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104 SOUTH PECOS MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 915-682-3753 FAX 915-683-0311 December 16, 1996 ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION 555-1714 STREET SUITE 835 DENVER, CO 80202 303-292-9299 FAX 303-297-0666

RE:Order SWD-327 Byers. 8605 JV-P, No. 2SWD Ut-G, Sec 23, T20S, R35E Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
2040 So. Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attn: David Catanach

Gentlemen:

BTA received the above referenced order on 7-27-87, to inject salt water into the Queen formation at 4842-4868 through 2-7/8" fiberglass tbg. Due to pressure limitations, and the fact the well no longer has the capability of disposing of the 350 bbls of water produced by the Byers No. 1, we have shut in this salt water disposal well.

BTA hereby proposes to increase our injection interval by adding the following Delaware and Bone Spring perforations:

Delaware:

6420-30; 6450-60; 6488-6512;

6520-77; 6605-10; 6722-40; 6820-38; 7040-60; 7198-7122

Bone Springs:

9790-9842

Our legal notice was published in the Hobbs Daily News Sun and we will furnish a copy as soon as received.

We are this date furnishing a copy of our letter application to all offsets on the attached list and the surface owner as shown.

Should further information be required to approve our application, please advise.

Sincerely,

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For BTA Oil Producers

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