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Gentlemen:

Getty Oil Company respectfully requests permission to surface commingle Blinebry and Langlie Mattix - Penrose Queen production from its G.D. Riggs "B" lease. This lease is located in section 1, T-26S, R-37E in Lea County, New Mexico.

There are three producing wells on this lease, G.D. Riggs "B" well nos. 6, 7, and 8. The wells are currently producing from the Justis Blinebry Pool. The location, production, and tank battery schematic can be seen on Exhibit I. Getty is proposing to temporarily abandon the Blinebry and recompleate in the Langlie Mattix - Penrose Queen on a well by well basis over a three month period. Therefore, surface commingling will be required during this recompletion program. In approximately one year the appropriate paperwork will be submitted to down-hole commingle the Justis Blinebry and Langlie Mattix - Penrose Queen. This commingling would be the most economical means of producing the remaining Blinebry reserves.

At the present time Getty has a storage facility located in section 1 for the G.D. Riggs "B" lease. This facility consists of (1) 6' x 20' heater treater and (2) 210 bbls welded steel tanks for oil production. The produced water is disposed of directly into Rice Engineering's water disposal system.

The oil, water, and gas production will be tested monthly for each well with a portable well tester. This production test will be the basis of the breakout of each individual well's contribution of the total lease produced fluids for each month.

No pump will be required to move the oil and water as each well's discharge pressure will be sufficient to move the fluids into the battery for processing.

The Justis Blinebry and Langlie Mattix - Penrose Queen are both owned 100% by Getty Oil Company.

Certain economic considerations make this application a necessity for Cetty Oil Company. The approval of surface commingling of the two subject zones will eliminate the need for a temporary tank battery facility for the Langlie Mattix - Penrose Queen pay. The cost of facilities is estimated to be \$14,000. We feel that commingling production into the existing tank battery would be the most prudent and economical method of operations for this lease.

Federal royalties will not be significantly affected as the Blinebry oil is selling for \$28.63/bbl. and the Langlie Mattix - Penrose Queen oil is selling for \$28.54/bbl on an adjoining lease. Both of which are being sold to a common pipeline company.

Your consideration in this matter is greatly appreciated. If further information is needed or a question needs answering, please contact the Getty Hobbs Area office. (397-3571)

Very truly yours,

GETTY OIL COMPANY



Dale R. Crockett
Area Superintendent

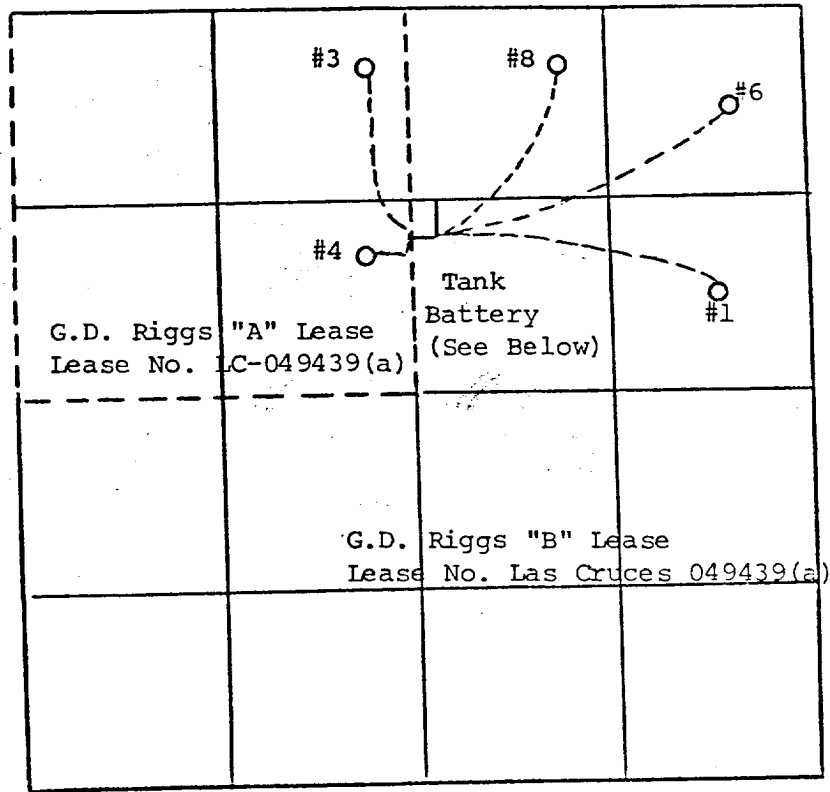
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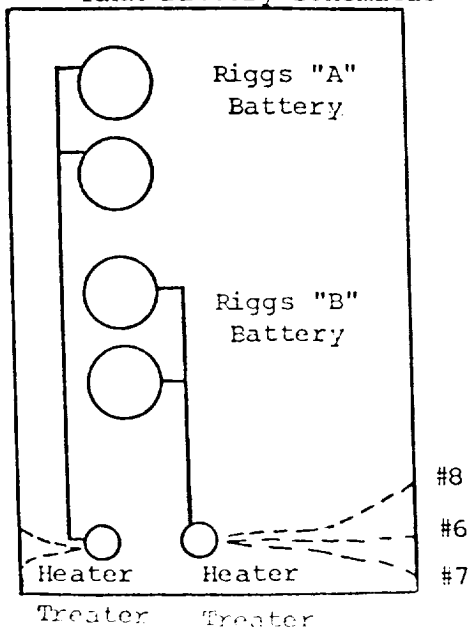
Attachments

George D. Riggs "A&B" Lease
 Section 1, T26S, R37E
 Lea County, New Mexico

EXHIBIT I



Tank Battery Schematic



Well Locations

A No. 3	330 FNL & 2310 FWL, Unit ltr. C
A No. 4	1650 FNL & 2290 FWL, Unit ltr. F
B No. 6	660 FNL & 560 FEL, Unit ltr. A
B No. 7	330 FEL & 1650 FNL, Unit ltr. B
B No. 8	330 FNL & 1650 FEL, Unit ltr. H

April 1983 Blinebry Production

B No. 6	5.2 BOPD	37 BWPD	19 MCFPD
B No. 7	3.0 BOPD	3 BWPD	13 MCFPD
B No. 8	5.2 BOPD	28 BWPD	40 MCFPD

