

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

March 8, 1955

Mr. E. E. Scannell  
517 Staley Building  
WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of February 24, with inquiry about a water flood project which is under way in Section 20, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.

I attach a copy of Order R-568, which was issued in Case 789 after properly advertised hearing before the Commission. Our regulations do not require notification of offset operators in such instance, but the statute does require that we make proper legal advertisement in Santa Fe County (wherein the hearing was held) and in the county involved - in this case, Eddy County. This was done, and the matter was also advertised in the Hobbs paper for good measure.

Hearing was then held on November 17, 1954, at which time the applicant, Kersey and Company, presented testimony with regard to its proposed water flooding, and no objection was entered. I believe the order itself will indicate the Commission's disposition of the matter.

Our case record in this matter is open at all times to you if you wish to look it over, along with the well files concerned. I am enclosing a copy of Kersey and Company's original application in the case, if you wish to study it.

Very truly yours,

W. B. Macey, Secretary-Director

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cc: Kersey and Company  
c/o Mr. Chas. Loveless  
Box 5613  
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OIL INVESTMENTS

517 STALEY BUILDING

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Feb. 24, 1955

*Ref Case No  
I will write him  
Kersey & Co  
Case 789  
Order R-568*

Oil Conservation Commission,  
Box 871  
Sante Fe, New Mexico.

Dear Sirs:

The records show that an application has been made for the drilling of a well located in the Center of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 20, T-1 7S, R-28E, Eddy County, ~~Texas~~, and understand that this well is now drilling. *mm*

Understand also that a water-flooding project is being initiated in this area, the intention being to use the other four wells located on this quarter section as input wells.

I am the operator of two wells located in the S $\frac{1}{2}$  of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of this same section. Under the arrangements mentioned above, one of the wells to be used as input wells for water injection is a direct offset to the West of my lease.

Please advise if you have any information concerning this flooding project, if there has been a hearing on the matter and, in matters of this nature, if the surrounding lease owners are notified. No notification of a hearing connected with this project has been received by me.

Your early reply regarding this inquiry will be greatly appreciated.

*E. E. Scannell*  
Yours very truly,

E. E. SCANNELL

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P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

January 17, 1955

Mr. Charles Loveless  
Box 5613  
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO

Dear Sir:

We attach copy of Order R-568 issued under date of January 13, 1955, in Case 789, which was brought upon your application submitted on behalf of Kersey and Company.

Very truly yours,

W. B. Macey  
Secretary - Director

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