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Box 547  
Hobbs, New Mexico  
July 26, 1957

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

Gentlemen:

Tidewater wishes to state the following facts in applying for an exemption to Order A-553 and respectfully requests the issuance of a no-flare order:

1. The application is submitted in triplicate.
2. This order is to cover Tidewater's State "A" lease located W/2 SE/4 Sec. 22-19S-37E, ADP, Lumont Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
3. There is one producing well on this lease located in Unit 2, SW/4 SE/4 Sec. 22.
4. A plat of this lease is attached showing well location, offset ownership and location of tank battery.
5. We request a no-flare order on this well because it will be impossible to have gas sales line connected within ninety days from completion date. We have negotiated a contract with Phillips Petroleum, however, it will be thirty days before connection can be made.
  - (a) This gas volume being vented is 50.6 MCFPD.
  - (b) GOR of well #1 is 1333:1.
  - (c) At the present time, distance from the nearest gas gathering line is approximately one-half mile.

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared H. P. Shackelford who after being duly sworn on oath states that he represents the reporting company in the capacity of Area Superintendent and that said report contains no misstatements or inaccuracies, that this report is a correct statement of the facts therein recited, and that affiant is duly authorized to make this affidavit.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of July, 1957.

O. O. Lupardus O. O. Lupardus Notary Public in and for Lea County, N. Mex.