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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER SWD-640

**APPLICATION OF POGO PRODUCING COMPANY FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Under the provisions of Rule 701(B), Pogo Producing Company made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on August 7, 1996, for permission to complete for salt water disposal its Diamond '34' Well No.1 located 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FINDS THAT:

- (1) The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701(B) of the Division Rules and Regulations;
- (2) Satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators and surface owners have been duly notified;
- (3) The applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 will be met; and
- (4) No objections have been received within the waiting period prescribed by said rule.
- (5) The application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The applicant herein, is hereby authorized to complete its Diamond '34' Well No.1 located 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the Bell Canyon and Upper Cherry Canyon formations at approximately 5,100 feet to 6,516 feet through 2 3/8-inch plastic-lined tubing set in a packer located at approximately 5,000 feet.

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