

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
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OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER)

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Order # ~~72~~

ORDER

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of September, A. D., 1956, the State Engineer issued Order #63 outlining the procedure that would be followed for the construction of oil, gas, mineral and test wells in artesian basins, and

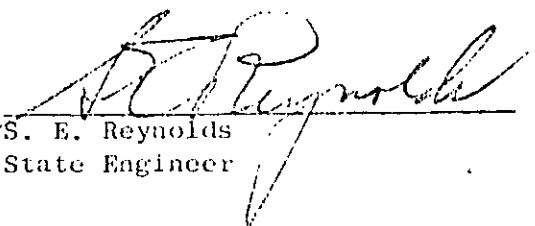
WHEREAS, development of oil reserves in the Roswell Artesian Basin have shown that in certain areas a production zone of oil exists between known artesian water aquifers and that certain deviations from the casing, cementing and testing programs as set forth in State Engineer's Order #63 are necessary,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that State Engineer Order #63 be amended to include the following appendage:

Any deviations from the above described casing, cementing and testing programs must be approved by the United States Geological Survey and the State Engineer on Federal lands or the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission and the State Engineer on all other lands.

In all cases the diameter of the drilled hole shall be at least two inches greater than the outside diameter of the casing used through all water producing formations.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20 day of Jan.,
A. D., 1959.


S. E. Reynolds
State Engineer