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Dear Mr. Morris:

Enclosed herewith is Commission Order No. R-4217, entered in Case No. 4616, approving the Marathon South Eunice Unit Waterflood Project.

Injection into each of the eight authorized water injection wells shall be through internally coated tubing set in a packer, which shall be located within 100 feet of the uppermost perforation. The casing-tubing annulus shall be loaded with an inert fluid and equipped with a pressure gauge at the surface.

As to allowable, our calculations indicate that when all of the authorized injection wells have been placed on active injection, the maximum allowable which this project will be eligible to receive under the provisions of Rule 701-E-3 is 924 barrels per day when the Southeast New Mexico normal unit allowable is 42 barrels per day or less.

Please report any error in this calculated maximum allowable immediately, both to the Santa Fe office of the Commission and the appropriate district proration office.

In order that the allowable assigned to the project may be kept current, and in order that the operator may fully benefit from the allowable provisions of Rule 701, it behoves him to promptly notify both of the aforementioned Commission offices by letter of any change in the status of the wells in the project area, i.e., when active injection commences, when additional injection or producing wells are drilled, when additional wells are acquired through purchase or unitization, when wells have received a response to water injection, etc.

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Your cooperation in keeping the Commission so informed as to the status of the project and the wells therein will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission Hobbs, New Mexico

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