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County of Eddy, ss.

Kathy McCarroll, being first duly sworn,
on oath says:

That she is the Classified Supervisor of the Carlsbad Current-Argus, a newspaper published daily at the City of Carlsbad, in said county of Eddy, state of New Mexico and of general paid circulation in said county; that the same is a duly qualified newspaper under the laws of the State wherein legal notices and advertisements may be published; that the printed notice attached hereto was published in the regular and entire edition of said newspaper and not in supplement thereof on the date as follows, to wit:

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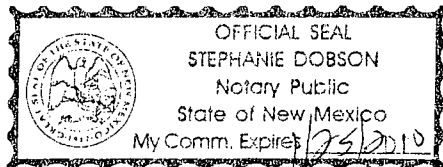
Subscribed and sworn to before me this

20th day of June, 2008

Stephanie Dobson

My commission Expires on 1/25/2010

Notary Public



June 20, 2008
Mesquite SWD, Inc.
PO Box 1479, Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220, will seek an application to modify Permit No. SWD-180 to increase the permitted depth of the Exxon No. 8 saltwater injection well from 600 feet to approximately 700 feet.
The purpose of the Exxon No. 8 injection well is to dispose of produced water.
The Exxon No. 8 injection well is located in Unit O of Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 27 East, NMPM Eddy County, New Mexico, approximately 7 miles north of Carlsbad.
The proposed average daily injection into the Yates Formation is 6,000 barrels and the proposed maximum daily injection rate is 15,000 barrels. The average daily injection pressure is 15 pounds and the proposed maximum injection pressure is 120 pounds.
All interested parties must file objections or requests for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, no later than 5:00pm (MT) July 7, 2008.
Questions to Mesquite SWD, Inc. should be directed to Clay Wilson at (575) 706-1840.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of *Mesquite SWD, Inc's Application for Authorization to Inject, Form C-108, including all attachments*, was sent by certified mail mail, postage prepaid to the following this 24th day of June, 2008.

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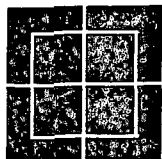
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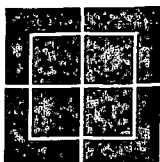
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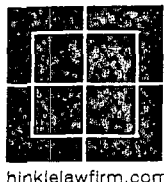
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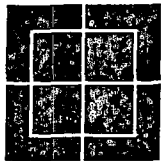
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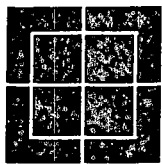
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