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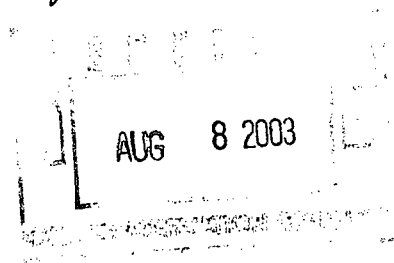
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State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



Attention: David Catanach

RE: Request for Surface Injection Pressure Amendment
Southland Royalty #15
Section 4, 21S, 37E
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Catanach:

Apache Corporation requests an amendment to the 0.2 psi/ft surface pressure limitation for its Southland Royalty #15 SWD well. The attached injection step rate tests support a pressure limitation of 0.37 psi/ft (approximately 1450 psi surface injection pressure). For your convenience I have also attached Order SWD-871 which gave approval to inject in the subject well.

Your approval of said amendment would be greatly appreciated. Please call with any questions or comments.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Kevin Mayes".

Kevin Mayes, Sr. Staff Engineer

Attachments

Cc: Mike Warren, NEDU Foreman
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Southland Royalty #15 - 7-03 Step Rate Test

