



United States Department of the Interior

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

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Artesia, New Mexico 88210

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Texas American Oil Corporation
1012 Midland Savings Building
Midland, Texas 79701

Gentlemen:

Your application to re-enter and operate as a salt water disposal well the No. 3 Todd "26" Federal on oil and gas lease New Mexico 0405444-A, located 1980/N&W sec. 26, T. 23 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, by injecting produced waters into the Bell Canyon sand of the Delaware formation at an open hole interval of 4,390 to 5,700 feet, is hereby approved, subject to approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission and the following:

1. If off-lease waters are to be included in this disposal system, a special land use permit to operate this well as such must be secured from the Bureau of Land Management prior to disposing of any such waters.
2. Where applicable and required, right of way permits for pipe lines from other leases must be secured from the Bureau of Land Management or other owners prior to laying of any such gathering lines.
3. The usual Sundry Notice and Report, form 9-331 in quintuplicate, must be filed with this office prior to commencing any further workover, treatment, suspension of operation, or change in status of this well.
4. A monthly injection report, N.M.O.C.C. form C-120-A acceptable, must be submitted to this office in duplicate.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert L. Beckman".

Robert L. Beckman
Acting District Engineer

Attachment