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November 20, 1987

Mr. David Catanach
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
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RE: Request for SWD Injection Pressure Increase
Stonewall "YE" State #1 J Sec 30 T20S R28E
Eddy County, New Mexico
Order No. R-8265

Dear Mr. Catanach:

The subject well was limited to 519 psig surface injection pressure by Order No. R-8265. Pursuant to Rule 704-C, a step-rate test was conducted on November 17, 1987, and was witnessed by Mr. Johnny Robinson of the Artesia District Office. The test was done by B & D Well Testers, Hobbs, New Mexico (see attached report). The fracture pressure, as determined by B & D Well Testers, is 720 psig surface flowing tubing pressure.

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests an increase in the pressure limit to 670 psig. *Verbal OK DC + MW 11/23/87*

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

James S. Brown
Engineer

Attachments

xc: Mr. Mike Williams - NMOCD Artesia

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