

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and

NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON Governor Betty Rivera Cabinet Secretary

June 24, 2002

Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

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Attn: Mr. Tejay Simpson

RE: Injection Pressure Increase, West Lovington Unit No. 28 (API No. 30-025-03895) Lea County, New Mexico

Reference is made to your request received in this office on June 14, 2002, to increase the surface injection pressure on the above-referenced well. This request is based on a step rate test conducted on May 23, 2002. After reviewing this test, we feel an increase in injection pressure on this well is justified at this time.

You are therefore authorized to increase the surface injection pressure on the following well:

| Well and Eccation | Maximum Surface Injection Pressures |
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| West Lovington Unit No. 28 | 2300 PSIG |
| Located in SW/4 SE/4, Section 6, Township 17 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. | |
| | Hobbs |

This maximum surface injection pressure limit is valid only through the existing 2 3/8 inch plastic coated injection tubing.

The Division Director may rescind this injection pressure increase if it becomes apparent that the injected water is not being confined to the injection zone or is endangering any fresh water aquifers.

Director

cc: Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs ⁷ State Land Office – Santa Fe Files: WFX-622, IPI-2002