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FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0136
Expires November 30, 2000

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

1a. Type of Work: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER		5. Lease Serial No. NMLC029395A
1b. Type of Well: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
2. Name of Operator MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION		7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.
Contact: DIANA CANNON E-Mail: production@marbob.com		8. Lease Name and Well No. TONY FEDERAL 26
3a. Address P O BOX 227 ARTESIA, NM 88211-0227	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 505.748.3303 Fx: 505.746.2523	9. API Well No. 30-015-33718
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. *) At surface NENE Lot A 990FNL 330FEL At proposed prod. zone NENE Lot A 990FNL 330FEL		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory CEDAR LAKE YESO
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* SEE SURFACE USE PLAN		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. and Survey or Area Sec 19 T17S R31E Mer NMP
15. Distance from proposed location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 330'	16. No. of Acres in Lease 609.43	12. County or Parish EDDY
18. Distance from proposed location to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.	19. Proposed Depth 6000 MD	13. State NM
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KB, RT, GL, etc.) 3661 GL	22. Approximate date work will start 04/01/2003	17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 40.00
		20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file RECEIVED NOV 03 2004 OCD-ARTESIA
23. Estimated duration		

24. Attachments

Acowen Controlled Water Basin

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

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| 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. | 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above). |
| 2. A Drilling Plan. | 5. Operator certification |
| 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office). | 6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer. |

25. Signature (Electronic Submission)	Name (Printed/Typed) DIANA CANNON	Date 02/27/2003
Title AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE		
Approved by (Signature) 151 RUSS SORENSEN	Name (Printed/Typed) 151 RUSS SORENSEN	Date 11-1-04
Title FIELD MANAGER		
Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE		

Application approval does not warrant or certify the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

APPROVAL FOR 1 YEAR

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

Additional Operator Remarks (see next page)

**APPROVAL SUBJECT TO
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND
SPECIAL STIPULATIONS
ATTACHED**

Electronic Submission #18994 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION, sent to the Carlsbad
committed to AFMSS for processing by Linda Askwig on 02/27/2003 (03LA0342AE)

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Additional Operator Remarks:

17 1/2" HOLE, 13 3/8" J55 48# CSG SET @ 350', CMT W/ 350 SX TO SURF.
12 1/4" HOLE, 8 5/8" J55 24# CSG SET @ 1300', CMT W/ 550 SX TO SURF.
7 7/8" HOLE, 5 1/2" J55 17# CSG SET @ 6000', CMT SUFFICIENT TO COVER 200' ABOVE ALL KNOWN OIL & GAS HORIZONS.

PRESSURE CONTROL EQUIPMENT: WE WILL BE USING A 2M SYSTEM - SEE EXHIBIT #1 (4 PGS).

PAY ZONE WILL BE SELECTIVELY STIMULATED AND PERFORATED AS NEEDED FOR OPTIMUM PRODUCTION.

ATTACHMENT INCLUDES:

1. WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT
2. DRILLING PROGRAM
3. SURFACE USE AND OPERATING PLAN
4. HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN
5. ADDITIONAL REQUIRED INFORMATION (EXHIBITS #1 (4 PGS) - #4)

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144
March 12, 2004

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☒ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☐

Operator: **Marbob Energy Corporation**

Telephone: **505-748-3303**

e-mail address: **land2@marbob.com**

Address: **PO Box 227, Artesia, NM 88211-0227**

Facility or well name: **Tony Federal #26**

API #: _____ U/L or Qtr/Qtr **NENE** Sec **19** T **17S** R **31E**

County: **Eddy**

Latitude _____ Longitude _____ NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 ☐ Surface Owner Federal ☒ State ☐ Private ☐ Indian ☐

Pit

Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐

Workover ☐ Emergency ☐

Lined ☒ Unlined ☐

Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness **12** mil Clay ☐ Volume _____ bbl

Below-grade tank

Volume: _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____

Construction material: _____

Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not. _____

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Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)

Less than 50 feet

(20 points)

50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet

(10 points)

100 feet or more

(0 points)

0 points

Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)

Yes

(20 points)

No

(0 points)

0 points

Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)

Less than 200 feet

(20 points)

200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet

(10 points)

1000 feet or more

(0 points)

0 points

Ranking Score (Total Points)

0 points

If this is a pit closure: (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location:

onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility _____. (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface _____ ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☐, a general permit ☒, or an (attached) alternative OGD-approved plan ☐.

Date: **November 5, 2004**

Printed Name/Title: **Melanie J. Parker / Land Department**

Signature _____

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approved: **NOV 8 2004**

Date: _____

Printed Name/Title: _____

Signature: _____

DISTRICT I
P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88241-1980

DISTRICT II
P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88211-0718

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV
P.O. BOX 2088, SANTA FE, N.M. 87504-2088

State of New Mexico

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

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Form C-102
Revised February 10, 1994
Submit to Appropriate District Office
State Lease - 4 Copies
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

☐ AMENDED REPORT

API Number 30-015-	Pool Code 96831	Pool Name CEDAR LAKE; YESO
Property Code 23629	Property Name TONY FEDERAL	Well Number 26
OGRID No. 14049	Operator Name MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION	Elevation 3661'

Surface Location

UL or lot No. A	Section 19	Township 17-S	Range 31-E	Lot Idn	Feet from the 990	North/South line NORTH	Feet from the 330	East/West line EAST	County EDDY
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Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
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Dedicated Acres 40	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

<p>DETAIL</p> <p>3671.0' 3667.1'</p> <p>3651.6' 3660.9'</p> <p>SEE DETAIL</p> <p>990</p> <p>330'</p>					<p>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p>I hereby certify the the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</p> <p><i>Diana J. Cannon</i></p> <p>Signature</p> <p>DIANA J. CANNON</p> <p>Printed Name</p> <p>PRODUCTION ANALYST</p> <p>Title</p> <p>FEBRUARY 27, 2003</p> <p>Date</p>
<p>SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p>I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.</p> <p>JANUARY 7, 2003</p> <p>Date Surveyed</p> <p>L.A.</p> <p>Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor</p> <p><i>Ronald J. Edson</i> 1/08/03</p> <p>02.11.1052</p> <p>Certificate No. RONALD J. EIDSON 3238 GARY EIDSON 12641</p>					

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION
DRILLING AND OPERATIONS PROGRAM

Tony Federal No. 26
990' FNL and 330' FEL
Section 19-T17S-R31E
Eddy County, New Mexico

In conjunction with Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill subject well, Marbob Energy Corporation submits the following ten items of pertinent information in accordance with BLM requirements.

1. The geological surface formation is Alluvium:
2. The estimated tops of geologic markers are as follows:

Yates	1225'
Seven Rivers	1340'
Queen	2430'
Grayburg	2804'
San Andres	3134'
Glorieta	4524'

3. The estimated depths at which anticipated water, oil or gas formations are expected to be encountered:

Water:	Approximately 200'
Oil or Gas:	Approximately 2078'

4. Proposed Casing Program: See Form 3160-3.
5. Pressure Control Equipment: See Form 3160-3 and Exhibit 1.

6. Mud Program: The applicable depths and properties of this system are as follows:

<u>Depth</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Weight</u> <u>(ppg)</u>	<u>Viscosity</u> <u>(sec)</u>	<u>Waterloss</u> <u>(cc)</u>
0 - 350'	Fresh Water	8.5	28	N.C.
350'-6000'	Brine	9.8 - 10.2	40 - 45	N.C.

7. Auxiliary Equipment: Kelly Cock; Sub with full opening valve on floor; and drill pipe connections.

8. Testing, Logging and Coring Program:

No drillstem tests are anticipated.

The electric logging program will consist of Dual Laterolog Micro SFL, Spectral Density Dual Spaced Neutron Csg Log, and Depth Control Log.

No conventional coring is anticipated.

9. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated.

10. Anticipated starting date: As soon as possible after approval.

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION
MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN

Tony Federal No. 26
990' FNL and 330' FEL
Section 19-T17S-R31E
Eddy County, New Mexico

This plan is submitted with Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill, covering the above described well. The purpose of this plan is to describe the location of the proposed well, the proposed construction activities and operations plan, the magnitude of the surface disturbance involved and the procedures to be followed in rehabilitating the surface after completion of the operations, so that a complete appraisal can be made of the environmental effect associated with the operations.

1. EXISTING ROADS:

Exhibit 3 is a portion of Topo map showing the well and roads in the vicinity of the proposed location. The proposed wellsite and the access route to the location is indicated in red on Exhibit 3. The proposed flowline route is indicated in blue on Exhibit 3.

DIRECTIONS:

From Loco Hills NM proceed east on US 82 for 4 miles. Turn north on Skelly road (CR-221) and proceed 2/10 mile. Turn east on lease road and proceed 1/10 miles. Turn north and then east on lease road and proceed 7/10 miles. Turn north on lease road and proceed 1/10 miles. Location on east side of lease road.

2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:

A new access road of 162' is requested.

3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELL:

Exhibit 2 shows existing wells within a one-mile radius of the proposed wellsite.

4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES:

A. The production facilities on this lease are located in Unit K of Section 18, T17s - R31e.

5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY:

- A. It is planned to drill with a water system. The water will be obtained from commercial sources and will be hauled to the location by truck over the existing and proposed roads shown in Exhibit 3 or transported via poly lines along the same roads of existing right-of-ways.

6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS:

Caliche will be obtained from a BLM approved pit, if needed.

7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL:

- A. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the lined pit.
- B. Drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate in the lined pit until the pit is dry.
- C. Water produced during completion may be disposed into the lined reserve pit.
- D. All trash and debris will be removed from the wellsite within 30 days after finishing drilling and/or completion operations. All waste material will be contained to prevent scattering by the wind.

8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES:

None required.

9. WELLSITE LAYOUT:

- A. Exhibit 4 shows the relative location and dimensions of the well pad, the pit.
- B. The reserve pit will be lined with high quality plastic sheeting.

10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION:

- A. After finishing drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for further operations will be removed. The location will be cleaned of all trash and junk to leave the wellsite in as aesthetically pleasing a condition as possible.
- B. Reserve pit will be fenced until they have dried and been leveled.
- C. All rehabilitation and/or vegetation requirements of the BLM will be complied with and will be accomplished as expeditiously as possible. All pits will be filled level within 90 days after abandonment.

11. SURFACE OWNERSHIP:

Federal

12. OTHER INFORMATION:

- A. Topography: Refer to the existing archaeological report for a description of the topography, flora, fauna, soil characteristics, dwellings, historical and cultural sites.
- B. The primary surface use is for grazing.

13. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE:

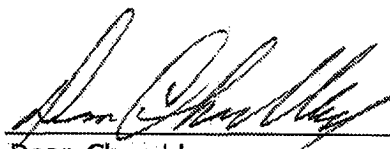
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| A. Through A.P.D. Approval: | B. Through Drilling Operations |
| Dean Chumbley, Landman
Marbob Energy Corporation
P. O. Box 227
Artesia, NM 88211-0227
Phone (505)748-3303
Cell (505)748-5988 | Sheryl Baker, Drilling Supervisor
Marbob Energy Corporation
P. O. Box 227
Artesia, NM 88211-0227
Phone (505)748-3303
Cell (505)748-5489 |

14. CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drillsite and access route, that I am familiar with the conditions which presently exist; that the statements made in this plan are to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Marbob Energy Corporation and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

02-25-2003

Date



Dean Chumbley
Landman

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN

I. HYDROGEN SULFIDE TRAINING

All personnel, whether regularly assigned, contracted, or employed on an unscheduled basis, will receive training from a qualified instructor in the following areas prior to commencing drilling operations on this well:

- A. The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H₂S).
- B. The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.
- C. The proper use of H₂S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing areas, evacuation procedures, and prevailing winds.
- D. The proper techniques for first aid and rescue procedures.

In addition, supervisory personnel will be trained in the following areas:

- A. The effects of H₂S on metal components. If high tensile tubulars are to be used, personnel will be trained in their special maintenance requirements.
- B. Corrective action and shut-in procedures when drilling or reworking a well and blowout prevention and well control procedures.
- C. The contents and requirements of the H₂S Drilling Operations Plan and the Public Protection Plan.

There will be an initial training session just prior to encountering a known or probable H₂S zone (within 3 days or 500 feet) and weekly H₂S and well control drills for all personnel in each crew. The initial training session shall include a review of the site specific H₂S Drilling Operations Plan and the Public Protection Plan. This plan shall be available at the well site. All personnel will be required to carry documentation that they have received the proper training.

II. H₂S SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS

Note: All H₂S safety equipment and systems will be installed, tested, and operational when drilling reaches a depth of 500 feet above, or three days prior to penetrating the first zone containing or reasonably expected to contain H₂S.

A. Well Control Equipment:

Flare line.

Choke manifold.

Blind rams and pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes with properly sized closing unit.

Auxiliary equipment to include: annular preventer, mud-gas separator, rotating head.

B. Protective equipment for essential personnel:

Mark II Surviveair 30-minute units located in the dog house and at briefing areas.

C. H₂S detection and monitoring equipment:

2 - portable H₂S monitor positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H₂S levels of 20 ppm are reached.

D. Visual warning systems:

Caution/Danger signs shall be posted on roads providing direct access to location. Signs will be painted a high visibility yellow with black lettering of sufficient size to be readable at a reasonable distance from the immediate location. Bilingual signs will be used, when appropriate. See example attached.

E. Mud Program:

The mud program has been designed to minimize the volume of H₂S circulated to the surface.

A mud-gas separator will be utilized.

F. Metallurgy:

All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventers, drilling spool, kill lines, choke manifold and lines, and valves shall be suitable for H₂S service.

G. Communication:

Company vehicles equipped with cellular telephone and 2-way radio.

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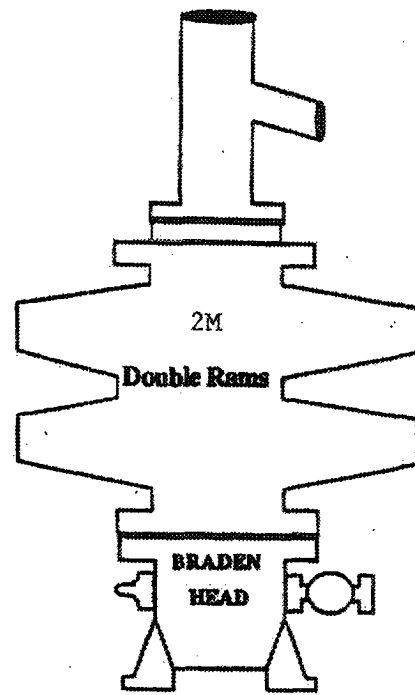
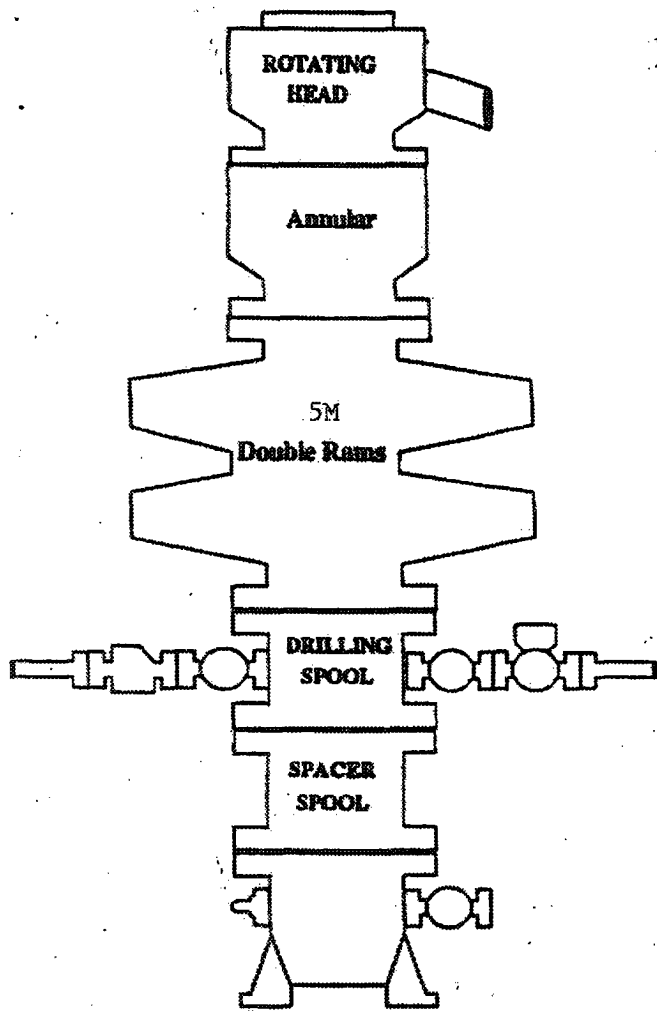
**YOU ARE ENTERING AN H₂S AREA
AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY**

- 1. BEARDS OR CONTACT LENSES NOT ALLOWED**
- 2. HARD HATS REQUIRED**
- 3. SMOKING IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY**
- 4. BE WIND CONSCIOUS AT ALL TIMES**
- 5. CK WITH MARBOB FOREMAN AT MAIN OFFICE**

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

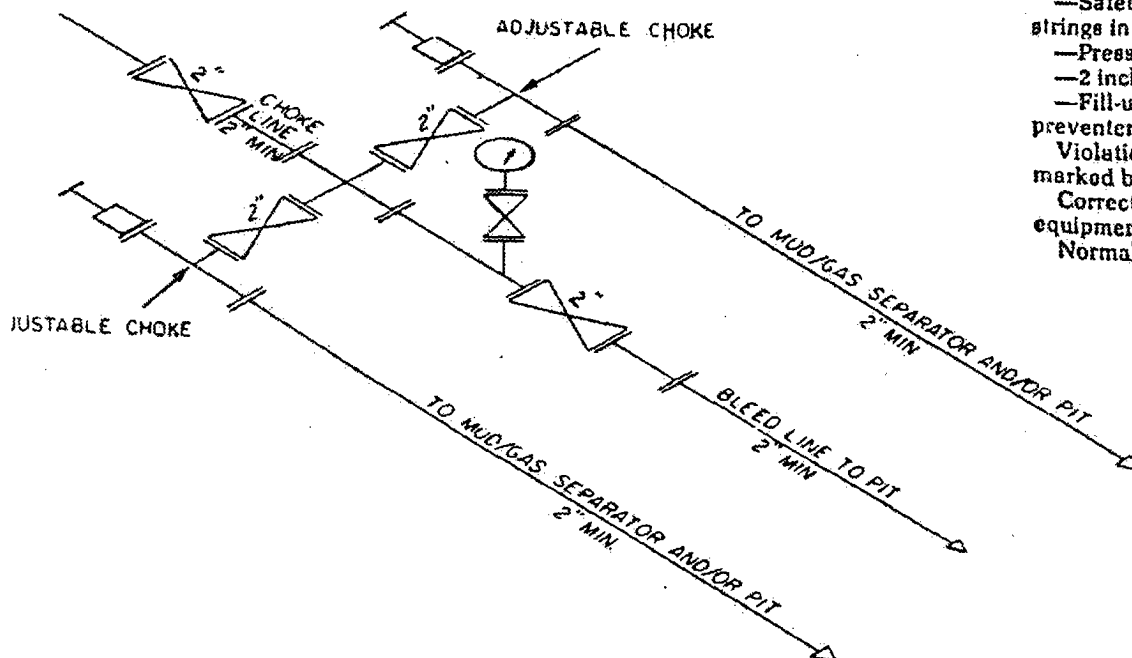
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BOPE SCHEMATIC



ONSHORE OIL AND GAS ORDER NO. 2

- 2M system:
- Annular preventer, or, double ram, or two rams with one being blind and one being a pipe ram *
 - Kill line (2 inch minimum)
 - 1 kill line valve (2 inch minimum)
 - 1 choke line valve
 - 2 chokes (refer to diagram in Attachment 1)
 - Upper kelly cock valve with handle available
 - Safety valve and subs to fit all drill strings in use
 - Pressure gauge on choke manifold
 - 2 inch minimum choke line
 - Fill-up line above the uppermost preventer.
- Violation: Minor (all items unless marked by asterisk).
Corrective Action: Install the equipment as specified.
Normal Abatement Period: 24 hours.



2M CHOKE MANIFOLD EQUIPMENT — CONFIGURATION OF CHOKES

MAY VARY

Exhibit One

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

JUN 21 1999

FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135
Expires: March 31, 1993

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir.
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT-" for such proposals

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

Name of Operator

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

Address and Telephone No.

P.O. BOX 227, ARTESIA, NM 88210 505-748-3303

Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

T17S-R29E
T17S-R30E
T17S-R31E

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

9. API Well No.

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

11. County or Parish, State

EDDY CO., NM

2. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(S) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION	
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Abandonment	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Plans
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Recompletion	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Plugging Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Routine Fracturing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altering Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Conversion to Injection
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other TEST BOPS	<input type="checkbox"/> Dispose Water

(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

3. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*

DUE TO THE LOW BOTTOM HOLE PRESSURE OF FORMATIONS ABOVE 6000', WE ARE REQUESTING BLANKET APPROVAL FOR WELLS IN THE ABOVE LOCATIONS TO TEST BOPS ON SURFACE CASING TO 1000#

THIS SUNDRY IS APPROVED FOR MARBOB TO HAVE A BLANKET APPROVAL FOR TESTING BOPS.

HOWEVER, THE OPERATOR WILL STATE ON EACH APD THIS APPLIES TO IN ORDER TO

REMIND AND/OR BRING NOTICE TO THE BLM OFFICE AND ENGINEER REVIEWING THE APD

THAT THE WELL'S BOPE TESTING IS COVERED BY A BLANKET APPROVAL FOR THESE LOCATIONS

4. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Signed Robin Cooverman

Title PRODUCTION ANALYST

Date 05/25/99

This space for Federal or State office use

Approved by [Signature]
Conditions of approval, if any:

Title PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Date JUN 16 1999

SEP 09 1999



United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Roswell Field Office
2909 West Second St.
Roswell, New Mexico 88201
www.nm.blm.gov



IN REPLY REFER TO:
NMNM-88525X
3180 (06200)

Marbob Energy Corporation
Attention: Johnny Gray
P. O. Box 227
Artesia, NM 88210

SEP 07 1999

Gentlemen:

With regard to our telephone conversation of September 2, 1999, a review of our records has found discrepancies in the casing requirements section of the conditions of approval for your APD's. As per our meeting on July 7, 1999, our office had agreed with your recommended casing procedures for shallow wells of 6000 ft. or less in T. 17 S., Rgs. 29, 30 and 31 E., NMPM. In order to correct the discrepancies, this letter states the language to be used for the conditions of approval casing requirements for all your existing APD's

Conditions of Approval-Drilling amended as follows:

II. Casing requirements in T. 17 S., Rgs. 29, 30 and 31 E. for shallow wells less than 6,000 ft.

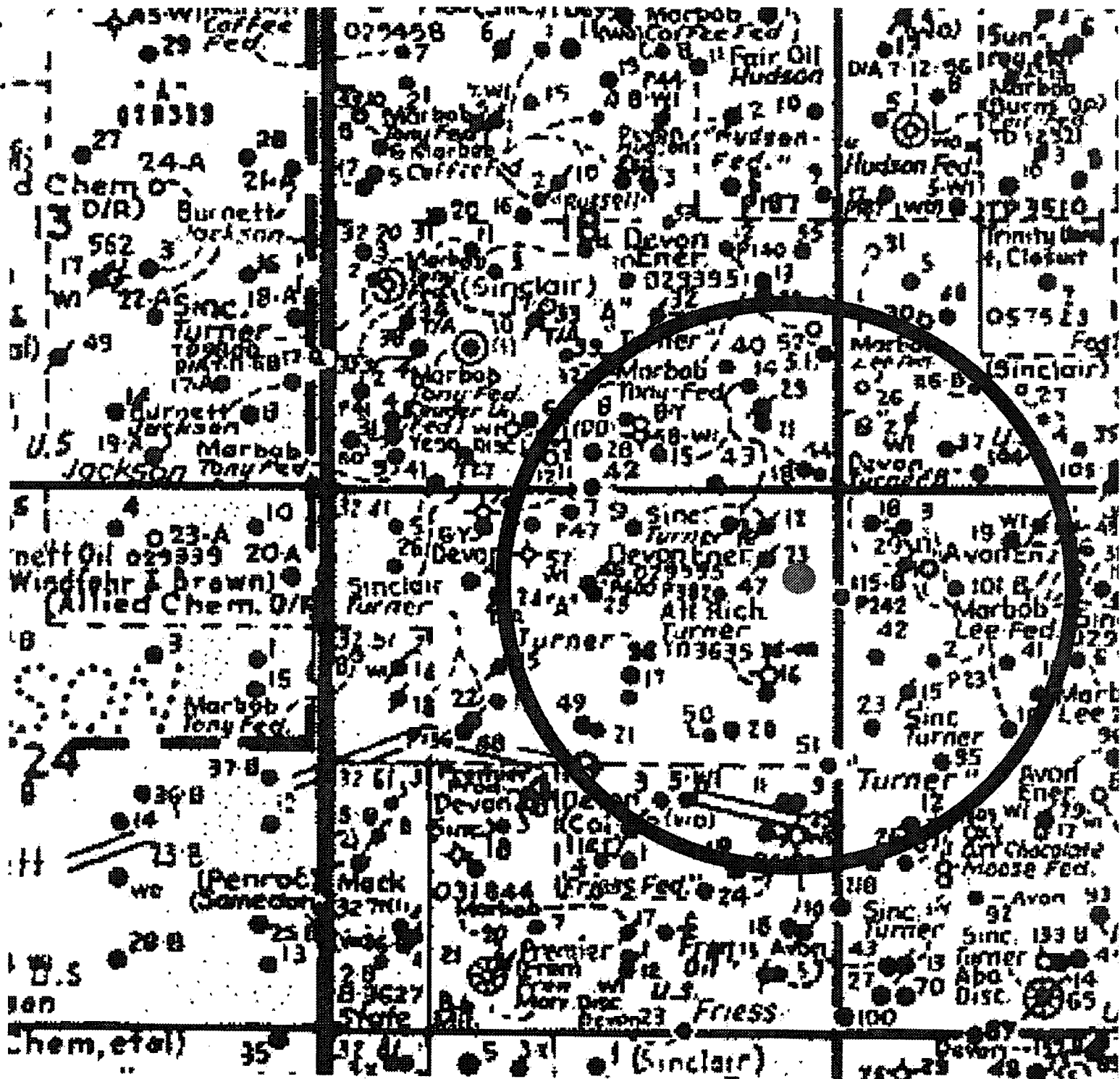
1. 8-5/8 inch surface casing should be set at approximately ____ ft. in the Rustler Anhydrite or in the case the salt occurs at a shallower depth above the top of the salt. The surface casing shoe shall be set in the anhydrite to ensure adequate sealing. The operator is required to use an excess of 100% cement volume to fill annulus. If cement does not circulate to surface the operator may then use ready mix cement to fill the remaining annulus.
2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5 1/2 inch production casing is to place the top of the cement 200 ft. above the top of the uppermost hydrocarbon bearing interval or to the base of the salt.

These requirements supercede those issued in your existing, approved APD's for the shallow wells located in T. 17 S., Rgs. 29, 30 and 31 E., NMPM. If you have any question regarding this matter please call John S. Simitz at (505) 627-0288 or Armando A. Lopez at (505) 627-0248.

Sincerely,

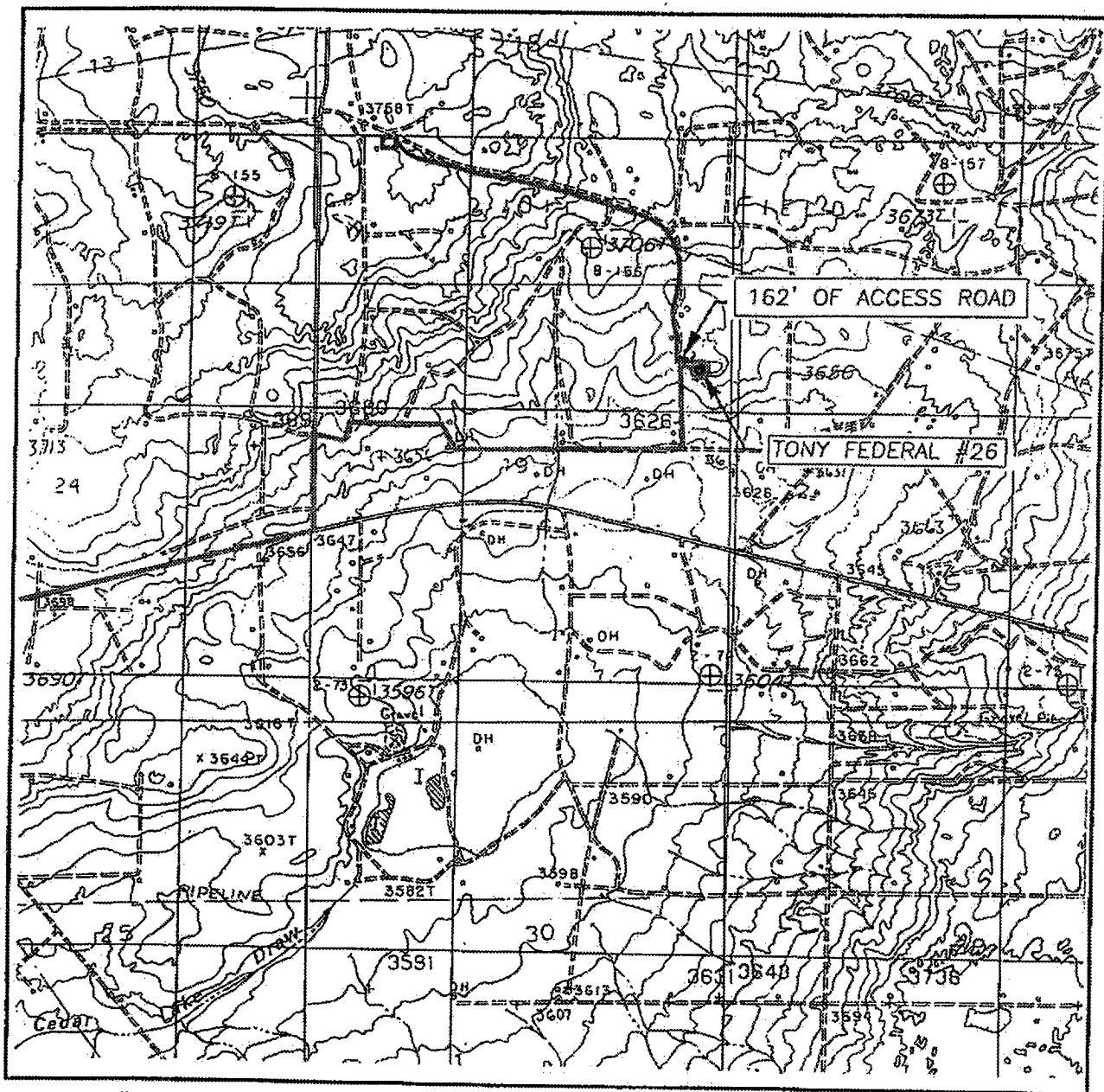
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EXHIBIT TWO



SCALE: 1" = 2000'

CONTOUR INTERVAL: 10'
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EXHIBIT THREE

Well Site Lay-Out Plat

