



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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May 13, 2004

Division Order No. IPI-230

Avra Oil Company
P.O. Box 3193
Midland, Texas 79702

Attention: Mr. Saeed Afghahi

**RE: *Injection Pressure Increase,
Charlcia A. Taylor Well No. 1
Lea County, New Mexico***

Dear Mr. Afghahi:

Reference is made to your request received by the Division on May 3, 2004 to increase the surface injection pressure on the Charlcia A. Taylor Well No. 1. This request is based on a step rate test conducted on the well on April 30, 2004. The results of the step rate test show that an increase in the surface injection pressure for this well is justified and will not result in the fracturing of the injection formation and confining strata.

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

<i>WELL NAME & NUMBER</i>	<i>MAXIMUM SURFACE INJECTION PRESSURE</i>
Charlcia A. Taylor Well No. 1 API No. 30-025-07329 Unit I, Section 11, T-18 South, R-38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico	1430 PSI

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

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Catanach". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

David Catanach
Engineer/Examiner

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
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