February 25, 1994

Mr. Tommy H. Arnwine E & S Director LOUIS DREYFUS NATURAL GAS CORPORATION P.O. Box 129 Whiteface, Texas 79379-0129

> Re: Ann Friar Thomas No. 1 Cuero, DeWitt County

Dear Mr. Arnwine:

This is in response to your letter dated January 28, 1994 concerning the proposed installation of the Ann Friar Thomas No. 1 Oil and Gas Production Facility in DeWitt County. After evaluation of the information which you have furnished, we have determined that your project is exempt from the permit procedures under Standard Exemption No. 67 if constructed and operated as described in your letter.

Operation under Standard Exemption No. 67 cannot exceed 90 days; if operation continues past 90 days and the gas is determined to be sour, registration is required under Standard Exemption No. 66. If the gas is not sour, registration is suggested, however, not required. This standard exemption was authorized by the Executive Director pursuant to Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) Rule 116.211(a), 30 Texas Administrative Code §116 (commonly known as Regulation VI). A copy of the exemption in effect at the time of this registration is attached. You must operate in accordance with all requirements of the attached standard exemption.

You are reminded that regardless of whether a permit is required, these facilities must be in compliance with all air quality Rules and Regulations of the TNRCC and of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at all times.

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If you have any questions concerning this exemption, please contact Mr. Devin Koele of our New Source Review Program.

Sincerely,

Susan Blevins, P.E. Manager, Chemical Section New Source Review Program Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Charlie Spiekerman, Air Program Manager, Corpus Christi

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