



Amoco Production Company

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File: TBM-986.521NM-624

Re: Request for Hearing
Exception to Rule R-111
East Gem-Yates Pool
Lea County, New Mexico

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission (3)
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

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

Gentlemen:

Amoco Production Company respectfully requests a Hearing for the purpose of obtaining an exception to the casing program requirements of Rule R-111 for a well to be drilled in the potash-oil area at a location 660 FWL and 1980 FSL Section 26, T29S, R33E, Lea County, New Mexico. Amoco will request authority to utilize a two string casing program for a shallow zone well by omitting the salt protection string and circulating cement on the oil string.

Attached is a map showing our proposed location and names of offset Operators. We understand that Potash Company of American is the only holder of potash rights within 1 mile of the location.

It is respectfully requested that this matter be included on Examiner Hearing Docket for February 16, 1972.

Yours very truly,

D. L. Ray
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Attachments

cc: Potash Company of America
P. O. Box 31
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

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Date 2-3-72