STATE OF NEW MEXICO



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

POST OFFICE BOX 1980 HDB8S. NEW MEXICO 86241-1980 (505) 393-6161

March 27, 1997

Merit Energy Company 1222 Merit Drive, Suite 1500 Dallas, Texas 75251

Re: Ranger (SWD) #6-N, Sec. 23, T12S, R34E

Gentlemen:

It has come to our attention that you have recently repaired the above referenced salt water disposal well.

Prior to moving on an injection or salt water disposal well for repair or other procedure, you are to notify this office so that we may witness the operation and the pressure test upon completion of the repairs.

In the future, we request that you notify this office at least 24 hours prior to moving on a well for any type of workover.

It is our understanding that the repairs have been completed, and the well has been placed back in use as a disposal well.

Since the repairs have been completed, we request that you submit a subsequent notice (C-103), outlining the work which was done to this well, along with the chart confirming the success of the repairs. If you did not run a chart at the conclusion of the work, we request that you make arrangements to conduct a pressure test, to be performed no later than April 30, 1997. We request 24 hours notice prior to the procedure in order to witness the procedure.

Very truly yours

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Jerry Sexton Supervisor, District I

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