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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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Attention: A.J. Welker

*RE: Injection Pressure Increase  
Shinnery "14" Federal No. 5  
Lea County, New Mexico*

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your request dated June 1, 1992, to increase the surface injection pressure on the Shinnery "14" Federal Well No. 5. This request is based on a step rate test conducted on the well on May 15, 1992. The results of the test have been reviewed by my staff and we feel an increase in injection pressure on the well is justified at this time.

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

**WELL AND LOCATION**

**MAXIMUM INJECTION  
SURFACE PRESSURE**

Shinnery "14" Federal No. 5  
Unit H, Section 14, T-18 South,  
R-32 East, NMPM

1320 PSIG

Lea County, New Mexico

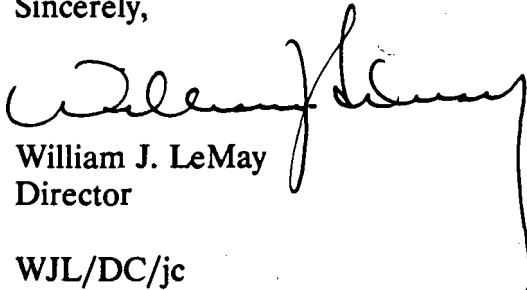
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The Division Director may rescind this injection pressure increase if it becomes apparent that the injected water is not being confined to the injection zone or is endangering any fresh water aquifers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'William J. LeMay', with a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

William J. LeMay  
Director

WJL/DC/jc

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs  
File: SWD-436 ✓  
Rick Brown  
David Catanach