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R. L. ELSTON  
VICE PRES & DIVISION MANAGER

February 16, 1962

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Post Office Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.

Gentlemen:

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company respectfully requests administrative approval for an exception to Rule 303(a) in order to commingle oil produced from the Drinkard Pool with the oil produced from the Blinebry Gas Pool and the Tubbs Gas Pool on our J. R. Cone "A" lease, the W/2 of the SW/4 of Section 26, T-21-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico.

The A.P.I. gravities and values of the oil from the different pools are as follows: Drinkard, 36.2°, \$2.93/Bbl.; Blinebry, 67.9°, \$2.79/Bbl.; and Tubb, 59.1°, \$2.79/Bbl.

The commercial value of the commingled production, the gravity of which will be 52.6° A.P.I., will be \$2.95 per barrel and will not be less than the sum of the values of the production from each common source of supply.

It is further requested that the commingling be allowed without metering as the production from all sources of supply is marginal, and the ownership of all zones is identical.

The following data illustrates the marginal nature of the Drinkard Pool:

Well Number	November 1961 Oil Production	Daily Average	December 1961 Oil Production	Daily Average
J. R. Cone "A" No. 1	60	2.0 ✓	60	1.9 -
J. R. Cone "A" No. 2	105	3.5 ✓	90	2.9 -

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OK on the basis of quarterly tests of ship that operator shall notify the OCE in the event any well becomes incapable of allowing

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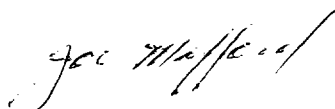
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Oil production from the gas pools is very erratic, producing measurable amounts only when the allowed gas production is fairly large. However, the daily average oil production from the Blinebry during the year 1961 was 4.2 BOPD, and from the Tubbs, was 4.3 BOPD.

The attached plat shows the location of all wells on the subject lease and the pools from which each well is producing.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Joe Mefford".

Joe Mefford

JM:DWC:esa

Attachment

SINCLAIR OIL & GAS COMPANY  
*J. R. Cone "A" Lease*  
PROPOSED TO COMMINGLE  
ALL OIL IN A COMMON BATTERY

LEASE: W/2 OF SW/4 OF SEC. 26,  
T-21-S, R-37-E, LEA CO.  
NEW MEXICO

