

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION :  
OF RAY WESTALL FOR A SALT WATER :  
DISPOSAL WELL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW :  
MEXICO :

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CASE NO. 9189

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO )  
                                                      : ss.  
COUNTY OF EDDY )

PATTI VERMILLION, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the notice provisions of Rule 1207 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division have been complied with, that Applicant has caused to be conducted a good-faith diligent effort to find the correct addresses of all interested persons entitled to receive notice, and that pursuant to Rule 1207, notice has been given at the correct addresses as provided by such rule.

In support hereof, affiant states that true copies of the Application of Ray Westall for a Salt Water Disposal Well, Eddy County, New Mexico, together with true copies of the Form C-108, Application for Authorization to Inject, for the purpose of salt water disposal at a location 990 feet from the south line and 1,870 feet from the east line of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., have been mailed to the following named owner of the surface on which the well is to be located and

RAY WESTALL  
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Exhibit No. 4

leasehold operators within one-half mile of the well location, in accordance with Rule 1207, in securely sealed, certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid envelopes, addressed to the following named parties:

Surface Owner: Mary F. Merchant  
P. O. Box 548  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Offset Operators: Pennzoil Company  
P. O. Drawer 1828  
Midland, Texas 79701

Grace Energy Company  
P. O. Box 207  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

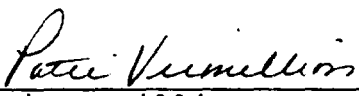
Corinne Grace  
P. O. Box 1418  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Arco Oil and Gas Company  
P. O. Box 1610  
Midland, Texas 79702

JFG Enterprises  
P. O. Box 100  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Cities Service Oil and Gas Corporation  
P. O. Box 1919  
Midland, Texas 79702

as reflected by the copies of the letters transmitting such copies attached hereto.

  
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Patti Vermillion

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 29th day of  
June, 1987, by PATTI VERMILLION.

My commission expires:  
1-2-90

Karen Polson  
Notary Public

June 29, 1987

CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Mary F. Merchant  
P. O. Box 548  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Re: Merland No. 1 Well  
Township 22 South, Range 26 East, NMPM  
Section 24: SW/4 SE/4  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Merchant:

Enclosed, please find a copy of the Application of Ray Westall for a Salt Water Disposal Well, Eddy County, New Mexico, together with a copy of the Form C-108 filed therewith.

The name, address, phone number and contact party for the applicant is:

Ray Westall  
P. O. Box 4  
Loco Hills, New Mexico 88255  
(505) 677-3113

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Ms. Mary F. Merchant  
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Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87501, within 15 days from the date hereof.

Please contact the undersigned or Mr. Westall at the above address if you have any questions regarding this application.

Very truly yours,

DICKERSON, FISK & VANDIVER

**David R. Vandiver**

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3. Article Addressed to: Ms. Mary F. Merchant P.O. Box 548 Carlsbad, NM 88220	4. Article Number E-580 490 489
	Type of Service: <input type="checkbox"/> Registered <input type="checkbox"/> Insured <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified <input type="checkbox"/> COD <input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail
Always obtain signature of addressee or agent and <b>DATE DELIVERED.</b>	
5. Signature - Addressee X <i>Mary Merchant</i>	8. Addressee's Address (ONLY if requested and fee paid)
6. Signature - Agent X <i>by Brandon Brown</i>	
7. Date of Delivery <i>6-30-87</i>	

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6. Signature - Agent X <i>Louise Palmer</i>	
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Always obtain signature of addressee or agent and <b>DATE DELIVERED.</b>	
5. Signature - Addressee X <i>Marita R. Jones</i>	8. Addressee's Address (ONLY if requested and fee paid)
6. Signature - Agent X	
7. Date of Delivery <i>7/3/87</i>	

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7. Date of Delivery <b>JUN 30 1987</b>	