MADDOX ENERGY CORPORATION SUITE 3030 717 N. HARWOOD DALLAS, TEXAS 75201 _____ 214 745-1653

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION SANTA FE

July 1, 1982

Oil Conservation Division P. O. Box 2088 State Land Office Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Gentlemen:

With reference to our letter dated June 22, 1982, enclosed are copies of certified letter receipts mailed to offset lease holders and a proof of notice relative to the official publication of our intention to convert the Dorstate No. 1 well (Sec. 27, T25S, R28E, Eddy County) to salt water disposal use.

Please process our application administratively. We will be glad to assist or supply additional information, if required, in order to insure timely approval of the application.

Sincerely yours;

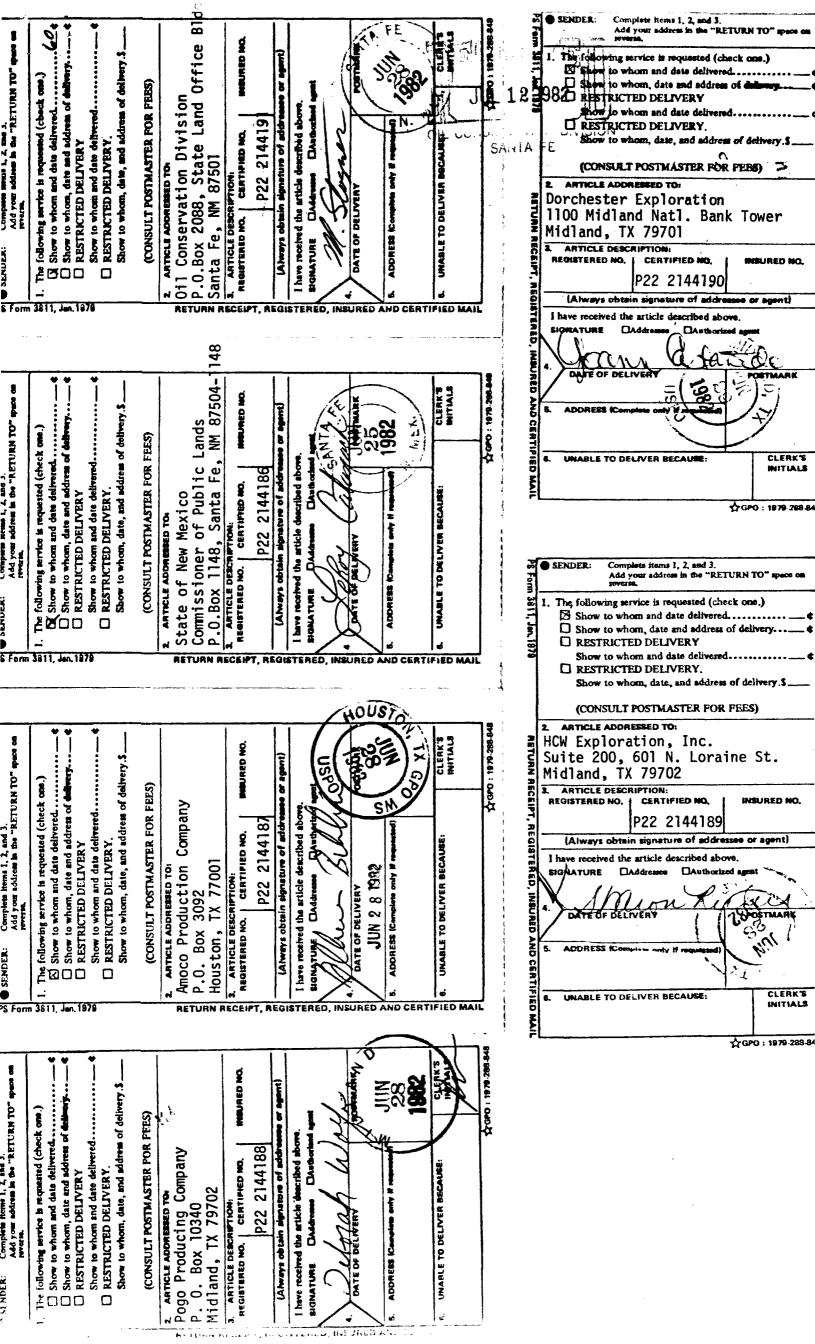
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George W. Zahn Vice President

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MADDOX ENERGY CORPORATION P. O. BOX 217 LOVING, NEW MEXICO 88256 505:745-3524

July 19, 1982

Mr. Roy Johnson New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Energy and Minerals Department P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Aldredge, Signal-Federal #2
1980' FSL & 660' FWL
Sec. 23, T-25-S, R-28-E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Johnson:

This letter will confirm our telephone conversation today concerning the above referenced well.

Mr. Peter Chester with the U.S.G.S. in Roswell, New Mexico, told me that he has no record showing this well was ever completed and used as a fresh water well.

I contacted the rancher and learned that she has no knowledge of a fresh water well in the area.

On Sunday, July 18, 1982, Carter Hughes (Production Supervisor for Maddox Energy Corporation) made an inspection of the area and found no visual evidence of a producing fresh water well.

I understand from our conversation that this letter will satisfy Section XI of Form C-108 previously filed by the Dallas office of Maddox Energy Corporation. If further information is required in this matter, please advise.

Sincerely,

MADDOX ENERGY CORPORATION

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xc: Maddox Energy Corporation - Dallas

FLUID WASTE, INC. 1202 Bryan Circle Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 505:885-1007



September 14, 1984

State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Gilbert Quintana

Re: Dorstate #1 SWD Administrative Order SWD-247

Dear Mr. Quintana:

With reference to our letter dated September 7, 1984, enclosed please find copies of certified letter receipts mailed to offset lease holders and the surface owner. Also enclosed is an original Affidavit of Publication relative to the legal notice requirement of Attachment XIV "Proof of Notice."

These enclosures satisfy the requirements of Attachment XIV to our application for an Amendment to Administrative Order SWD-247.

Please process our application administratively. If additional information is needed to insure timely approval, please advise.

Sincerely,

FLUID WASTE, INC.

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Rebécca A. Hughes Secretary/Treasurer

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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

CARLSBAD CURRENT - ARGUS P.O. BOX 1629 • CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO 88220 • PHONE 887-5501 - AREA CODE 505			
Maddox Energy Corp.		LEGAL ADVERTISING	
717 N. Harwood, Suite Dallas, TX 75201	HCW Exploration Dorstate	6709, 10	
ATTN: George Zahn	No 1 well	AMOUNT ENCLOSED S	

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Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss.

E. C. Cantwell, being first duly sworn, on oath says:

That he is publisher 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 -6.80, and that payment thereof has been made and will be assessed as court costs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

G_day of_ 19_0

My commission expires 5-27-84 Notary Public.



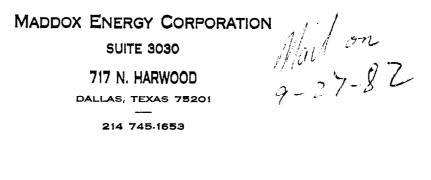
July 1, 1982 NOTICE

MADDOX ENTRGY COR PORATION, 717 N. Harwood, Suite 3030, Dallas, Texas 75301, Telephone: 214-745-1653.

The above captioned party declares that it intends to equip and operate the HCW Exploration Dorstate No. 1 well as a salt water injection well. Said well is located 1980' FNL & GW FEL of Section 27, 725S, R28E, Early County, New Mexico.

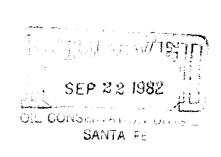
The salt water will be injected into the Delaware formation at a maximum rate of 3000 barrels per day having a pressure of 625 psig.

All interested parties must file any requests or objections for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, P.O. Box 2008, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87501, within 15 days of publication of this notice.



September 20, 1982

H-27 T255 828E



Mr. Roy Johnson Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Maddox Energy Corporation has recently completed its Dorstate No. 1 well for salt water disposal service as prescribed by <u>OCC Order SWD 247</u>. This order permits a surface pressure of 625 psi based on the multiplication of 0.2 psi/ft. times well depth.

Maddox Energy hereby requests that a surface pressure of 1082 psi be granted as the normal system pressure at an injection rate of 5760 barrels of water per day (4BPM). We expect to inject an average of 2000 - 3000 BWPD but feel that for efficient system utility, instantaneous rates in excess of 5000 BWPD will be required.

Enclosed is a step rate test performed by Halliburton Services on September 3, 1982 for your reference. Based on this test and the considerations and calculations performed by Maddox Energy and enclosed herewith as Table I, we request your timely approval of the 1082 psi surface operating pressure for our disposal system. Please contact Mr. Wayne Laufer of this office should you have any questions or require additional information.

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Sincerely yours,

MADDOX ENERGY CORPORATION

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Vice President

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Enclosure

TABLE I

CONSIDERATIONS

•	2 7/8	" tubing	with	vinyl	liner.	Nominal	ID - 2.38"	
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- Depth of deepest perforation = 3107'
- Injection rate of 5760 BWPD (4BPM)
- Halliburton Services data of 9/3/82

ISIP = 700 psi, 30 minute pressure - 500 psi
Fluid Weight = .44 psi/ft. (8.4 ppg)

Minutes	Average	Barrels	Average Surface
Pumped	Est. Rate	Pumped	Injection Pressure
18 min.	1.4 BPM	24 bbl.	500 psi
21	1.8	36	600
17	2.8	50	700
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ISIP = 600 psi after injection of 207 bbls. Fluid Weight = .498 psi/ft. (9.6 ppg) Calculated Fracture Gradient = $\frac{600 + (3107 \times .498)}{3107}$ = .691 psi/ft. (Parting Pressure Gradient)

CALCULATIONS

From the attached graph it can be shown that for an injection rate of 4 BPM (5760 BWPD) a surface injection pressure of 900 psi is required with a 9.6 ppg (.498 psi/ft.) density fluid.

However, the average density of the disposal fluid will be 9.2 ppg (.478 psi/ft), or 0.02 psi/ft. less than the test fluid. This means that the corresponding hydrostatic pressure will be 62 psi less than during the Step Rate Test.

As fluid is injected during the life of the well, the perforations will tend to become plugged with minute particulate matter, resulting in increased perforation friction pressure. We plan on acidizing or backwashing the well when this increased perforation friction pressure reaches 100 psi.

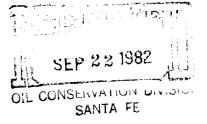
A margin of 20 psi is considered beneficial relative to the setting and efficient operation of the high pressure shut down instruments to avoid nuisance shutdowns during routine operations near the maximum pressure setting of the system.

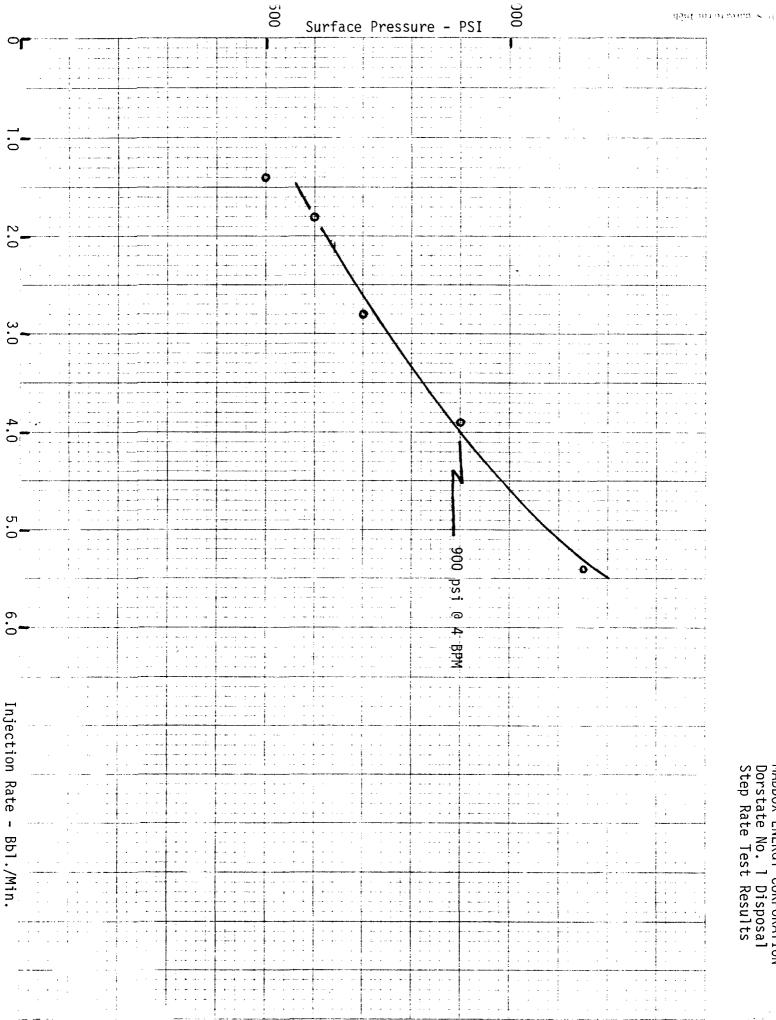
Considering the above data and factors, the following surface operating pressure calculation at 4 BPM can be made: Pump pressure @ 4 BPM with 9.6 ppg fluid 900 psi

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Correction for hydrostatic of 9.2 ppg fluid	+	62
Consideration for increased perforation friction	+	100
Margin for setting high pressure shutdown		20

Total 1082 psi

We feel that approval of this 1082 psi operating pressure will allow efficient system operation and conform with all aspects of the commission's disposal regulations.





MADDOX ENERGY CORPORATION Dorstate No. 1 Disposal Step Rate Test Results

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ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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September 27, 1982

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 (505) 827-2434

Maddox Energy Corporation Suite 3030 717 N. Harwood Dallas, Texas 75201

Attention: Mr. Wayne Laufer

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Re: SWD Order No. 247 Injection Pressure Increase

Dear Mr. Laufer:

Based on information and test data submitted by your letter of September 22, 1982, the maximum authorized wellhead pressure for the following described well is hereby increased to 982 psi:

Dorstate Well No. 1, Unit H, Section 27, T25S, R28E

Yours very truly,

JOE D. RAMEY Director

JDR/RJ/fd

cc: L. A. Clements R. L. Stamets SWD file