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Oil Conservation Commission P.O. Box 871 Santa Fe. New Mexico

Attention: Dan Nutter

Subject: Conversion of Producing

Well to Injection, Brown Queen Field

Chaves County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Attached is Form C-103 covering the conversion of Well E-92 No. 17 from production status to injection status. Permission to do this work is requested so that the pattern efficiency of the project can be improved. Well E-92 No. 17 has $4\frac{7}{2}$, 9.5# casing set to a total depth of 784 feet with cement circulated to the surface. The Queen sand is perforated from 736 feet to 747 feet. It is contemplated that water will be injected down the casing under an injection pressure of less than 600 p.s.i.

At the same time as Well E-92 No. 17 is converted to injection we would like permission to convert Well E-92 No. 18 to production since approximately 40 acres within the waterflood pattern will not be drained without this producer. Well E-92 No. 18 had a cumulative injection of only 2039 barrels and has been shut in since March, 1967. Forms C-103 and C-104 covering Well E-92 No. 18 are attached.

Your approval of these requests will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Frank Darden

For MERCURY PRODUCTION COMPANY

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cc: Bill Gresett
Artesia, New Mexico