



TENNECO OIL COMPANY • P. O. BOX 1714 • 835 SECOND AVENUE • DURANGO, COLORADO

May 10, 1962

Mr. A. L. Porter
Secretary-Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

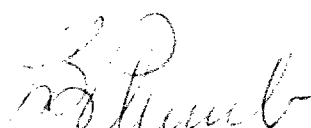
Tenneco Oil Company requests a public hearing for an exception to the provisions of Rule 21-a of Order No. R-1670 in the Basin Dakota field, San Juan County, New Mexico.

We plan to install one common tank battery and separating facility and sell commingled gas from two Dakota wells on the H. O. Watson lease in Section 22, T. 27 N., R. 12 W. These two wells produce from the same reservoir and have common royalty and working interests. We also propose to allocate monthly lease gas production to each well on the basis of well deliverability tests and average well flowing tubing pressures.

We respectfully request that the proposed hearing be publicly advertised and be placed on the docket at an early date.

Yours very truly,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY



L. B. Plumb
District Production Superintendent

JJL:bjo

Attach.

cc: Mr. W. T. Wells, Jr.
Mr. W. N. Armstrong