

## STATE OF NEW MEXICO

## ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Marbob Energy Corporation P.O. Drawer 217 Artesia, NM 88210

ATTENTION: John R. Gray

RE: Reactivate Wells

## Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Marbob Energy Corporation's letter of February 16, 1982, Marbob Energy Corporation is hereby authorized to resume water injection through the following wells:

- 1) Turkey Track # 3 C Section 3, Township 19 South, Range 29 East (WFX-166)
- 2) Turkey Track # 5 E Section 3, Township 19 South, Range 29 East (WFX-166)
- 3) Brainard # 7-M Section 34, Township 18 South, Range 29 East (WFX-166)

The operator shall take all steps necessary to ensure that the injected water enters only the proposed injection interval and is not permitted to escape to other formations or onto the surface.

The casing-tubing annulus shall be loaded with an inert fluid and equipped with a pressure gauge at the surface or left open to the atmosphere to facilitate detection of leakage in the casing, tubing, or packer.

The injection well or system shall be equipped with a pressure limiting device which will limit the wellhead pressure to static pressure (.2 psi per foot of depth); provided however, that the Division Director may administratively authorize a pressure limitation in excess of the above upon the operator's establishing that such higher pressure will not result in fracturing of the confining strata.

The operator shall notify the supervisor of the Division's Artesia District Office before injection is commenced through said well.

The operator shall immediately notify the Supervisor of the Division's Artesia District Office of the failure of the tubing, casing, or packer in said well or the leakage of water from or around said well and shall take such steps as may be timely or necessary to correct such failure or leakage.

That the subject well shall be governed by all provisions of WFX No. 166 not inconsistent herewith.

Very truly yours,

JOE D. RAMEY

Division Director

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