Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss.

Amy McKay

being first duly sworn, on oath says:

That______is____is____

of the Carlsbad Current-Argus, a newspaper published daily at the City of Carlsbad, in said county of Eddy, state of New Mexico and of general paid circulation in said county; that the same is a duly qualified newspaper under the laws of the state wherein legal notices and advertisements may be published; that the printed notice attached hereto was published in the regular and entire edition of said newspaper and not in supplement thereof on the date as follows, to wit:

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That the cost of publication is 18.69, and that payment thereof has been made and will be assessed as court costs.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of 08/01/98

My commission expires_

Notary Public

Nº 16698

July 25, 1995

PROPOSED INJECTION WELL

Marathon Oil Company, as Operator, proposes to deepen and convert the Indian Basin Federal "C" Well No.1 to water disposal service. The location of the well is 1650' FNL and 1650' FWL, Section 35, Township 21 South, Range 23 East, Eddy County New Mexico. The zone to be injected is

the Siluro-Devonian from 10,000 ft to 11,000 ft with a maximum injection rate of 15,000 BWPD, and a maximum injection pressure of 2200 psig. Any interested party with objection or request of hearing should notify the Oil Conservation Division, P.O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 within fifteen (15) days of this notice. Any questions should be directed to R.A. Biernbaum of Marathon Oil Company at P.O. Box 552, Midland, Texas 79702 or telephone (915) 682-1626.