OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

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Shoreline Exploration Co. Box 1822 Roswell, New Mexico

Attention: Charles B. Read

Gentlemen:

We are in receipt of all necessary forms concerning the drilling and completion of your Snyder No. 1 located in Unit J of Section 16, T-20-S, R-33-E. No regular allowable will be assigned this well for the present, but a testing allowable will be assigned to cover oil which has been run from the well.

Commission Order No. R-lll-A stipulates that a solid column of cement will cover the salt section in any well drilled in the potash-oil area. In this well you set 7" casing at 2886' and cemented with 25 sacks of regular cement. According to my calculations, the maximum cement top for this job would be at 2550'. After setting your 4^b₁" liner the 7" casing was perforated at 1999' and cemented back to the surface. This cementing procedure has left a window behing the 7" casing from 1999' to 2550' that is not covered with cement. This entire area is in the salt section and therefore does not conform to the provisions of Commission Order No. R-lll-A.

Before an allowable will be assigned this well, it will be necessary that you do remedial commenting on the well. You may either perforate and squeeze comment behind the 7" casing, or run additional 45" casing as liner from the present top of the liner to some point above 1999' and comment same. Please notify this office prior to commencing work so that a Commission representative may witness your procedure.

Should you desire further information on this matter, please so advise.

Yours very truly,

OIL CONSERVATION CONMISSION

Joe D. Ramey Supervisor, District 1

JDR/mc cc-A. L. Porter, Director OCC, Santa Fe