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March 16, 1983

U. S. Department of Interior Minerals Management Section P. O. Box 1857 Roswell, New Mexico 88201

> RE: Exception to No Flare Order (R-4870) Triste Draw Federal Well No. 2 Section 14, T 23 S, R 32 E Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

The Superior Oil Company respectfully requests an exception to the No Flare Order to flare gas from the Triste Draw Federal Well No. 2 for a period of 12 months.

The well is currently making 20 to 25 MCFPD which is being used for lease fuel except when an occasional flare is necessary.

If additional information is needed, please advise.

Yours very truly,

THE SUPERIOR OIL COMPANY

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G. E. Tate Production Superintendent

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