

APPLICATION OF SKELLY OIL COMPANY  
TO EXPAND ITS LOVINGTON PADDOCK  
UNIT WATER FLOOD PROJECT IN THE  
LOVINGTON-PADDOCK POOL IN LEA COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER WFX NO. 375

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Rule 701, Skelly Oil Company has made application to the Commission on August 4, 1972, for permission to expand its Lovington Paddock Unit Water Flood Project in the Lovington-Paddock Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

NOW, on this 19th day of August, 1972, the Secretary-Director finds:

1. That application has been filed in due form.
2. That satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators have been duly notified of the application.
3. That no objection has been received within the waiting period as prescribed by Rule 701.
4. That the proposed injection wells are eligible for conversion to water injection under the terms of Rule 701.
5. That the proposed expansion of the above-referenced water flood project will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.
6. That the application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Skelly Oil Company, be and the same is hereby authorized to inject water into the Paddock formation through the following described wells for purposes of secondary recovery, to wit:

Unit Well No. 23 located in Unit E of Section 31, Township 16 South, Range 37 East, Unit Well No. 21 located in Unit G of Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 36 East, and Unit Well No. 61 located in Unit E of Section 1, Township 17 South, Range 36 East.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That the applicant shall inject water through tubing with packers set at approximately 6070 feet, 6050 feet, and 6030 feet, respectively, in said wells.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

  
A. L. PORTER, Jr.  
Secretary-Director