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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. WFX-771

***APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY TO EXPAND ITS WATERFLOOD
PROJECT IN THE QUERECHO PLAINS-UPPER BONE SPRING POOL IN LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO***

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Under the provisions of Division Order No. R-9737-A, Mewbourne Oil Company has made application to the Division on January 31, 2001, for permission to expand its Querecho Plains Bone Spring Sand Unit Waterflood Project in the Querecho Plains-Upper Bone Spring Pool in Lea County, New Mexico.

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FINDS THAT:

- (1) The application has been filed in due form.
- (2) Satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators have been duly notified of the application.
- (3) No objection has been received within the waiting period as prescribed by Rule 701(B).
- (4) The proposed injection well is eligible for conversion to injection under the terms of Rule 701.
- (5) The proposed expansion of the above referenced Querecho Plains Bone Spring Sand Unit Waterflood Project will not cause waste nor impair correlative rights.
- (6) The application should be approved.