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Mr. Jerry Sexton Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 1980 Hobbs, NM 88240

Dear Mr. Sexton:

We would like permission to produce from perforations at 8060' - 8070' without sealing off perforations at 9838' - 9848'. The reason for this request is that passing through the casing bowl at 8040' - 8050' has become increasingly difficult. It appears to be possible that the tubing could become hung up in the hole causing the possible loss of the well.

The zone at 9838' - 9848' did not yield gas or fluid and did not take fluid. Initially, it was assumed that this zone was productive, but after conducting a temperature survey, it was determined that all the gas and fluid was originating from the leak in the casing bowl. In an effort to alleviate the stress on the casing bowl, the zone at 8060' - 8070' was perforated with 1 shot per foot through the tubing.

The zone at 8060' - 8070' appears to be productive and we would not like to endanger our well, therefore, again we request permission to produce the well in it's current state.

Sincerely,

Mike Westbrook

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