

## SOHIO PETROLEUM COMPANY

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Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Exception to Rule 303-A Penrose Well No. 2 2086' FNL & 766' FWL of Section 9, T22S, R37E, NMPM Penrose Well No. 3 1874' FNL & 766' FWL of Section 9, T22S, R37E, NMPM Lea County, New Mexico Lease No. 061446

Gentlemen:

The Penrose No. 2 was drilled and completed in March 1946 in the Paddock pool to a TD of 5245'. This well produces from perforations at 5158-68'. Production is measured by periodic well tests.

The Penrose No. 3 was drilled and completed in January 1947 to a TD of 8120' as a Brunson (Ellenburger) open hole completion 8089-8120'. This well was TA'd in March 1964. The Penrose No. 3 was recompleted April 1980 in the Brunson (Fusselman) pool and is producing from perforations at 7230-60'. Production will be measured by periodic well tests.

The gravity of the Paddock oil is  $36^{\circ}$  with a value of \$39.42 per barrel. The gravity of the Fusselman oil is also  $36^{\circ}$  with a value of \$39.42 per barrel. The royalty interests in both zones are the same.

Attached is a schematic diagram of the Penrose No. 2 and 3, schematic diagram of the lease tank battery, and a plat showing all wells on the subject lease and the pool from which each well is producing. The U. S. Geological Survey is being advised of our request to commingle by copy of this letter.

We request an exception to Rule 303-A be granted to permit the commingling into common facilities of the commonly owned production from the Paddock and the Fusselman formations.

Very truly yours,

SOHIO NATURAL RESOURCES COMPANY

D. R. Lutton District Engineer

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cc: NMOCC, Hobbs, New Mexico THIS CCPY FOR USGS, Hobbs, New Mexico