

BTA OIL PRODUCERS 104 SOUTH PECOS MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 AC 915-682-3753 CONTAIN DIVISION

April 5, 1991

RE: Application for Salt Water Disposal Hearing 4/18/91 Case 10287 BTA - Cinco de Mayo Fed., Well No. 3-SWD Unit D, 990' FNL & 990' FWL Sec. 24, T18S, R32E Lea County, New Mexico

STATE OF NEW MEXICO Energy & Minerals Department Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Attn: Mr. David Catanach

Dear Mr. Catanach:

MIDLAND PARTNERS

CARLTON BEAL

SPENCER BEAL

BARRY BEAL

CARLTON BEAL, JR.

DENVER PARTNER

BARRY BEAL, JR.

We hereby submit amended Items VI and VII on the above referenced application.

The "Tabulation of Data on all Wells in Review Area" dated 4/05/91 will replace the data previously submitted. We are including all information available on the casing as cemented, whether circulated to surface or by calculating the top of cement on all strings.

Item VII includes additional data on BTA's production in Section 24.

Should further information be required prior to the hearing, please advise.

Sincerely,

DOROTHY HOUGHTON

For BTA Oil Producers

DH/pdi

Enclosures

xc: Hobbs District Office

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VI. Tabulation of Data on all Wells in Review Area

Well:	BTA Oil Producers Cinco de Mayo Fed No. 1
Location:	660' FNL & 1980' FWL -C-, Sec. 24, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
<u>Type:</u>	Water Injection Well
Total Depth:	14,905'
Construction:	13-3/8" @ 757' w/1050 sx - Circ 9-5/8" @ 4657' w/1500 sx - Circ CIBP @ 4325' - capped w/cmt
Date Drilled:	3-29-60 Drilled by Ralph Lowe (Yates Federal #1) 5-05-73 Re-entry by Burleson & Huff
<u>Record of Completion:</u>	Perfs: 4011 - 4240' IPF: 65 BOPD Comp: 5-13-73
<u>Converted to WIW:</u>	Perfs: 4014 - 4290' (Injection) Comp: 5-19-78
Well:	BTA Oil Producers Cinco de Mayo Fed No. 2
Location:	1980' FNL & 660' FWL -E-, Sec. 24, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
Type:	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	4,311'
<u>Construction:</u>	10-3/4" @ 328' w/ 325 sx - Circ 5-1/2" & 4-1/2" @ 4311' w/ 150 sx - TOC 3366'
Date Drilled:	3-01-74
Record of Completion:	Perfs: 3998 - 4258' IPF: 82 BOPD Comp: 3-26-74

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Well:	Mewbourne Oil Company Federal -P-, No. 2
Location:	1980' FNL & 330' FWL -E-, Sec. 24, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
Type:	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	8,725'
<u>Construction:</u>	13-3/8" @ 430' w/ 450 sx - Circ 8-5/8" @ 4330' w/1950 sx - Circ 5-1/2" @ 8725' w/1425 sx - Circ 75 sx
Date Drilled:	8-05-89
<u>Record of Completion:</u>	Perfs: 8468 - 8524' IPF: 41 BOPD Comp: 9-30-89
Well:	Mewbourne Oil Company Federal -P-, #1
Location:	660' FNL & 660' FWL -D-, Sec. 24, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
<u>Type:</u>	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	8,680'
Construction:	13-3/8" @ 452' w/ 450 sx - Circ 50 sx 8-5/8" @ 4347' w/1600 sx - Circ 50 sx 5-1/2" @ 8680' w/1425 sx - Circ
Date Drilled:	3-31-89
<u>Record of Completion:</u>	Perfs: 8473 - 8545' IPF: 200 BOPD Comp: 5-07-89

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Well:	Mewbourne Oil Company Federal -L-, #4
Location:	660' FNL & 1650' FEL -B-, Sec. 23, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
Type:	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	8,760'
<u>Construction:</u>	13-3/8" @ 438' w/ 400 sx - Circ 50 sx 8-5/8" @ 4318' w/1600 sx - Circ 50 sx 5-1/2" @ 8760' w/1325 sx - Circ
Date Drilled:	11-03-87
Record of Completion:	Perfs: 8431 - 8510' IPF: 240 BOPD Comp: 12-11-87
Well:	Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P. Shinnery -14- Federal #2
Location:	330' FSL & 660' FEL -P-, Sec. 14, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
<u>Type:</u>	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	9,931'
<u>Construction:</u>	13-3/8" @ 435' w/ 500 sx - Circ 8-5/8" @ 2750' w/2875 sx - Circ 250 sx 5-1/2" @ 9910' w/1325 sx - Circ DV @ 7224'
Date Drilled:	3-10-89
Record of Completion:	Perfs: 8496 - 8526' IPF: 97 BOPD Comp: 6-16-89

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<u>Well:</u>	Mewbourne Oil Company Federal -M- #1
Location:	330' FSL & 330' FWL -M-, Sec. 13, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
Type:	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	8,670'
<u>Construction:</u>	13-3/8" @ 450' w/ 400 sx - Circ 8-5/8" @ 4332' w/1220 sx - Circ 5-1/2" @ 8670' w/1425 sx - Circ
Date Drilled:	2-18-89
<u>Record of Completion:</u>	Perfs: 8424 - 8514' IPF: 250 BOPD Comp: 3-24-89
<u>Well:</u>	Mewbourne Oil Company Federal -L- #5
Location:	660' FNL & 660' FEL -A-, Sec. 23, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
Type:	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	8,650'
Construction:	13-3/8" @ 460' w/ 400 sx - Circ 8-5/8" @ 4330' w/1475 sx - Circ 5-1/2" @ 8650' w/1275 sx - Circ
Date Drilled:	4-15-88
Record of Completion:	Perfs: 8430 - 8575' IPF: 147 BOPD Comp: 6-05-88

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Well:	Mewbourne Oil Company Federal -L- #6
Location:	1880' FNL & 660' FEL -H-, Sec. 23, T18S, R32E Lea County, N.M.
<u>Type:</u>	Oil Producer
Total Depth:	8,650'
<u>Construction:</u>	13-3/8" @ 448' w/ 475 sx - Circ 8-5/8" @ 4330' w/1575 sx - Circ 5-1/2" @ 8650' w/1400 sx - Circ
Date Drilled:	7-24-88
Record of Completion:	Perfs: 8436 - 8520' IPF: 165 BOPD Comp: 9-16-88

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- VII. Proposed Operation
 - 1. The average injection rate is estimated at 500 BWPD.

The proposed maximum injection rate is 1000 BWPD.

- 2. The system will be open. If the wells' disposal capacity is such to handle additional water, other operators' wells in the area may be trucked into the storage tanks. Storage tanks will be located on the well site along with a powered salt water disposal pump. A salt water gathering system will transport from BTA tank batteries. BTA operates the Cinco de Mayo #1 WIW located in Unit C. Well No. 3 will be an alternate disposal.
- 3. The proposed average injection pressure is 1000 psi.

The proposed maximum injection pressure is 1250 psi.

- 4. The sources of injected water will be from the Wolfcamp and Queen. At the present time, BTA's three producing wells in the area are producing water at a rate of 750 barrels per day. The French #3 is drilling in SE/NE of Sec. 24 with the Wolfcamp target formation. The location is staked for French #4 NE/NE of Sec. 24. We are attaching two water analyses of produced water from BTA wells. See Exhibits A-1 and A-2. We are attaching a compatibility study between the Wolfcamp and the receiving formation, Queen. See Exhibit B.
- 5. Our proposed injection zone is productive of oil and gas within one mile of our proposed well. BTA operates the Cinco de Mayo #2 well 1000 feet southwest of Well No. 3.

VIII.

<u>Geological Name</u> :	Queen
<u>Lithological Detail</u> :	Injection zones are Sandstone. Between injection zones - primarily dolomite with some anhydrite, minor thin sandstone present as well.
Thickness:	310'
Depth:	3,972'
Geological Data of <u>Drinking Water Zone</u> :	The underground source of drinking water overlying the zone of disposal is the Ogallala, which occurs from 50 to 250 feet and is approximately 200' thick.

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Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 10287 In the Matter of the Application of BTA Oil Producers for Salt Water Disposal, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

BTA Oil Producers respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the April 18, 1991 hearings be continued to the May 2, 1991 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR

WFC:mlh Mr. Steve Salmon cc: **BTA Oil Producers** 104 South Pecos Midland, Texas 79701 OIL AND GAS ROBERT N. ENFIELD . P.O.BOX 2431 . SANTA FE, N.M. 87504-2431 . 505-988-2863

April 15, 1991 RE Case No. 10287

NM Oil Conservation Division P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87504

Dear Sirs:

I am writing with respect to the application of BTA for a saltwater disposal well to be located at Unit D, Section 24, T-18-S, R-32-E, Lea County, New Mexico.

As operator of section 19, T-18-S, R-33-E (immediately to the east of section 24), I would certainly prefer saltwater injection be made in a deeper formation than the Queen. However, in the event their application is approved for disposal in the Queen formation, I would like to request that BTA be restricted to an injection pressure gradient of no more than 0.5 PSI per foot. We feel this will protect all operators from having to drill through an over-pressured Queen formation and having to handle a possible saltwater flow.

Johnth, Enfield Very truly yours, Robert N. Enfield

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Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 10287 In the Matter of the Application of BTA Oil Producers for Salt Water Disposal, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

BTA Oil Producers respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the May 2, 1991 hearings be continued to the May 30, 1991 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Verv truly yours,

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cc: Mr. Steve Salman BTA Oil Producers 104 South Pecos Midland, Texas 79701



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Dear Mr. LeMay:

BTA Oil Producers respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the May 30, 1991 hearings be continued to the June 27, 1991 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

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WILLIAM F. CARR

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Mr. Steve Salman cc: **BTA Oil Producers** 104 South Pecos Midland, Texas 79701

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- Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 10287 In the Matter of the Application of BTA Oil Producers for Salt Water Disposal, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

BTA Oil Producers would appreciate the Division dismissing the above-referenced hearing presently scheduled on the June 27, 1991 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours, WILLIAM P. CARR

WFC:mlh cc: Mr. Steve Salman BTA Oil Producers 104 South Pecos Midland, Texas 79701

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July 1, 1991

CAMBELL & BLACK Attorneys at Law P. O. Box 2208 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

RE: CASE NO. 10287 ORDER NO. R-9541

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,

Florene hlavidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist

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cc: BLM Carlsbad Robert Enfield