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ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION FOR  
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION  
EUMONT YATES SEVEN RIVERS QUEEN  
PRORATED GAS POOL  
STATE 'J' GAS COM #8  
UNIT LETTER 'O'  
990' FSL & 2193' FEL  
SECTION 2, T-20S, R-36E  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
1000 West Broadway  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Attn: Mr. Jerry Sexton

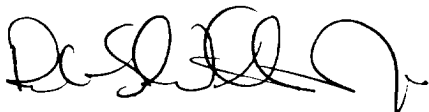
Dear Mr. Sexton:

Amerada Hess Corporation (AHC) respectfully requests approval to drill and complete the State 'J' Gas Com #8 on a standard well location and simultaneously dedicate this well to the State 'J' Gas Com Eumont Gas Proration Unit. The AHC State 'J' Gas Com was approved as a non-standard proration unit under orders NSP-269 and NSP-749 approving 440.26 acres consisting of the S/2, S/2 NW/4 and the NE/4 NW/4 Section 2, T-20S, R-36E. The proration unit was originally dedicated to the State 'J' Gas Com #4, located 1980' FSL and 2081' FWL.

Attached is the 'Application for Permit to Drill' (form C-101) and the 'Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat' (form C-102) depicting the AHC State 'J' Gas Com and its' dedicated producers. Also shown on the plat is the North Monument Grayburg / San Andres Unit 1815 well, a Grayburg well located on the same 40 acre tract. This well is operated by AHC and therefore negates the requirement for operator notification.

Your consideration is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Robert L. Williams Jr.  
Sr. Production Foreman