5. LEASE

14-08-0001-8200

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY	10. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE			
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS (Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or plug back to a different reservoir. Use Form 9-331-C for such proposals.)	7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME Horseshoe Gallup Unit 8. FARM OR LEASE NAME			
reservoir. Use Form 9-331-C for such proposals./	Horseshoe Gall	lup Unit'		
1. oil gas other Injection	9. WELL NO.			
2. NAME OF OPERATOR ARCO Oil and Gas Co., a	194			
Div. of Atlantic Richfield Company	10. FIELD OR WILDCAT NAME			
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR 707 - 17th Street,	Horseshoe Gallup			
P.O. Box 5540, Denver, Colo. 80217	11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND SURVEY OR AREA			
4. LOCATION OF WELL (REPORT LOCATION CLEARLY. See space 17 below.)	Sec. 34-31N-16W			
AT SURFACE: Unit H,1990'FNL & 645'FEL, Sec. 34	12. COUNTY OR PARISH			
AT TOP PROD. INTERVAL:	San Juan	New Mexico		
AT TOTAL DEPTH:	14. API NO.			
16. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE.	None			
REPORT, OR OTHER DATA	15. ELEVATIONS (CS) CON LOS UNITES, AND WD) 5472 O GRAD GAS OPERATIONS			
REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO: SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:	n-orivi	Th.		
TEST WATER SHUT-OFF	SEP 23	1982		
FRACTURE TREAT SHOOT OR ACIDIZE	SEL NO			
REPAIR WELL	(NOTE: Report results of mi			
PULL OR ALTER CASING U	change on Form 9- GRAND JUNCTION	N. COLORADO		
MULTIPLE COMPLETE	GIVAND JOHOUS	•		
ARANDON*	•			
(other) X - Set Cement Plug				
17. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*				
ARCO hereby asks permission to set a cement plug above the injection				
	t well. This is			
with the requirements as set forth in a	memorandum date	ed September 30,		
1981, and a subsequent letter of April 3 of New Mexico, Energy and Minerals Depart	20, 1902, DUCH . rtment Oil Cons	ervation		
Division (copies attached.)	rememe, orr com	3 41 va 41 311		
Attached is the procedure for string	e cement plug.			
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SEP 3 0 1982	SEP 10	6 1982		
Subsurface Safety Valve: Manu. and Type OIL CON. C	MINERALS MARA	REPENISE: Ft.		
18. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct				
SIGNED S. C. ROSE TITLE Dist. Prod.	Supt.DATE _ Augus	t 31, 1982		
(This space for Federal or State office use)				

_ DATE _

APPROVED BY Original Signed - Scott L. EHISTITLE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL LE ANY:

District Supervisor

ATTACHED

HORSESHOE GALLUP UNIT INJECTION WELLS

PLUGGING PROCEDURE

- 1. MIRU.
- 2. Release packer and pull tubing and packer out of hole.
- 3. RIH with tubing open-ended to 40' above the top perforation and pump sufficient cement to set a 100' plug inside the casing (Using light-weight cement).
- 4. POH, RD, and move off.





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ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR ARRY KEHOE

April 26, 1982

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Arco Oil & Gas Company P.O. Box 5540 Denver, Colorado 80217

ATTENTION: J. G. Bradshaw

RE: Exception to Rule 705-A for Injection Wells in the Horseshoe Gallup Unit, Federal Lease No. 14-08-0001-8200, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to your letter of February 18, 1982, requesting exception to Rule 705-A for fifty-seven (57) wells as listed on Table I, the Oil Conservation Division hereby denies both of your requests. You are hereby requested to take prompt action as outlined in the September 30, 1981, Memorandum. (Copy enclosed).

The Oil Conservation Division will not grant an exception to Rule 705-A if a well will not be placed in service within 6 months of the request. For future reference, supportive data for exception to Rule 705-A should include:

- 1. Proof of mechanical integrity, such as bradenhead tests, tracer logs, or other supportive tests or data.
- All related OCD Division Order Numbers or Case Hearing Numbers.
- 3. A schematic of the present injection well including cement tops and quantities thereof.
- 4. Date each well was shut-in.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (505) 827-2533.

Sancerely,

JOE D. RAMEY

Division Director

TABLE I

Horeshoe Gallup Unit Federal Lease No. 14-08-001-8200 San Juan County, New Mexico.

List of Wells

1.	No.	26	B
2.	No.	29	8

13. No. 143
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14. No. 145
$$D$$

15. No. 148
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22. No. 162

32. No. 192 D

57. No. 211



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

ALL NEW MEXICO INJECTION WELL OPERATORS

FROM:

JOE D. RAMEY, DIRECTOR

SUBJECT:

TEMPORARY ABANDONMENT OF INJECTION WELLS

Division Rule 705A provides in part that "no injection well may be temporarily abandoned for more than six months unless the injection interval has been isolated by use of cement or a bridge plug." The Division Director may delay the cement or bridge plug requirement upon a request by the operator and a showing that such well is mechanically sound, that there is a continuing need for the well, and that the well constitutes no threat to underground sources of drinking water.

Division survey programs have found several hundred injection wells which have not been used for at least six months and which do not have the requisite plugs. Based upon these surveys the Division will be moving to enforce Rule 705A in the near future.

Operators should review the status of their injection wells and within the next six months take one of the following actions relative to injection wells which have been shut in for six months or longer:

- (1) Return the well to active operation.
- (2) Plug and abandon the well or place a <u>cement</u> or bridge plug above the injection interval.
- (3) File a workover or plugging plan and schedule with the appropriate Division district office.
- (4) File a request for exception to Rule 705A with the Division Director in Santa Fe.

September 30, 1981 fd/

CONDITIONS FOR APPROVAL

- 1. Plug to be tagged or pressure tested to 1000 psi.
- 2. Casing at the surface shall be secured with a valve or cap.
- 3. Approval effective for one year only.