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# STATE OF NEW MEXICO

# ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

# OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

July 24, 1990

POST OFFICE BOX 1980 HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88241-1980 (505) 393-6161

BTA Oil Producers 104 South Pecos Midland, TX 79701

Attn: Mr. Thomas J. Williams

Re: EXCEPTION TO RULE 402

Chiso "C" 8711 JV-P #1 Unit C, Sec. 23, T22S, R34E Ojo Chiso-Morrow Gas Pool

Lea County, NM

### Gentlemen:

As requested in your letter of July 23, 1990, and for the reasons outlined therein, the well referenced above will be exempt from the shut-in pressure test requirement of Division Rule 402. This exemption is being made on a non-expiring basis pending workover or shut in of the well.

Very truly yours.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Jerry Sexton Supervisor, District I

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cc: OCD Santa Fe

BTA Oil Producers - gas transporter



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Fit exception to Rule 400 Shut-in Pressure (est Chiso ( 871) JV-P C. Sec 23, T225, # 31E Les County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico Energy & Mineral Department Uni Conservation Commission F. O. Box 1980 Hobbs. New Mexico 88240-1980

ATTENTION: Mr. Jerry Sexton

Dear Mr. Sexton:

BTA Oir Producers would like to apply for an exception to Rule 402 - Shut-In Pressure Test on the above referenced well.

The well is currently producing 2665 MCFD, 33 BOPD, and 260 BWPD with FTP 400 psi. Due to the large volume of water the well is producing, it is fell that the well would not recover naturally from a shut-in period. Any shut-in period on this well could result in an expenditure upon attempting to return the well to production. Also a possible loss of reserves if the production was not recovered.

if you have any questions or need any further information, please contact me.

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Thomas J. Williams

For BTA Gil Producers

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ee: Dorothy Houghton