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Lori Wrotenbery
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Oil Conservation Division

Merrion Oil & Gas 610 Reilly Avenue Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Attn: Ms. Connie Dinning

RE: Injection Pressure Increase,

Flush No. 1 (API No. 30-045-30271) San Juan County, New Mexico

Reference is made to your request dated May 7, 2002 to increase the surface injection pressure on the above-referenced well. This request is based on a step rate test conducted on May 2, 2002. The results of the test have been reviewed by my staff and we feel an increase in injection pressure on this well is justified at this time.

You are therefore authorized to increase the surface injection pressure on the following well:

in the second party.	Accompanies and groups
Flush No. 1	600 PSIG

Located in Unit F, Section 2, Township 26 North, Range 13 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

The Division Director may rescind this injection pressure increase if it becomes apparent that the injected water is not being confined to the injection zone or is endangering any fresh water aquifers.

Sincerely,

Lori Wrotenbery

Director

Oil Conservation Division - Aztec

Files: SWD-781, IPI-2002

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