OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION P. O. BOX 871 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

October 30, 1965

Marathon Oil Company P. O. Box 3128 Houston, Texas 77001

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith please find Administrative Order SWD-55 for your Federal Well No. located in Unit K of Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 23 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Yery truly yours,

A. L. POSTOR, Jr., Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission - House State Engineer Office - Santa Fe

SUBJECT: SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL

THE APPLICATION OF MARATHON OIL COMPANY FOR A SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL.

ORDER NO. SWD-55

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Rule 701 (C) Marathon Oil Company made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on October 15, 1965, for permission to complete for salt water disposal its Marathon Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 23 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

The Secretary-Director finds:

- (1) That application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701 (C) of the Commission Rules and Regulations;
- (2) That satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators, surface owners and the New Mexico State Engineer Office have been duly notified; and
- (3) That the applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 (C) will be met.
- (4) That no objections have been received within the waiting period prescribed by said rule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant herein, Marathon Oil Company, is hereby authorized to complete its Marathon Federal Well No. 1 located in Unit K of Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 23 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the Paddock formation at approximately 2534 feet to approximately 2726 feet through 2-3/8 inch tubing with a packer set at approximately 2450 feet in $4-\frac{1}{2}$ inch casing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

That jurisdiction of this cause is hereby retained by the Commission for such further order or orders as may seem necessary or convenient for the prevention of waste and/or protection of correlative rights; upon failure of applicant to comply with any requirement of this order after notice and hearing the Commission may terminate the authority hereby granted in the interest of conservation. That applicant shall submit monthly reports of the disposal operation in accordance with Rules 704 and 1119 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

APPROVED at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 30th day of October, 1965.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

A. L. PORTER, Jr., Secretary-Director