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April 20, 1994

Texaco Exploration and Production, Inc.
P.O. Box 730
Hobbs, NM 88241

Attention: T.L. Fraizer

*RE: Injection Pressure Increase West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit, Lea
County, New Mexico*

Dear Mr. Fraizer:

Reference is made to your request dated April 7, 1994 to increase the surface injection pressure on four wells in your West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit. This request is based on step rate tests conducted on these between March 23 and April 5, 1994. The results of the tests have been reviewed by my staff and we feel an increase in injection pressure on these wells is justified at this time.

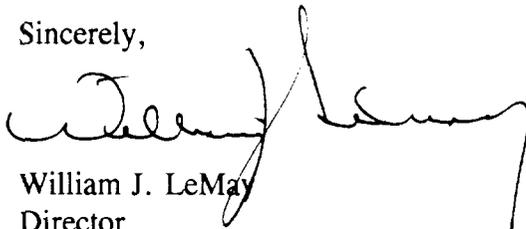
You are therefore authorized to increase the surface injection pressure on the following wells:

Well and Location	Maximum Injection Surface Pressure
WDDU Well No. 121 Unit E, Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 38 East	1470 PSIG
WDDU Well No. 122 Unit K, Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 38 East	1560 PSIG
WDDU Well No. 130 Unit G, Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 38 East	1580 PSIG
WDDU Well No. 140 Unit J, Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 38 East	1570 PSIG
All wells located in Lea County, New Mexico.	

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The Division Director may rescind this injection pressure increase if it becomes apparent that the injected water is not being confined to the injection zone or is endangering any fresh water aquifers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William J. LeMay". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "W".

William J. LeMay
Director

WJL/BES/amg

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
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