



Cross Timbers Oil Company

September 9, 1997

NMOCD Hobbs District
P.O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico
Attention: Mr. Chris Williams

Re: Application for Downhole Commingling
Shamu # 1
NE/4NE/4 Section 12-T20S-R37E
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Cross Timbers hereby submits one original and three copies of Form C-107-A applying for downhole commingling in the Monument Tubb and Skaggs Drinkard pools in our Shamu # 1 well. Pursuant to your conversation with Ray Martin it is our understanding that you will forward the original to the Division office in Santa Fe for final approval.

We look forward to your approval and should you have any questions please call me at (817)877-2336.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Edwin S. Ryan, Jr.".

Edwin S. Ryan, Jr.

cc: Ray Martin - Midland