

APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 306

NFO Permit No. _____
(For Division Use Only)

A. Applicant, Marathon Oil Company

whose address is P. O. Box 552, Midland, Texas 79702

hereby requests an exception to Rule 306 for 30* days or until
August 1, 19 87, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):

Name of Lease J. M. Denton Name of Pool Devonian

Location of Battery: Unit Letter K Section 11 Township 15-S Range 37-E

Number of wells producing into battery 1

B. Based upon oil production of 165 barrels per day, the estimated volume
of gas to be flared is 170 MCF; Value _____ per day.

C. Name and location of the nearest gas gathering facility:

Davis Gas Processing

D. Distance 1 mile Estimated cost of connection _____

E. This exception is requested for the following reasons:

The Davis Gas Processing Plant experienced a fire on June 27, 1987.
It is estimated that the plant will be shut down for 3 to 4 weeks for
repairs. *Request exception to flare until the plant is able to
process gas.

F. I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil
Conservation Division have been complied with and
that the information given above is true and complete to
the best of my knowledge and belief.

Erie M. Pungle
(Signature)

Engineer

(Title)

June 29, 1987

(Date)

Approved Until _____

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

By _____

Title _____

Date _____

*Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.