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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Gentlemen:

Enclosed, in triplicate, is the application of Eastland Oil Company for an exception to the provisions of Commission Order R-3221, as amended, to permit surface disposal of produced water, Eddy County, New Mexico.

It is requested that this application be set for hearing before the Commission's examiner at the first available hearing.

Yours very truly,

*Jason W. Kellahin*

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cc: George D. Neal

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Date 10-2-70

# THE EASTLAND OIL COMPANY

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September 15, 1970

*Case 4438*

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Application for Hearing  
Exception to Order No. R-3221,  
No Pit order, for NW/4 NW/4  
Section 5 and NE/4 NE/4 Section 6,  
T-18-S, R-31-E  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

The Eastland Oil Company has recently completed ARCO-Federal #1, an oil well, in the Grayburg formation located approximately one mile south of the pool limits of the Grayburg-Jackson Field. The location is 660 feet from the North line and 810 feet from the West line of Section 5, T-18-S, R-31-E, Eddy County. Currently we are drilling the Allied Federal #1, located 660 feet from the North and East lines of Section 6, T-18-S, R-31-E.

An exception to order No. R-3221, No Pit order, for the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 5 and the NE/4 NE/4 Section 6 is requested. The completed well produces approximately 8 barrels of water at the allowable rate of 70 barrels of oil per day.

The area for which the exception is sought has no shallow water wells and it is believed that production of salt water into an unlined surface pit would not be injurious to any fresh water supply.

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A hearing before an Examiner is requested at a time and place designated by the Commission. The names of interested parties known to the applicant are as follows:

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Respectively yours,

THE EASTLAND OIL COMPANY



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