

SUBJECT: SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL

October 3, 1958

THE APPLICATION OF AMERADA PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR PERMISSION TO EFFECT CONVERSION TO SALT WATER DISPOSAL OF ITS STATE S "D" WELL NO. 5, LOCATED IN THE SE/4 SW/4, SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER NO. SWD-14

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Rule 701 (c) Amerada Petroleum Corporation made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on September 15, 1958, for permission to convert for salt water disposal, its State S "D" Well No. 5, located in the SE/4 SW/4, Section 3, Township ~~14~~ ¹⁵ South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes, into the San Andres formation from 4212 feet to 5726 feet.

The Secretary-Director Finds:

(1) That application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701 (c) of the Commission Rules and Regulations:

(2) That satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators, surface owners and New Mexico State Engineers Office have been duly notified; and

(3) That the applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 (c) will be met.

(4) That no objections have been received within the waiting period as prescribed by said rule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, herein, Amerada Petroleum Corporation be and it hereby is authorized to convert for salt water disposal its State S "D" Well No. 5, located in the SE/4 SW/4, Section 3, Township 14 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the San Andres formation from 4212 feet to 5726 feet.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That jurisdiction of this cause is hereby retained by the Commission for such further order or orders as may seem necessary or convenient for the prevention of waste and/or protection of correlative rights; upon failure of applicant to comply with any requirement of this order after proper notice and hearing the Commission may terminate the authority hereby granted in the interests of conservation. That applicant shall submit monthly reports of its disposal operation in accordance with Rules 704 and 1119 of the Commissions Rules and Regulations.

APPROVED at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 3rd day of October, 1958.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


A. L. PORTER, Jr.,
Secretary-Director