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EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT WEST CENTRAL DISTRICT

December 24, 1970

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File: Skelly Unit

Lease No. 73617

Grayburg-Jackson Pool Eddy County, New Mexico

Application for Waterflood Expansion Re:

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

State Land Office Building

P. O. Box 2088

Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. Secretary-Director

Gentlemen:

Skelly Oil Company respectfully requests administrative approval to expand its Skelly Unit Waterflood in the Grayburg-Jackson Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Skelly Unit Waterflood Project was authorized by order no. R-2900 issued May 4, 1965, and amended by order no. R-3214 dated April 7, 1967.

Initial injection (April 1965) was into wells no. 42, 46, 44, 52, 54 and 56 by authority granted under order no. R-2900. Wells no. 24 and 34 were converted in July, 1967, by authority granted under order no. R-3214. Well no. 98 was converted in December, 1967, by authority granted under order no. WFX278 dated December 3, 1967. Wells no. 19, 21, 22, 24, 26, 30, 32, 38, 40, 48, 58, 71, 73, 83, 85, 96 and 105 were converted in March, 1968, by order no. R-3214. Wells no. 64, 66, 67, 75, 77, 89, 93 and 95 were converted in August, 1968, by authority granted under order no. WFX290 dated June 12, 1968. Wells no. 79 and 81 were converted in August, 1970, by authority granted under order no. WFX327 dated December 17, 1969.

The subject waterflood project is governed by the provisions of Rule 701, 702 and 703 of the Oil Conservation Commission rules and regulations; provided, however, that the Secretary-Director of the Commission may approve expansion of the Grayburg-Jackson Skelly Unit Waterflood Project to include additional wells, within said unit area, on water injection as may be necessary to complete an efficient waterflood pattern.

Skelly Oil Company desires to expand the waterflood and requests administrative approval to convert the following wells to water injection.

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Township 17 South, Range 31 East
Skelly Unit Well No. 69, Unit letter L, Section 21
Skelly Unit Well No. 91, Unit letter D, Section 28
Skelly Unit Well No. 100, Unit letter L, Section 28

Under order R-3214, Skelly Oil Company was authorized to effect a waterflood project in the Grayburg-Jackson Pool in the Skelly Unit by the selective injection of water into various zones throughout the Grayburg-Jackson vertical producing interval. Selectivity of injection is to be achieved by dual injection utilizing the casing tubing annulus. Skelly Oil Company requests approval to selectivly inject throught the Skelly Unit; however, it is our intention to equip the proposed injectors as single injection wells and utilize the separation of zones only in wells where it is deemed necessary to achieve the most efficient vertical distribution of injected fluid.

Attached is a map showing all wells within a two mile radius, a unit plat showing the present and proposed injection wells, schematic diagrams and log sections of the proposed wells, an analysis of the water to be injected and a supplement to the Oil Proration Schedule.

Response to injection has been noted in the area. Shown below are the wells' producing capacity at the start of the pilot (April 1965) and the current producing (November 1970) rates.

	Da	ily Aver	age Pro	duction
	Apri	1 1965	Octob	er 1970
Unit Well No.	Oil	Water	Oil	Water
69	7	0	29	1
91	4	0	5	1
100	24	0	29	3

The oil proration schedule supplement substantiates response in the area by showing increased allowables for wells no. 69 and 100.

Injection make-up water will be purchased from the Double Eagle Water Company. The water is fresh produced from the Ogallala formation. The produced water is also being re-injected into the reservoir. Anticipated injection rates are 300-600 bbls. per day per well at wellhead pressures of 1500-2000 psi.

Correlative rights are being protected by offsetting injection under a Common Boundary Agreement between Atlantic-Richfield Company and Skelly Oil Company.

The U.S.G.S. has approved water injection into the proposed wells.

Offset operators are being notified by a copy of this application in accordance with the attached mailing list.

Yours very truly,

District Production Manager

BOB/scc Attachments

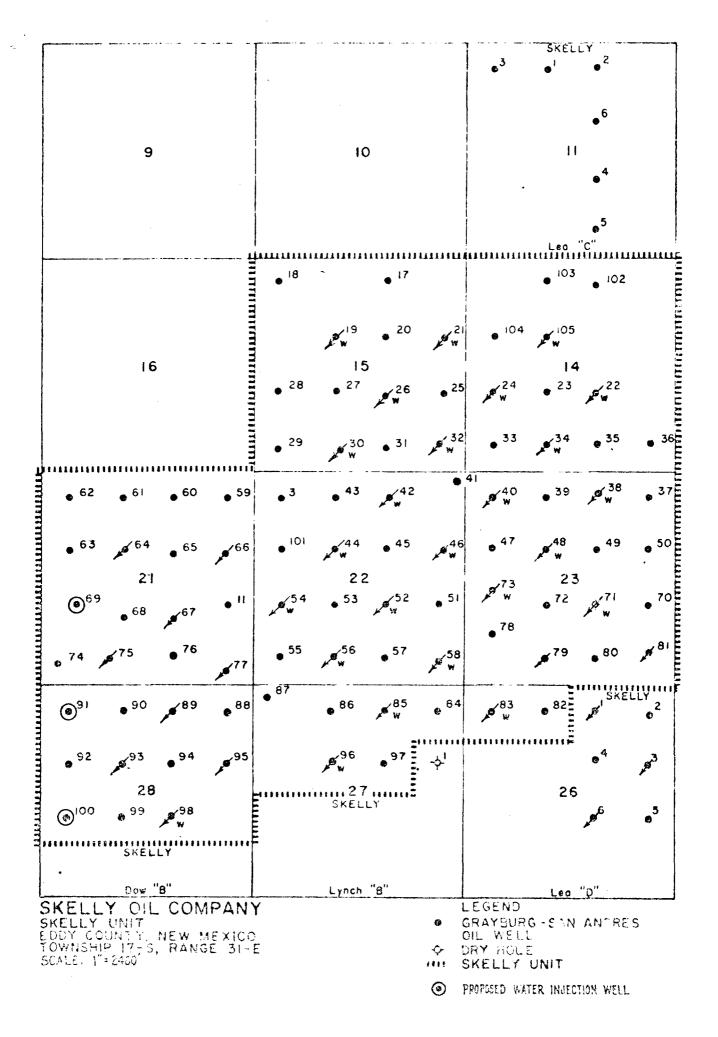
SKELLY UNIT MAILING LIST

Atlantic-Richfield Company P. O. Box 1610 Midland, Texas 79701

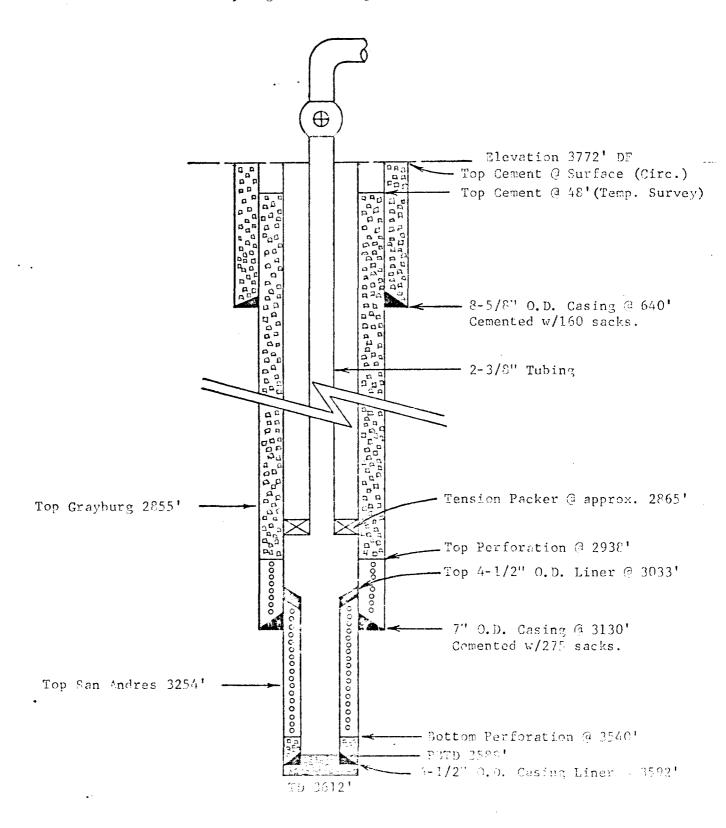
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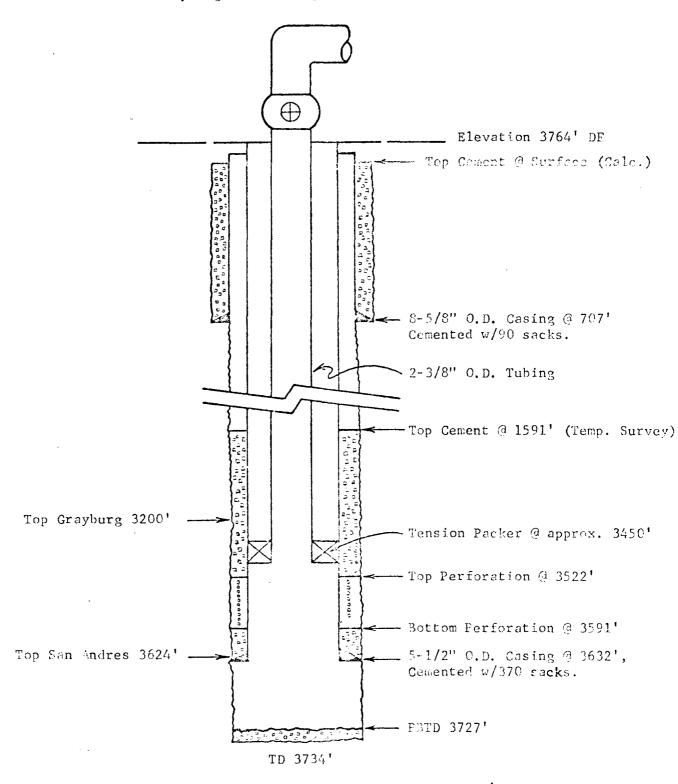
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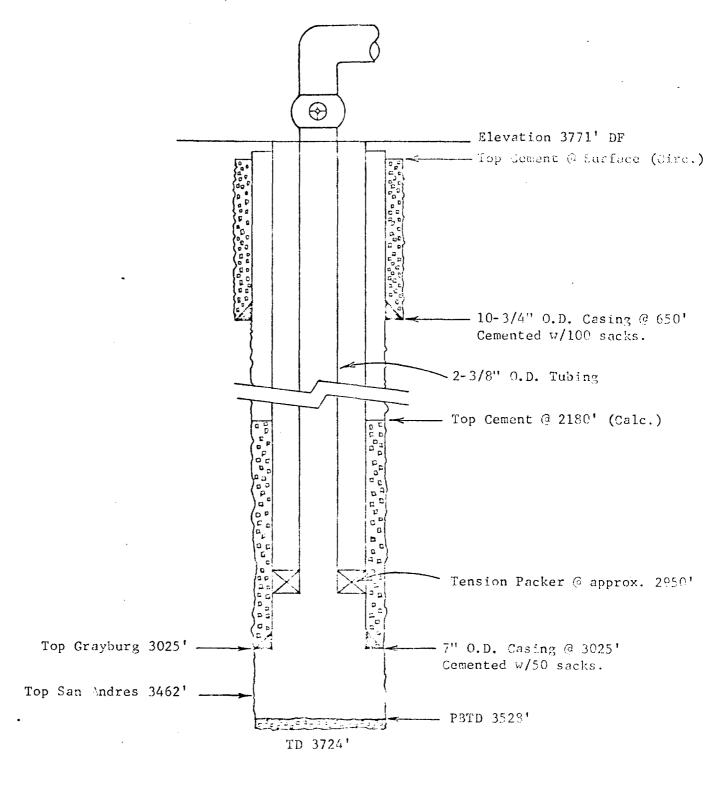
SKELLY OIL COMPANY Skelly Unit Well No. 69 1980' FSL & 760' FWL, Section 21, T-17-S, R-31-E Grayburg Jackson Injection Well



SKELLY OIL COMPANY Skelly Unit Well No. 100 1980' FSL & 660' FWL, Section 28, T-17-S, R-31-E Grayburg Jackson Injection Well



SKELLY OIL COMPANY Skelly Unit Well No. 91 660' FNL & 660' FWL, Section 28, T-17-S, R-31-E Grayburg Jackson Injection Well





UNITED CHEMICAL CORPORATION

OF NEW MEXICO

601 NORTH LEECH

P. O. BOX 1499

HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240

Company

Skelly Oil Company

Field

Lease Double Eagle Water Sampling Date 11-19-69

Type of Sample Inlet to Skelly Tank

WATER ANALYSIS

	WATER ANALYSIS		
	IONIC FORM	me/l *	mg/l *
Calcium (Ca++)		2.59	52
Magnesium (Mg++)		1.07	13
Sodium (Na+)	(Calculated)	2.07	48
Iron			0.55
Bicarbonate (HCO3)		2.10	128
Carbonate (CO 3 -)		NOT	FOUND
Hydroxide (OH-)		NOT	FOUND
Sulphate (SO 4 -)		2.08	100
Chloride (C1-)		1.55	5 5
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Dissolved Solids on Evap. at 103	3°- 105° C		
Hardness as Ca CO,		3.66	183
Carbonate Hardness as CaCO ₃ (temporary)	2.10	105
Non-Carbonate Hardness as Ca	CO, (permanent)	1.56	78
Alkalinity as CaCO ₃		2.10	105
Specific Gravity c 68 F		1.000	

^{*} mg/i= milligrams per Liter

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^{*} me/l = milliequivalents per Liter

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Effective 9/1/69, the allowable of the following Skelly Oil Co. wells in the Grayburg Jackson Pool are hereby revised as indicated.

Skelly Unit 2 BOPD or #3-D, 22-17-31, increased to 60 bbls for the month. #17-B, 15-17-31, increased to 10 BOPD or 300 bbls for the month. #20-G, " , increased to 26 BOPD or 780 bbls for the month. #28-L, " , increased to 15 BOPD or 450 bbls for the month. , increased to 23 BOPD or 690 bbls for the month. #35-0, 14-17-31, increased to 540 bbls for the month. 18 BOPD or 40 BOPD or 1200 bbls for the month. #41-A, 22-17-31, increased to 46 BOPD or 1380 bbls for the month. #45-G, " , increased to #47-E, 23-17-31, increased to 18 BOPD or 540 bbls for the month. #49-G, " , increased to 95 BOPD or 2850 bbls for the month. #53-K, 22-17-31, increased to 990 bbls for the month. 33 BOPD or #11-I, 21-17-31, increased to 20 BOPD or 600 bbls for the month. #59-A, " 750 bbls for the month. , increased to 25 BOPD or #60-B, " , increased to 18 BOPD or 540 bbls for the month. #61-C, " 480 bbls for the month. , increased to 16 BOPD or #62-D, " , increased to 630 bbls for the month. 21 BOPD or #63-E, " 20 BOPD or 600 bbls for the month. , increased to #65-G, " 870 bbls for the month. , increased to 29 BOPD or

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Supplement A--1 for September 1969 Continued

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#68-K, 21-17-31, increased to 21 BOPD or 630 bbls for the month.
#69-L, ", increased to 20 BOPD or 600 bbls for the month.
#72-K, 23-17-31, increased to 69 BOPD or 2070 bbls for the month.
#76-0, "
             , increased to
                              57 BOPD or 1710 bbls for the month.
#78-M, "
               , increased to
                              21 BOPD or 630 bbls for the month.
#80-0, "
               , increased to
                              44 BOPD or 1320 bbls for the month.
#81-P, "
               , increased to
                               29 BOPD or 870 bbls for the month.
#82-C, "
               , increased to
                                         990 bbls for the month.
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#88-A, 28-17-31, increased to
                               38 BOPD or 1140 bbls for the month.
#90-C, "
               , increased to
                               18 BOPD or
                                         540 bbls for the month.
#92-E, "
               , increased to 198 BOPD or 5940 bbls for the month.
#94-G, "
               , increased to 85 BOPD or 2550 bbls for the month.
#100-L."
              . increased to 46 BOPD or 1380 bbls for the month.
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