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Case 4/26

Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Curtis Hankamer's
Brushy Draw Delaware Field
Eddy County, New Mexico

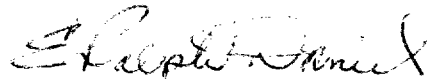
Gentlemen:

On behalf of Mr. Curtis Hankamer, an exception to Commission Order No. R-3221 (No Pit Order) is respectfully requested for leases set out on the attached sheet, all of which are operated by Mr. Curtis Hankamer. These leases have been producing since 1961 and water has been produced along with the oil since inception. During this time the water has been disposed of in open pits and to the best of our knowledge this operation has not created any contamination of fresh water supply wells in the area. Further, in view of the low oil production rate and the remoteness of the subject leases relative to water disposal facilities the cost of water disposal by means other than the use of open pits would be prohibitive.

Should this request require a formal hearing before the Commission, it is further requested that such hearing be set at the earliest convenient date and that pending such hearing the producing allowables for subject wells be restored so as to not interrupt production.

The attached tabulation shows the leases involved as well as the essential information for each lease.

Very truly yours,



E. Ralph Daniel
Petroleum Engineer

ERD/lb
Attd.

| | <u>Daily Oil Prod. B/D</u> | <u>Daily Water Prod. B/D</u> | <u>Disposal Pit Size</u> | <u>Disposal Pit Vol. Bbls.</u> |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| W. A. Federal 25131329 ✓ | 2.5 | 10 | 40'x50'x5' | 1780 |
| W. A. Federal 2629 ✓ | | | | |
| W. A. Federal 149 ✓ | | | | |
| TOTAL | 20.0 | 22 | 40'x60'x5' | 2,40 |
| W. A. Federal 149 ✓ | 1.0 | 8 | 20'x40'x5' | 540 |
| TOTAL | 18.0 | 30 | 40'x50'x5' | 1780 |

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|----------------|--------|------|-----|
| Gulf Fed | 140 BO | 14 | 57 |
| Gulf Fed A | 112 | 61 | 24 |
| Gulf Fed B | 308 | 267 | 61 |
| Gulf Bnty | 428 | 231 | 46 |
| Hanson Federal | 56 | 28 | 6 |
| | 1344 | 701 | 194 |

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