N.M. Oil Cons. DIV-Dist. 2

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UNITED STATESAMESIA, NM 88210

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0136

Expires: February 28, 1995

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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2. NAME OF OPERATOR Gruy Petroleum M.	anagement Co // 277	Jack Federal Con	n No. 1			
3. ADDRESS AND TELEPHO	- 'ΨσΨΟ	7	OCT 2 7 2	005	9. API WELL NO.	
P.O. Box 140907 I	rving TX 75014 972-401-3111		OUU-ART	59 14	30-015- 34	
4. LOCATION OF WELL	(Report location clearly and in accordance with a	any State requirem			10. FIELD AND POOL, OF	E 9/241
660' FNL & 177	0' FWL				Wildcat Morrow	
					OR AREA	
					Section 13-T16S	-R 29E
14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND D	RECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE				12, COUNTY OR PARISH	13. STATE
	miles Northwest of Loco Hills, N				Eddy	NM
15. DISTANCE FROM PROP LOCATION TO NEA		16. NO. OF ACE	RES IN LEASE	17. NO. O	F ACRES ASSIGNED /ELL	
PROPERTY OR LEAS						
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	DRILLING COMPLETED,		THE PROPOSED DEPTH	20.	ROTART OR GABLE TOOL	
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system. We are requ	esting a variance for the 13 3/8" su	urface casing	g and BOP testing f	from Ons	shore Order No. 2, v	which states
Il casing strings below the conductor shall be pressure tested to .22 psi per foot or 1500#, whichever is greater, but not to						
exceed 70% of the m	anufacturer's stated maximum inte	ernal yield.	During the running	of the su	arface pipe and the	drilling of
he intermediate hole	e we do not anticipate any pressure	s greater tha	an 1000#, and we a	re reques	ting a variance to te	est the
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	OP system to 1000# psi and use rigescribe PROPOSED PROGRAM:		-			new productive 7008
If proposal is to drill or deepen directionally, give pertinent data on subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths. Give blowout preventer program, if any.						
SIGNED	Zono Fami	TITLE	Mgr. Ops. Admir	n	DATE	09-02-05
(This space for Federal or State of	office use)		ADDDOVAL	DATE		
PERMIT No. Application approval does not wa	rrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title	to those rights in the	APPROVAL		conduct operations thereon	
CONDITIONS OF APPRO	OVAL, IF ANY:	Actin	TIELD MAN	AGEE		OCT 2 6 2005
APPROVED BY	/s/ Joe G. Lara	_ TIILE †	S On Reverse Side	HULL	APPROV	

APPROPRIES Section 1001, Makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the GENERAL SECTION MAKES IT ACCOUNTS (APPROPRIES FAMILIES). SPECIAL STIPULATIONS ATTACHED

DISTRICT I 1625 N. Freich Dr., Bobbs, NM 88240 DISTRICT II 811 South First, Artesia, NM 88210

State of New Mexico

Buergy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Form C-102 Revised March 17, 1999

Submit to Appropriate District Office
State Lease - 4 Copies
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

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

2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 67505

DISTRICT IV

2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number	Pool Code	Pool Code Pool Name			
		Wildcat Morrow			
Property Code	Property	Name	Well Number		
	JACK FEDER	RAL COM	1		
OGRID No.	Operator	Operator Name			
162683	GRUY PETROLEUM MAN	GRUY PETROLEUM MANAGEMENT COMPANY			

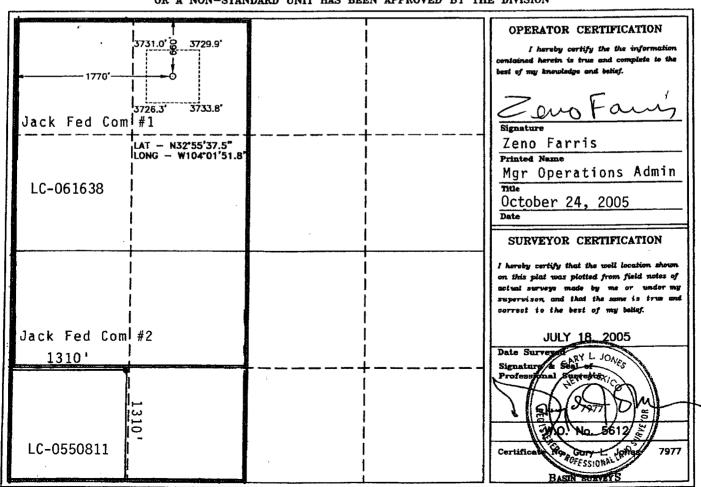
Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
C	13	16 S	29 E		660	NORTH	1770	WEST	EDDY

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Townsh	ip	Range	Lot 1	dn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	Bast/West line	County
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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



<u>District I</u> 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. For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe

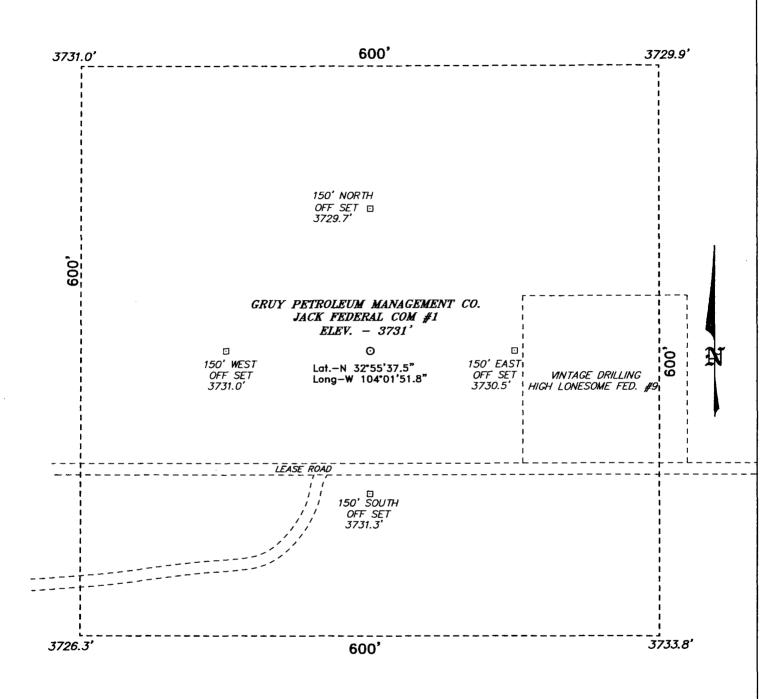
Form C-144

March 12, 2004

office Santa Fe, NM 87505

Is pit or below-grade tan	de Tank Registration or Closu k covered by a "general plan"? Yes \(\) No r below-grade tank \(\) Closure of a pit or below-gr	
Address: P.O. Box 140907, Irving, Tx 75014-0907	72_443_6489_e-mail address: zfarris@magnumhunU/L or Qtr/Qtr_CSec_13T1	
County: Eddy Latitude 325537.5 N Longitude 10401	51.8 W NAD: 1927 ⊠ 1983 ☐ Surface C	bwner Federal 🗌 State 🔲 Private 🔲 Indian 🔲
Pit [ype: 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 n	_
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)	Less than 50 feet 50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet 100 feet or more	(20 points) (10 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 No	(20 points)
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, rrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet 200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(20 points) (10 points) (0 points)
	Ranking Score (Total Points)	-0-
If this is a pit closure: (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility	(3) Attach a general description of remedial a	ction taken including remediation start date and en
I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines , a Date: 09-02-05	general permit [], or an (attached) alternative	he above-described pit or below-grade tank has OCD-approved plan .
Printed Name/Title Zeno Farris Manager Operations Administration Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the regulations.	relieve the operator of liability should the contents	of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or
Approval: SEP 7 2005 Date: SEP 7 2005 Printed Name/Title Field Supervisor	Signature	

SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, N.M.P.M., NEW MEXICO. EDDY COUNTY,



Directions to Location:

Date: 07-21-2005

FROM LOCO HILLS, GO 7.2 MILES NORTH ON CO. RD. 217 TO MAIN LEASE ROAD; THENCE WEST ON LEASE ROAD FOR 2.8 MILES TO PROPOSED LOCATION.

100 100 200 FEET HHHH SCALE: 1" = 100'

GRUY PETROLEUM MANAGEMENT CO.

REF: JACK FED. COM No. 1 / Well Pad Topo

THE JACK FED. COM No. 1 LOCATED 660' FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 1770' FROM THE WEST LINE OF SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST,

N.M.P.M., EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

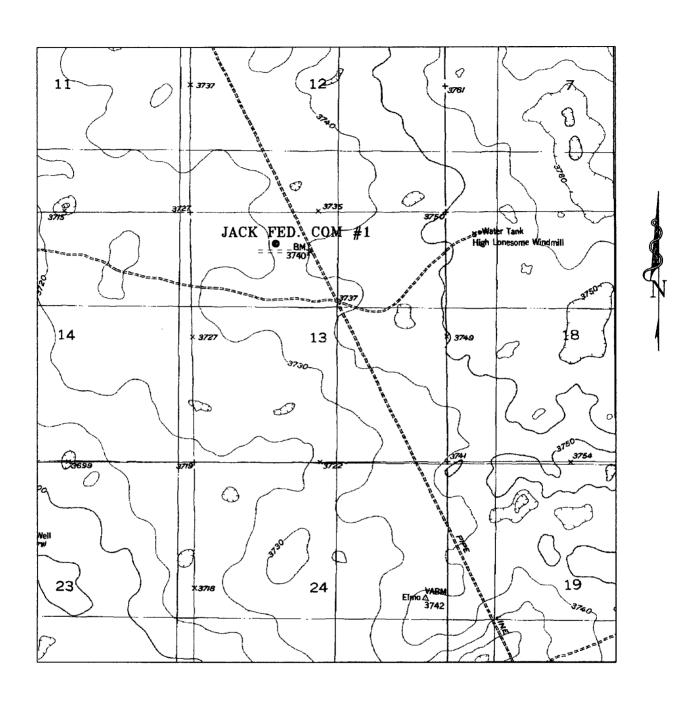
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BASIN SURVEYS P.O. BOX 1786 - HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

Survey Date: 07-18-2005

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JACK FEDERAL COM #1 Located at 660' FNL and 1770' FWL Section 13, Township 16 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

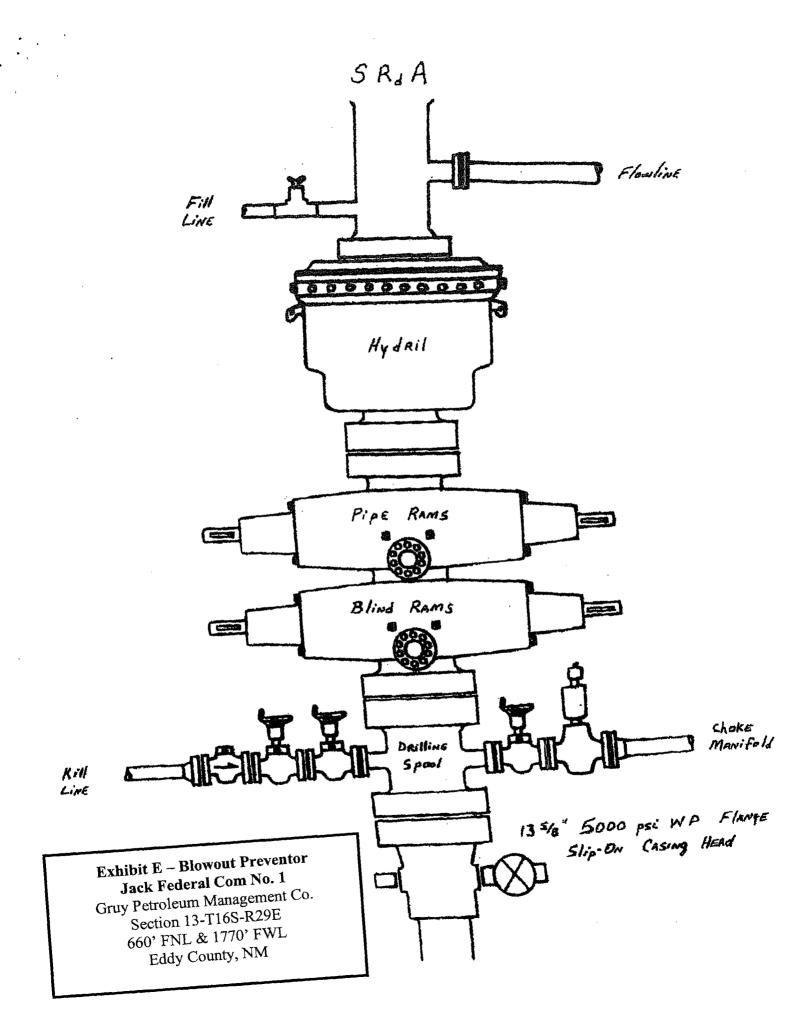
Exhibit B



P.O. Box 1786 1120 N. West County Rd. Hobbs, New Mexico 88241 (505) 393-7316 - Office (505) 392-3074 - Fax basinsurveys.com

W.O. Number:	5612AA — KJG CD#4
Survey Date:	07-18-2005
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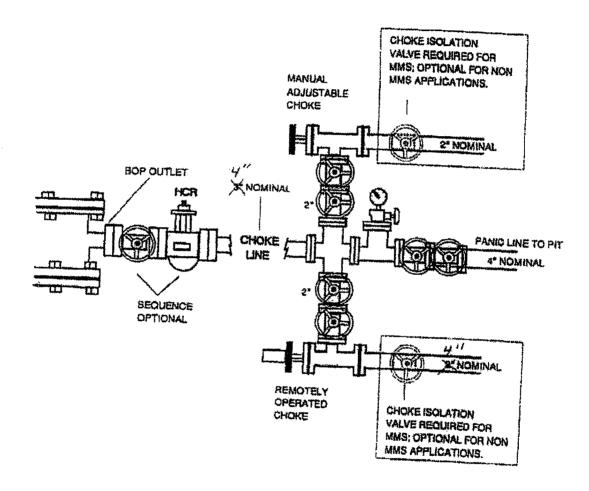


Exhibit E Cont'd – Choke Manifold Jack Federal Com No. 1

Gruy Petroleum Management Co. Section 13-T16S-R29E 660' FNL & 1770' FWL Eddy County. NM



Gruy Petroleum Management Co.

600 East Las Colinas Blvd. • Suite 1100 • Irving, TX 75039 • (972) 401-3111 • Fax (469) 420-2710 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 140907 • Irving, TX 75014-0907

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STATEMENT ACCEPTING RESPONSIBILITY FOR OPERATIONS

Bureau of Land Management 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Attn: Ms. Betty Hill

Gruy Petroleum Management Co. accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land, or portion thereof, as described below:

Lease No.:

LC-061638 – NW/4 Sec 13-T16S-R29E, N/2 SW/4 Sec 13-T16S-R29E,

containing 240 acres

Lease No.:

LC-0550811 – S/2 SW/4 Sec 13-T16S-R29E, containing 80 acres

County:

Eddy County, New Mexico

Formation (S):

Morrow

Bond Coverage:

Statewide BLM Bond

BLM Bond File No.: NM 2575

Authorized Signature:

Representing Gruy Petroleum Management Co.

Name: Zeno Farris

Title: Manager, Operations Administration

Date: October 24, 2005

Application to Drill

Gruy Petroleum Management Co. Jack Federal Com No. 1 Unit Letter C Section 13 T16S - R29E Eddy County, NM

In response to questions asked under Section II B of Bulletin NTL-6 the following information is provided for your consideration:

1 Location:

SHL 660' FNL & 1770' FWL Sec 13-T16S-R29E

2 Elevation above sea level:

3731'

3 Geologic name of surface formation:

Quaternery Alluvium Deposits of Permian Age

4 Drilling tools and associated equipment:

Conventional rotary drilling rig using fluid as a

circulating medium for solids removal.

5 Proposed drilling depth:

11000'

6 Estimated tops of geological markers:

Rustler	500'
San Andres	2655'
Wolfcamp	7425'
Atoka	10075'
Morrow	10472'

7 Possible mineral bearing formation:

Grayburg/San AndresOil

Atoka Morrow Oil and/or Gas

Oil and/or Gas

8 Casing program:

Hole Size	Interval	Casing OD	Weight	Thread	Collar	Grade	
17 1/2"	0' - 400'	13 3/8"	48#	8-R	STC	H-40	_
12 1/4"	0' - 3000'	9 5/8"	40#	8-R	LTC	J-55	
7 7/8"	0' - 11000'	5 1/2"	20#	8-R	LTC	L-80	

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9 Cementing & Setting Depth:

13 3/8"	Surface	Set 400' of 13 3/8" H-40 48# ST&C casing to a depth of 25' into the Rustler. Cement with 490 Sx. Of Class "C" cement + additives, circulate cement to surface.
9 5/8"	Intermediate	Set 3000' of 9 5/8" J-55 40# LT&C casing. Cement lead with 1000 Sx. Of Class POZ/C Cement + additives, tail with 200 Sx. Of Class "C" + additives, circulate cement to surface.
5 1/2"	Production	Set 11000' of 5 1/2" L-80 20# LT&C casing. Cement in two stages, first stage cement with 1020 Sx. of Class POZ/C Cement + additives. Second stage cement with 600 Sx of Class "C" Estimated top of cement 2700'.

10 Pressure control Equipment:

Exhibit "E". A 13 3/8" 5000 PSI working pressure B.O.P. consisting of one set of blind rams and one set of pipe rams and a 5000 # annular type preventer. A choke manifold and 120 gallon accumulator with floor and remote operating stations and auxiliary power system. Rotating head below 6000'. A kelly cock will be installed and maintained in operable condition and a drill string safety valve in the open position will be available on the rig floor. BOP unit will be hydraulically operated. BOP will be nippled up on the 9 5/8" casing and will be operated at least once a day while drilling and the blind rams will be operated when out of hole during trips. No abnormal pressure or temperature is expected while drilling.

11 Proposed Mud Circulating System:

Depth	Mud Wt	Viscosity	Fluid Loss	Type Mud
0' - 400'	8.4 - 8.6	30 - 32	May lose circ.	Fresh water spud mud add paper to control seepage and high viscosity sweeps to clean hole.
400' - 3000'	9.7 - 10.0	28 - 29	May lose circ	Brine water. Add paper as needed to control seepage and add lime to control pH (9-10). Use high viscosity sweeps to clean hole.
3000' - 8300'	8.4 - 9.9	28 - 29	NC	Brine water. Paper for seepage. Lime for PH (9 - 9.5)
8300' - 10000'	8.45 - 8.9	28 - 29	NC .	Cut brine. Caustic for pH control.
10000' - 11000'	8.9 - 9.7	29 - 45	NC	XCD Polymer mud system.

Sufficient mud materials will be kept on location at all times in order to combat lost circulation or unexpected kicks. In order to run DSTs, open hole logs, and casing, the viscosity and water loss may have to be adjusted in order to meet these needs. Mud system monitoring equipment with derrick floor indicators and visual/audio alarms shall be installed and operative prior to drilling into the Wolfcamp formation. This equipment will remain in use until production casing is run and cemented.

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12 Testing, Logging and Coring Program:

- A. Mud logging program: One-man unit from 8000' to TD
- B. Electric logging program: CNL / LDT / CAL / GR, DLL / CAL / GR
- C. No DSTs or cores are planned at this time

13 Potential Hazards:

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are expected. The area has a potiential H2S hazard. An H2S drilling plan is attached. Adequate flare lines will be installed off the mud / gas separator where gas may be flared safely. All personnel will be familiar with all aspects of safe operation of equipment being used. Estimated BHP <u>4000</u> PSI, estimated BHT <u>175</u>.

14 Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations:

Road and location construction will begin after BLM approval of APD. Anticipated spud date as soon as approved. Drilling expected to take <u>35 - 45</u> days. If production casing is run an additional 30 days will be required to complete and construct surface facilities.

15 Other Facets of Operations:

After running casing, cased hole gamma ray neutron collar logs will be run from total depth over possible pay intervals. The <u>Morrow</u> pay will be perforated and stimulated. The well will be tested and potentialed as a gas well.

Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operations Plan

Gruy Petroleum Management Co.
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- 1 All Company and Contract personnel admitted on location must be trained by a qualified H2S safety instructor to the following:
 - A. Characteristics of H2S
 - B. Physical effects and hazards
 - C. Proper use of safety equipment and life support systems.
 - D. Principle and operation of H2S detectors, warning system and briefing
 - E. Evacuation procedure, routes and first aid.
 - F. Proper use of 30 minute pressure demand air pack.
- 2 H2S Detection and Alarm Systems
 - A. H2S detectors and audio alarm system to be located at bell nipple, end of flow line (mud pit) and on derrick floor or doghouse.
- 3 Windsock and/or wind streamers
 - A. Windsock at mudpit area should be high enough to be visible.
 - B. Windsock at briefing area should be high enough to be visible.
- 4 Condition Flags and Signs
 - A. Warning sign on access road to location.
 - B. Flags to be displayed on sign at entrance to location. Green flag, normal safe condition. Yellow flag, potential pressure and danger. Red flag, danger, H2S present in dangerous concentration. Only emergency personnel admitted to location.
- 5 Well control equipment
 - A. See exhibit "E"
- 6 Communication
 - A. While working under masks chalkboards will be used for communication.
 - B. Hand signals will be used where chalk board is inappropriate.
 - C. Two way radio will be used to communicate off location in case of emergency help is required. In most cases cellular telephones will be available at most drilling foreman's trailer or living quarters.
- 7 Drillstem Testing not anticipated.

Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operations Plan

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- 8 Drilling contractor supervisor will be required to be familiar with the effects H2S has on tubular goods and other mechanical equipment.
- 9 If H2S is encountered, mud system will be altered if necessary to maintain control of formation. A mud gas seperator will be brought into service along with H2S scavengers if

Surface Use Plan

Gruy Petroleum Management Co. Jack Federal Com No. 1 Unit Letter C Section 13 T16S - R29E Eddy County, NM

- 1 Existing Roads: Area maps, Exhibit "B" is a reproduction of Lea Co. General Highway Map. Exhibit "C" is a reproduction of a USGS Topographic Map, showing existing roads and proposed roads. All existing roads will be maintained in a condition equal to or better than current conditions. Any new roads will be constructed to BLM specifications.
 - A. Exhibit "A" shows the proposed well site as staked.
 - B. From Loco Hills, go 7.2 miles North on Co. Rd. 217 to main lease road; thence West on Lease Road for 2.8 miles to proposed location.
- 2 PLANNED ACCESS ROADS: No new access road will be constructed.
- 3 LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS IN A ONE-MILE RADIUS EXHIBIT "A"

A. Water wells - None known

B. Disposal wells - None known

C. Drilling wells - None known

D. Producing wells - As shown on Exhibit "A"

E. Abandoned wells - As shown on Exhibit "A"

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - DRILLING

Operator's Name:

Gruy Petroleum Management Co.

Well Name & No.

Jack Federal Com #1

Location:

660' FNL, 1770' FWL, Section 13, T. 16 S., R. 29 E., Eddy County, New Mexico

Lease:

LC-061638

I. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified at the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822 for wells in Eddy County in sufficient time for a representative to witness:

- A. Well spud
- B. Cementing casing: <u>13-3/8</u> inch <u>9-5/8</u> inch <u>5-1/2</u> inch
- C. BOP tests
- 2. A Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) Drilling Operation Contingency Plan shall be activated prior to drilling into the **Wolfcamp** formation. A copy of the plan shall be posted at the drilling site.
- 3. Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval.
- 4. Submit a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5, one original and five copies) for each casing string, describing the casing and cementing operations. Include pertinent information such as; spud date, hole size, casing (size, weight, grade and thread type), cement (type, quantity and top), water zones and problems or hazards encountered. The Sundry shall be submitted within 15 days of completion of each casing string. The reports may be combined into the same Sundry if they fall within the same 15-day time frame.
- 5. The API No. assigned to the well by NMOCD shall be included on the subsequent report of setting the first casing string.
- 6. A Communitization Agreement covering the acreage dedicated to this well must be filed for approval with the BLM. The effective date of the agreement shall be prior to any sales.

II. CASING:

- 1. The <u>13-3/8</u> inch surface casing shall be set at <u>approximately 400 feet and cement circulated to the surface</u>. If cement does not circulate to the surface the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey or cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Remedial cementing shall be completed prior to drilling out that string.
- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the <u>9-5/8</u> inch intermediate casing is <u>to be circulated to the surface</u>.
- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the <u>5-1/2</u> inch production casing is <u>to reach at least 500 feet above the top of the uppermost hydrocarbon productive interval.</u>

III. PRESSURE CONTROL:

1. All BOP systems and related equipment shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2. The BOP and related equipment shall be installed and operational before drilling below the 13-3/8 inch casing shoe and shall be tested as described.

NOTE: A waiver to test the 13-3/8" casing to 1000# with the rig pumps is granted.

2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) shall be 5000 psi.

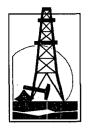
- 3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness the tests.
- The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
- The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- Testing fluid must be water or an appropriate clear liquid suitable for sub-freezing temperatures. Use of drilling mud for testing is not permitted since it can mask small leaks.
- Testing must be done in a safe workman-like manner. Hard line connections shall be required.

IV. DRILLING MUD:

Mud system monitoring equipment, with derrick floor indicators and visual and audio alarms, shall be operating before drilling into the <u>Wolfcamp</u> formation, and shall be used until production casing is run and cemented. Monitoring equipment shall consist of the following:

- · Recording pit level indicator to indicate volume gains and losses.
- Mud measuring device for accurately determining the mud volumes necessary to fill the hole during trips.
- Flow-sensor on the flow-line to warn of abnormal mud returns from the well.

9/19/2005 acs



Gruy Petroleum Management Co.

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September 2, 2005

Oil Conservation Division District II Office 1301 W. Grand Ave. Artesia, New Mexico 88210 Attn: Mr. Bryan Arrant

SEP - 6 2005 OGB-AHTESIA

Re: Statewide Rule 118

Hydrogen Sulfide Gas Contingency Plan Proposed Jack Federal Com No. 1

Dear Mr. Arrant:

In accordance with NMAC 19.15.3.118 C. (1) governing the determination of the hydrogen sulfide concentration in gaseous mixtures in each of its operations, Gruy Petroleum Management Co. does not anticipate that there will be enough H2S from the surface to the Morrow/Atoka formations to meet the OCD's minimum requirements for the submission of a contingency plan for the drilling and completion of the following test(s):

Jack Federal Com No. 1 - 660' FNL & 1770' FWL - Sec 13-T16S-R29E

If anything further is needed regarding this issue, or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at 972-443-6489.

Yours truly,

Zeno Farris

Manager, Operations Administration