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Encal Project (02)
Amendment #1

Dear Mr. Beatson:

RE: APPLICATION TO AMEND WATERFLOOD PRESSURE MAINTENANCE APPROVAL; RIGEL CECIL "B" POOL

This refers to your application dated March 10, 1998 wherein you requested an amendment to the waterflood pressure maintenance scheme approval for the subject oil pool. In the application you request that the production allowable for the pool be based voidage replacement.

Based on a review of the Progress Report #2 submitted with your application, it is concluded that the waterflood has been very successful in the pool. Consequently, your request is hereby approved. Attached is Approval #96-09-006 (Amendment #1) for the application, granted under Section 100 (previously Sec 116) of the <u>Petroleum and Natural Gas Act</u>.

Please note that the voidage calculations must be submitted in the Progress Reports.

Yours sincerely,

B. van Oort, P. Eng.

Director

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Attachment

## APPROVAL 96-09-006 (Amendment #1)

## THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS ACT MINISTRY OF ENERGY AND MINES ENERGY AND MINERALS DIVISION

IN THE MATTER of a pressure maintenance scheme of Encal Energy Ltd. (Encal) for waterflood recovery of oil by water injection into the Rigel Cecil "B" pool.

The approval granted pursuant to Section 100 (previously 116) of the <u>Petroleum and Natural Gas</u> Act, is hereby amended as follows:

- 1. The pressure maintenance scheme of Encal for waterflood recovery of oil from the Rigel Cecil "B" pool as such scheme is described in the application from Encal to the Ministry dated September 30, 1996 and supplemented with additional application dated March 10, 1998 is hereby approved, subject to the terms herein contained.
- 2. The area of the pressure maintenance scheme shall consist of NW/4 sec 4, sec 9, W/2 sec 10, W/2 sec 15, E/2 sec 16, SE/4 sec 21, sec 22, sec 27, and sec 34-88-18W6 and fractional units 12 and 13, and units 22 and 23 of Block K/94-A-10.
- 3. The project oil allowable for a month shall be based on the previous month's voidage replacement.
- 4. Water may be injected into the wells 13-4, 13-15 and 10-27-88-18 W6M.
- 5. The injection pressure at the sandface must not exceed the formation fracture pressure.
- 6. Equipment must be installed at the well head of water injection wells to ensure that fracturing of the formation does not occur.
- 7. All associated gas production must be conserved.
- 8. An oil well may be drilled anywhere within the project area provided that it is not completed nearer than 100 m to the sides of the project area.
- 9. Progress reports shall be filed as stipulated in Part 9, Section 108 of the *British Columbia Drilling and Production Regulation*.

10. The operations of the pressure maintenance scheme will be subject to periodic review, and modification to the approval may be ordered, if deemed appropriate.

Bou van Oort

Director

Engineering and Operations Branch

DATED AT the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, this **2** day of April, 1998.