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Ref. No. 8960

January 17, 1989

Mr. Warren Williamson Westcoast Petroleum Ltd. 2200, 700 - 6th Avenue S.W. Calgary, Alberta T2P 0T8

Dear Mr. Williamson:

APPLICATION FOR GOOD ENGINEERING PRACTICE

UMBACH - GETHING 'A'

Your application of December 9, 1988, requested approval of Good Engineering Practice for the Umbach Gething 'A' Pool.

A geological review was carried out by the Division following the receipt of your application. It is concluded from this review that gas wells within the GEP application area may fall within two or more separate Gething pools. However, due to the lack of production and pressure history, it would be premature to split the pool into separate Gething pools at this time. The Division encourages GEP applications for well-defined pools of common land ownership. Accordingly, your application cannot be approved at this time.

With regard to your request of January 16, 1989 for an annual gas allowable for the well c-18-F/94-H-3, examination of available technical data suggests that such an allowable is acceptable as this would give you significant operational flexibility. Therefore, we wish to advise that your application for annual allowable of 21.9  $10^6 \text{m}^3$  is approved.

This approval may be modified or rescinded at a later date if deemed appropriate through a change in circumstances.

Yours truly,

B.E. Hanwell

Director, Engineering and Operations