

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE 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. 4019
Order No. R-3660

APPLICATION OF SINCLAIR OIL CORPORATION
FOR SALT WATER INJECTION, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on January 8, 1969, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 13th day of January, 1969, 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, Sinclair Oil Corporation, is the owner and operator of the Mescalero Ridge Unit Well No. 2, located in Unit B of Section 28, Township 19 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Quail Ridge-Yates Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to inject produced salt water into the Yates formation, with injection into the perforated interval from approximately 3860 feet to 4050 feet.

(4) That the injection should be accomplished through 2 3/8-inch plastic-lined tubing installed in a packer set at approximately 3850 feet; that the casing-tubing annulus should be filled with an inert fluid; and that a pressure gauge should