

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Bass Enterprises Production Company Box 2760

Midland, Texas 79702

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Attention: J. E. Pullig

Re: <u>Bass Kersey - SWD Well No. 3</u> F - Section 12, Township 19

F - Section 12, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County,

New Mexico

Dear Mr. Pullig:

Based upon your request dated April 6, 1981, authority is hereby granted to reinstate salt water disposal into the subject well originally approved for disposal by Division Order No. R-3688.

Please note that it will be necessary that the well be equipped to facilitate periodic testing to determine its mechanical integrity and to limit wellhead injection pressure to no more than 1200 psi. Higher injection pressures may be authorized upon a proper demonstration that such pressures will not result in fracturing the confining strata.

Sincerely

JOE D. RAMEY

Division Director

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cc: Mr. W. A. Gressett
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