

March 1, 1969

*set for April hearing*

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*Case 4099*

Hon. David F. Cargo, Chairman and  
Governor of the State of New Mexico  
Hon. Guyton B. Hays, Member  
Hon. A. L. Porter, Jr., Member & Secretary

State of New Mexico  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

RE: Order No. R-3221 & C  
In the matter of Oil & Gas  
Lease No. LC067684  
Eddy County, New Mexico

*Suddarth & Hicks  
Vickers Well no. 1  
located in unit A 8  
Russell Yates Pool*

Gentlemen:

I would herewith request an exception to the above numbered order issued by this Honorable Commission on or about May 3, 1967, relative to the disposal of water produced with oil pumped from the producing horizon from a depth of 916 feet and being from a lime formation at that depth and being more particularly described as:

Section 23, Township 20 South,  
Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.

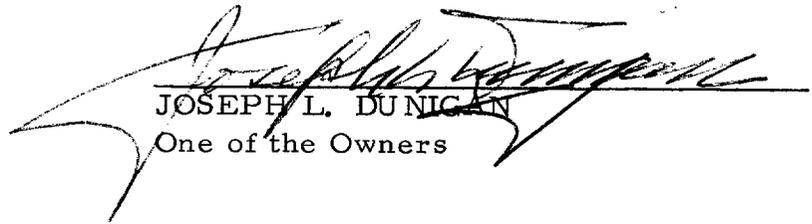
The exception prayed for is based upon the following considerations:

It is the only producing well on said lease and the only well producing from that depth and that formation in the area. There is no other production from that formation and no potable water in the surrounding area. The production from said well averages five or six barrels a day and it would be an economic hardship to dispose of the water in a lower formation than the well is producing from. The well pumps about fifty to sixty barrels of water per day and is drained into an oil impregnated sump adjacent to the tank. Another and larger sump has been excavated recently so that any excess water may be drained. The lease embraces two hundred acres and has only

the one small producing well.

WHEREFORE, it is prayed that an exception be granted in the matter of this lease.

Respectfully submitted,



JOSEPH L. DUNICAN  
One of the Owners

LAW OFFICES OF  
**JOSEPH L. DUNIGAN**  
SUITE 808-812 BASSETT TOWER  
EL PASO, TEXAS 79901  
532-7668 AREA CODE 915

MAIN OFFICE  
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*file*

March 6, 1969

*3-10-69  
Called Mr. Deenigan  
and advised that surface  
disposal pending the hearing  
would not allowed and  
that the correct date for  
the hearing was April 16.  
George M. Hatch*

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Attention: Mr. George M. Hatch  
Attorney for Oil Commission

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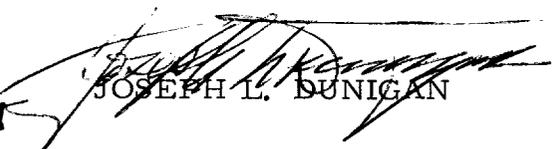
Dear Mr. Hatch:

I would like to know if it is permissible to pump the  
Sudderth & Hicks well located on:

Section 23, Township 20 South,  
Range 28 East, Eddy County,  
New Mexico,

until the hearing on the application for an exception, which  
will come up on March 27, 1969, at Hobbs.

Sincerely,

  
JOSEPH L. DUNIGAN

*br  
advised Mr. Deenigan that  
he can haul water  
to a disposal well  
or set a tank*

DOCKET MAILED

Date 4/2/69