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SINCLAIR OIL & GAS COMPANY

PETROLEUM LIFE BUILDING
MIDLAND, TEXAS

FLOYD BRETT
VICE-PRESIDENT & DIVISION MANAGER
LOREN WARE
ASSISTANT DIVISION MANAGER

May 10, 1957

Re: 6/17/57

H. DEFENBAUGH
DIVISION PRODUCTION SURT
P. C. ROGERS
DIVISION GAS & GAS PRODUCTS SURT

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

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

Re: Sinclair Oil & Gas Company
State Lea 688 Lease
N/2 of Section 25, 20S - 35E,
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

By our letter of April 24, 1957, a request was made for an extension of the deadline for the "No-Flare Order" covering gas vented from the above described lease. At the time the above letter was written, we had not received sufficient information to make application for an exception to the "No-Flare Order". This information is now available, and we would, therefore, like to make such application.

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At the present time, only one well exists on the above described lease. It is located 660' from the north and east lines of Section 25, Lea County, New Mexico. The volume of gas venting from the lease is 48 MCF. The gas-oil ratio on this well is 1143/1.

Phillips Petroleum Company and Warren Petroleum Corporation were contacted in an effort to obtain a market for the gas. Attached are two letters dated April 24, 1957 and April 1, 1957 which indicate that a market is not available at present. As stated in the letters, the gathering lines of both Phillips and Warren are approximately 3 miles from the well in question.

We are also attaching a plat which shows the location of the lease and the surrounding acreage. We feel that we have made every effort to obtain a market for the gas, and therefore, are requesting an exception to the "No-Flare Order" based on the above information.

Very truly yours,

Floyd Brett
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Attachments

cc: Mr. H. F. Defenbaugh & P. T. Davis

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May 10, 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

Re: [illegible]

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a letterhead memorandum dated May 10, 1961, and captioned as above.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

cc: Mr. J. Edgar Hoover