

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

October 26, 1968

Rice Engineering & Operating, Inc.
P. O. Box 1142
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith please find Administrative Order No. SWD-81 for your Vada SWD Well No. 3 located in Unit L of Section 3, Township 10 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr.
Secretary-Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Hobbs
Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs

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COMMISSION ON CONSERVATION

P. O. BOX 2092

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed for you are two copies of the report of the
Task Force on the Conservation of the
Cultural Resources of the Santa Fe Area.

Sincerely,
[Signature]

The report was prepared by the Santa Fe Area
Task Force on the Conservation of the Cultural
Resources of the Santa Fe Area, which was
organized by the Commission on Conservation.

Very truly yours,
[Signature]

Enclosure
[Signature]

[Signature]

cc - Santa Fe Area Task Force on the Conservation of the Cultural Resources of the Santa Fe Area

SUBJECT: SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL

ORDER NO. SWD-81

THE APPLICATION OF RICE ENGINEERING
AND OPERATING, INC. FOR A SALT WATER
DISPOSAL WELL.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Under the provisions of Rule 401 (C) Rice Engineering & Operating, Inc., made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on October 11, 1968, for permission to complete for salt water disposal its Vada SWD Well No. 3 located in Unit L of Section 3, Township 10 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

The Secretary-Director finds:

1. That application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701 (C) of the Commission Rules and Regulations;
2. That satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators, surface owners, and the New Mexico State Engineer Office have been duly notified; and
3. That the applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 (C) will be met.
4. That no objections have been received within the waiting period prescribed by said rule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the applicant herein, Rice Engineering and Operating, Inc., is hereby authorized to complete its Vada SWD Well No. 3 located in Unit L of Section 3, Township 10 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the Devonian formation at approximately 13,080 feet to approximately 13,280 feet through 3½-inch tubing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

That jurisdiction of this cause is hereby retained by the Commission for such further order or orders as may seem necessary or convenient for the prevention of waste and/or protection of correlative rights; upon failure of applicant to comply with any requirement of this order after notice and hearing, the Commission may terminate the authority hereby granted in the interest of conservation. That applicant shall submit monthly reports of the disposal operation in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

APPROVED at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 26th day of October, 1968.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

A. L. PORTER, Jr.
Secretary-Director

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