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ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION FOR
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION
EUMONT YATES SEVEN RIVERS QUEEN
PRORATED GAS POOL
H. W. ANDREWS #15
UNIT LETTER 'L'
2230' FSL & 660' FWL
SECTION 12, T-20S, R-36E
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

United States Department of Energy
Bureau of Land Management
P. O. Box 1778
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Attn: Mr. Adam Salameh

Re: Application to Drill (APD) referenced well

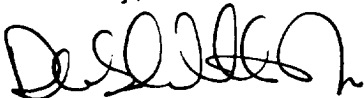
Dear Mr. Salameh:

Amerada Hess Corporation (AHC) respectfully requests approval to drill the H. W. Andrews #15 on a standard well location and simultaneously dedicate this well to the H. W. Andrews Eumont Gas Proration Unit. A copy of the 'Application to Drill' package previously filed with the Carlsbad Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is attached with the only change being a retraction of the 'confidentiality request' on the APD. No such confidentiality is required for this Eumont gas well.

Amerada Hess Corporation has contacted the surface owner, Mr. J. R. Byrd, regarding the proposed and staked location / road and he has given clearance for the building of the location. AHC will pay Mr. Byrd surface damages commensurate with rates set by our 'Monument Area Damage Schedule' previously agreed to by Mr. Byrd and other area surface owners / lessees.

Please call if additional information is required. Your consideration and approval of this application is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Robert L. Williams Jr.
Sr. Production Foreman
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Attach: BLM APD Package w/ arch. study