

September 13, 1963

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application for Single Tubingless
Completion, State of New Mexico
"AE" Well No. 7, Vacuna Abo Reef
Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

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

Gentlemen:

TEXACO Inc. respectfully requests administrative approval of an exception to New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Rule 107 (e) for State of New Mexico "AE" Well No. 7. This well is a proposed single tubingless completion and is located 680 feet from the north line and 1980 feet from the west line of Section 12, T-13N, R-20E, Lea County, New Mexico.

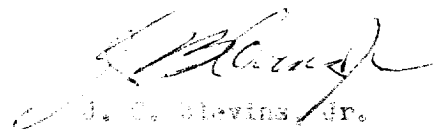
The production casing string will consist of 2-7/8 inch O.D. tubing set at approximately 2900 feet in a 7-5/8 inch hole. Completion will be through perforations from approximately 3750 feet to 5350 feet in the Abo Reef formation. No corrosion is expected, but paraffin accumulation is expected for which the top 2000 feet of casing shall be plastic coated to resist paraffin deposition. The well is expected to flow initially.

This zone has been approved by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission as a single tubingless completion in TEXACO Inc.'s State of New Mexico "AE" Well No. 10.

Attached is a diagrammatic sketch of the proposed tubingless completion and a plat showing the location of all wells on the State of New Mexico "AE" lease and all offset wells along with the name and addresses of all offset operators. A copy of this request is being sent this date to all offset operators by registered mail.

Your early consideration of this request would be greatly appreciated.

Yours very truly,


J. C. Shevins, Jr.
Assistant District Supt.

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CC: AMOCC, Hobbs
Offset Operators
Attachments