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November 10, 1994

Mobil Exploration & Producing U.S., Inc. P.O. Box 633 Midland, Texas 79702-0633

Attn: Kay Pollock-Lyon

RE: Injection Pressure Increase North Vacuum Abo Pressure Maintenance Project Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Pollock-Lyon:

Reference is made to your request dated October 24, 1994 to increase the surface injection pressure on 13 wells. This request is based on step rate tests conducted on these wells between September 20 and October 5, 1994. The results of the tests have been reviewed by my staff and we feel an increase in injection pressure on these wells is justified at this time.

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

Well and Location	Maximum Injection Surface Pressure
North Vacuum Abo Unit Well No.121 Unit L, Section 13,	4452 PSIG
North Vacuum Abo Unit Well No.131 Unit B, Section 10,	4029 PSIG
North Vacuum Abo Unit Well No.142 Unit J, Section 14,	4380 PSIG

Maximum Injection Surface Pressure
4290 PSIG
4438 PSIG
4270 PSIG
4421 PSIG
4476 PSIG
4487 PSIG
4165 PSIG
4282 PSIG
4590 PSIG
4445 PSIG

All wells located in Township 17 South, Range 34 East, 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,

William J. LeMay

Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

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