

PROPOSED DOCKET NOTICE

Case _____: Application of Mobil Exploration & Producing TX & NM Inc. for approval of horizontal injection wells, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval to inject fresh water into three horizontal injection wells as an expansion of the Mobil North Vacuum Abo Pressure Maintenance Project. The three wells are all located in Township 17 South, Range 34 East. Specifically, Well #136 is located 660 feet from the North line and 860 feet from the West line (Unit D) of Section 26; Well #156 is located 1893 feet from the South line and 1800 feet from the East line (Unit J) of Section 23; and Well #213 is located 460 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 23. Also to be considered is an administrative process for applicant to apply for approval of future horizontal injection wells within the Mobil North Vacuum Abo Pressure Maintenance Project. Further, applicant seeks approval of the three injection wells as an expansion of an existing enhanced oil recovery project to qualify for the recovered oil tax rate under the Enhanced Oil Recovery Act, NMSA 1978, 7-29A-1, et seq. (1992). Said wells are located approximately 1 mile north of Buckeye, New Mexico.