## RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS Oil and Gas Division



## NOTICE TO OIL AND GAS OPERATORS

Form H-5, Disposal/Injection Well Pressure Test Report, Online Filing Available

As part of the Texas Oilfield Relief Initiative, the Railroad Commission of Texas (RRC) encourages oil and gas operators to file the Form H-5, *Disposal/Injection Well Pressure Test Report*, online using the RRC Online System at <a href="https://webapps.rrc.texas.gov/security/login.do">https://webapps.rrc.texas.gov/security/login.do</a>. Effective May 1, 2021, the RRC will no longer accept hard copy filings of the Form H-5.

Form H-5 must be filed 30 days after the date of any disposal/injection pressure test. When filing the Form H-5 online, an operator can also submit any attachments, including scanned images of the pressure test charts. In addition, the operator is not required to file duplicates of the report and attachments with the appropriate RRC oil and gas district office.

When a Form H-5 is submitted online using the RRC Online System, the system will generate a print-friendly PDF. All reports will be available to view in the RRC Online System after being reviewed and approved by the RRC.

To access the Form H-5 in the RRC Online System, the organization's designated Security Administrator must add the *Disposal/Injection Well Pressure Test (H-5)* filing right to each user's RRC Online System account. If your company needs to set up security administrator rights to file online, view the instructions on RRC website at <a href="https://www.rrc.texas.gov/forms/online-filing-at-rrc/">https://www.rrc.texas.gov/forms/online-filing-at-rrc/</a>.

While the RRC will continue to accept hard copy filings of the Form H-5, operators are strongly encouraged to file online for efficient and timely filing. If an operator files a hard-copy of the report, they must mail the original report and attachments to the appropriate oil and gas district office. The form is available for download from the RRC website at <a href="https://www.rrc.texas.gov/oil-and-gas/oil-and-gas-forms/">https://www.rrc.texas.gov/oil-and-gas/oil-and-gas-forms/</a>.

For more information on the online Form H-5, view an instructional video on the RRC's YouTube channel at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=io-nivIQxiE&feature=youtu.be">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=io-nivIQxiE&feature=youtu.be</a> or reference the Disposal/Injection Well Pressure Test Report (H-5) User Guide available on the RRC website at <a href="https://www.rrc.texas.gov/media/0mvmx3lw/h-5-users-guide.pdf">https://www.rrc.texas.gov/media/0mvmx3lw/h-5-users-guide.pdf</a>.

Instructions for uploading scanned images of the pressure test charts as attachments to the online Form H-5 are available on the RRC website at <a href="https://www.rrc.texas.gov/oil-and-gas/applications-and-permits/injection-storage-permits/mechanical-integrity-tests/injection-disposal-mit/filing-pressure-recorder-charts-online-form-h-5/">https://www.rrc.texas.gov/oil-and-gas/applications-and-permits/injection-storage-permits/mechanical-integrity-tests/injection-disposal-mit/filing-pressure-recorder-charts-online-form-h-5/</a>.

If you have questions regarding this notice, contact the Injection-Storage Permits (UIC) section of the RRC's Oil and Gas Division at H5info@rrc.texas.gov or 512-463-6792.

Please Forward to the Appropriate Section of Your Company

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