



February 18, 1977

Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Hobbs District Office
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Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Request for Administrative Approval
For Conversion of Well No. 8 To Injection
Tenneco-Paduca Monsanto State Waterflood
Sec. 16, T25S, R32E
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Tenneco Oil Company, as operator of the Paduca-Delaware-Monsanto State Waterflood project which was created by Commission Order No. R-3313, respectfully requests administrative approval to convert the Monsanto State No. 8 well to injection service. This new injection well will provide a better waterflood pattern and should result in a more efficient flooding of the reservoir.

Injection into the Delaware Sand Interval in Well No. 8 will be approximately 500 bbls. of water per day, which will be obtained from the Texaco operated Cotton Draw Delaware Sand Waterflood Unit.

Pursuant to the rules of the State of New Mexico, a plat is enclosed with this Application which indicates lease ownership and all other wells within a radius of two (2) miles and the location of Monsanto State No. 8. Also enclosed is a diagrammatic sketch of Well No. 8 and a portion of the well log over the Delaware Sand Interval.

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