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Case 8582

January 18, 1985

Richard L. Stamets, Director
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Re: Application of Parabo, Inc.

Dear Dick:

Enclosed is Petition of Parabo, Inc., for amendment to Orders R-5516, R-5516-A, and R-5516-B. Per my telephone advice, I am delivering an endorsed copy of this Petition to Jerry Sexton.

Respectfully submitted,



R. E. RICHARDS

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cc w/encl:

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APPLICATION OF PARABO, INC., FOR AN ORDER
AMENDING ORDERS R-5516, R-5516-A and R-5516-B

P E T I T I O N

COMES NOW, Parabo, Inc., by and through its attorneys, Law Offices of R. E. Richards, P.A., Post Office Box 761, Hobbs, New Mexico, 88241, and moves the Division for an Order amending Orders Numbers R-5516, R-5516-A and R-5516-B, and in support thereof states:

1. Applicant has been, under the above described Orders, operating a facility as described in those Orders whereby it commercially disposed of and does dispose of brinewater and other fluids generated in the drilling for and production of oil, gas, and other minerals.

2. That certain changes and amendments should be made in and to those Orders to more adequately reflect the Division's desires for the operation of said facility and to approve and authorize certain modifications because of desired and contemplated growth and expansion of said facility, and because of additional information gathered in the operation of said facility relating to certain freeboard requirements.

3. Rule 7 of Order R-5516-A dated March 18, 1981, should be amended to provide that as to Pits Two, Three, and Five, and Pits Six, and Pit Seven as authorized under Order R-5516-B that the total quantity of water in such Pits from both natural precipitation and previous disposal may reach a plane three feet below the level of the spillpoint of the triassic redbeds or the core dike surrounding said Pits; thus permitting disposal to levels as follows:

Pit Two:	3459 feet above sea level,
Pit Three:	3459 feet above sea level,
Pit Five:	3447 feet above sea level,
Pit Six:	3447 feet above sea level,
Pit Seven:	3440 feet above sea level.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, petitioner prays that the Division amend Orders R-5516, R-5516-A and R-5516-B, in conformity with the allegations herein and authorizing further and continued operations under said Orders as amended.

Respectfully submitted,



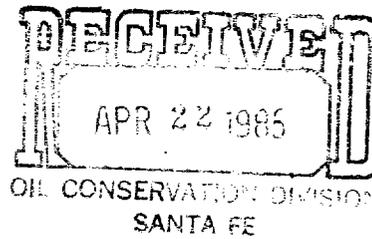
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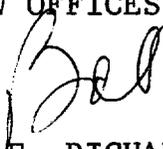
Supplemental and Amended
Petition of Parabo, Inc.

Dear Dick:

Enclosed is the Supplemental and Amended Petition which
we discussed.

Very truly yours,

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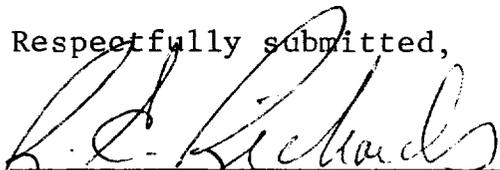
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SUPPLEMENTAL AND AMENDED PETITION

COMES NOW, Parabo, Inc., by and through its attorneys, the Law Offices of R. E. Richards, P. A., Post Office Box 761, Hobbs, New Mexico 88241, and moves the Division for an Order amending its original Petition as follows:

1. That paragraph 3 at the sixth line from the top of the second page, the word "three" should be deleted and the word "two" inserted.
2. That paragraph 3 at the indented material: Pit Five delete 3447 and insert 3448; Pit Six delete 3447 and insert 3448; and Pit Seven delete 3440 and insert 3441.

Respectfully submitted,



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