

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT **OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

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BRUCE KING GOVERNOR LARRY KEHOE SECRETARY

Shell Oil Co. P. O. Box 991 Houston, Texas 77001

Attention: Mr. W. W. Dover

Re: Downhole Comminalina Antelope Ridge Well No. 6 Unit G-Sec. 3, T-24-S. R-34-E

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter dated July 10, 1980, wherein you request authority to commingle Atoka and Morrow production in the well-bore of the captioned well in order to evaluate the well in order to determine the course of action to be taken to correct mechanical problems which have thwarted your efforts to dually complete the well.

The procedure you propose in your letter appears reasonable and should enable you to determine the future course of action within 3 months.

Shell Oil Company is therefore hereby authorized to commingle Atoka and Morrow production in the well-bore of its Antelope Ridge Well No. 6 until November 1, 1980, allocating the production to each zone in accordance with the provisions of your letter of July 10.

This approval is given subject to like approval by the USGS. Commingling beyond November 1, 1980, will be authorized only after notice and hearing.

Very truly yours,

JOE D. RAMEY. Director

JDR/DSN/dr

Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs cc: Well File