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PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT
SOUTHWEST/ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION

F. F. Hardison "B"
Well Nos. 7 and 8
Section 27, T21S, R37E
Lea County, New Mexico

Mr. Richard L. Stamets, Director
State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Commission
Energy and Minerals Department
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

The F. F. Hardison "B" Well No. 6 was recently recompleted as an oil well in the Blinebry (Blinebry) Pool, which requires a 40 acre proration unit. Since special rules for the Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool prohibit dual dedication of acreage to oil and gas, it will be necessary to reduce the gas proration unit dedicated to the F. F. Hardison "B" Well Nos. 7 and 8.

Exxon Corporation respectfully requests administrative approval for the present 160 acre proration unit shared by F. F. Hardison "B" Well Nos. 7 and 8 to be reduced to a non-standard 120 acre proration unit as shown on the attached plats. Form C-102 is attached for each well. Both wells are dually completed in the Blinebry and Drinkard pools as gas wells.

As required by Rule 104.II., the non-standard unit consists of contiguous quarter-quarter sections and lies within a single governmental quarter section.

Exxon Corporation is notifying all offset operators of our application for a non-standard proration unit by copy of this letter. The following offset operators have been notified by certified mail:

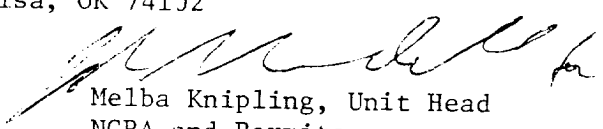
Conoco, Inc., Director of Regulatory Affairs, 5 Greenway Plaza East, Houston, TX 77046

Marathon Oil Company, P. O. Box 552, Midland, Texas 79702

Mobil Producing Texas and N. Mexico, Inc., 9 Greenway Plaza, Suite 2700
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Texaco Producing, Inc. (Getty) P. O. Box 1231, Midland, Texas 79702

Arco Oil and Gas Company, P. O. Box 521, Tulsa, OK 74102


Melba Knipling, Unit Head
NGPA and Permits

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Attachment: Form C-102

Ownership Map

cc: NMOCC District Office, Hobbs, NM

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