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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. 4708
Order No. R-4307

APPLICATION OF JAKE L. HAMON
FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on May 5, 1972, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 19th day of May, 1972, 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, Jake L. Hamon, is the owner and operator of the State B-2330 Well No. 1, located in Unit C of Section 31, Township 16 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, East Shoebar-Devonian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to dispose of produced salt water into the Pennsylvanian and Devonian formations, with injection into the perforated and open-hole interval from approximately 10,492 feet to 13,100 feet.

(4) That the injection should be accomplished through 2 3/8-inch tubing installed in a packer set at approximately 10,415 feet; that a pressure gauge should be attached to the annulus or the annulus left open at the surface in order to determine leakage in the casing, tubing, or packer.

(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, Jake L. Hamon, is hereby authorized to utilize his State B-2330 Well No. 1, located in Unit C of

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Section 31, Township 16 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, East Shoebar-Devonian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to dispose of produced salt water into the Pennsylvanian and Devonian formations, injection to be accomplished through 2 3/8-inch tubing installed in a packer set at approximately 10,415 feet, with injection into the perforated and open-hole interval from approximately 10,492 feet to 13,100 feet;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that a pressure gauge shall be attached to the annulus or the annulus left open at the surface in order to determine leakage in the casing, tubing, or packer.

(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 Administrative Order No. SWD-105, as amended, which previously authorized disposal into other zones in this same well, is hereby rescinded.


(4) 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


BRUCE KING, Chairman


ALEX J. ARMILLO, Member


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

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