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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

P. O. Box 2088

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Mr. Dan Nutter

Shugart Waterflood Project Re:

Order R-3431

Dear Mr. Nutter:

Enclosed in triplicate is Shenandoah's Application for administrative approval of an additional injection well in connection with the captioned. A copy of this Application, together with its exhibits, is furnished herewith to Mr. Bill Gressett of the Commission at Artesia, New Mexico.

We would thank the Commission for its consideration of the enclosed Application.

Respectfully,

JENNINGS, CHRISTY & COPPLE

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Shenandoah Oil Corporation

(C. W. Downey, Jr., Operations Superintendent)

Mr. Bill Gressett

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BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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APPLICATION OF SHENANDOAH OIL CORPORATION		
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VERSION OF A WELL TO A WATER INJECTION LIVE 1977	NO.	
WELL IN THE SHENANDOAH SHUGART WATERFLOOD PROJECT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.		
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APPLICATION

COMES NOW Shenandoah Oil Corporation, Operator of the Shenandoah Shugart Waterflood Project in Eddy County, New Mexico, and pursuant to Rule 701-E-5 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Rules and Regulations, respectfully requests administrative approval to the conversion of a well to a water injection well in said waterflood project, and would respectfully show unto the Commission:

- 1. By Order No. R-3431, the Commission authorized Shenandoah to initiate waterflood injection in its properties in the Yates, Seven Rivers, Queen and Grayburg formations and designated the waterflood project as the Shenandoah Shugart Waterflood Project, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- 2. That in 1972, the Commission gave administrative approval for the converting of the injection of five (5) wells to water injection wells in Unit "E", Section 28, and Units "D", "F", "G" and "O", Section 32, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, N.M.P.M.
- 3. The present Application relates to, and approval is sought for, injection of water into Shenandoah's Shugart "D" #10 Well that was originally drilled as an infill producing well. Formations in the Penrose, Upper Grayburg and Lower Grayburg have been found to already have been swept clean of oil and produce only water. As

Shenandoah needs some additional water injection into the Penrose formation, it is requested that Shenandoah's Shugart "D" #10 Well be used for water injection in the Penrose formation. The Shugart "D" #10 Well is located in Unit "G", 1,650 feet from the North line and 1,650 feet from the East line of Section 20, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

- 4. New plastic coated tubing with new plastic coated Baker "AD" tension packer has been installed in the proposed injection pipe string in the Shugart "D" #10 Well.
- 5. There is attached as exhibits to this Application the following:

Exhibit A -- Plat of the leases within the project showing the location of current injection wells and the proposed injection well.

Exhibit B -- Sketch of the proposed injection well, showing cement tops, perforations, depths and tubing and packer arrangements.

Exhibit C -- Logs on the proposed injection well.

6. The offset operators who are hereby notified of this Application are:

Yates Petroleum Corporation Yates Building 207 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

R. G. Silverthorne P. O. Drawer 10 Plainview, Texas 79072

- 7. Both fresh and produced water will be injected into the Shugart "D" #10 Well and in the opinion of Applicant there is sufficient capacity and capability in the well bore and underground facilities to handle both fresh and produced water. No new rights of way for injection lines are necessary for this well.
- 8. The injection rate into the Shugart "D" #10 Well to the Penrose formation will be controlled at approximately 300-400 BWPD at a well injection pressure of 1,200-1,400 pounds.

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WHEREFORE, Shenandoah Oil Corporation prays for administrative approval to the foregoing injection proposal. In the event such administrative approval is not given, then Shenandoah Oil Corporation further prays, after notice and hearing, that the matter be set for the next available Examiner Hearing.

Respectfully,

JENNINGS, CHRISTY & COPPLE

Christy W S. B. Christy IV,

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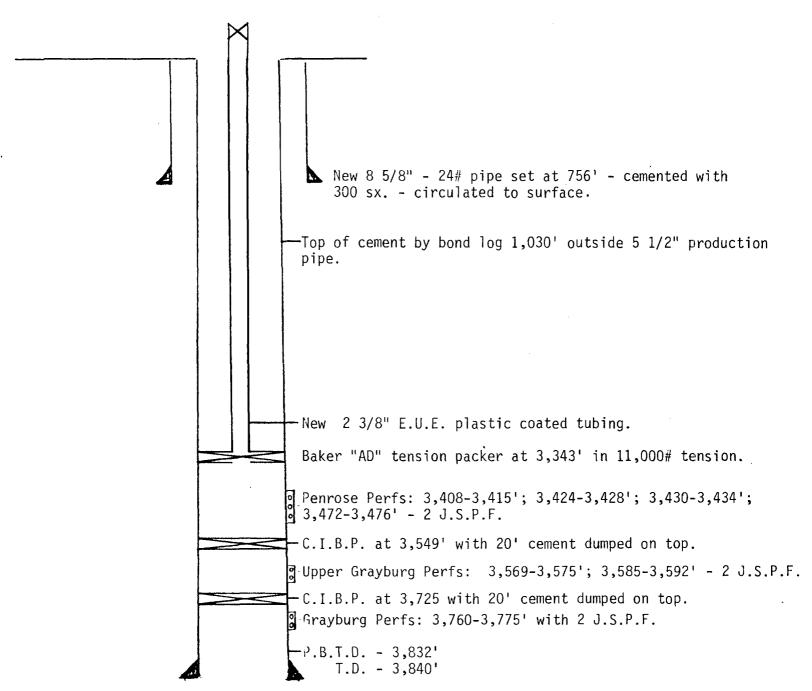
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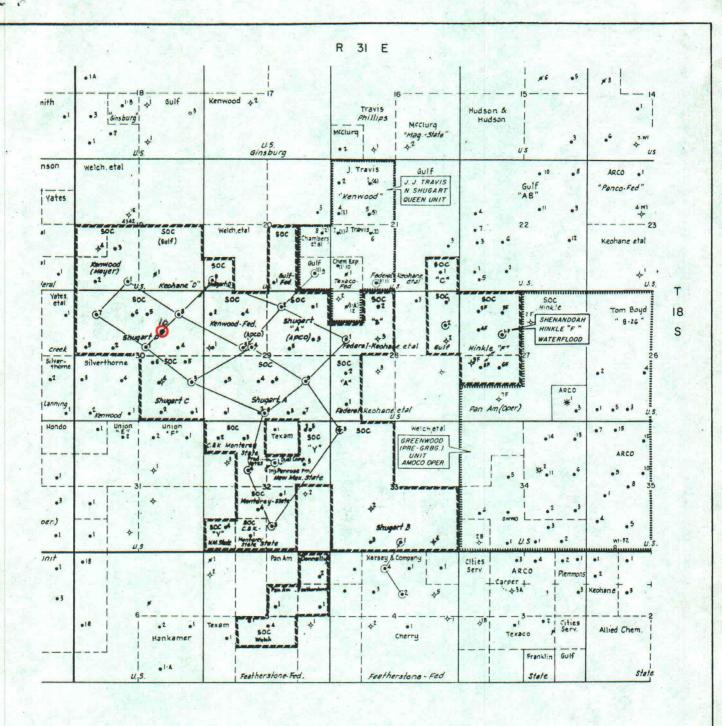
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Shenandoah Oil Corporation cc:

Unit "G" - 1,650' FNL and 1,650' Section 30 - T18S - R31E Eddy County, New Mexico



Set new 5 1/2" - 14# at 3,840' - cement with 1,100 sx.



- LEGEND Lease Boundaries
Injection Well
Injection Pattern

