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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application for Exception to Rule 5(a),
Order R-520 for Amerada's L.W. White
No. 1, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County,
New Mexico

Gentlemen:

By this letter of application Amerada Petroleum Corporation wishes to state the following:

- (A) That Amerada Petroleum Corporation's L.W. White No. 1 is located 660 ft. FSL and 660 ft. FEL of Section 34-20S-36E, Lea County, New Mexico and is presently completed as a gas well in the Upper First Seven Rivers zone of the Eumont Gas Poel. Please see attached Exhibit "A".
- (B) That the above well was originally dually completed in the above gas zone and in an oil interval in the Lower First Seven Rivers and Upper Second Seven Rivers zones of the Eumont Gas Pool, but the oil zone is presently temporarily abandoned.
- (C) That the SE/4 of Section 34-20S-36E, consisting of 160 acres, is presently dedicated to the gas completion in the above well.
- (D) That Amerada Petroleum Corporation's Ida White No. 1 is located 1980 ft. FSL and 1980 ft. FWL of Section 35-20S-36E, Lea County, New Mexico, and is presently producing oil from the Stewart (Queen) zone of the Eumont Gas Pool.
- (E) That Amerada Petroleum Corporation's Ida White No. 2 is located 1980 ft. FSL and 660 ft. FWL of Section 35-20S-36E, Lea County, New Mexico, and is presently producing oil from the Lower Second Seven Rivers and Stewart (Queen) zones of the Eumont Gas Pool.
- (F) That the First Seven Rivers zone underlying Amerada's Ida White lease can reasonably be expected to be productive of gas.

- (G) That the applicant proposes to expand the 160 acre L.W. White gas proration unit to include the 80 acre Ida White lease, thereby forming a 240 acre non-standard gas proration unit.
- (H) That the granting of this application would be in the interest of conservation and the protection of correlative rights.
- (I) That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of contiguous quarter-quarter sections.
- (J) That the proposed unit does not exceed 5280 feet in length.
- (K) That by copy of this letter all offset operators are notified of this application.

Therefore, Amerada Petroleum Corporation requests that the Oil Conservation Commission set a certain day upon which this application may be heard and after said hearing to grant permission in order that applicant may increase the size of the gas unit for the L.W. White well as proposed in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

AMERADA PETROLEUM CORPORATION

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District Engineer

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cc: Gulf Oil Corporation, Box 2167, Hobbs, N.M.
Sinclair Oil & Gas Co., Box 1470, Hobbs, N.M.
Humble Oil & Refining Co., Box 1600, Midland, Texas
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Proposed 240 Acre Gas Proration Unit

Scale 1"= 2000!

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