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Attention: Mr. William F. Carr

Re: Extension of Division Order No. R-11608

Texaco State BA' Pressure Maintenance Project

Dear Mr. Carr:

Reference is made to your request on behalf of Texaco Exploration & Production, Inc. dated June 21, 2002, for an extension of time in which to convert the following wells to injection within the Texaco State 'BA' Pressure Maintenance Project:

| Well Name & Number | API Number | Well Location |
|--------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| State 'BA' No. 6 | 30-025-20057 | Unit D, Section 36, T-17S, R-34E |
| State 'BA' No. 8 | 30-025-20986 | Unit B, Section 36, T-17S, R-34E |
| State NCT-1 No. 38 | 30-025-33148 | Unit I, Section 36, T-17S, R-34E |

Pursuant to the provisions of Order No. R-11608, injection operations were to have commenced within these wells by June 22, 2002, unless the operator requests an extension from the Division.

For the reasons outlined in your letter, Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. is hereby granted an extension until June 22, 2003, in which to convert the above-described wells to injection within the subject pressure maintenance project.

Sincerely,

Lori Wrotenbery

Director

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