

THE APPLICATION OF Meridian Oil Inc

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Under the provisions of Rule 701(B), Meridian Oil Inc. made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on March 22, 1958, for permission to complete for salt water its Cedar Hill SWD Well No. 1 located in Unit B of Section 29, Township 32 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FINDS THAT:

- (1) The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701(B) of the Division Rules and Regulations.
- (2) Satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators and surface owners have been duly notified; and
- (3) The applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 will be met.
- (4) No objections have been received within the waiting period prescribed by said rule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- (1) The applicant herein, Meridian Oil Inc. is hereby authorized to complete its Cedar Hill SWD Well No. 1 located in Unit B of Section 29, Township 32 North, Range 10 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the Mowens sand formations at approximately 7550 feet to approximately 8550 feet through 4 1/2 inch plastic lined tubing set in a packer located at approximately 7550 feet.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

The operator shall take all steps necessary to ensure that the injected water enters only the proposed injection interval and is not permitted to escape to other formations or onto the surface.

Prior to commencing injection operations into the well, the casing shall be pressure tested from the surface to the packer setting depth to assure the integrity of said casing.