OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

September 5, 1968

Union Oil Company of California 500 N. Marienfeld, Midland, Texas 79701

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith please find Administrative Order No. WFX-296 authorizing conversion of one well to water injection well in your South Caprock Queen Unit Water Flood Project in the Caprock-Queen Pool in Chaves County, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

ALP/JEK/og cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Artesia

Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs

APPLICATION OF UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA TO EXPAND ITS SOUTH CAPROCK QUEEN UNIT WATER FLOOD PROJECT IN THE CAPROCK-QUEEN POOL IN CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Administrative Order WFX No. 296

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Rule 701, Union Oil Company of California has made application to the Commission on August 21, 1968, for permission to expand its South Caprock Queen Unit Water Flood Project in the Caprock Queen Pool, Chaves County, New Mexico.

NOW, on this <u>5th</u> day of September, 1968, the Secretary-Director finds:

1. That application has been filed in due form.

2. That satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators have been duly notified of the application.

3. That no objection has been received within the waiting period as prescribed by Rule 701.

4. That the proposed injection well is eligible for conversion to water injection under the terms of Rule 701.

5. That the proposed expansion of the above-referenced waterflood project will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.

6. That the application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Union Oil Company of California, be and the same is hereby authorized to inject water into the Queen formation through the following described well for purposes of secondary recovery, to wit:

Tract 44a Well No. 16, located in Unit P of Section 32, Township 14 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That applicant shall inject water through tubing with a packer set at approximately 3080 feet in the production casing in said well.

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

> STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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