OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

June 19, 1974

Tesoro Petroleum Corporation 8700 Tesoro Drive San Antonio, Texas 78286

Re: Administrative Order PMX No. 59

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith please find Administrative Order No. PMX-59 for the following well:

Santa Fe "A" Well No. 87, located at an unorthodox location 5 feet from the South line and 50 feet from the East line of Section 1, Township 17 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, McKinley County, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission 1000 Rio Brazos Road Aztec, New Mexico



APPLICATION OF TESORO PETROLEUM CORPORATION TO EXPAND ITS LOWER HOSPAH PRESSURE MAINTENANCE PROJECT IN THE SOUTH HOSPAH-LOWER SAND OIL POOL IN McKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER PMX NO. 59

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Order No. R-4558, Tesoro Petroleum Corporation has made application to the Commission on June 17, 1974, for permission to expand its Lower Hospah Pressure Maintenance Project in the South Hospah-Lower Sand Oil Pool, McKinley County, New Mexico.

NOW, on this 19th day of June, 1974, the Secretary-Director finds:

- 1. That application has been filed in due form.
- 2. That satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators have been duly notified of the application.
- 3. That the proposed injection well is eligible for conversion to water injection under the terms of Order No. R-4558.
- 4. That the proposed expansion of the above-referenced pressure maintenance project will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.
 - 5. That the application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Tesoro Petroleum Corporation, be and the same is hereby authorized to inject water into the Lower Hospah formation through the following described well for purposes of secondary recovery, to wit:

Santa Fe "A" Well No. 87, located at an unorthodox location 5 feet from the South Line and 50 feet from the East Line of Section 1, Township 17 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, McKinley County, New Mexico.

 ${\tt DONE}$ at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

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TESORO PETROLEUM CORPORATION

8700 TESORO DRIVE

512-828-8484

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78286

June 12, 1974

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Post Office Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application to Inject Gas

and Water

Lower Hospah Sand

Santa Fe "A" #87, S. Hospah McKinley County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Attached is an approved Form C-101 permitting the drilling of the subject well. As noted by the District Supervisor, this approval does not constitute consent to inject and is subject also to approval of a non-standard location prior to injection.

The proposal to utilize this well for injection service is designed to expand the secondary recovery project as approved by Oil Conservation Commission Order R-4558, dated June 25, 1973.

Tesoro Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests approval of this subject well as an injection well in this authorized secondary recovery project. In support of this request, as stipulated by Rule 10, Paragraph (1), (2), and (3) of this aforementioned order, a plat of the project is attached showing the location of the subject well. A schematic diagram is also attached showing the completion procedure in this well and a copy of the application is being furnished to Tenneco Oil Company who is the only offset operator, and who is sharing 50% of the cost of drilling and completing the injection well.

As noted previously, the subject well has been drilled at a non-standard location, consequently, approval in this matter is also respectfully requested.

Yours very truly,

R. H. Denman

Director of Production Administration

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