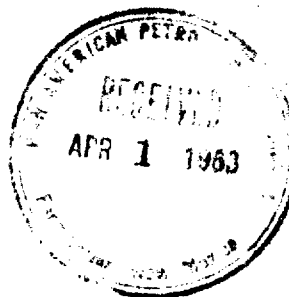


March 20, 1963



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Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.
Secretary-Director
Oil Conservation Commission
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

Reference is made to the application of Pan American Petroleum Corporation dated March 22, 1963 which seeks to dispose of salt water in the Pan American Petroleum Corporation Navajo "C" No. 1 undesignated Paradox Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.

After reviewing the application and the exhibits submitted therewith, I have concluded that the injection of this water into the Entrada-Chinle formations will not constitute a threat of contamination to the fresh waters existing in the area. Therefore, this office offers no objection to the granting of this application.

Yours truly,

S. E. Reynolds
State Engineer

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cc-Mr. T. M. Curtis

By:
Frank E. Irby
Chief
Water Rights Division

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