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And provided further, that upon such failure of any well within one-half mile of the injection well, the Division Director is hereby authorized to limit injection pressure into the Queen-Grayburg formation in the injection well to no more than hydrostatic pressure, and to maintain such pressure limitation until such time as workover operations (including re-plugging, if necessary) have been completed, successfully correcting such failure.

Very truly yours,

JOE D. RAMEY Director

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