland is a lessee of the NE¼SE¼, and Occidental is the lessee of the SE¼SE¼ of the Section 33.
- 2. The DHC order was approved upon the request of Saga Petroleum, L.L.C. ("Saga"), the predecessor in title to Latigo, without notice to Texland and Occidental.
- 3. The DHC order approved downhole commingling of the Tubb formation (a gas zone spaced on 160 acres) and the Drinkard formation (an oil zone spaced on 80 acres).
- 4. Saga attempted to form a 160 acre Tubb unit comprised of the E½SW¼ and W½SE¼ of Section 33 merely by filing a Form C-102 outlining such a unit (ownership of the E½SW¼ and W½SE¼ of Section 33 is common). The Division never approved such a non-standard unit.
- 5. The parties have determined that all production from the well is attributable solely to the Tubb formation.



6. In addition, Latigo has taken steps to form a standard 160 acre Tubb unit comprised of the SE¼ of Section 33.

As a result of the foregoing, a DHC order is unnecessary, and the Tubb unit "formed" by Saga was improper. Thus, the parties request that DHC-3086 be vacated to correct the errors of Saga.

This request is part of a comprehensive settlement among the parties to resolve and settle all matters raised in Division Case No. 13494, including the reallocation and payment of production proceeds from this wellbore from the date of first production to all proper interest owners in a standard 160 acre spacing unit, consisting of the above-described SE½ §33.

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER DHC-3086

Saga Petroleum L.L.C. 415 W. Wall Suite 1900 Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Ms. Bonnie Husband

Conoco State Well No. 3
API No. 30-025-35961
Unit J, Section 33, Township 18 South, Range38 East, NMPM,
Lea County, New Mexico.
Wildcat-Tubb (Gas – N/A) and
Hobbs-Drinkard (Oil – 31730)

Dear Ms. Husband:

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 303.A. of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit the above described well to commingle production from the subject pools in the wellbore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of Rule 303.C., and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such downhole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and any Division Order which authorized the dual completion and required separation of the zones is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with the provisions of Rule 303.C.(1), each of the commingled oil pools shall be allowed to produce up to the top oil allowable and top casing head gas allowable applicable for that pool.

Assignment of allowable and allocation of production from the well shall be on the following basis:

Wildcat-Tubb Gas Pool	Oil-70%	Gas-54%
Hobbs-Drinkard Oil Pool	Oil-30%	Gas-46%

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Pursuant to Rule 303.C.(2), the commingling authority granted herein may be rescinded by the Division Director if conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

Approved at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 12th day of December 2002.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

LORI WROTENBERY Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs State Land Office-Oil & Gas Division

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 13494 Order No. R-12414

APPLICATION OF TEXLAND PETROLEUM, L.P. FOR A COMPLIANCE ORDER AGAINST LATIGO PETROLEUM, INC., VOIDING OF ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER DHC-3086, COMPULSORY POOLING, CHANGE OF OPERATOR AND OTHER RELIEF, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on September 8, 2005, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 15th day of September, 2005, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner.

FINDS THAT:

The applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 13494 is hereby dismissed.

ra Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

MARK E. FESMIRE, PE

Director