

THE WISER OIL COMPANY

8115 PRESTON ROAD, SUITE 400, DALLAS, TX 75225

(Phone) 214-265-0080

(Fax) 214-373-3610

August 7, 1996

New Mexico
Minerals and Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Attn: Surface Commingling Department

The Wiser Oil Company as operator of the following wells and leases in Lea County, New Mexico, hereby requests permission to commingle all gas production from same. We are currently negotiating a contract with GPM. They have determined all gas to be similar in content and are paying under one price. Production will be allocated based on well tests for all of the above. All working and revenue interests are common between the two leases.

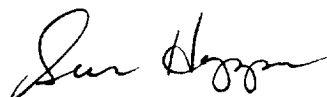
Downes A #5	Penrose Skelly Grayburg	16242	30-025- ²⁷⁷³⁵ 06950
Downes D #2	Drinkard	15298	30-025-06955
Downes D #3	Drinkard	15298	30-025-06956
Downes D #4	Drinkard	15298	30-025-24568

In addition, we also request oil commingling at the surface for the following. Gravity ranges from 37.8 to 38.7 and is also under one contract.

Downes D #1	Blinbry Oil & Gas	15298	30-025-06954
Downes D #2	Drinkard	15298	30-025-06955
Downes D #3	Drinkard	15298	30-025-06956
Downes D #4	Drinkard	15298	30-025-24568

Please let us know as soon as possible what more we need do as our foreman need to begin connecting all production.

Yours very truly,



Susan Hopper

S/s

