

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE No. 3797  
Order No. R-3449

APPLICATION OF ERNEST A. HANSON  
FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on June 26, 1968, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 3rd day of July, 1968, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the applicant, Ernest A. Hanson, is the owner and operator of the Mescalero Ridge Unit "35" Well No. 11, located in Unit N of Section 35, Township 19 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Pearl-Queen Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to dispose of produced salt water into the Queen formation, with injection into the perforated interval from approximately 4604 feet to 5036 feet.

(4) That the injection should be accomplished through 2 3/8-inch tubing installed in a packer set at approximately 4550 feet; that the casing-tubing annulus should be filled