

Entered October 27, 1970

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE No. 4426
Order No. R-4046

APPLICATION OF TEXACO INC.
FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL,
CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9:30 a.m. on October 14, 1970, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 27th day of October, 1970, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the applicant, Texaco Inc., is the owner and operator of the Peery Federal Well No. 4, located in Unit A of Section 29, Township 15 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Little Lucky Lake-Devonian Pool, Chaves County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to dispose of produced salt water into the Devonian formation, with injection into the open-hole interval from approximately 11,150 feet to 11,794 feet.

(4) That the injection should be accomplished through a 5 1/2-inch plastic-lined liner set at approximately 11,150 feet.

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(5) That approval of the subject application will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells and otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

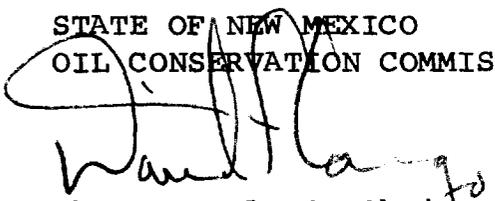
(1) That the applicant, Texaco Inc., is hereby authorized to utilize its Peery Federal Well No. 4, located in Unit A of Section 29, Township 15 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Little Lucky Lake-Devonian Pool, Chaves County, New Mexico, to dispose of produced salt water into the Devonian formation, injection to be accomplished through a 5 1/2-inch plastic-lined liner set at approximately 11,150 feet, with injection into the open-hole interval from approximately 11,150 feet to 11,794 feet.

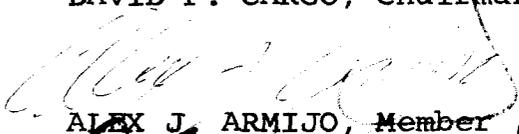
(2) That the applicant shall submit monthly reports of its disposal operations in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman


ALEX J. ARMIJO, Member


A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

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