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Texaco Exploration and Production Inc. P. O. Box 3109
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Re: Request for Exception to Rule 303-A
Downhole Commingling
Marathon Oil Company
Staplin State A/C 1 No. 6
UL "N" 525' FSL & 1980' FWL
Sec. 30, T-17-S, R-35-E
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Sincerely.

Marathon Oil Company has filed an application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to downhole commingle the referenced well. Please find enclosed a copy of the application as outlined in Rule 303-A.

If you are in agreement and waive all objections to the downhole commingling, please sign below and mail the original to the NMOCD in the attached addressed envelope. Also, please return one copy to Marathon at the letterhead address.