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Form 3160-3
(April 2004)

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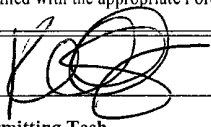
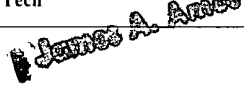
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

1a Type of work. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER		5 Lease Serial No. NMLC - 029418A
1b Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone		6 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name N/A
2 Name of Operator Chevron USA Agent: COG Operating LLC <229137>		7 If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No NMNM-71030C; Skelly Unit
3a Address 550 W. Texas Ave., Suite 100 Midland, TX 79701		8 Lease Name and Well No SKELLY UNIT #649 <305607>
3b Phone No (include area code) 432-685-4384		9 API Well No 30-015- 40478
4 Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements *) At surface SHL: 10 FSL & 2229 FWL, Unit N At proposed prod zone BHL: 330 FSL & 1650 FWL, Unit N		10 Field and Pool, or Exploratory FROM Mar Loco; Glorieta-Yeso <26770> 27866
11 Sec, T R M or Blk and Survey or Area Sec 14 T17S R31E		12 County or Parish EDDY
13 State NM		14 Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 9 miles East of Loco Hills, NM
15 Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft (Also to nearest drig unit line, if any) 10'	16 No of acres in lease 640	17 Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 40
18 Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft 250'	19 Proposed Depth TVD: 6800' MD: 6846'	20 BLM/BIA Bond No on file NMB000740; NMB000215
21 Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc) 3887' GL	22 Approximate date work will start* 04/30/2012	23 Estimated duration 15 days

24. Attachments

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 	Name (Printed/Typed) Kelly Holly	Date 02/13/2012
Title Permitting Tech		
Approved by (Signature) 	Name (Printed/Typed) James A. Ames	Date JUL 10 2012
Title FIELD MANAGER		
Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE		

Application approval does not warrant or certify that 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 TWO YEARS

Title 18 USC Section 1001 and Title 43 USC 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

*(Instructions on page 2)

ROSWELL CONTROLLED WATER BASIN

SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVALAPPROVAL SUBJECT TO
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS
ATTACHED

Surface Use Plan
COG Operating, LLC
Skelly Unit #649
SL: 10' FSL & 2229' FWL UL N
Section 14, T-17-S, R-31-E
BHL: 330' FSL & 1650' FWL UL N
Section 14, T-17-S, R-31-E
Eddy County, New Mexico

exist; that I have full knowledge of State and Federal laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in this APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed in conformity with this APD package and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. I also certify that I, or COG Operating, LLC, am responsible for the operations conducted under this application. These statements are subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of false statements. Executed this 10th day of January, 2012.

Signed: Carl Bird

Printed Name: Carl Bird

Position: Drilling Engineer

Address: 550 W. Texas, Suite 1300, Midland, Texas 79701

Telephone: (432) 683-7443

Field Representative (if not above signatory): Same

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Phone (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720
DISTRICT II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
Phone (575) 748-1283 Fax: (575) 748-9720
DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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DISTRICT IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505
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State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Form C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number 30-015- 40478	Pool Code 97866 26770	Pool Name MAR LOCO-Glorieta YEsO
Property Code 305607	Property Name SKELLY UNIT	Well Number 649
OGRID No 229137	Operator Name COG OPERATING, LLC	Elevation 3887'

Surface Location


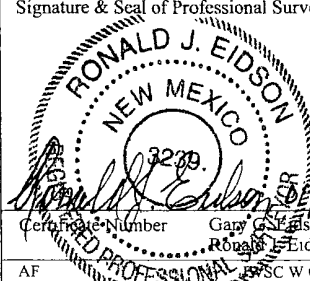
UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
N	14	17-S	31-E		10	SOUTH	2229	WEST	EDDY

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
N	14	17-S	31-E		330	SOUTH	1650	WEST	EDDY

Dedicated Acres	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No
40			

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>CORNER COORDINATES TABLE</p> <p>Ⓐ - Y=666335.4 N, X=650284.7 E</p> <p>Ⓑ - Y=666344.7 N, X=651604.9 E</p> <p>Ⓒ - Y=665015.7 N, X=650292.4 E</p> <p>Ⓓ - Y=665025.2 N, X=651612.7 E</p> <p>Penetration Point 219 FSL + 1862 FWL</p> <p>GEODETIC COORDINATES NAD 27 NME</p> <p>SURFACE LOCATION Y=665032.2 N X=651200.6 E</p> <p>LAT = 32.827292° N LONG = 103.841113° W</p> <p>BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION Y=665347.9 N X=650619.8 E</p> <p>2229'</p> <p>1650'</p> <p>GRID AZ. = 298°31'59" HORZ. DIST. = 661.2'</p> <p>330'</p> <p>10'</p> <p>SEE DETAIL</p> <p>DETAIL</p> <p>3885.6' 3891.7'</p> <p>3884.1' 3891.7'</p> <p>600'</p> <p>600'</p>	<p>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p>I hereby certify that the information herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division</p> <p> 1-12-2012 Signature Date Kelly J. Holly Printed Name kholly@concho.com E-mail Address</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>DECEMBER 20, 2011</p> <p>Date of Survey</p> <p>Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor</p> <p> 3239 Certification Number Gary G. Eidson 12641 Ronald J. Eidson 3239 AF NEW MEXICO PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR CWCWO 1111.2205</p>
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minimum volume and will be adjusted up after caliper is run. Stage 2: LEAD 450 sx 50:50:2 C:Poz:Gel w/ 5% Salt + 3 pps LCM + 0.6% SMS + 1% FL-25 + 1% BA-58 + 0.3% FL-52A + 0.125 pps CF, yield - 1.37, + TAIL 250 sx Class C w/ 0.3% R-3 + 1.5% CD-32, yield - 1.02 152% open hole excess, cement calculated back to surface (no need for excess in casing overlap). Multi stage tool to be set at approximately, depending on hole conditions, 3000'. Cement volumes will be adjusted proportionately for depth changes of multi stage tool, assumption for tool is water flow.

6. Minimum Specifications for Pressure Control

The blowout preventer equipment (BOP) shown in Exhibit #9 will consist of a double ram-type (2000 psi WP) preventer, and in some cases possibly a 2000 psi Hydril type annular preventer as provided for in Onshore Order #2. This unit will be hydraulically operated and the ram type preventer will be equipped with blind rams on top of 4 1/2" drill pipe rams on the bottom. A 13-5/8" or 11" BOP will be used, depending on the rig selected, during the drilling of the well. The BOP will be nipped up on the 13 3/8" surface casing with BOP equipment and tested to 2000 psi. When 11" BOP is used the special drilling flange will be utilized on the 13-3/8" head to allow testing the BOP with a retrievable test plug. After setting 8-5/8" the BOP will then be nipped up on the 8 5/8" intermediate casing and tested by a third party to 2000 psi and used continuously until total depth is reached. Pipe rams will be operationally checked each 24-hour period. Blind rams will be operationally checked on each trip out of the hole. These checks will be noted on the daily tour sheets. Other accessories to the BOP equipment (Exhibit #10) will include a Kelly cock and floor safety valve, choke lines and a choke manifold (Exhibit #11) with a 2000 psi WP rating.

The majority of the rigs currently in use have a 13-5/8" BOP, so no special provision is needed for most wells in the area for conventionally testing the BOP with a test plug. However, due to the vagaries of rig scheduling, it might be that one of the few rigs with 11" BOP's might be called upon to drill any specific well in the area. Note that intermediate hole size is always 11". Therefore, COG Operating LLC respectfully requests a variance to the requirement of 13-5/8" BOP on 13-3/8" casing. When that circumstance is encountered the special flange will be utilized to allow testing the entire BOP with a test plug, without subjecting the casing to test pressure. The special flange also allows the return to full-open capability if desired.

See COA

7. Types and Characteristics of the Proposed Mud System

The well will be drilled to TD with a combination of brine, cut brine and polymer mud system. The applicable depths and properties of this system are as follows:

DEPTH	TYPE	WEIGHT	VISCOSITY	WATERLOSS
0- 650' 555'	Fresh Water	8.5	28	N.C.
650'-1800'	Brine	10	30	N.C.
1800'-TD	Cut Brine	8.7-9.1	29	N.C.

Sufficient mud materials will be kept at the well site to maintain mud properties and meet minimum lost circulation and weight increase requirements at all times.

8. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment

- A. Kelly cock will be kept in the drill string at all times.
- B. A full opening drill pipe-stabbing valve with proper drill pipe connections will be on the rig floor at all times.

9. Logging, Testing and Coring Program *See COA*

- A. The electric logging program will consist of GR-Dual Laterolog, Spectral Density, Dual Spaced Neutron, CSNG Log and will be run from TD to 8 5/8" casing shoe.
- B. Drill Stem test is not anticipated.
- C. No conventional coring is anticipated.
- D. Further testing procedures will be determined after the 5 1/2" production casing has been cemented at TD, based on drill shows and log evaluation.

10. Abnormal Conditions, Pressure, Temperatures and Potential Hazards

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated. The estimated bottom hole at TD is 110 degrees and the estimated maximum bottom hold pressure is 2300 psig. Measurable gas volumes or Hydrogen Sulfide levels have not been encountered during drilling operations in this area, although a Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operation Plan is attached to this program. No major loss of circulation zones has been reported in offsetting wells.

11. Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations

Road and location work will not begin until approval has been received from the BLM. As this is a Master Drilling plan, please refer to the Form 3160-3 for the anticipated start date. Once commenced, drilling operations should be finished in approximately 12 days. If the well is productive, an additional 30 days will be required for completion and testing before a decision is made to install permanent facilities. Completion is planned in the Paddock and Blinbry formations.



SDI
Planning Report



Database:	EDM:5000 1 Single User Db	Local Co-ordinate Reference:	Site Skelly Unit #649
Company:	COG Operating, LLC	TVD Reference:	IGL @ 3887.00usft
Project:	Eddy County, NM (NAN27 NME)	MD Reference:	GL @ 3887.00usft
Site:	Skelly Unit #649	North Reference:	Grid
Well:	Skelly Unit #649	Survey Calculation Method:	Minimum Curvature
Wellbore:	OH		
Design:	Plan #1 - 7-7/8" Hole		

Project:	Eddy County, NM (NAN27 NME)		
Map System:	US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)	System Datum:	Mean Sea Level
Geo Datum:	NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)		
Map Zone:	New Mexico East 3001		

Site:	Skelly Unit #649		
Site Position:		Northing:	665,032.20 usft
From:	Map	Easting:	651,200.60 usft
Position Uncertainty:	0.00 usft	Slot Radius:	13-3/16"
		Latitude:	32° 49' 38.253 N
		Longitude:	103° 50' 28.007 W
		Grid Convergence:	0.27°

Well:	Skelly Unit #649		
Well Position	+N/-S	0.00 usft	Northing:
	+E/-W	0.00 usft	Easting:
Position Uncertainty	0.00 usft		Wellhead Elevation:
			Ground Level:
			3,887.00 usft

Wellbore:	OH		
Magnetics:	Model Name	Sample Date	Declination
			(°)
	IGRF2010	2012/01/13	7.69
			Dip Angle
			(°)
			60.68
			Field Strength
			(nT)
			48,889

Design:	Plan #1 - 7-7/8" Hole		
Audit Notes:			
Version:	Phase:	PLAN	Tie On Depth:
			0.00
Vertical Section:	Depth From (TVD)	+N/-S	+E/-W
	(usft)	(usft)	(usft)
	0.00	0.00	0.00
			Direction
			(°)
			299.71

Plan Sections										
Measured Depth	Inclination	Azimuth	Vertical Depth	+N/-S	+E/-W	Dogleg Rate	Build Rate	Turn Rate	TFO	Target
(usft)	(°)	(°)	(usft)	(usft)	(usft)	(°/100usft)	(°/100usft)	(°/100usft)	(°)	
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1,950.00	0.00	0.00	1,950.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,352.35	8.05	299.71	2,351.02	13.98	-24.50	2.00	2.00	-14.98	299.71	
6,845.56	8.05	299.71	6,800.00	325.70	-570.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	PBHL-SU #649



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Well:	Skelly Unit #649	Survey Calculation Method:	Minimum Curvature
Wellbore:	OH		
Design:	Plan #1: 7-7/8" Hole		

Planned Survey									
Measured Depth (usft)	Inclination (°)	Azimuth (°)	Vertical Depth (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Vertical Section (usft)	Dogleg Rate (°/100usft)	Build Rate (°/100usft)	Turn Rate (°/100usft)
0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
South HL-SU #649 - West HL-SU #649									
1,850 00	0 00	0 00	1,850 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
8-5/8" Casing									
1,950 00	0 00	0 00	1,950 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Start Build 2.00°/100'									
2,000 00	1 00	299 71	2,000 00	0 22	-0 38	0 44	2 00	2 00	0 00
2,100 00	3 00	299 71	2,099 93	1 95	-3 41	3 93	2 00	2 00	0 00
2,200 00	5 00	299 71	2,199 68	5 40	-9 47	10 90	2 00	2 00	0 00
2,300 00	7 00	299 71	2,299 13	10 58	-18 55	21 35	2 00	2 00	0 00
2,352 35	8 05	299 71	2,351 03	13 98	-24 50	28 21	2 00	2 00	0 00
Hold 8.05°									
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Top of Paddock									
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6,845 56	8 05	299 71	6,800 00	325 70	-570 80	657 19	0 00	0 00	0 00	
PBHL-SU #649										

Design Targets										
Target Name	hit/miss target	Dip Angle (°)	Dip Dir (°)	TVD (usft)	+N/S (usft)	+E/W (usft)	Northing (usft)	Easting (usft)	Latitude	Longitude
South HL-SU #649		0 00	0 00	-1 00	315 70	-580 80	665,347 90	650,619 80	32° 49' 41 403 N	103° 50' 34 796 W
- plan misses target center by 661 06usft at 0 00usft MD (0 00 TVD, 0 00 N, 0 00 E)										
- Rectangle (sides W400 00 H0 00 D0 00)										
West HL-SU #649		0 00	0 00	-1 00	315 70	-580 80	665,347 90	650,619 80	32° 49' 41 403 N	103° 50' 34 796 W
- plan misses target center by 661 06usft at 0 00usft MD (0 00 TVD, 0 00 N, 0 00 E)										
- Rectangle (sides W0 00 H100 00 D0 00)										
PBHL-SU #649		0 00	0 00	6,800 00	325 70	-570 80	665,357 90	650,629 80	32° 49' 41 502 N	103° 50' 34 678 W
- plan hits target center										
- Circle (radius 10 00)										

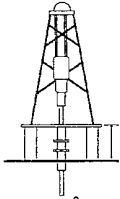
Casing Points					
Measured Depth (usft)	Vertical Depth (usft)	Name	Casing Diameter (")	Hole Diameter (")	
1,850 00	1,850 00	8-5/8" Casing	8-5/8	12-1/4	

Formations						
Measured Depth (usft)	Vertical Depth (usft)	Name	Lithology	Dip (°)	Dip Direction (°)	
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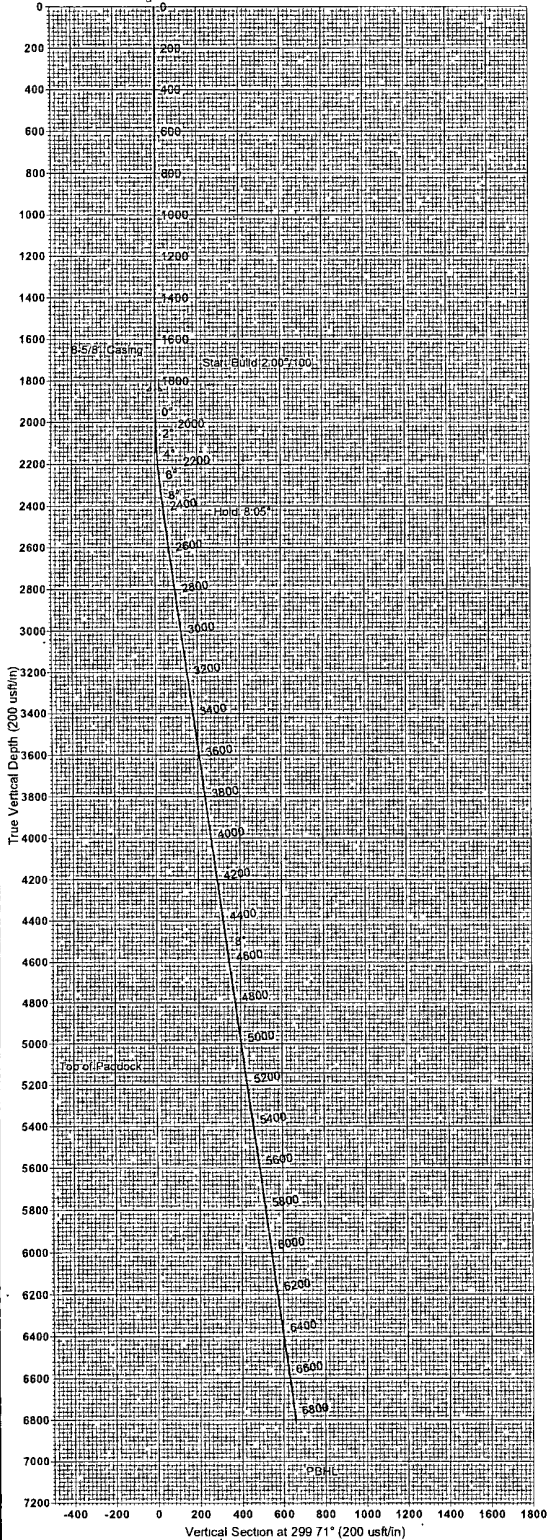
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2,352 35	2,351 03	13 98	-24 50	Hold 8 05°	



Skelly Unit #649
Eddy County, NM (NAN27 NME)
Northing: (Y) 665032.20
Easting: (X) 651200.60
Plan #1 - 7-7/8" Hole



GL 3887.00



To convert a Magnetic Direction to a Grid Direction: Add 7.42°
To convert a True Direction to a Grid Direction: Subtract 0.27°

Azimuths to Grid North:
True North -0.27°
Magnetic North 7.42°
Magnetic Field
Strength 48888.8nT
Dip Angle 50.68°
Date 2012/01/13
Model IGRF2010

WELL DETAILS Skelly Unit #649

	Ground Level	3887.00	Latitude	Longitude	Slat
+N/-S	0.00	0.00	665032.20	651200.60	32° 49' 38.253" N
+E/-W	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	103° 50' 26.007" W

SECTION DETAILS

Sec	MD	Inc	Ati	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Dleg	TFace	Vsect	Target
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2	1950.00	0.00	0.00	1950.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3	2352.35	8.05	299.71	2351.02	13.98	-24.50	2.00	299.71	28.21	
4	6845.66	8.05	299.71	6800.00	325.70	-570.80	0.00	0.00	657.19	PBHL-SU #649

DESIGN TARGET DETAILS

Name	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Northing	Easting	Latitude	Longitude	Shape
South HL-SU #649	1.00	315.70	-580.80	665347.60	650619.8032	40° 41' 403.903" N	50° 34' 796.9" W	Rectangle (Sides L 0.00 W 400.00)
plan mass target center by 661.00usft at 0.00usft MD (0.00 TVD 0.00 N 0.00 E)								
West HL-SU #649	1.00	315.70	-580.80	665347.60	650619.8032	40° 41' 403.903" N	50° 34' 796.9" W	Rectangle (Sides L 100.00 W 0.00)
plan mass target center by 661.00usft at 0.00usft MD (0.00 TVD 0.00 N 0.00 E)								
PBHL-SU #649	6800.00	325.70	-570.80	665357.60	650629.8032	40° 41' 502.903" N	50° 34' 678.7" W	Circle (Radius 10.00)
plan hits target center								

SITE DETAILS Skelly Unit #649

Site Centre Northing 665032.20
Easting 651200.60
Positional Uncertainty 0.00
Convergence 0.27
Local North Grid

PROJECT DETAILS Eddy County, NM (NAN27 NME)

Geoid System US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)
Datum NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)
Ellipsoid Clarke 1866
Zone New Mexico East 3001
System Datum Mean Sea Level

FORMATION TOP DETAILS

TVDPath	MDPath	Formation	DipAngle	DipDir
5140.00	5189.00	Top of Padrock	0.00	

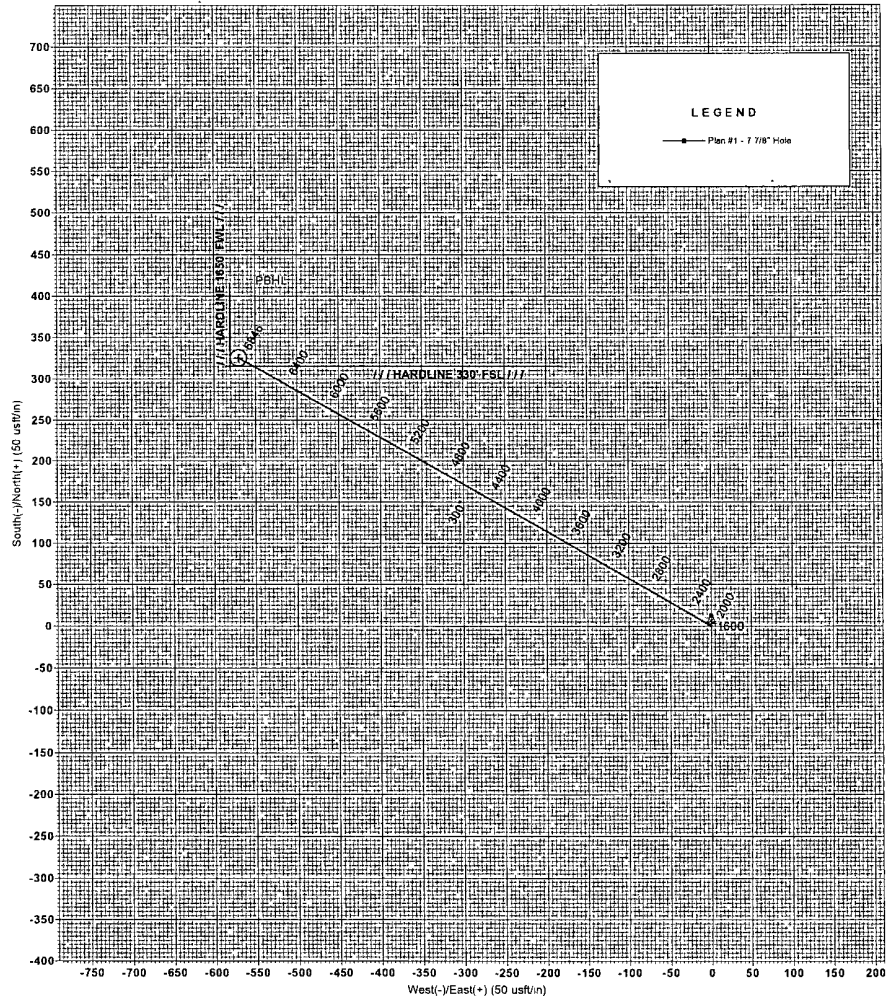
CASING DETAILS

TVD	MD	Name	Size
1850.00	1850.00	9-5/8 Casing	9-5/8

Map System US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)
Datum NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)
Ellipsoid Clarke 1866
Zone Name New Mexico East 3001
Local Origin Site Skelly Unit #649 Grid North
Latitude 32° 49' 38.253" N
Longitude 103° 50' 26.007" W
Grid East 665032.20
Grid North 655327.20
Scale Factor 1.000

Geomagnetic Model IGRF2010
Sample Date 13-Jan-12
Magnetic Declination 7.42°
Dip Angle from Horizontal 50.68°
Magnetic Field Strength 48889

To convert a Magnetic Direction to a Grid Direction: Add 7.42°
To convert a Magnetic Direction to a True Direction: Add 7.69° East
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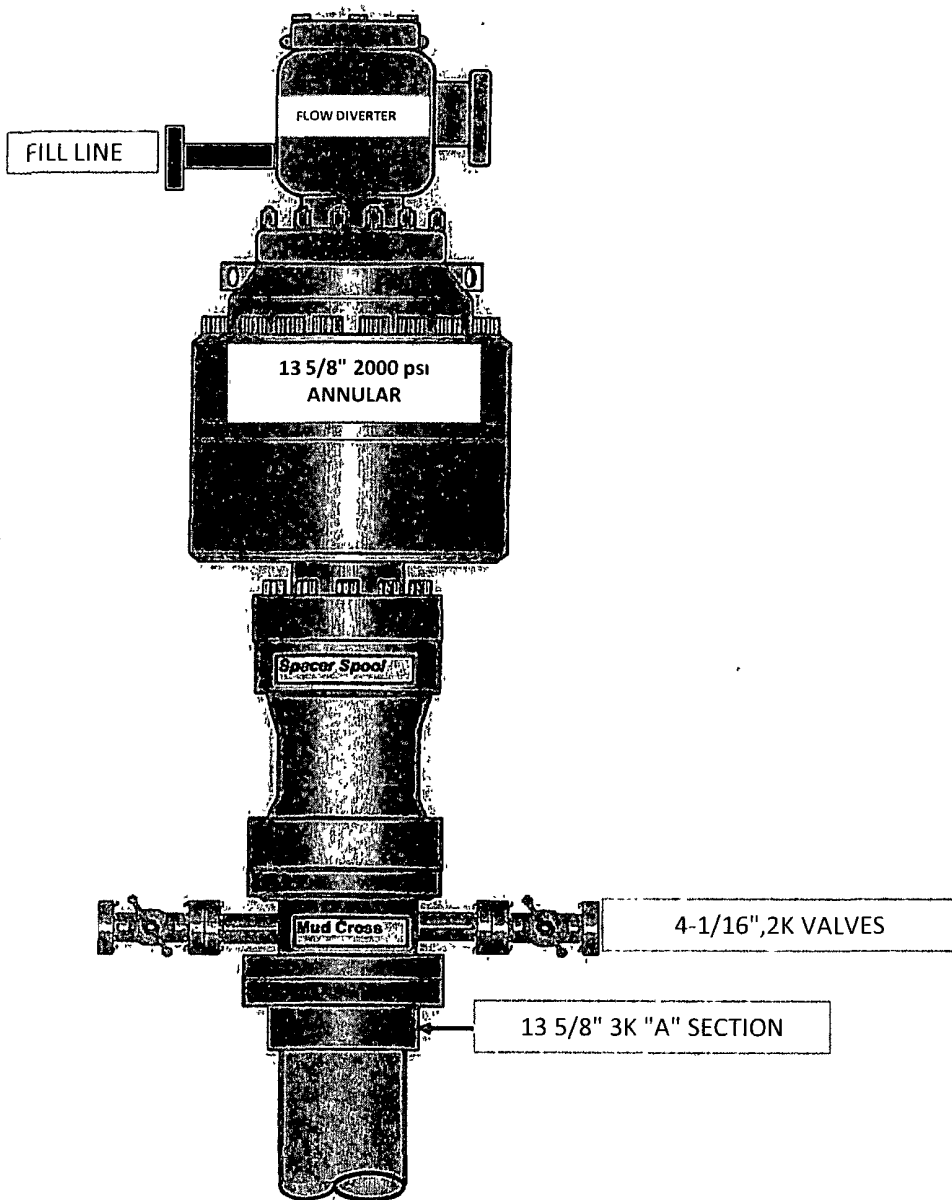
DIRECTIONAL PLAN VARIANCE REQUEST

**SKELLY UNIT #649
EDDY COUNTY, NM**

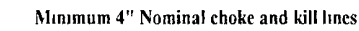
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BHL	330 FSL 1650 FWL	Sec 14, T17S, R31E, UL N

COG Operating LLC, as Operator, desires that the APD reflect the footages as stated on the surveyor's plat. However, Operator also desires to avoid inadvertently drilling the well to a non-standard location. Therefore, due to the proximity of the plat bottom hole location to the pro-ration unit hard line(s), the attached directional plan is designed to avoid the hard lines by as much as fifty feet; said fifty feet being in either (or both) the north-south and/or east-west directions as applicable.

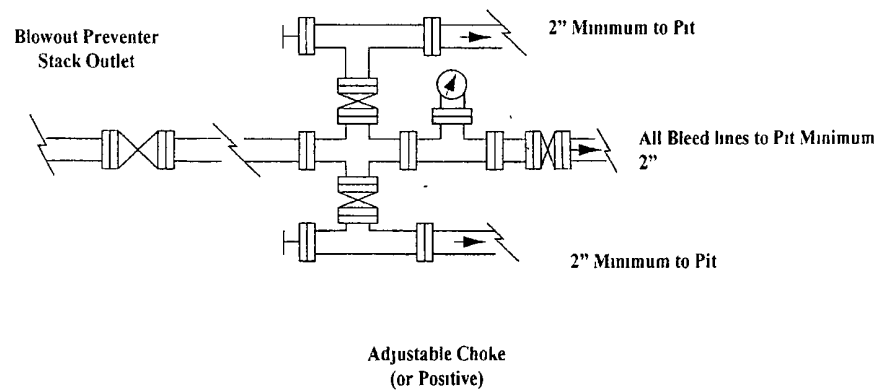
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BOPE and Choke Schematic



Adjustable Choke

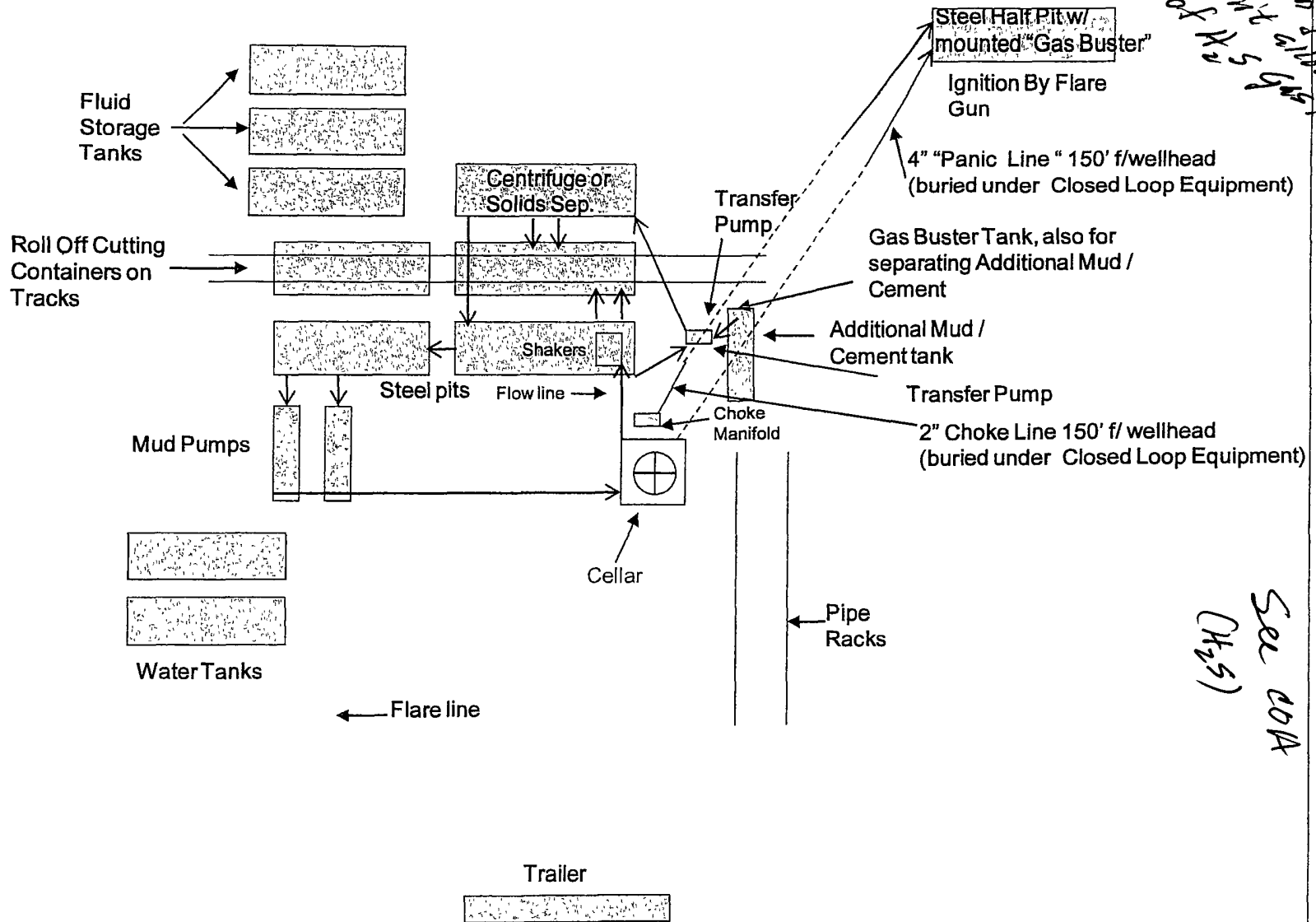


NOTES REGARDING THE BLOWOUT PREVENTERS

**Master Drilling Plan
Eddy County, New Mexico**

1. Drilling nipple to be so constructed that it can be removed without use of a welder through rotary table opening, with minimum I D. equal to preventer bore.
2. Wear ring to be properly installed in head.
3. Blow out preventer and all fittings must be in good condition, 2000 psi WP minimum.
4. All fittings to be flanged.
5. Safety valve must be available on rig floor at all times with proper connections, valve to be full 2000 psi WP minimum
6. All choke and fill lines to be securely anchored especially ends of choke lines
7. Equipment through which bit must pass shall be at least as large as the diameter of the casing being drilled through.
8. Kelly cock on Kelly.
9. Extension wrenches and hands wheels to be properly installed.
10. Blow out preventer control to be located as close to driller's position as feasible.
11. Blow out preventer closing equipment to include minimum 40-gallon accumulator, two independent sources of pump power on each closing unit installation all API specifications.

COG Operating LLC
Closed Loop Equipment Diagram



Closed Loop Operation & Maintenance Procedure

All drilling fluid circulated over shaker(s) with cuttings discharged into roll off container.

Fluid and fines below shaker(s) are circulated with transfer pump through centrifuge(s) or solids separator with cuttings and fines discharged into roll off container.

Fluid is continuously re-circulated through equipment with polymer added to aid separation of cutting fines.

Roll off containers are lined and de-watered with fluids re-circulated into system.

Additional tank is used to capture unused drilling fluid or cement returns from casing jobs.

This equipment will be maintained 24 hrs./day by solids control personnel and or rig crews that stay on location.

Cuttings will be hauled to either:

CRI (permit number R9166)

or

GMI (permit number 711-019-001)

dependent upon which rig is available to drill this well.

COG Operating LLC

Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operation 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:

1. The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H₂S)
2. The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.
3. The proper use of H₂S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing areas, evacuation procedures, and prevailing winds.
4. The proper techniques for first aid and rescue procedures.

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

1. The effects of H₂S on metal components. If high tensile tubular are to be used, personnel will be trained in their special maintenance requirements.
2. Corrective action and shut-in procedures when drilling or reworking a well and blowout prevention and well control procedures.
3. The contents and requirements of the H₂S Drilling Operations Plan and 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. **The concentrations of H₂S of wells in this area from surface to TD are low enough that a contingency plan is not required.**

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 reasonable expected to contain H2S.

1. Well Control Equipment:

- A. Flare line.
- B. Choke manifold.
- C. Blind rams and pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes with properly sized closing unit.
- D. Auxiliary equipment may include if applicable: annular preventer & rotating head.

2. Protective equipment for essential personnel:

- A. Mark II Survive air 30-minute units located in the doghouse and at briefing areas, as indicated on well site diagram.

3. H2S detection and monitoring equipment:

- A. 1 portable H2S monitors positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H2S levels of 20 PPM are reached.

4. Visual warning systems:

- A. Wind direction indicators as shown on well site diagram (Exhibit #8).
- B. Caution/Danger signs (Exhibit #7) 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.

5. Mud program:

- A. The mud program has been designed to minimize the volume of H2S circulated to surface. Proper mud weight, safe drilling practices, and the use of H2S scavengers will minimize hazards when penetrating H2S bearing zones.

6. Metallurgy:

- A. All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventer, drilling spool, kill lines, choke manifold and lines, and valves shall be suitable for H₂S service.
- B. All elastomers used for packing and seals shall be H₂S trim.

7. Communication:

- A. Radio communications in company vehicles including cellular telephone and 2-way radio.
- B. Land line (telephone) communication at Office.

8. Well testing:

- A. Drill stem testing will be performed with a minimum number of personnel in the immediate vicinity, which are necessary to safely and adequately conduct the test. The drill stem testing will be conducted during daylight hours and formation fluids will not be flowed to the surface. All drill-stem-testing operations conducted in an H₂S environment will use the closed chamber method of testing.
- B. There will be no drill stem testing.

EXHIBIT #7

WARNING
YOU ARE ENTERING AN H₂S
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. CHECK WITH COG OPERATING FOREMAN AT

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1-432-683-7443
1-575-746-2010

EDDY COUNTY EMERGENCY NUMBERS

ARTESIA FIRE DEPT. 575-746-5050
ARTESIA POLICE DEPT. 575-746-5000
EDDY CO. SHERIFF DEPT. 575-746-9888

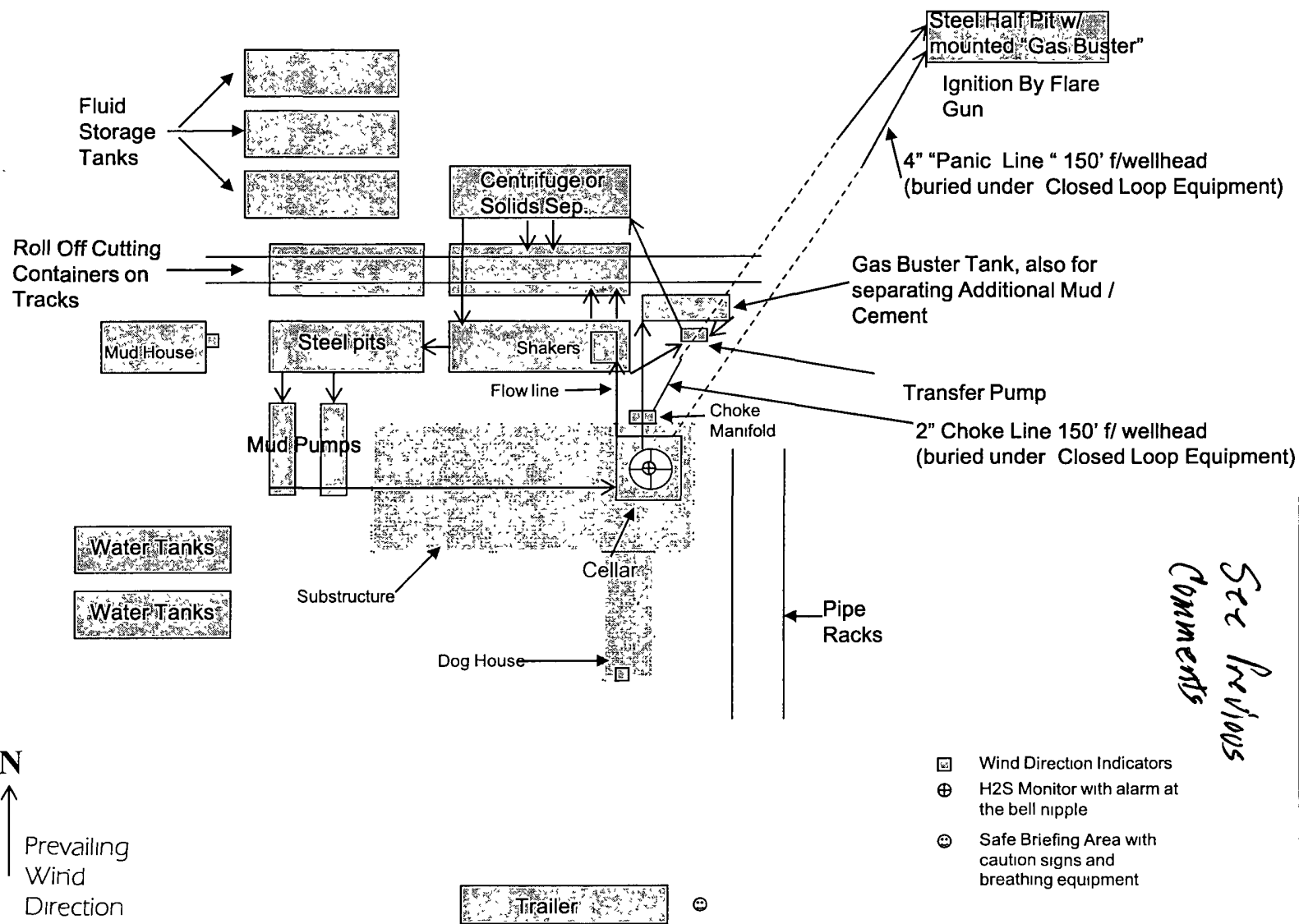
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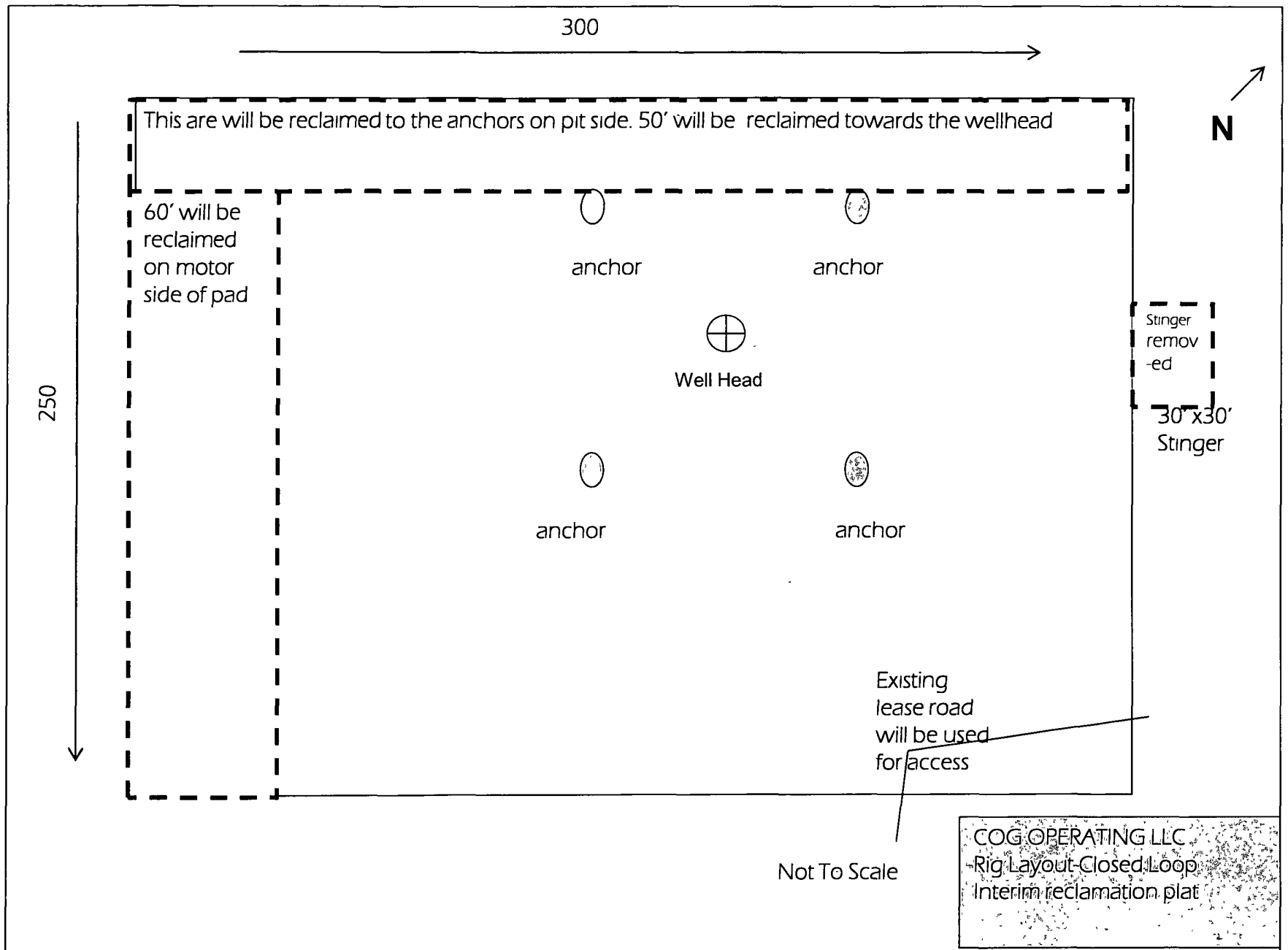
HOBBS FIRE DEPT. 575-397-9308
HOBBS POLICE DEPT. 575-397-9285
LEA CO. SHERIFF DEPT. 575-396-1196

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EXHIBIT 8

Drilling Location - H2S Safety Equipment Diagram





**PECOS DISTRICT
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

OPERATOR'S NAME:	COG OPERATING, LLC
LEASE NO.:	LC-029418A
WELL NAME & NO.:	SKELLY UNIT #649
SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE:	10' FSL & 2229' FWL
BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE:	330' FSL & 1650' FWL
LOCATION:	Section 14, T.17 S., R.31 E., NMPM
COUNTY:	Eddy County, New Mexico

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