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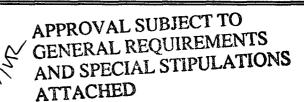
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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO D	DRILL	OR REENTER		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe	Name	
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				7. If Unit or CA Agreement, N	Vame and No.	
1a. Type of Work: x DRILL		N/A				
		8. Lease Name and Well No.				
1b. Type of Well: X Oil Well Gas Well Other		Single Zone Multiple Zo	me	Pequeno Mike BLU	Federal #2H	
2. Name of Operator				9. API Well No.		
		_		30-015-31	0069	
Yates Petroleum Corporation 3a. Address		5 ne No. (include area code)				
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105 South Fourth Street, Artesia, NM 88210		505-748-1471		Wildcat Wolf	camp	
4. Location of well (Report location clearly and In accordance wi	th any Sta	ate requirements.*)		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. An	d Survey or Area	
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1840' FSL & 200' FWL, S	ec.2-16S-	29E, Ut L, NWSW		Section 2-16S-29S,S Sect	ion 3-16S-29E,B	
At proposed prod. zone <i>C.l.</i> 03/05/09 2270' FSL & 330' FV	VL. Sec. 3	3-16S-29EINORTHO	מחו	(
14. Distance in miles and direction from the nearest town or post office		LOCATION		12. County or Parish	13. State	
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The well is about 34 miles east of				Eddy	NM	
15. Distance from proposed*	1	6. No. of acres in lease	17. Spa	cing Unit dedicated to this well		
location to nearest	1					
property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drlg. unit line, if any) 200'	ĺ	761.50	1	N/19/2 of Sec. 3 169	70F	
18. Distance from proposed location*				27E		
to nearest well, drilling, completed,	1	9. Proposed Depth TUD 7199	20. DE	VD DIA Dona IVO. On Mc		
applied for, on this lease, ft. None	l	VD-7130' MD-12156'		NATIONWIDE BOND #N	MB000434	
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)	2	2. Aproximate date work will s	start*	23. Estimated duration		
ARAD CV		4047		4.5		
3738 GL			ASAP 45 days			
		24. Attachments		<u> </u>		
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Ons	hore Oil a	and Gas Order No. 1 shall be atta	ached to t	his form:		
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Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. A Drilling Plan.		item 20 above).	perations	unless covered by existing bond	on me(see	
3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System	Lands th	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	nen			
SUPO must be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).	tarios, ir			nation and/ or plans as may be re	equired by the	
		BLM		,,,,,,		
25. Signatupe	Name (P	rinted/Typed)		Date .	7	
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Approved By (Signature)	Name (P)	rinted/Typed)		Date		
/s/ Don Peterson		/s/ Don Pet	arann	APR	1 4 2009	
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FIELD MANAGER		CARLSBAI) HE	LD OFFICE		
Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant hold	ls legal or	equitable title to those rights in	the subje	ct lease which would entitle the	applicant to conduct	
operations thereon.			-	ROVAL FOR TWO	• •	
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.			appi	JOAK LOU 1440		

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and wilfully 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.

ROSWELL CONTROLLED WATER BASIN

SEE ATTACHED FUR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL



^{* (}Instructions on page 2)

Form 3160-5 (February 2005)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB No 1004-0137
Expires March 31, 2007

UCD-ARTE S.L. Dease Serial No.

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

NM-105211
6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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SUBMIT IN TR	IPLICATE – Other instru	uctions on page 2.		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/o N/A
1. Type of Well Gas Well 2. Name of Operator Yates Pe	Other	025575		8. Well Name and No. Pequeno Mike BLU Federal #2H 9. API Well No.
 3a. Address 105 South Fourth Street, 4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., 7 	L	3b. Phone No (include (505) 748-1471	e area code)	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Wildcat Wolfcamp
1990' FSL & 200' FWL, NW 2270' FSL & 330' FWL, NV	/SW, Surface Hole Loc	ation Section 2, 7		11. County or Parish, State Eddy County, NM
12. CHECK THE APPR	OPRIATE BOX(ES) TO IN	NDICATE NATURE C	F NOTICE, RE	EPORT, OR OTHER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION		ТҮРЕ С	OF ACTION	
Notice of Intent Subsequent Report Final Abandonment Notice	Acıdıze Alter Casıng Casıng Repair X Change Plans Convert to Injection	Deepen Fracture Treat New Construction Plug and Abandon Plug Back	Production Reclamation Recomplete Temporarily Water Disp	Other REVISED DRILLING PLAN
13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation	on Clearly state all pertinent details	, including estimated starting	date of any proposed	work and approximate duration thereof If

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation Clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports must be filled within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 must be filled once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filled only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Yates Petroleum Corporation wishes to amend the surface use plan for the captioned to show the surface location has been moved from 1840' FSL and 200' FWL to 1990' FSL & 200' FWL of Section 2, T16S-R29E. The bottom hole will remain the same being 2270' FSL and 330' FWL of Section 3, T16S-R29E. Please note attached C-102 and revised drilling plan for this well.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct							
Name (Printed/Typed)	Title						
Cy Cowan			Regulatory Agent / I	Land D	epartn	nent	
Signatury MW	Date		March 19	, 2009			_
THIS SPACE FOR	FEDE	RAL OR	STATE USE				
Approved by / FO /s/ Don Peterson	R FI	ELD	MANAGER	Date	APR	14	2009
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warr certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon		Office	CARLSBA	D FIE	LDC)FF	CE

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DISTRICT I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
DISTRICT II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210

State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Form C-102 Revised October 12, 2005

Submit to Appropriate District Office

State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

DISTRICT III

1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

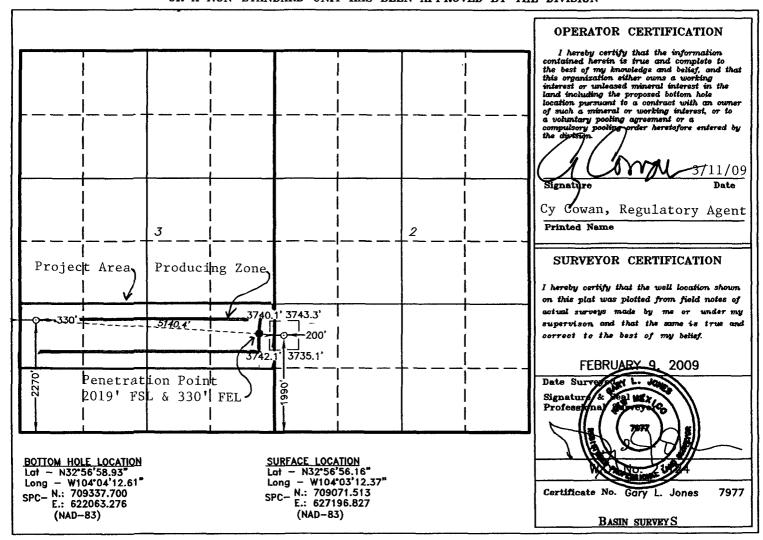
☐ AMENDED REPORT

API Number	Pool Code	Pool Name	
30-015-370	59	Wildcat Wolfcamp	
Property Code	Property Name	Well Nu	mber
1 37219	PEQUENO MIKE "BLU"	FEDERAL 2H	
OGRID No.	Operator Name	Elevati	
025575	YATES PETROLEUM	CORP. 3739	}'

Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
L	2	16 S	29 E	ĺ	1990	SOUTH	200	WEST	EDDY
			Bottom	Hole Loc	ation If Diffe	rent From Sur	face		
UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
L	3	16 S	29 E	•	2270	SOUTH	330	WEST	EDDY
Dedicated Acre	s Joint o	r Infill Co	nsolidation	Code Or	der No.				
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION Pequeno Mike BLU Federal #2H

1990' FSL and 200' FWL, Section 2-16S-29E (Surface Hole Location) 2270' FSL and 330' FWL, Section 3-16S-29E (Bottom Hole Location) Eddy County, New Mexico

REVISED DRILLING PLAN

1. The estimated tops of geologic markers are as follows:

Yates	1010'	Glorieta	4030'
Seven Rivers	1229'	Tubb	5302'
Queen	1740' Oil/Gas	ABO	6018' Gas
Grayburg	2158' Oil	Top of Pay	7520' Oil
San Andres	2524' Oil	TVD	7130'
		TMD	12146'

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

Water:

110'

Oil or Gas:

Queen, Grayburg, San Andres, ABO, Wolfcamp

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3. Pressure Control Equipment: BOPE will be installed on the 8 5/8" casing and rated for 3000 psi BOP systems will be consistent with API RP 53. Pressure tests will be conducted before drilling out from under all casing strings which are set and cemented in place. Blowout Preventor controls will be installed prior to drilling the surface plug and will remain in use until the well is completed or abandoned. Preventors will be inspected and operated at least daily to ensure good mechanical working order, and this inspection recorded on the daily drilling report. See Exhibit B.

Auxiliary Equipment:

A. Auxiliary Equipment: Kelly cock, pit level indicators, flow sensor equipment and a sub with full opening valve to fit the drill pipe and collars will be available on the rig floor in the open position at all times for use when kelly is not in use.

4. THE PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM:

A. Casing Program: (All New)

Hole Size	Casing Size	Wt./Ft	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Thread</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Length</u>
14 3/4"	11 3/4"	42#	H-40	ST&C	0-400'	400'
11"	8 5/8"	32#	J-55	ST&C	0-100'	100'
11"	8 5/8"	24#	J-55	ST&C	100-2200'	2100'
11"	8 5/8"	32#	J-55	ST&C	2200-2600'	400'
7 7/8"	5 1/2"	17#	HCP-110	LT&C	0-12146' MD	12146'

Minimum Casing Design Factors: Burst 1.0, Tensile Strength 1.8, Collapse 1.125

This well will be drilled vertically to 6715' At 6715' the well will be kicked off and drilled directionally at 12 degrees per 100' with a 7 7/8" hole until horizontal. The lateral will then be drilled to a TVD of 7130' with a MD of 12146' 5 1/2" casing will be set and cemented into place. Top of cement will be 2100'. The penetration point of producing formation will be encountered at 2019' FSL & 330' FEL, of Section 3, T16S-R29E. The deepest TVD in the well will be 7199' in the lateral. No Pilot Hole.

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B. **CEMENTING PROGRAM:**

Surface Casing: 275 sx "C" + 2% CaCl2 (WT 14.80 YLD 1.34). TOC at surface.

Intermediate Casing: 525 sx C Lite (Wt. 12.50 YLD 2.04). Tail in with 200 sx C +

2% CaCl2 (Wt 14.80 YLD 1.33) TOC at surface.

Production Casing: TOC 2100', Lead w/ 600 sx 50:50:10C (WT 11.60 YLD 2.43).

Tail in with 1425 sx 50:50:4C (WT 13.50 YLD 1.46).

5. Mud Program and Auxiliary Equipment:

<u>Interval</u>	<u>Type</u>	Weight	Viscosity	Fluid Loss
Spud to 400'	Fresh Water Gel	8.6-9.0	32-34	N/C
400'-2600'	Brine Water	10.0-10.2	28-28	N/C
2600'-6000'	Cut Brine	8.7-9.2	28-28	N/C
6000'-6715'	Cut Brine	8.7-9.2	28-28	10-15cc
6715'-12456'	Cut Brine (Lateral Section)	8.7 - 9.2	28-28	10-12cc
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Sufficient mud material(s) to maintain mud properties, control lost circulation and contain a blow out will be available at the well site during drilling operations. Mud will be checked hourly by rig personnel.

6. **EVALUATION PROGRAM:**

Samples:

10' out from under intermediate casing to TD.

Logging:

Horizontal-MWD / GR.

Coring:

None anticipated.

None anticipated.

DST's: MUDLOGGING: Yes

H2S:

None anticipated.

7. ABNORMAL CONDITIONS, BOTTOM HOLE PRESSURE AND POTENTAL HAZARDS:

Anticipated BHP:

From:	0	TO	400' TVD	Anticipated Max. BHP: 190	PSI
From:	400'	TO	2600' TVD	Anticipated Max. BHP: 1010	PSI
From:	2600'	TO	7199' TVD	Anticipated Max. BHP. 3445	PSI

Abnormal Pressures Anticipated: None

Lost Circulation Zones Anticipated: None

H2S Zones Anticipated: None

Maximum Bottom Hole Temperature: 120° F

8. **ANTICIPATED STARTING DATE:**

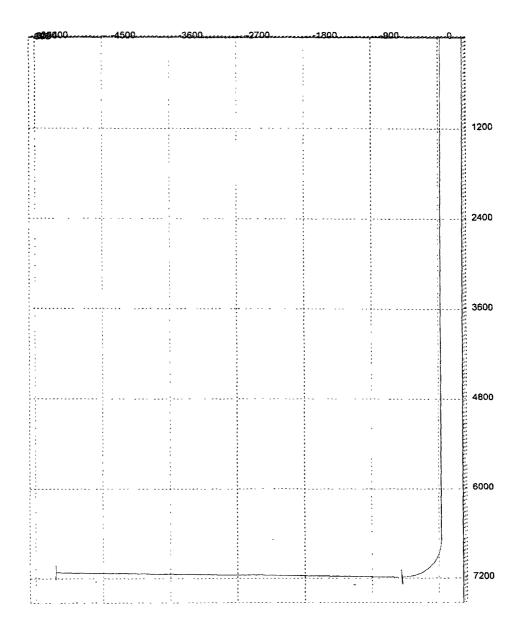
Plans are to drill this well as soon as possible after receiving approval. It should take approximately 45 days to drill the well with completion taking another 30 days.

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2,158	0	0	2,158	0	0	0			GRAYBURG
2,524	0	0	2,524	0	0	0			SAN ANDRES
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7225	61.2	274.77	7133.41	20.59	-246.59	12	360	HS	
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7275	67.2	274 77	7155.16	24.33	-291.43	12	0	HS	
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7350	76.2	274 77	7178.68	30.25	-362.31	12	0	HS	
7375	79.2	274 77	7184.01	32.28	-386.65	12	360	HS	
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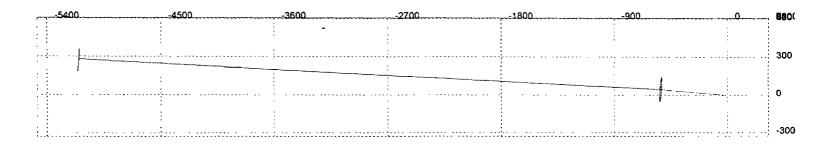
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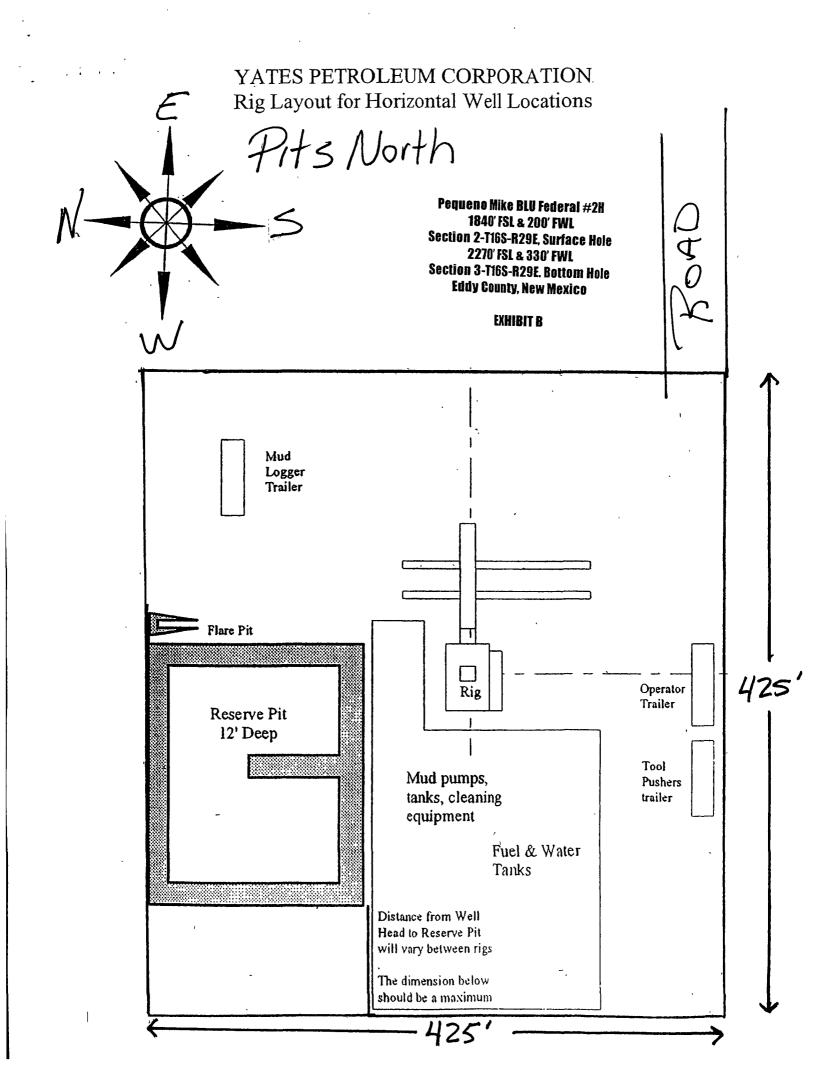


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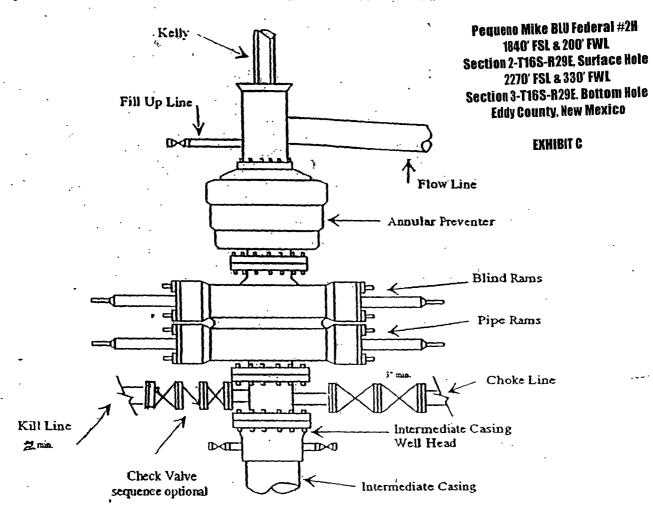




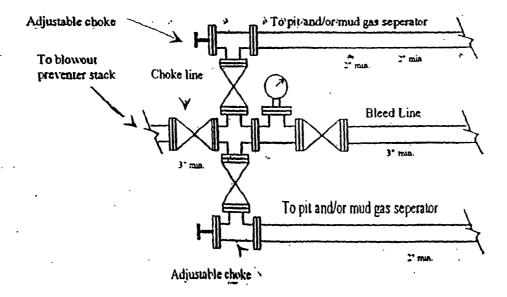
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BOP-3

Typical 3,000 psi Pressure System
Schematic
Annular with Double Ram Preventer Stack



Typical 3,000 psi choke manifold assembly with at least these minimum features



Yates Petroleum Corporation

105 S. Fourth Street Artesia, NM 88210

Hydrogen Sulfide (H₂S) Contingency Plan

For

Pequeno Mike BLU Federal #2H

1840' FSL, 200' FWL Surface Hole Location Section 2, T-16S, R-29E 2270' FSL and 330' FWL Bottom Hole Location Section 3, T16S-R29E Eddy County NM

Emergency Procedures

In the case of a release of gas containing H₂S, the first responder(s) must isolate the area and prevent entry by other persons into the 100 ppm ROE. Additionally the first responder(s) must evacuate any public places encompassed by the 100 ppm ROE. First responder(s) must take care not to injure themselves during this operation. Company and/or local officials must be contacted to aid in this operation. Evacuation of the public should be beyond the 100 ppm ROE.

All responders must have training in the detection of H₂S, measures for protection against the gas, equipment used for protection and emergency response. Additionally, responders must be equipped with H₂S monitors and air packs in order to control the release. Use the "buddy system" to ensure no injuries during the response.

Ignition of Gas Source

Should control of the well be considered lost and ignition considered, take care to protect against exposure to Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂). Intentional ignition must be coordinated with the NMOCD and local officials. Additionally the NM State Police may become involved. NM State Police shall be the Incident Command on scene of any major release. Take care to protect downwind whenever there is an ignition of the gas

Characteristics of H₂S and SO₂

Common Name	Chemical Formula	Specific Gravity	Threshold Limit	Hazardous Limit	Lethal Concentr- ation
Hydrogen Sulfide	H ₂ S	1.189 Air = 1	10 ppm	100 ppm/hr	600 ppm
Sulfur Dioxide	SO ₂	2.21 Air = 1	2 ppm	N/A	1000 ppm

Contacting Authorities

YPC personnel must liaison with local and state agencies to ensure a proper response to a major release. Additionally, the OCD must be notified of the release as soon as possible but no later than 4 hours. Agencies will ask for information such as type and volume of release, wind direction, location of release, etc. Be prepared with all information available. The following call list of essential and potential responders has been prepared for use during a release. YPC Company response must be in coordination with the State of New Mexico's 'Hazardous Materials Emergency Response Plan' (HMER)

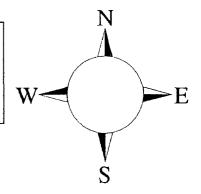
Yates Petroleum Corporation Phone Numbers

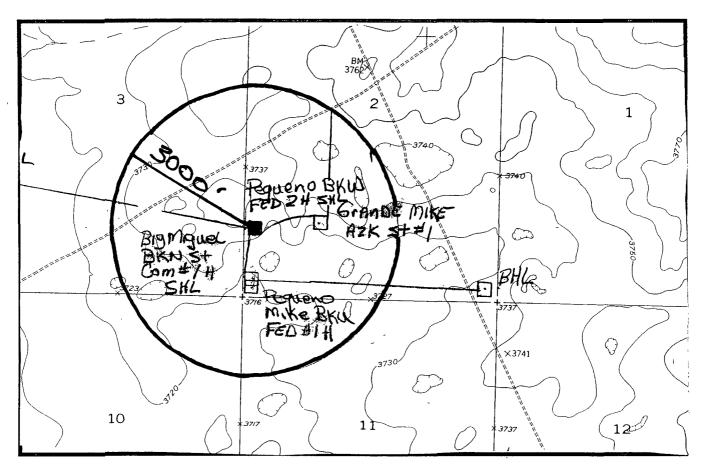
YPC Office	(505) 748-1471
Paul Ragsdale/Operations Manager	
Ron Beasley/Production Manager	` /
Wade Bennett/Prod Superintendent	
Mike Lankin/Drilling	
Paul Hanes/Prod. Foreman/Roswell	` /
Tim Bussell/Drilling Superintendent	(505) 748-4221
Artesia Answering Service	(505) 748-4302
(During non-office hours)	(303) 140-4302
(
Agency Call List	
Eddy County (505)	
Artesia	
State Police	746 2702
City Police	
Sheriff's Office	
Ambulance	
Fire Department	
LEPC (Local Emergency Planning Committee)	
NMOCD	748-1283
Carlsbad	007.0107
State Police	
City Police	
Sheriff's Office	
Ambulance	
Fire Department	
LEPC (Local Emergency Planning Committee)	
US Bureau of Land Management	887-6544
New Mexico Emergency Response Commission (Santa Fe)	(505)476-9600
24 HR	(505) 827-9126
New Mexico State Emergency Operations Center	• ,
National Emergency Response Center (Washington, DC)	,
rational Emergency response Conten (washington, DC)	(000) 424-0002
Other	
Boots & Coots IWC1-800-256-9688 or (281) 931-8884	
Cudd Pressure Control(915) 699-0139 or (915) 563-3356	
Halliburton	
B. J. Services(505) 746-3569	
Flight For Life -4000 24th St, Lubbock, TX(8	806) 743-9911

Aerocare -Rr 3 Box 49f, Lubbock, TX	(806) 747-8923
Med Flight Air Amb 2301 Yale Blvd SE #D3, Albuq, NM.	(505) 842-4433
S B Air Med Svc 2505 Clark Carr Loop SE, Albug, NM	(505) 842-4949

Pequeno Mike BLU Federal #2H

This is an open drilling site. H_2S monitoring equipment and emergency response equipment will be used within 500' of zones known to contain H_2S , including warning signs, wind indicators and H_2S monitor.





Assumed 100 ppm ROE = 3000?

100 ppm H2S concentration shall trigger activation of this plan

MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN

Yates Petroleum Corporation
Pequeno Mike BLU Federal Com. #2H

1840' FSL and 200' FWL, 2-16S-29E (Surface Hole Location) 2270' FSL and 330' FWL, 3-16S-29E (Bottom Hole Location) Eddy County, New Mexico

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

1. EXISTING ROADS:

Exhibit A is a portion of the BLM map showing the well and roads in the vicinity of the proposed location. The proposed well site is located approximately 34 miles east of Artesia, New Mexico and the access route to the location is indicated in red and green on Exhibit A.

DIRECTIONS:

Go east of Artesia, NM on highway 82 for approximately 23 miles to Barnaval Draw Road, CR-214. (across from the Arrow Gas storage site). Turn left on Barnaval Draw Road and go north for approximately 6.3 miles. At this point the road will fork. Take the right fork and go about 0.6 of a mile. Turn left and go about 0.2 of a mile. Turn right here and go about 2.8 miles on lease road. The road will come to a fence and make a "T". Turn right here and go about 0.5 of a mile to the Grande Mike AZK well. Follow the road from the northwest corner of the pad going west for about 0.3 of a mile to the southeast corner of the well pad.

2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:

- A. The proposed new road will go west for about 0.3 of a mile to the southeast corner of the drilling pad. The road will lie in an east to west direction.
- B. The new road will be 14' in width (driving surface) and will be adequately drained to control runoff and soil erosion.
- C. The new road will be bladed with drainage on one side. One traffic turnout may be built.
- D. The route of the road is visible.
- E. Existing roads will be maintained in the same or better condition.

3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELL

- A. There is drilling activity within a one-mile radius of the well site.
- B. Exhibit D shows existing wells within a one-mile radius of the proposed well site.

4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES

- A. There are no production facilities on this lease at the present time.
- B. In the event that the well is productive, the necessary production facilities will be installed on the drilling pad. If the well is productive oil, a gas or diesel self-contained unit will be used to provide the necessary power until an electric power line can be built if needed.

5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY:

A. It is planned to drill the proposed well with a fresh water system. The water will be obtained from commercial sources and will be hauled to the location by truck over the existing and proposed roads shown in Exhibit A.

6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS:

The dirt contractor will acquire any materials from the closest source at the time of construction of the well pad.

7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL:

A. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the reserve pits.

- B. The temporary drilling pit will be constructed, maintained, and closed in compliance with the State of New Mexico, Energy and Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division the "Pit Rule" 19.15.17 NMAC.
- C. Water produced during operations will be collected in tanks until hauled to an approved disposal system, or separate disposal application will be submitted.

D. Oil produced during operations will be stored in tanks until sold.

E. Current laws and regulations pertaining to the disposal of human waste will be complied with.

F. All trash, junk, and other waste materials will be contained in trash cages or bins to prevent scattering and will be removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. Burial on site is not approved.

8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES: None

9. WELLSITE LAYOUT:

A. Exhibit C shows the relative location and dimensions of the well pad, the reserve pits, the location of the drilling equipment, rig orientation and access road approach.

B. The temporary drilling pit will be constructed, maintained and closed in compliance with the State of New Mexico, Energy and Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division—the "Pit Rule" 19.15.17 NMAC. Form C-144 attached.

C. A 600' x 600' area has been staked and flagged.

10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION

- A. After finishing drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for further operations will be removed. The location will be cleaned of all trash and junk to leave the well site in as aesthetically pleasing a condition as possible.
- B. Unguarded pits, if any, containing fluids will be fenced until they have dried and been leveled.
- C. If the proposed well is non-productive, all rehabilitation and/or vegetation requirements of the Bureau of Land Management will be complied with and will be accomplished as expeditiously as possible. All pits will be filled level within 90 days after abandonment.
- 11. SURFACE OWNERSHIP: Section 2 is State Surface and Minerals. Section 3 is Federal Surface and Minerals.

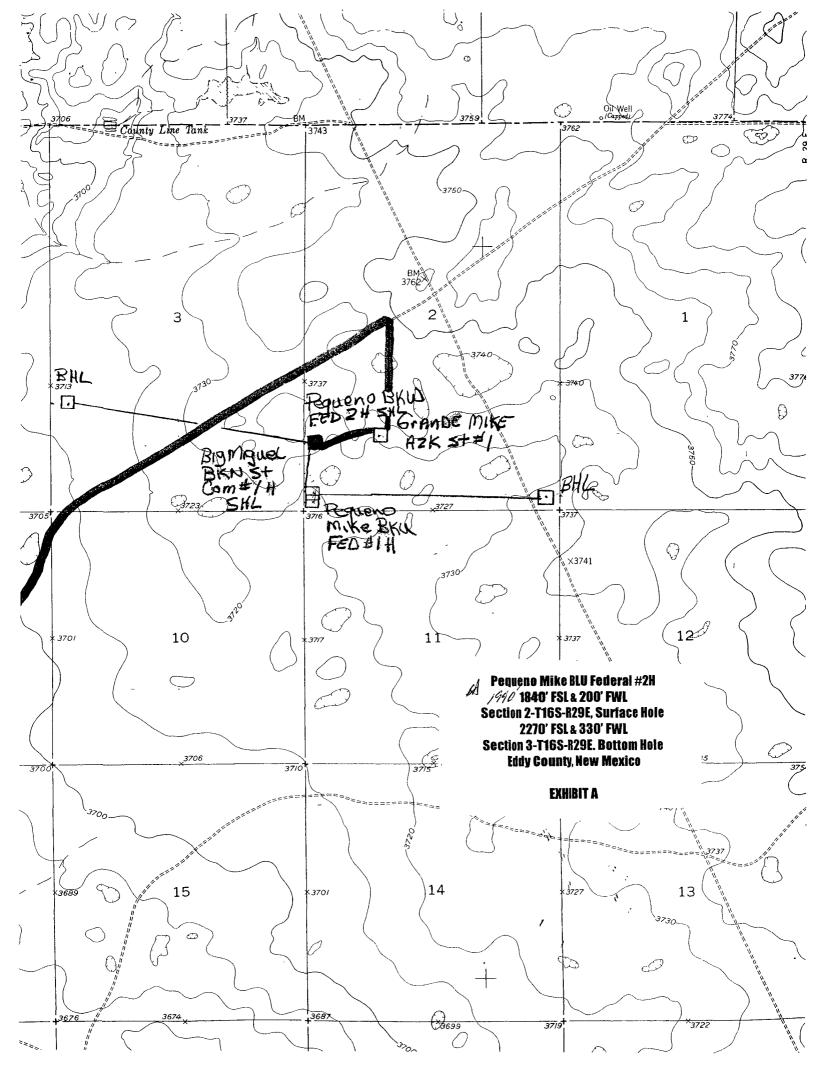
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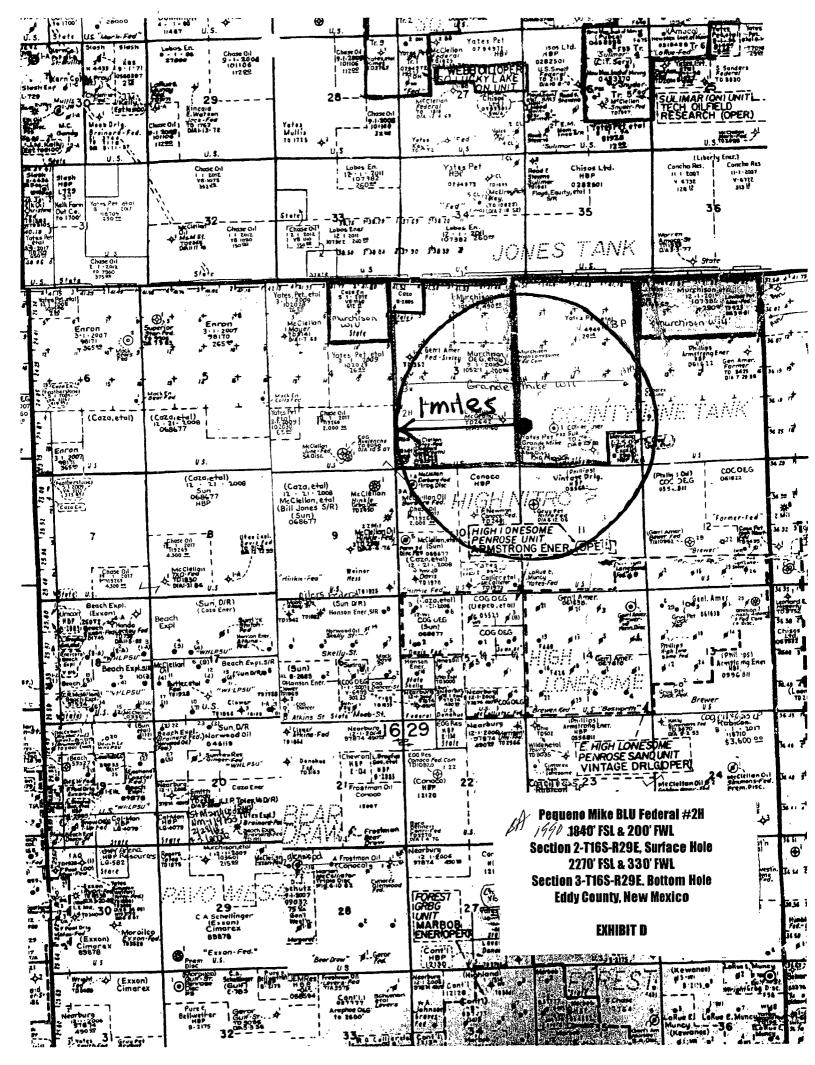
- A. Topography: Refer to the existing archaeological report for a description of the topography, flora, fauna, soil characteristics, dwellings, historical and cultural sites.
- B. The primary surface use is for grazing.

CERTIFICATION YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION Pequeno Mike BLU Federal #2H

I hereby certify that I or the company I represent, have inspected the drill site and access route proposed herein; that the company I represent is familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that 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 the company I represent is 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 22 md day of occurrent, 2008.
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PECOS DISTRICT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

OPERATOR'S NAME:	Yates Petroleum Corporation
LEASE NO.:	NM105211
WELL NAME & NO.:	Pequenco Mike BLU Federal # 2H
SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE:	1990' FSL & 200' FWL
BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE	2270' FSL & 330' FWL
LOCATION:	Section 2, T. 16 S., R 29 E., NMPM
COUNTY:	Eddy County, New Mexico

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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)

DUE TO THE NUMEROUS PLAYAS IN THIS AREA A CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM WILL BE REQUIRED AND NO RESERVE PITS WILL BE ALLOWED.

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 (575) 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

There is no measurable soil on this well pad to stockpile. No topsoil stockpile is required.

C. RESERVE PITS

Tanks are required for drilling operations: No Pits.

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

D. 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 (575) 234-5972.

E. 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.

F. 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:

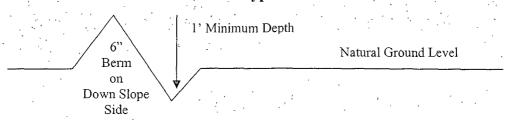
Standard Turnout – Plan View 14' ----- Centerline of Road Driving Surface 25' 10' 25' 50'

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

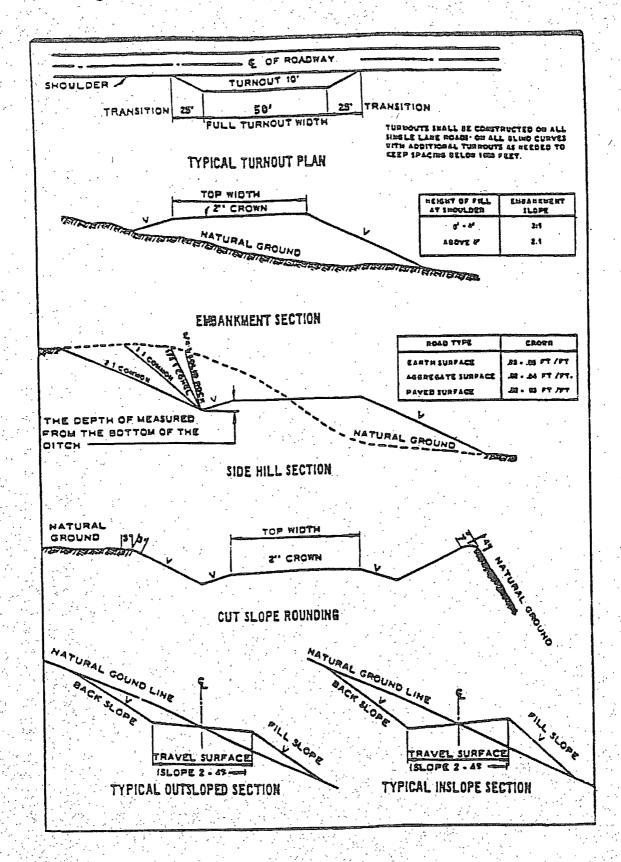
Where entry is required across a fence line, the fence shall be braced and tied off on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting.

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. It has been reported in Section 12. Therefore, it is recommended that monitoring equipment be onsite for potential Hydrogen Sulfide. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, please report measured amounts and formations 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

Changes to the approved APD casing and cement program require submitting a sundry and receiving approval prior to work. Failure to obtain approval prior to work will result in an Incident of Non-Compliance being issued.

Centralizers required on surface casing per Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.f.

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 for all casing strings. Provide compressive strengths including hours to reach required 500 pounds compressive strength prior to cementing each casing string. See individual casing strings for details regarding lead cement slurry requirements.

No pea gravel permitted for remedial or fall back remedial without prior authorization from the BLM engineer.

Possible lost circulation in the Grayburg and San Andres formations. Possible brine/water flows in the Salado and Artesia Groups.

- 1. The 11-3/4 inch surface casing shall be set at approximately 400 feet (a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface.
 - 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 is to include the lead cement slurry. Not applicable if proposed cementing program is followed.
 - 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 cementing will be done prior to drilling out that string.
- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 8-5/8 inch intermediate casing is:
 - Ement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a, c-d above.

Centralizers required on horizontal leg, must be type for horizontal service and minimum of one every other joint.

3. The mi	inimum required fill of cement behind the 5-1/2 inch production casing is:	, .
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	Cement should tie-back at least 500 feet into previous casing string. Opera	to
	shall provide method of verification.	2 ()

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.
- 3. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the 8-5/8" intermediate casing shoe shall be 3000 (3M) psi.
- 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.
 - e. BOP/BOPE must be tested by an independent service company within 500 feet of the top of the **Wolfcamp** formation if the time between the setting of the intermediate casing and reaching this depth exceeds 20 days. This test does not exclude the test prior to drilling out the casing shoe as per Onshore Order No. 2.

D. DRILL STEM TEST

If drill stem tests are performed, Onshore Order 2.III.D shall be followed.

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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

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.

The 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 3, for Shallow 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:

Species	t der			lb/acre
Plains Bristlegrass (Setaria m	agrostachya)	1.0	,
Green Spangletop (I	eptochlo	a dubia)		2.0
Side oats Grama (Bo	outeloua d	curtipendula)		5.0

^{*}Pounds of pure live seed:

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

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.