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Solaris Water Midstream, LLC (OGRID 371643)

c/o Whitney McKee

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RE: Hearing Order R-20874; Second Extension of Deadline to Inject

Well: Capt Call SWD Well No. 1 (API 30-015-Pending)

Located: Unit M, Sec 2, T20S, R28E, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico

Order Date: September 18, 2019

Injection formations: Devonian and Silurian formations; 12,510 feet to 14,310 feet

Dear Ms. McKee:

Reference is made to your August 28, 2021 request on behalf of Solaris Water Midstream, LLC (the "operator") to extend the deadline stipulated in the above titled order to commence injection for the above referenced well for reasons outlined in your correspondence. The original deadline date to commence injection under said order was one year after issuance: September 18, 2020. However, the Oil Conservation Division (OCD) formally approved the operator's first extension request submitted September 2, 2020, which contained the required information and was submitted prior to the original deadline. Therefore, the OCD shall recognize the first extension request providing a current deadline date of September 18, 2021.

It is the Division's understanding from your correspondence that since the date of issuance of the first extension, no additional wells that penetrate the approved injection interval were drilled in the one-mile Area of Review (AOR). Additionally, no new affected parties have been identified in the AOR. Therefore, the extension request could be reviewed administratively for approval.

The Division finds that for reasons you have stated, the granting of this request to extend this administrative order is in the interest of conservation, will prevent waste, and will protect the environment. Therefore, the deadline to commence injection for the existing order is hereby extended until **September 18, 2022**.

All requirements of the above referenced administrative order and agreements in the application remain in full force and effect. Any additional extension of the deadline to commence injection for this administrative order will not be considered unless the operator has already commenced drilling of the referenced well. Otherwise, the injection authority shall expire under the terms of the extended administrative order and the operator shall be required to submit a new application to obtain injection authority for the referenced well.



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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia District Office Order R-20874, Case No. 20587