



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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Giant Refining Company
P.O. Box 159
Bloomfield, New Mexico 87413-0159

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OIL CON. DIV.
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Attn: Mr. Lynn Shelton

**RE: Injection Pressure Increase, Bloomfield Refining Well No.1
San Juan County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. Shelton:

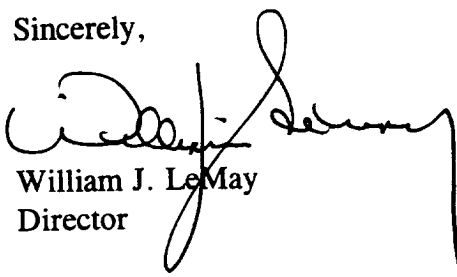
Reference is made to your request dated May 3, 1996 to increase the surface injection pressure on the above referenced well. This request is based on a step rate test conducted on March 1, 1996. The results of the test have been reviewed by my staff and we feel an increase in injection pressure on this well is justified at this time.

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

<i>Well and Location</i>	<i>Maximum Surface Injection Pressure</i>
Bloomfield Refining Well No.1	1150 PSIG
Located in Unit Letter 'I', Section 27, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, 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,


William J. LeMay
Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec ✓
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