Form \$160-3 (August 2007)

OCD-ARTESIA

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APR 112008

Expires July 31, 2010

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT	TO DRILL OR REENTERD-ARTESIA	6. If Indian, Allottee or Trib	e Name
Ia. Type of Work: DRILL REENTER	CONFIDENTIAL	7. If Unit or CA Agreement,	, Name and No.
1b. Type of Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ O 2. Name of Operator	ther Single Zone Multiple Zone	Lease Name and Well No DIAMOND 31 FEDERA API Well No.	.L 4H
3a. Address PO BOX 18496 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73154-0496	3b. Phone No (include area code) Ph: 405-767-4275 Fx: 405-879-7899	30-015-30 10. Eield and Pool, or Explo WILLOW LAKE	
Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance) At surface SENE 2200FNL 150FEL At proposed prod. zone SENW 2200FNL 1650FW	Calit Catata	11. Sec., T., R , M., or Blk.: Sec 31 T24S R29E N SME: STATE	•
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or pos APPROXIMATELY 10 MILES SOUTH OF MAL	st office*	12. County or Parish EDDY	13. State NM
15. Distance from proposed location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	16 No. of Acres in Lease 360.00	17. Spacing Unit dedicated to 120.00	to this well
 Distance from proposed location to nearest well, drilling completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. 	10700 MD 7485 TVD	20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on HM 26	, H
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KB, RT, GL, etc. 2910 GL	22. Approximate date work will start	23. Estimated duration	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
`	24. Attachments		
 The following, completed in accordance with the requirements Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. A Drilling Plan. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest Sy SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Complete Process Surveyors. 	4. Bond to cover the operation Item 20 above). 5. Operator certification	o this form: ons unless covered by an existing formation and/or plans as may be	
25. Signature (Electronic Submission)	Name (Printed/Typed) LINDA GOOD Ph: 405-767-4275		Date 02/05/2008
Title REGULATORY COMPLIANCE SPECIALI	,		t
Approved by (Signature) /s/ Don Peterson	Name (Printed/Typed)		PAPR 9 200
Title FIELD MANAGER	Office	LSBAD FIELD OFFICE	
If earthen pits are used in association with the drilling of this well, an OCD pit permit must be obtained prior to pit construction.	APPROV , make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully ations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.	AL FOR TWO YEAR	RS
Additional Operator Remarks (see next page)	Carlshad Controlled Water Basin		

Electronic Submission #58443 verified by the BLM.Well Information System
For CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC., sent to the Carlsbad
Committed to AFMSS for processing by TESSA CISNEROS on 02/05/2008 (08TLC0155AE)
SEE ATTACHED FOR

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Approval Subject to General Requirements & Special Stipulations Attached

Additional Operator Remarks:

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS PERMISSION TO DRILL A WELL TO 10,700' TO TEST THE DELAWARE FORMATION. IF PRODUCTIVE, CASING WILL BE RUN AND THE WELL COMPLETED. IF DRY, THE WELL WILL BE PLUGGED AND AVANDONED AS PER BLM AND NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION REQUIREMENTS.

PLEASE FIND THE SURFACE USE PLAN AND DRILLING PLAN AS REQUIRED BY ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1.

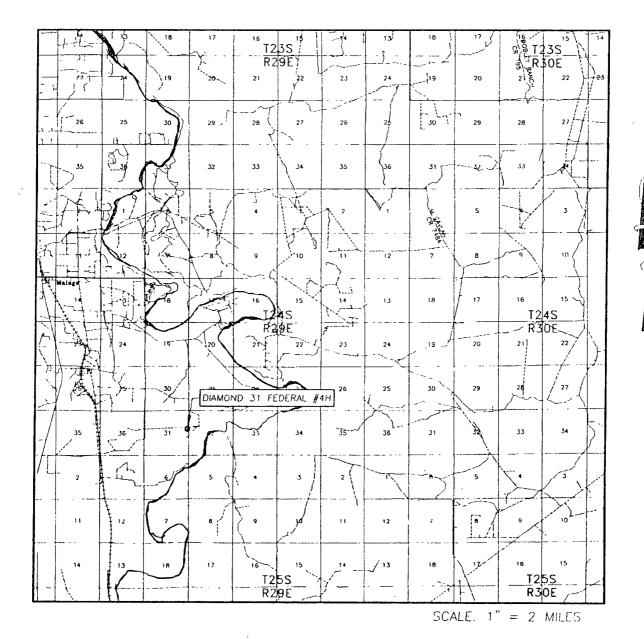
CHESAPEAKE OPÉRATING, INC. HAS AN AGREEMENT WITH THE GRAZING LESSEE.

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE OPERATOR OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED WELL. CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. AGREES TO BE RESPONSIBLE UNDER THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LEASE FOR THE OPERATIONS CONDUCTED UPON THE LEASE LANDS.

(CHK PN 617972)

SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 24 S	SOUTH, RANGE		V.M.P.M., W MEXICO
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SFC. 31 IWP 24-S RGE. 29-E

SURVEY N.M.P.M.

COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW MEXICO DESCRIPTION 2200' FNI & 150' FEL

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29<u>38</u>' CHESAPEAKE ...



PROVIDING SURVEYING SERVICES SINCE 1946 JOHN WEST SURVEYING COMPANY
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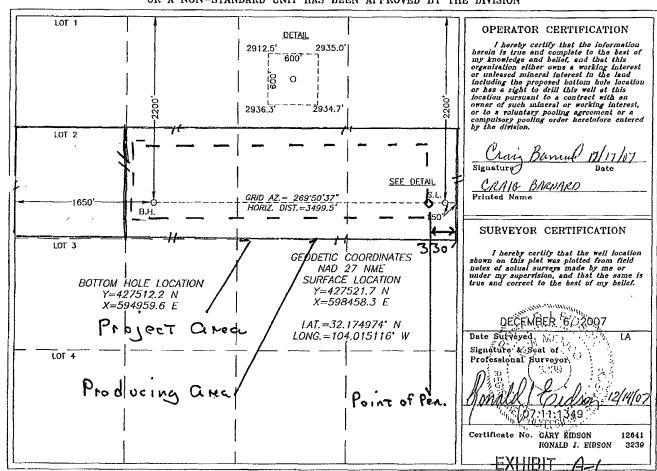
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

DISTRICT II
1301 W. GRAND AVENUE, ARTESIA, NM 68210

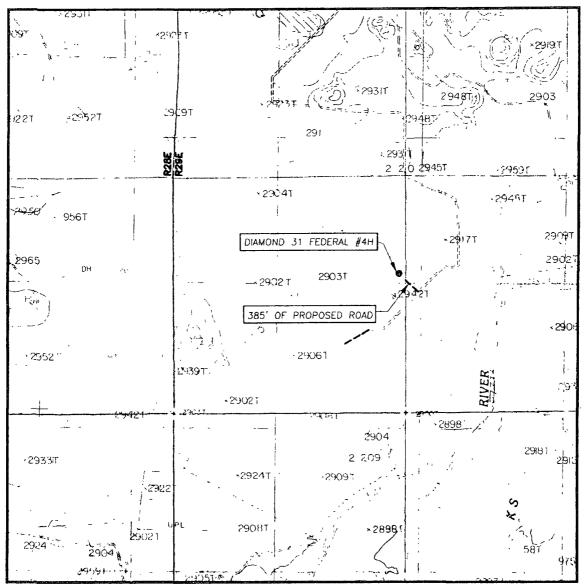
DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Azteo, NM 87410 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 Form C-102
Revised October 12, 2005
Submit to Appropriate District Office
State Lease - 4 Copies
For Lease - 3 Copies

DISTRICT IV WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT ☐ AMENDED REPORT 1220 S. ST. FRANCIS DR., SANTA FE, NW 87505 Willow Lake Bona Sprin API Number DIL Well Number Property Code DIAMOND 31 FEDERAL 4H Operator Name Elevation CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. 2938 Surface Location UL or lot No. Section Township Range Lot Idn Feet from the North/South line Feet from the East/West line County Н 31 24-S 29-E 2200 **EDDY** NORTH 150 **EAST** Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface UL or lot No. Section Lot Idn Feet from the North/South line Township Range Feet from the East/West line County 24-S 29-E 2200 NORTH 1650 WEST **EDDY** Dedicated Acres Joint or Infill Consolidation Code Order No. 120

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



LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP



SCALE: 1" = 2000'

SEC 31 TWP 24-5 RGE. 29 E

SURVEY_____N.M.P.M

COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW, MEXICO

DESCRIPTION 2200' FNL & 150' FEL

ELEVATION 2938'

OPERATOR

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.

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DIAMOND 31 FEDERAL

HAPAPAPHIC MAP

CONTOUR INTERVAL: MALAGA, N M. - 10' SUPPLEMENTAL - 5'



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EXHIBIT 4-4

Eddy County, NM

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ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1
Approval of Operations on Onshore
Federal and Indian Oil and Gas Leases

All lease and/or unit operations are to be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with the applicable laws, regulations (CFR 43, Part 3160) and the approved Application for Permit to Drill. The operator is considered fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of the approved APD must be on location during construction, drilling and completion operations.

Approval of this application 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.

1. FORMATION TOPS

The estimated tops of important geologic markers are as follows:

Formation	Subsea KBTVD	KBTVD
BASE OF SALT	1526'	2,775'
*BELL CANYON	100'	2,826'
MANZANITA MARKER	-897'	3,823'
KOP		
BRUSHY CANYON	-2,392'	5,318'
BONE SPRING LIME	-3,595'	6,521'
1 ST BONE SPRING CARBONATE	-4,138'	7,064'
**1 ST BONE SPRING SAND	-4,540'	7,466'
**Potentially productive zones		
TD		7500'

2. <u>ESTIMATED DEPTH OF WATER, OIL, GAS & OTHER MINERAL BEARING</u> FORMATIONS

The estimated depths at which the top and bottom of the anticipated water, oil, gas or other mineral bearing formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

Substance
Oil/Gas
Bell Canyon
Oil/Gas
Cherry Canyon
Bone Spring pur operator 3-3-08 wwil

All shows of fresh water and minerals will be reported and protected.

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3. BOP EQUIPMENT:

Eddy County, NM

Will have a 3000 psi simplified rental stack (see proposed schematic) for drill out below surface casing; this system will be tested to 2000 psi working pressure.

Will have a 5000 psi rig stack (see proposed schematic) for drill out below intermediate casing; this system will be tested to 3000 psi working pressure.

Chesapeake Operating, Inc.'s minimum specifications for pressure control equipment are as follows:

I. BOP, Annular, Choke Manifold, Pressure Test - See Exhibit F-1 TO F-3.

A. Equipment

- 1. The equipment to be tested includes all of the following that is installed on the well:
 - (a) Ram-type and annular preventers,
 - (b) Choke manifolds and valves,
 - (c) Kill lines and valves, and
 - (d) Upper and lower kelly cock valves, inside BOP's and safety valves.

B. Test Frequency

- 1. All tests should be performed with clear water,
 - (a) when installed.
 - (b) before drilling out each casing string.
 - (c) at any time that there is a repair requiring a pressure seal to be broken in the assembly, and
 - (d) at least once every 30 days while drilling.

C. Test Pressure

- 1. In some drilling operations, the pressures to be used for low and high-pressure testing of preventers and casing may be different from those given below due to governmental regulations, or approved local practices.
- 2. If an individual component does not test at the low pressure, **do not**, test to the high pressure and then drop back down to the low pressure.
- 3. All valves located downstream of a valve being tested must be placed in the open position.
- 4. All equipment will be tested with an initial "low pressure" test at 250 psi.
- 5. The subsequent "high pressure" test will be conducted at the rated working pressure of the equipment for all equipment except the annular preventer.
- 6. The "high pressure" test for the annular preventer will be conducted at 70% of
- 7. the rated working pressure.
- 8. A record of all pressures will be made on a pressure-recording chart. *

D. Test Duration

1. In each case, the individual components should be monitored for leaks for <u>5</u> minutes, with no observable pressure decline, once the test pressure as been

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II. Accumulator Performance Test

A. Scope

Section 31-24S-29E

Eddy County, NM

1. The purpose of this test is to check the capabilities of the BOP control systems, and to detect deficiencies in the hydraulic oil volume and recharge time.

B. Test Frequency

1. The accumulator is to be tested each time the BOP's are tested, or any time a major repair is performed.

C. Minimum Requirements

- The accumulator should be of sufficient volume to supply 1.5 times the volume to close and hold all BOP equipment in sequence, <u>without recharging</u> and the <u>pump turned off</u>, and have remaining pressures of <u>200 PSI above the</u> <u>precharge pressure</u>.
- 2. Minimum precharge pressures for the various accumulator systems per manufacturers recommended specifications are as follows:

3.

System Operating Pressures	Precharge Pressure
1500 PSI	750 PSI
2000 PSI	1,000 PSI
3000 PSI	1,000 PSI

- 3. Closing times for the Hydril should be less than **20 seconds**, and for the ramtype preventers less than **10 seconds**.
- 4. System Recharge time should not exceed 10 minutes.

D. Test Procedure

- 1. Shut accumulator pumps off and record accumulator pressure.
- 2. In sequence, close the annular and one set of properly sized pipe rams, and open the HCR valve.
- 3. Record time to close or open each element and the remaining accumulator pressure after each operation.
- 4. Record the remaining accumulator pressure at the end of the test sequence. Per the previous requirement, this pressure **should not be less** than the following pressures:

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Remaining Pressure At Conclusion of

 System Pressure
 Remaining Pressure At Test

 1,500 PSI
 950 PSI

 2,000 PSI
 1,200 PSI

 3,000 PSI
 1,200 PSI

- 5. Turn the accumulator pumps on and record the recharge time. This time should not exceed **10 minutes**.
- 6. Open annular and ram-type preventers. Close HCR valve.
- 7. Place all 4-way control valves in <u>full open</u> or <u>full closed</u> position. <u>Do not leave in neutral position</u>.

4. CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

a. The proposed casing program will be as follows:

Purpose	Interval	Hole Size	Casing Size	Weight	<u>Grade</u>	Thread	Condition
Surface	Surface - 650'	17-1/2"	13-3/8"	48.0#	H-40	STC	New
Intermediate	Surface 2,775'	12-1/4"	9-5/8"	40.0#	J-55	LTC	New
Production	Surface – 10,700'	8-3/4"/ 8-1/2"	5-1/2"	17.0#	P-110	LTC	New

- b. Casing design subject to revision based on geologic conditions encountered.
- c. Casing Safety Factors:

13-3/8" Surface Casing: SFb = 1.44, SFc = 2.87 and SFt = 2.11 9-5/8" Intermediate Casing: SFb = 1.77, SFc = 1.49 and SFt = 5.0 5-1/2" Production Casing: SFb = 1.8, SFc = 2.43 and SFt = 1.54

d. The cementing program will be as follows:

5. Cementing Program

Interval	<u>Type</u>	Amount	<u>Yield</u>	Top Of Cement	Excess
Surface	Lead: 35:65 Poz/C 1% CaCl2 (Accelerator) Tail: Class C 2% CaCl2 (Accelerator)	300 sks 220 sks	2.10	Surface	100%
Intermediate	Lead: 35/65 Poz/Class C 1% CaCl2 (Accelerator)	600 sks	2.10	Surface	75%

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	Tail: Class C 2% CaCl2	250 sks	1.34		50%
Production	Class H 0.5% LAP-1 (Fluid Loss Control) 0.4% CFR-3 (Dispersant) 1 lbm/sk Salt 0.3% HR-7 (Retarder) 0.25 lbm D-AIR 3000 (Defoamer)	1500 sks	1.60	2,275'	20%

6. MUD PROGRAM

a. The proposed circulating mediums to be used in drilling are as follows:

Interval	Mud Type	Mud Weight	Viscosity	Fluid Loss
0' - 650'	FW/Gel	8.4 – 9.0	28-32	NC -
650' - 2,775'	Native/Brine	9.9 – 10.1	30-32	NC
2,775' - TD	FW/LSND	8.8 – 9.3	28-36	20-5

A closed system will be utilized consisting of above ground steel tanks. All wastes accumulated during drilling operations will be contained in a portable trash cage and removed from location and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill.

A mud test shall be performed every 24 hours after mudding up to determine, as applicable: density, viscosity, gel strength, filtration, and pH.

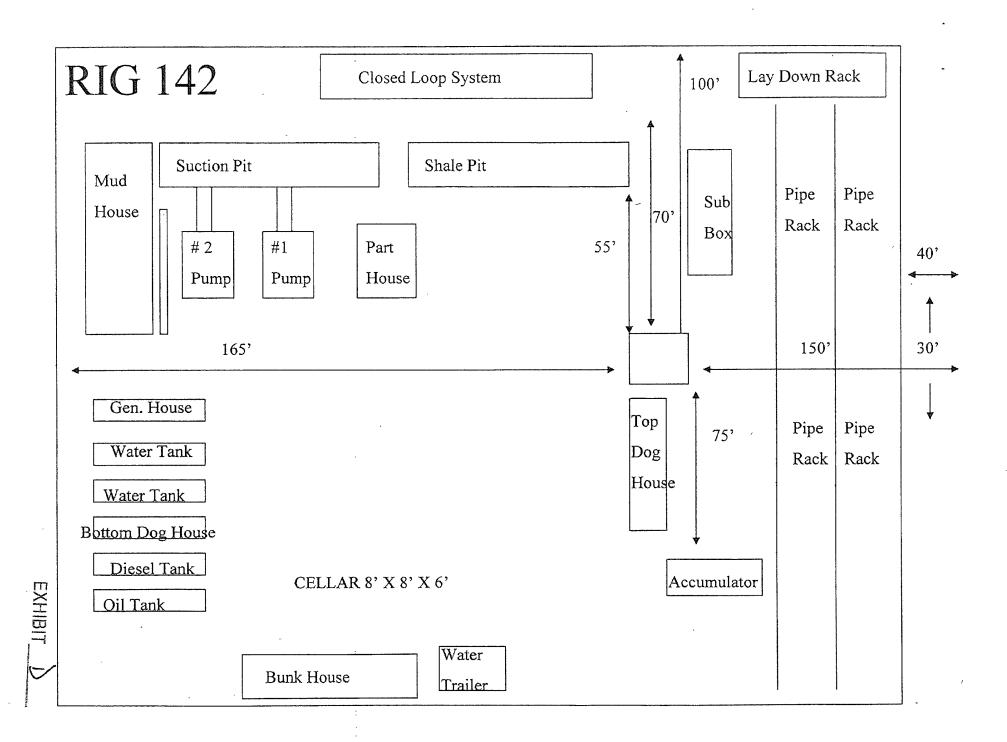
6. TESTING, LOGGING AND CORING

The anticipated type and amount of testing, logging and coring are as follows:

- a. Drill stem tests are not planned.
- b. The logging program will consist of Natural GR, Density-Neutron, PE & Dual Laterolog from TD to surface casing; Neutron-GR surface casing to surface.
- c. Cores samples are not planned.

7. ABNORMAL PRESSURES AND HYDROGEN SULFIDE

- a. The estimated bottom hole pressure is 3250 psi. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated.
- b. Hydrogen sulfide gas is not anticipated.



BLOWOUT PREVENTOR SCHEMATIC

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC

WELL : Diamond 31 Federal 4H

RIG : Patterson 142

COUNTY : Eddy STATE: New Mexico

OPERATION: Drill out below 13-3/8" Casing (12-1/4" hole size)

SIZE PRESSURE DESCRIPTION
A 13-5/8" 500 psi Rot Flead
B 13-5/8" 3000 psi Spacer Spool
C 13-5/8" 3000 psi Annular
D 13-5/8" 3000 psi Mud Cross
E 13-5/8" 3000 psi Spacer Spool
DSA 13-5/8" 3M x 13-5/8" 3M (if needed)
A-Sec 13-3/8" SOW x 13-5/8" 3M
A-266 10-00 2004 x 10-00 2014
A B B DSA (if needed)
Kill Line A-Sec Choke Line
SIZE PRESSURE DESCRIPTION 2" 5000 psi Check Valve 4" 5000 psi Gate Valve
2" 5000 psi Gate Valve 4" 5000 psi HCR Valve
2" 5000 psi Gate Valve
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BLOWOUT PREVENTOR SCHEMATIC

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC

WELL

: Diamond 31 Federal 4H

RIG

: Patterson 142

COUNTY

: Eddy

STATE: New Mexico

OPERATION: Drill out below 9-5/8" Casing (8-3/4"/8-1/2" hole size)

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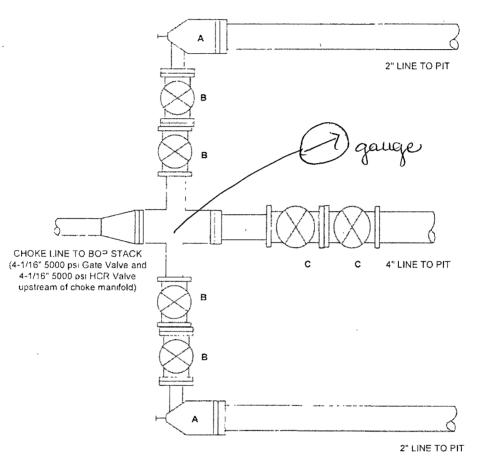
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CHOKE MANIFOLD SCHEMATIC CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.

WELL : Diamond 31 Federal 4H

RIG : Patterson #142

COUNTY: Eddy STATE: New Mexico
OPERATION: Drilling below/beyond 13-3/8" surface casing



one choke to be remotely operated.

	SIZE	PRESSURE	DESCRIPTION	
A	2-1/16"	5000 psi	Manual Choke	
В	2-1/16"	5000 psı	Gate Valve	***********
С	4-1/16"	5000 psi	Gate Valve	

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Permian District

NM - Eddy - Morrow Project Diamond 31 Federal 4H Well #1 Wellbore #1

Plan: Plan #1

Standard Planning Report

31 January, 2008

Local Co-ordinate Reference: Database: Drilling Database Well Well #1 TVD Reference: RKB @ 2956 Oft Permian District Company: RKB @ 2956 0ft NM - Eddy - Morrow Project MD Reference: Project: North Reference: Diamond 31 Federal 4H True Site Well: Minimum Curvature Survey Calculation Method: Well #1 Wellbore #1 Wellbore: Plan #1 Design: Project NM - Eddy - Morrow Project Map System: US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution) System Datum: Ground Level NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS) Geo Datum: New Mexico East 3001 Map Zone: Diamond 31 Federal 4H Northing: ft Latitude. Site Position: From: None Easting: ft Longitude: 0.00 ft Slot Radius: **Grid Convergence:** Position Uncertainty. Well Well #1 0 0 ft 0 00 ft Latitude: 30° 59' 24 51165130 N Well Position +N/-S Northing: 105° 55' 44 13731823 W 0.00 ft +E/-W 0.0 ft Easting: Longitude: 2,938 0 ft ff Ground Level: Position Uncertainty ft Wellhead Elevation. Wellbore Wellbore #1 Model Name Sample Date Declination, 😘 Dip Angle Field Strength Magnetics > (°). (°) (nT); ' 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 00 0.00 User Defined 1/30/2008 Plan #1 Design Audit Notes: PROTOTYPE Tie On Depth. 0 0 Phase: Version: +F/-W Vertical Section: Depth From (TVD) +N/-S Direction (ft) (ft) (ft) (°) 0 0 0 0 0.0 270 00 Plan Sections Vertical Dogleg Bulld Turn Depth Inclination Azimuth Depth¹³ +N/-S +E/-W Rate Rate Rate TFO. (ft) (°/100ft) (°/100ft) (°/100ft) (°). (ft) (ft) , (ft) (°) (°) 0 00 0.00 0.00 00 00 00 0.00 0.00 0.0 0.00 4,500 0 0.00 0.00 4,500 0 00 , 00 0.00 0 00 0 00 0 00 2 00 2 00 0.00 270 00 7 00 4,849 1 0.0 -214 4,850 0 270 00 0 00 0 00 0.00 0 00 7 00 270 00 5,909.3 00 -1515 5.918 1

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Drilling Database Permian District NM - Eddy - Morrow Project

Diamond 31 Federal 4H Well#1 Wellbore #1 Design: · Plan #1

Local Co-ordinate Reference:
TVD Reference: MD Reference:

North Reference: Survey Calculation Method:

Well Well #1 RKB @ 2956 0ft RKB @ 2956 Oft True Minimum Curvature

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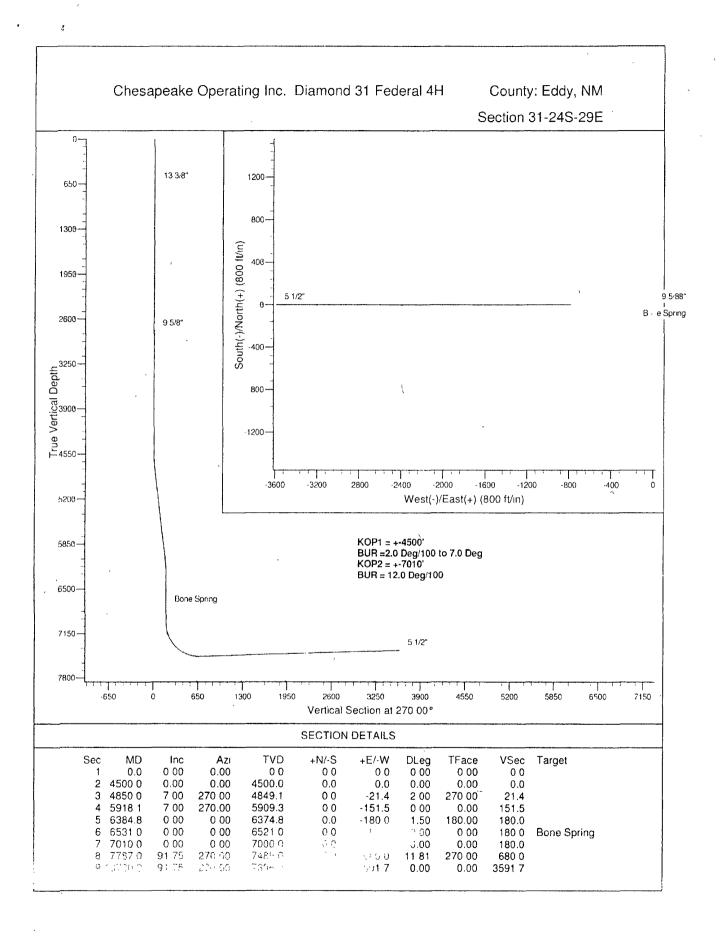
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SURFACE USE PLAN

ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1 Approval of Operations on Onshore Federal and Indian Oil and Gas Leases

1. EXISTING ROADS

- a. Existing county and lease roads will be used to enter proposed access road.
- b. Location, access, and vicinity plats attached hereto. See Exhibits A-1 to A-4.

2. PLANNED ACCESS ROADS

- a. A proposed access road 385' in length and 14' in travel way width with a maximum disturbance area of 30' will be used, and in accordance with guidelines set forth in the BLM Onshore Orders. No turnouts are expected.
- In order to level the location, cut and fill will be required. Please see attached Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat – Exhibits A-1 to A-4.
- A locking gate will be installed at the site entrance.
- d. Any fences cut will be repaired. Cattle guards will be installed, if
- e. Surface disturbance and vehicular travel will be limited to the approved location and approved access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance.
- f. Driving directions are from the intersection of Co. Rd. 746 (McDonald Rd) and Co. Rd. 788A (Spur Rd), go West approx. 0.2 miles. Turn left and go South approx. 0.7 miles. Turn west and go approx. 0.1 miles. Turn South and go approx 0.15 miles. Turn Southwest and go approx. 0.6 miles. Turn Southeast-East and go approx. 0.4 miles. Turn South and go approx. 0.2 miles. Turn East and go South approx. 0.25 miles. Turn south and go approx. 0.25 miles. Turn West-Southwest and go approx 0.2 miles. This location is approx. 535 feet Northwest.
- 3. <u>LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS WITHIN A 1-MILE RADIUS OF THE PROPOSED LOCATION see Exhibit B.</u>

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4. LOCATION OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES

The gas measurement for this well will be on the well pad of the Diamond 31 Federal 2H thru a common meter to DCP. Chesapeake will have a allocation meter for both wells up stream to the DCP meter. – See Exhibit C

5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

Water will be obtained from a private water source. Chesapeake Operating, Inc. will ensure all proper notifications and filings are made with the state.

6. CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

No construction materials will be used from Section 31-24S-29E. All material (i.e. shale) will be acquired from private or commercial sources.

7. METHODS FOR HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL

A closed system will be utilized consisting of above ground steel tanks. All wastes accumulated during drilling operations will be contained in a portable trash cage and removed from location and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill.

8. <u>ANCILLARY FACILITIES</u>

None

9. WELLSITE LAYOUT

The proposed site layout plat is attached showing Patterson #142 rig orientation and equipment location. See Exhibit D. Also see Exhibit A-2 for the size of the pad.

10. PLANS FOR RECLAMATION OF THE SURFACE

The location will be restored to as near as original condition as possible. Reclamation of the surface shall be done in strict compliance with the existing New Mexico Oil Conservation Division regulations.

Backfilling leveling, and contouring are planned as soon as the drilling rig and steel tanks are removed. Wastes and spoils materials will be buried immediately after drilling is completed. If production is obtained, the unused area will be restored as soon as possible. The rehabilitation will begin after the drilling rig is removed.

11. MINERAL OWNERSHIP

United States of America Department of Interior Bureau of Land Management SURFACE OWNERSHIP State of New Mexico

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GRAZING LESSEE

Jerry Ballard

505-745-3347

P. O. Box 60

Malaga, NM 88263

(Chesapeake Operating, Inc. has an agreement with the grazing lessee)

12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

A Class III cultural resource inventory report was prepared by Boone Archaeological Services, Carlsbad, New Mexico for the proposed location. A copy of the report has been sent to the BLM office under separate cover and is also attached for reference. See Exhibit E.

Chesapeake Operating, Inc. agrees to be responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the lease lands.

13. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVES

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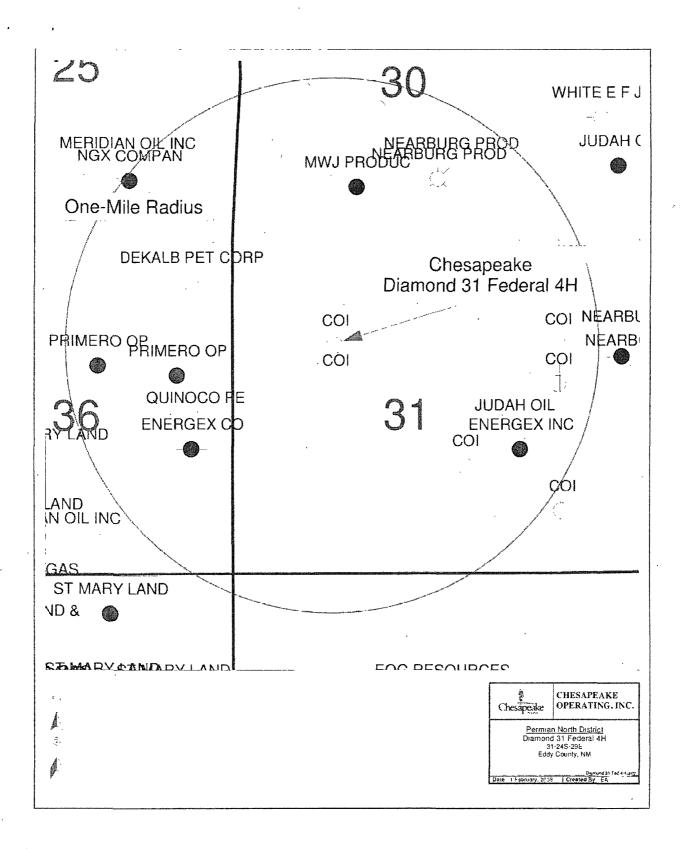
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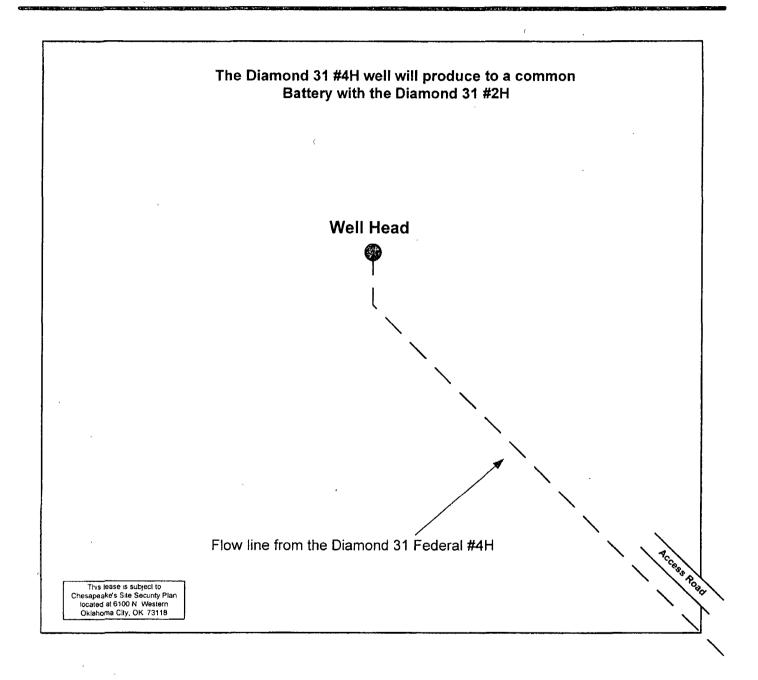
I hereby certify that I, or someone under my direct supervision, have inspected the drill site and access route proposed herein, that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that I have full knowledge of state and Federal laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in this APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct, and, that the work associated with the operations proposed 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 the company I represent, 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 a false statement.

Executed this 5TH, day of February, 2008.
Name: Name: Payl Hagemeier, Vice President - Regulatory Compliance
Address: P.O. Box 18496, Oklahoma City, OK 73154-0496
Telephone <u>405-767-4014</u>
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CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.

Diamond 31 Federal #4H 2200' FNL & 150' FEL Section 31-24-29 Eddy Co. New Mexico



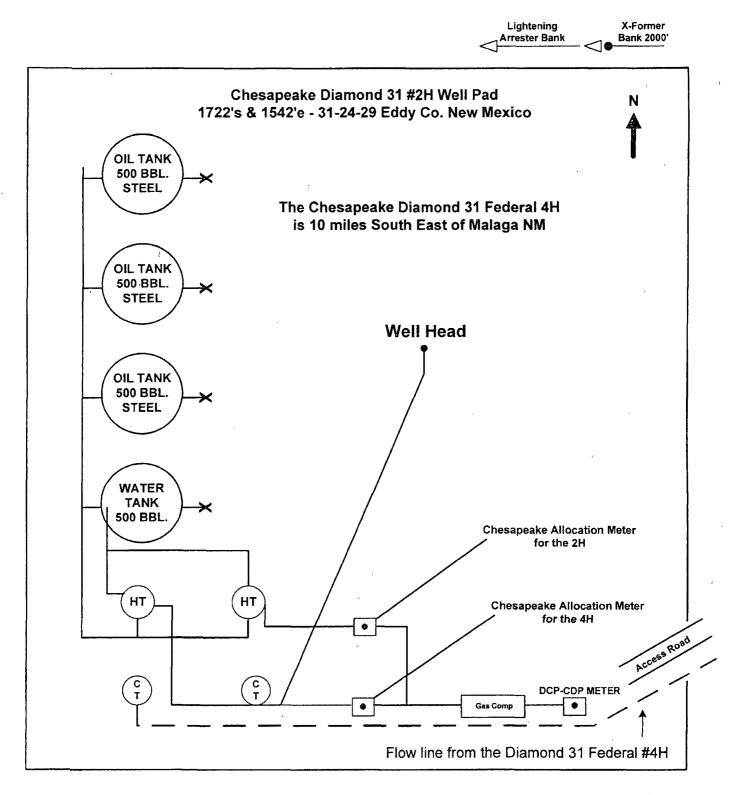
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EXHIBIT_C-1

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.

The Diamond 31 #4H well located 2200'n & 150'e - 31-24-29 Eddy Co. New Mexico will product to a common battery with the Diamond 31 2H



PECOS DISTRICT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

OPERATOR'S NAME:	Chesapeake Operating, Inc.
	NMNM111533
WELL NAME & NO.:	Diamond 31 Federal No 4H
SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE:	2200' FNL & 150' FEL
BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE	2200' FNL & 1650' FWL
LOCATION:	Section 31, T. 24 S., R 29 E., NMPM
COUNTY:	Eddy County, New Mexico

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Standard Conditions of Approval (COA) apply to this APD. If any deviations to these standards exist or special COAs are required, the section with the deviation or requirement will be checked below.

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☐ Production (Post Drilling)
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☐ Interim Reclamation
Final Abandonment/Reclamation

I. GENERAL PROVISIONS

The approval of the Application For Permit To Drill (APD) is in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations: 43 Code of Federal Regulations 3160, the lease terms, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, Notices To Lessees, New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Rules, National Historical Preservation Act As Amended, and instructions and orders of the Authorized Officer. Any request for a variance shall be submitted to the Authorized Officer on Form 3160-5, Sundry Notices and Report on Wells.

II. PERMIT EXPIRATION

If the permit terminates prior to drilling and drilling cannot be commenced within 60 days after expiration, an operator is required to submit Form 3160-5, Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells, requesting surface reclamation requirements for any surface disturbance. However, if the operator will be able to initiate drilling within 60 days after the expiration of the permit, the operator must have set the conductor pipe in order to allow for an extension of 60 days beyond the expiration date of the APD. (Filing of a Sundry Notice is required for this 60 day extension.)

III. ARCHAEOLOGICAL, PALEONTOLOGY & HISTORICAL SITES

Any cultural and/or paleontological resource discovered by the operator or by any person working on the operator's behalf shall immediately report such findings to the Authorized Officer. The operator is fully accountable for the actions of their contractors and subcontractors. The operator shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the Authorized Officer. An evaluation of the discovery shall be made by the Authorized Officer to determine the appropriate actions that shall be required to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values of the discovery. The operator shall be held responsible for the cost of the proper mitigation measures that the Authorized Officer assesses after consultation with the operator on the evaluation and decisions of the discovery. Any unauthorized collection or disturbance of cultural or paleontological resources may result in a shutdown order by the Authorized Officer.

IV. NOXIOUS WEEDS

The operator shall be held responsible if noxious weeds become established within the areas of operations. Weed control shall be required on the disturbed land where noxious weeds exist, which includes the roads, pads, associated pipeline corridor, and adjacent land affected by the establishment of weeds due to this action. The operator shall consult with the Authorized Officer for acceptable weed control methods, which include following EPA and BLM requirements and policies.

V. SPECIAL REQUIREMENT(S)

Mitigation Measures: The mitigation measures include the special drilling stipulations, the standard stipulations for high cave/karst occurence, and the standard stipulations for permanent resource roads.

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Cave/Karst – The location has been designated as high karst occurrence. Conditions of Approval will include berming of tanks for retention of leaks to prevent possible contamination of karst aquifers and contamination of nearby water well.

VI. CONSTRUCTION

A. NOTIFICATION

The BLM shall administer compliance and monitor construction of the access road and well pad. Notify the Carlsbad Field Office at (505) 234-5972 at least 3 working days prior to commencing construction of the access road and/or well pad.

When construction operations are being conducted on this well, the operator shall have the approved APD and Conditions of Approval (COA) on the well site and they shall be made available upon request by the Authorized Officer.

B. TOPSOIL

The operator shall stockpile the topsoil of the well pad. The topsoil shall not be used to backfill the reserve pit and will be used for interim and final reclamation.

The Closed loop system will be constructed on the North side of the well pad V-Door East.

Tanks are required for drilling operations: No Pits.

The operator shall properly dispose of drilling contents at an authorized disposal site.

C. FEDERAL MINERAL MATERIALS PIT

If the operator elects to surface the access road and/or well pad, mineral materials extracted during construction of the reserve pit may be used for surfacing the well pad and access road and other facilities on the lease.

Payment shall be made to the BLM prior to removal of any additional federal mineral materials from any site other than the reserve pit. Call the Carlsbad Field Office at (505) 234-5972.

D. WELL PAD SURFACING

Surfacing of the well pad is not required.

If the operator elects to surface the well pad, the surfacing material may be required to be removed at the time of reclamation.

The well pad shall be constructed in a manner which creates the smallest possible surface disturbance, consistent with safety and operational needs.

E. ON LEASE ACCESS ROADS

Road Width

The access road shall have a driving surface that creates the smallest possible surface disturbance and does not exceed fourteen (14) feet in width. The maximum width of surface disturbance, when constructing the access road, shall not exceed thirty (30) feet.

Surfacing

Surfacing material is not required on the new access road driving surface. If the operator elects to surface the new access road or pad, the surfacing material may be required to be removed at the time of reclamation.

Where possible, no improvements should be made on the unsurfaced access road other than to remove vegetation as necessary, road irregularities, safety issues, or to fill low areas that may sustain standing water.

The Authorized Officer reserves the right to require surfacing of any portion of the access road at any time deemed necessary. Surfacing may be required in the event the road deteriorates, erodes, road traffic increases, or it is determined to be beneficial for future field development. The surfacing depth and type of material will be determined at the time of notification.

Crowning

Crowning shall be done on the access road driving surface. The road crown shall have a grade of approximately 2% (i.e., a 1" crown on a 14' wide road). The road shall conform to Figure 1; cross section and plans for typical road construction.

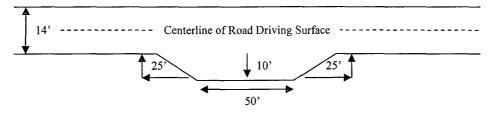
Ditching

Ditching shall be required on both sides of the road.

Turnouts

Vehicle turnouts shall be constructed on the road. Turnouts shall be intervisible with interval spacing distance less than 1000 feet. Turnouts shall be constructed on all blind curves. Turnouts shall conform to the following diagram:

Standard Turnout - Plan View

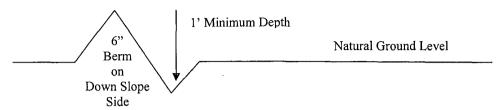


Drainage

Drainage control systems shall be constructed on the entire length of road (e.g. ditches, sidehill outsloping and insloping, lead-off ditches, culvert installation, and low water crossings).

A typical lead-off ditch has a minimum depth of 1 foot below and a berm of 6 inches above natural ground level. The berm shall be on the down-slope side of the lead-off ditch.

Cross Section of a Typical Lead-off Ditch



All lead-off ditches shall be graded to drain water with a 1 percent minimum to 3 percent maximum ditch slope. The spacing interval are variable for lead-off ditches and shall be determined according to the formula for spacing intervals of lead-off ditches, but may be amended depending upon existing soil types and centerline road slope (in %);

Formula for Spacing Interval of Lead-off Ditches

Example - On a 4% road slope that is 400 feet long, the water flow shall drain water into a lead-off ditch. Spacing interval shall be determined by the following formula:

400 foot road with 4% road slope:
$$\frac{400'}{4\%}$$
 + 100' = 200' lead-off ditch interval

Culvert Installations

Appropriately sized culvert(s) shall be installed at the deep waterway channel flow crossing.

Cattleguards

An appropriately sized cattleguard(s) sufficient to carry out the project shall be installed and maintained at fence crossing(s).

Any existing cattleguard(s) on the access road shall be repaired or replaced if they are damaged or have deteriorated beyond practical use. The operator shall be responsible for the condition of the existing cattleguard(s) that are in place and are utilized during lease operations.

A gate shall be constructed and fastened securely to H-braces.

Fence Requirement

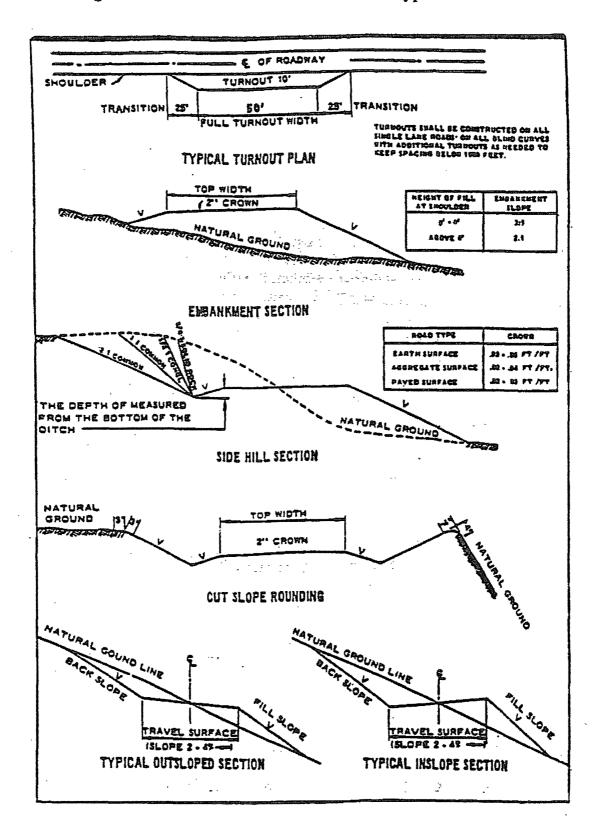
Where entry is required across a fence line, the fence shall be braced and tied off on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting.

The operator shall notify the private surface landowner or the grazing allotment holder prior to crossing any fence(s).

Public Access

Public access on this road shall not be restricted by the operator without specific written approval granted by the Authorized Officer.

Figure 1 - Cross Sections and Plans For Typical Road Sections



VII. DRILLING

A. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS

The BLM is to be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness:

- a. Spudding well
- b. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings
- c. BOPE tests
 - Eddy County
 Call the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (575) 361-2822
- 1. Although Hydrogen Sulfide has not been reported in this section, it is always a potential hazard. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, please report measured amounts to the BLM.
- 2. 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.
- 3. Floor controls are required for 3M or Greater systems. These controls will be on the rig floor, unobstructed, readily accessible to the driller and will be operational at all times during drilling and/or completion activities. Rig floor is defined as the area immediately around the rotary table; the area immediately above the substructure on which the draw works are located, this does not include the dog house or stairway area.

B. CASING

- 1. The 13-3/8 inch surface casing shall be set at approximately 650 feet (a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface. Centralizers required on surface casing per Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.f.
 - a. If cement does not circulate to the surface, the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey utilizing an electronic type temperature survey with a surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement.
 - b. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job will be a minimum 18 hours for a water basin, 24 hours in the potash area, or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater. (This is to include the lead cement). Please provide WOC times to inspector for cement slurries.

- c. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a remedial job will be a minimum of 4 hours after bringing cement to surface or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater.
- d. If cement falls back, remedial action will be done prior to drilling out that string.

High cave/karst.

Possible lost circulation in the Delaware and Bone Spring formations.

- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 8-5/8 inch intermediate casing is:
 - Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a-d above. Please provide WOC times to inspector for cement slurries.

If 75% or greater lost circulation occurs while drilling the intermediate casing hole, where we have the come to surface.

- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5-1/2 inch production casing is:
 - Cement should tie-back at least 200 feet into previous casing string. Operator shall provide method of verification. Centralizers required on horizontal leg, minimum of one every other joint. Additional cement may be required.
- 4. If hardband drill pipe is rotated inside casing, returns will be monitored for metal. If metal is found in samples, drill pipe will be pulled and rubber protectors which have a larger diameter than the tool joints of the drill pipe will be installed prior to continuing drilling operations.

C. PRESSURE CONTROL

- 1. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 and API RP 53 Sec. 17.
 - 2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be 2000 (2M) psi. Operator using 3M annular and testing to 2000 psi.
 - 3. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the 9-5/8" intermediate casing shoe shall be 3000 (3M) psi. Operator using 5M, but testing to 3M.

- 4. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
 - a. The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
 - b. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
 - c. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.
 - d. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug.

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VIII. PRODUCTION (POST DRILLING)

A. WELL STRUCTURES & FACILITIES

Placement of Production Facilities

Production facilities should be placed on the well pad to allow for maximum interim recontouring and revegetation of the well location.

Containment Structures

The containment structure shall be constructed to hold the capacity of the entire contents of the largest tank, plus 24 hour production, unless more stringent protective requirements are deemed necessary by the Authorized Officer.

Painting Requirement

All above-ground structures including meter housing that are not subject to safety requirements shall be painted a flat non-reflective paint color Shale Green, Munsell Soil Color Chart # 5Y 4/2

- B. PIPELINES
- C. ELECTRIC LINES

IX. INTERIM RECLAMATION & RESERVE PIT CLOSURE

A. INTERIM RECLAMATION

If the well is a producer, interim reclamation shall be conducted on the well site in accordance with the orders of the Authorized Officer. The operator shall submit a Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells (Notice of Intent), Form 3160-5, prior to conducting interim reclamation.

During the life of the development, all disturbed areas not needed for active support of production operations should undergo interim reclamation in order to minimize the environmental impacts of development on other resources and uses.

At the time the pad is to be reclaimed, operators should work with BLM surface management specialists to devise the best strategies to reduce the size of the location. Any reductions should allow for remedial well operations, as well as safe and efficient removal of oil and gas.

During reclamation, the removal of caliche is important to increasing the success of revegetating the site. Removed caliche may be used for road repairs, fire walls or for building other roads and locations. In order to operate the well or complete workover operations, it may be necessary to drive, park and operate on restored interim vegetation within the previously disturbed area. Disturbing revegetated areas for production or workover operations will be allowed. If there is significant disturbance and loss of vegetation, the area will need to be revegetated. Communicate with the appropriate BLM office for any exceptions/exemptions if needed.

Seed Mixture 4, for Gypsum Sites

The holder shall seed all disturbed areas with the seed mixture listed below. The seed mixture shall be planted in the amounts specified in pounds of pure live seed (PLS)* per acre. There shall be <u>no</u> primary or secondary noxious weeds in the seed mixture. Seed will be tested and the viability testing of seed will be done in accordance with State law(s) and within nine (9) months prior to purchase. Commercial seed will be either certified or registered seed. The seed container will be tagged in accordance with State law(s) and available for inspection by the authorized officer.

Seed will be planted using a drill equipped with a depth regulator to ensure proper depth of planting where drilling is possible. The seed mixture will be evenly and uniformly planted over the disturbed area (smaller/heavier seeds have a tendency to drop the bottom of the drill and are planted first). The holder shall take appropriate measures to ensure this does not occur. Where drilling is not possible, seed will be broadcast and the area shall be raked or chained to cover the seed. When broadcasting the seed, the pounds per acre are to be doubled. The seeding will be repeated until a satisfactory stand is established as determined by the authorized officer. Evaluation of growth will not be made before completion of at least one full growing season after seeding.

Species to be planted in pounds of pure live seed* per acre:

<u>Species</u>	<u>lb/acre</u>
Alkali Sacaton (Sporobolus airoides)	1.0
DWS⊆ Four-wing saltbush (Atriplex canescens)	5.0

⊆DWS: DeWinged Seed

Pounds of seed x percent purity x percent germination = pounds pure live seed (Insert Seed Mixture Here)

^{*}Pounds of pure live seed:

X. FINAL ABANDONMENT & REHABILITATION REQUIREMENTS

Upon abandonment of the well and/or when the access road is no longer in service the Authorized Officer shall issue instructions and/or orders for surface reclamation and restoration of all disturbed areas.

On private surface/federal mineral estate land the reclamation procedures on the road and well pad shall be accomplished in accordance with the private surface land owner agreement.