

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
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Texaco Inc.
Drawer 728
Hobbs, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. J. G. Blevins Jr.

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter of October 4, 1963, wherein you request authority to complete your State of New Mexico "AE" Well No. 18 located in Unit G of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico, as a single tubingless completion in the Vacuum (Abo Reef) Pool.

It is our understanding that 2 7/8-inch casing will be set at approximately 9050 feet and cemented with sufficient cement to come back into the intermediate casing. Completion will be through perforations from approximately 8950 feet to 9000 feet.

Inasmuch as no corrosion problems are expected and adequate measures will be taken to counteract the expected paraffin deposition, the above completion is hereby approved.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr.
Secretary-Director

ALP/DSH/esr

cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Hobbs
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs