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Mr. Field called this office  
and told me he did not intend to appear  
at a hearing and that he had no  
objection to the application being  
approved without a hearing as long  
as the casing, cementing, etc. was  
proper.

~~Went~~

George M. Hatoh



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March 11, 1971

Continental Oil Company  
P. O. Box 460  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Attention: Mr. G. C. Jamieson  
Assistant Division Manager

Gentlemen:

We have your special land-use application NM 13252 covering the proposed use of the Bell Lake Unit No. 2 in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 30, T. 23 S., R. 34 E., N. Mex. Prin. Mer., New Mexico, for salt water disposal purposes.

Before the special land-use application can be considered, it will be necessary that you furnish a copy of the approval granted by the Oil Conservation Commission authorizing your disposal operations. When complying with this requirement, please refer to serial New Mexico 13252.

Sincerely yours,

*W. Harold A. Berends*

Chief, Branch of Lands

✓cc: Oil Conservation Commission  
of New Mexico  
O&G Supervisor, USGS, Roswell  
Roswell District Manager

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

March 16, 1971

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Samedan Oil Corporation  
2207 Wilco Building  
Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Mr. G. W. Putnam

Re: Salt Water Disposal Well  
Amerada State Well No. 1, Unit G,  
Section 4, Township 15 South, Range  
35 East, East Morton-Wolfcamp Pool,  
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

As an objection to the above-described well has been filed with the Commission by Mr. Robert K. Field, the owner of irrigation wells in the vicinity of the subject well, the matter will be set for hearing on April 14, 1971, to be held in Hobbs, New Mexico.

A copy of the docket will be mailed to you within the next few days.

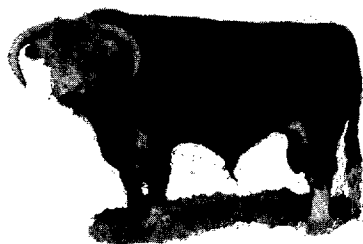
Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH  
Attorney

GMH/esr

cc: Mr. Robert K. Field  
Bronco, Texas 79315

Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 1980  
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Bronco, Texas 79315

March 10, 1971

*[Signature]*

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Santa Fe, New Mex.

To Whom it may concern:

The purpose of this letter is to protect the proposed  
salt water disposal well in Section 4, Township 15-S  
Range 35-E, Lea County N. Mex.

I have irrigation wells just  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile & less due east  
of said well & I fear for the contamination of these  
wells. I will realize that if properly handled no water  
will get into the fresh water zone, but I know a  
well near that is in northern Lea that has  
turned salty. I don't know the source but there  
~~is~~ a salt water well just southwest of the  
contaminated well that I suspect. So for this  
reason I am protesting the granting of the  
above mentioned well.

Rsp.

Robert K. Field

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

March 24, 1971

Samedan Oil Corporation  
2207 Wilco Building  
Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Mr. G. W. Putnam

Re: Salt Water Disposal Well  
Amerada State Well No. 1,  
Unit G, Section 4, Township 15  
South, Range 35 East, East  
Morton-Wolfcamp Pool, Lea  
County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to our letter of March 16,  
1971, concerning the subject well.

Inasmuch as the objection for conversion of the  
subject well to a salt water disposal well has been  
withdrawn, the application will be approved without  
the necessity of a hearing.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH  
Attorney

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