

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO P. O. BOX 2088 - SANTA FE 87501

May 4, 1972

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STATE GEOLOGIST A. L. PORTER, JR. SECRETARY - DIRECTOR

Tenneco Oil Company Suite 1200 - Lincoln Tower Bldg. Denver, Colorado 80203

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith please find Administrative Order No. WFX-365 for the following wells:

> Hospah Well No. 51 located in Unit E and Hospah Well No. 52 located in Unit C, both in Section 12, Township 17 North, Range 9 West.

> > Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr. Secretary-Director

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APPLICATION OF TENNECO OIL COMPANY TO EXPAND ITS UPPER HOSPAH UNIT WATER FLOOD PROJECT IN THE SOUTH HOSPAH UPPER SAND OIL POOL IN MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

WFX ORDER NO. 365

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Rule 701, Tenneco Oil Company has made application to the Commission on April 19, 1972, for permission to expand its Upper Hospah Unit Water Flood Project in the South Hospah Upper Sand Oil Pool, McKinley County, New Mexico.

NOW, on this 4th day of May, 1972, 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 objections have been received within the waiting period as prescribed by Rule 701.
- 4. That the proposed injection wells are eligible for conversion to water injection under the terms of Rule 701.
- 5. That the proposed expansion of the above-referenced water flood project will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.
 - 6. That the application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant, Tenneco Oil Company, be and the same is hereby authorized to inject water into the Upper Hospah formation through the following described wells for purposes of secondary recovery, to wit:

Hospah Well No. 51 located in Unit E and Hospah Well No. 52 located in Unit C, both in Section 12, Township 17 North, Range 9 West, NMPM.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, That the applicant shall inject water through tubing with packers set at approximately 1590 feet in said wells.

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

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A. L. PORTER, Jr.