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Gentlemen:

Subject: Application for Amendment of Administrative Order WFX No. 292

Administrative Order WFX No. 292 dated August 12, 1968, authorized the expansion of the MCA Unit waterflood project by the addition of 32 injection wells located in Sections 22, 23, 26, 27, 33 and 34, in Township 17 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico. Well No. 184 located in Unit L of Section 26 was one of the wells authorized to be converted to injection. Several attempts have been made to re-enter this well and convert it for injection purposes. All of these attempts have been unsuccessful. Consequently, Continental Oil Company desires to drill a well, to be designated MCA Unit No. 273, located 1980' from the south line 560' from the west line of Section 26, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, to be used as an injection well in lieu of well No. 187.

Attached hereto is a plat showing the location of the well and a schematic diagram depicting how the well will be equipped for injection. Your approval to substitute well No. 273 in place of well No. 187 as an injection well is hereby respectfully requested.

Yours very truly,

VTL-RW

CC: NMOCC - Hobbs

USGS - Hobbs

RLA, JJB, JWK

PROPOSED WATER INJECTION WELL

MCA UNIT NO. 273

Unit L - 1980' FSL & 560' FWL - Sec. 26 - T17S - R32E



