Hondo Oil & Gas Company Box 1000 Roswell, New Mexico

per to to

December 31, 1968

New Mexico Cil Sonservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Mr. I. R. Trujille

Gentlemen:

As you know, Order No. R-3468, issued August 7, 1968, authorized Atlantic Richfield Company to utilize the State "A" #45 well located in Unit G. Section 26, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to dispose of produced salt water into the Lower San Andres formation.

An error was made in the application for such order in that Hondo-International-Yates is the operator of the well instead of Atlantic Richfield Company. As you are aware, all of the assets of Hondo Oil & Gas Company are owned by Atlantic Richfield Company.

This letter will confirm our telephone conversation of this morning during which I advised you that there had been no change in the operating ownership of this well and that none was contemplated, and that there is no desire or need to relieve Mondo-International-Yates of plugging responsibility for the well.

Yours very truly,

HONDO OIL & GAS GOMPANY

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Jack Biard

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