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> ARCO Oil & Gas Company Division of Atlantic Richfield Co. P. O. Box 1710 Hobbs, NM 88240

> > Re: Empire Abo Unit L #191 0, 1-18-27 Eddy County, NM

Gentlemen:

Our records indicate you are injecting into the subject well through 2 7/8" EUE plastic coated tubing without the use of a packer.

Due to a recent study of all salt water disposal wells in the area, the Division finds it necessary for all injection into salt water disposal wells and water injection wells to be accomplished through plastic coated tubing set in a packer as close as possible to the injection interval.

Your attention to this matter will be appreciated.

If you have any questions concerning this matter please contact this office.

Sincerely yours,

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Mike Williams Oil & Gas Inspector

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