

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. TYPE OF WORK

DRILL ☒

DEEPEN ☐

PLUG BACK ☐

b. TYPE OF WELL

OIL  
WELL ☒

GAS  
WELL ☐

OTHER

SINGLE  
ZONE ☐

MULTIPLE  
ZONE ☐

2. NAME OF OPERATOR

Lone Mountain Production Company

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR

P.O. Box 3394, 408 Petroleum Bldg., Billings, MT 59103

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)\*

At surface

1700' FSL, 2000' FEL, Section 6

At proposed prod. zone

Township 16 North-Range 7 West  
McKinley County, New Mexico

14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE\*

18 miles north of San Mateo, New Mexico

15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED\*

LOCATION TO NEAREST  
PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT.  
(Also to nearest drlg. unit line, if any)

1700'

16. NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE

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17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED  
TO THIS WELL

40 acres

18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION\*

TO NEAREST WELL, DRILLING, COMPLETED,  
OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT.

1700'

19. PROPOSED DEPTH

2880'

20. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS

Rotary

21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)

6780' GR

DRILLING

22. APPROX. DATE WORK WILL START\*

March 15, 1989

23. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

This action is subject to technical and  
procedural review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3  
and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4.

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH
12-1/4"	8-5/8"	24# New	100'
7-7/8"	5-1/2"	14# New	2880'

40 sacks "G" + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>. Yield: 1.1  
270 sacks 50/50 Pozmix. + 6% Gel +  
10% salt. Yield: 1.38 ft<sup>3</sup>/sack.  
Weight: 13.1 ppg  
Top of cement @ 1300' (est.)

Enter in add file

get API #

Make lead sheet

Label on well  
file

Make lead sheet

See at

$270 \times 1.38 \times 5.77 = 2149$

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: If proposal is to deepen or plug back, give data on present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. 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.

24.

Joe Dyk

Petroleum Engineer

DATE February 23, 1989

SIGNED

TITLE

DATE

(This space for Federal or State office use)

PERMIT NO. MX-3543

APPROVAL DATE

APPROVED BY

TITLE

89-205

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED  
AS AMENDED

APR 3 1989

AREA MANAGER

FARMINGTON CITY

\*See Instructions On Reverse Side

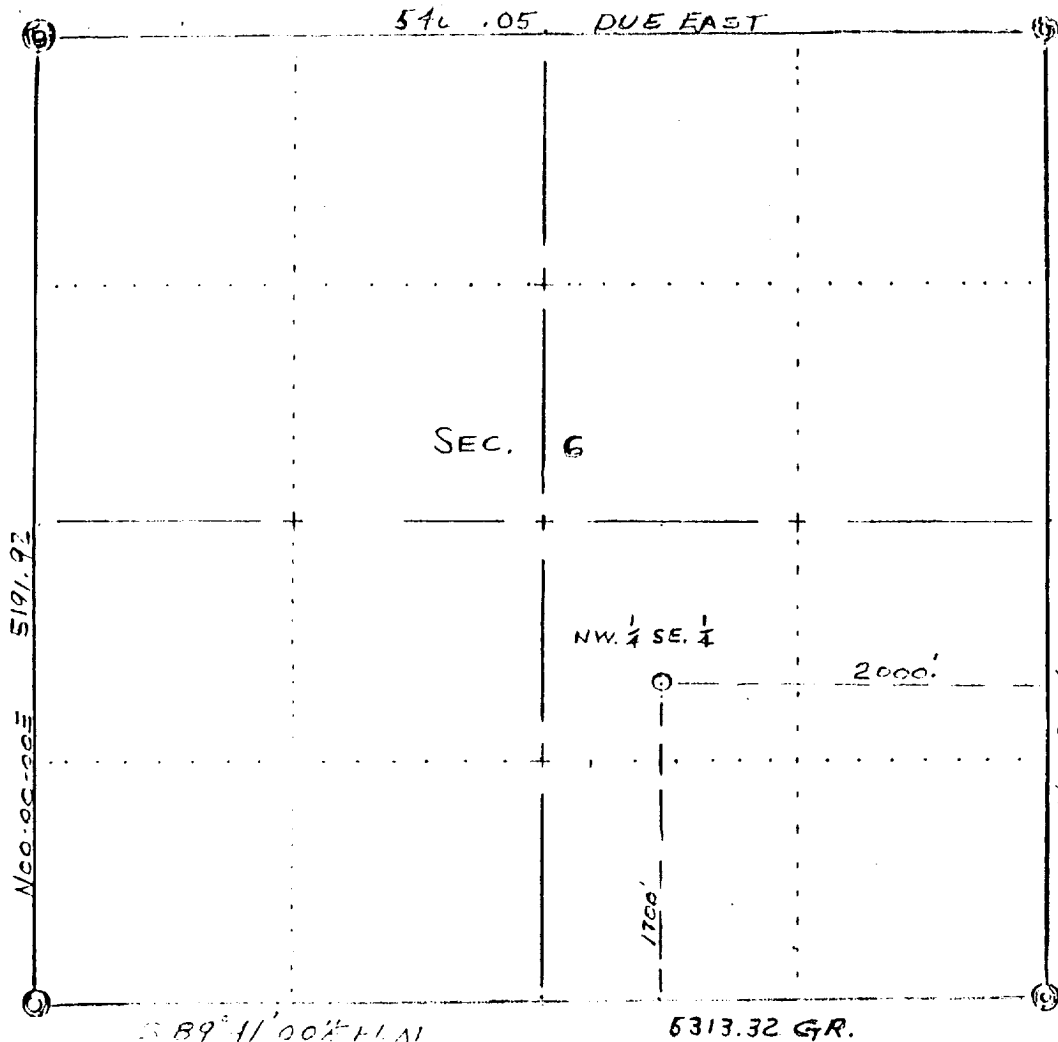
**Application for Permit to Drill**  
Federal No. 1  
NWSE Section 6-T16N-R7W  
McKinley County, New Mexico

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1. Surface Formation is the Menefee.
2. Anticipated Geologic Markers are: Hosta/872', U. Hospah/1522', Gallup/1782', Greenhorn/2392', Dakota/2472', Morrison/2862', Total Depth/2880'.
3. Oil is Anticipated in the upper and lower Hospah. Oil and gas are possible in the Dakota.
4. Proposed casing program: See item no. 23 above.
5. Pressure control equipment: See attached Well Control Plan and Schematic of Drilling Contractor's BOP Stack. BOP's will be tested before drilling out from under surface casing and checked daily.
6. Fresh water and gel will be used to drill the surface hole. A chemical-gel type mud will be used to drill to total depth.
7. Auxiliary equipment: See Well Control Plan.
8. The logging program will consist of a DIL and GR-FDC-CNL log from total depth to the base of the surface casing.
9. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated. No poisonous gas is anticipated.
10. Anticipated spud date is March 15, 1989. Completion operations should commence within 30 days of rig release.
11. Survey plats are attached.
12. Oil will be sold to Farmington area refineries. Gas will be used as fuel or reinjected for pressure maintenance.
13. Designation of Operator from Conoco to Lone Mountain Production Company is attached.

SEC. 6, T. 16 N. R. 7 W. OF THE N.M.P.M.

LOCATION PLAT



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FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO



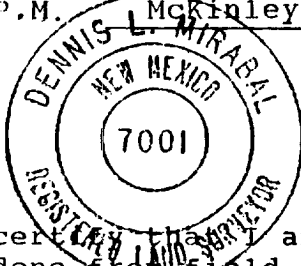
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LEGEND

- WELL LOCATION
- ⊙ ALUMINUM CAPS

THIS WELL LOCATION PLAT WAS PREPARED FOR LONE MOUNTAIN PRODUCTION CO.  
TO LOCATE THE Federal No. 1, 1700 F N L.  
2000 F E L. IN THE SE 1/4, McKinley COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
OF THE N.M.P.M. OF SECTION 6, T. 16 N., R. 7 W.



*Dennis L. Mirabal*  
DENNIS L. MIRABAL, R.L.S. LIC 7001

This is to certify that I am a Registered Land Surveyor and that this survey was done from field notes by me or under my direct supervision and is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

2/2/89

surveyed  
drawn  
checked

MIRABAL SURVEYING CO.  
824 MT. TAYLOR GRANTS, NM 87020

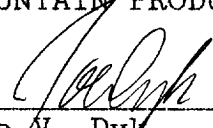
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### WELL CONTROL PLAN

1. Surface Casing: 8-5/8" O.D., 24#, L.S., STC, set at 100', cemented with pump and plug method back to the surface.
2. Casinghead Flange: 8-5/8" x 10" 600 series casinghead with two 2", 2000psi L.P. outlets.
3. Blowout Preventer: A 10" 2000 psi W.P. hydraulic Annular Preventor capable of closing in on itself.
4. Auxiliary Equipment: (a) Drill pipe floats will be allowed at contractor's discretion. (b) Visual monitoring of pit levels will be maintained. (c) Upper kelly cock will be used. (d) Stabbing valve will be kept on the floor.
5. Anticipated bottom hole pressure is 950 psi at 2880 or 0.33 psi/ft. No abnormal temperatures or hydrogen sulfide gas are anticipated.

LONE MOUNTAIN PRODUCTION COMPANY

By: \_\_\_\_\_

  
Joe V. Dyl  
Petroleum Engineer

# LONE MOUNTAIN PRODUCTION COMPANY

## Drilling Program

WELL NAME: Federal No. 1 PROSPECT/FIELD: Padilla Prospect  
 LOCATION: (NW/4 SE/4) 1700 ' FSL, 2000 ' FEL, SECTION 6, T16N, R7W  
 COUNTY: McKinley STATE: New Mexico TOTAL DEPTH: 2880 ft

### HOLE SIZE:

12.25 " to 100 '  
 7.875 " to 2880 '  
 \* " to \* '  
 \* " to \* '  
 \* " to \* '

### DEVIATION SURVEYS:

Every 30 ' from 0 ' to 100 '  
 Every 200 ' from 100 ' to 2880 '  
 Every \* ' from \* ' to \* '  
 Every \* ' from \* ' to \* '  
 Every \* ' from \* ' to \* '

### CASING/CEMENTING PROGRAM:

Type String	Depth		Casing			Cement
	From	To	Size	Weight	Grade	
SURFACE	0'	100'	8 5/8"	24 #/'	K-55	CEMENT TO SURFACE
*	*	*	*	*	*	WITH 40 SX PREM
*	*	*	*	*	*	*
PRODUCTION	2880'	0'	5 1/2"	14.0 #/'	J-55	270 sx 50/50 Poz +
*	*	*	*	*	*	6% Gel + 2% CaCl
*	*	*	*	*	*	*
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### DRILLING FLUID PROGRAM:

Type	Depth		Characteristics			
	From	To	Weight	Vis.	W.L.	Comments
Spud Mud	0'	100'	8.4-8.8	28-36	NC	*
Water	100'	1300'	8.4-8.6	28	NC	*
Chem Gel	1300'	TD	8.6-9.6	32-40	8-20cc	8-12 cc for zones
*	*	*	*	*	*	of interest

### COMMENTS:

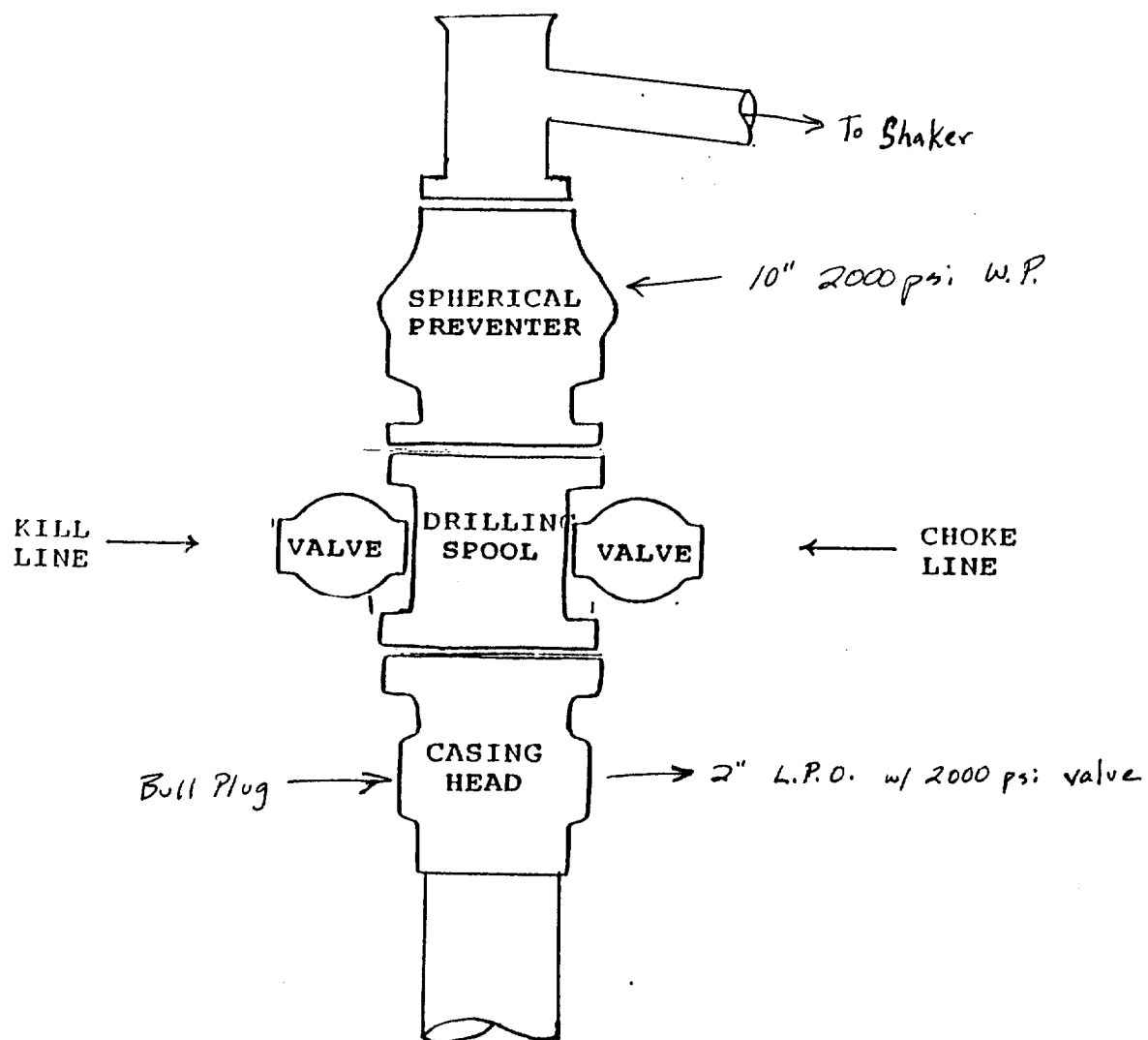
Mudlogger on above Hospah.  
 DST's are possible in the Hospah and Dakota.

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PREPARED BY: Joe Dyk

DATE: February 10, 1989

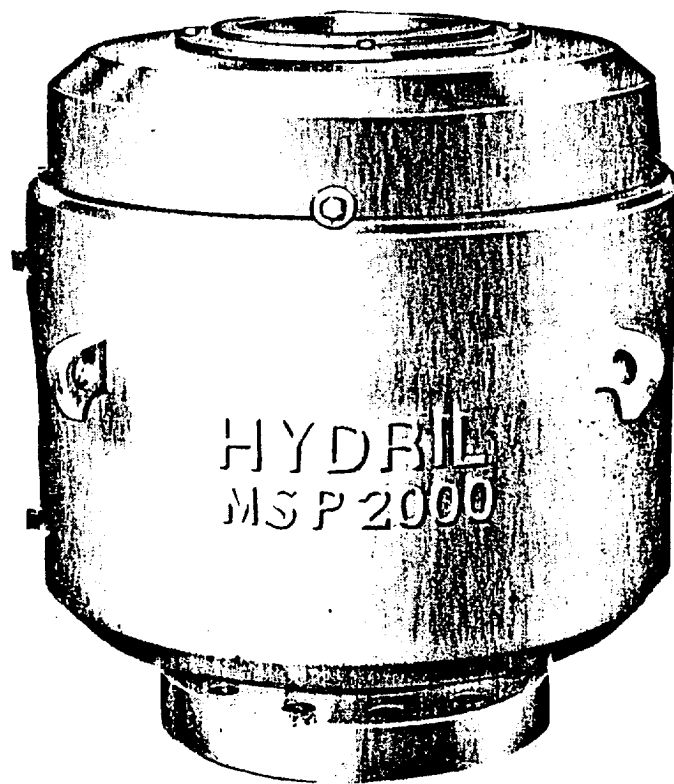
# BLOWOUT PREVENTER STACK ARRANGEMENT



## Hydril MSP

### Operating Features

- 1) Will close on open hole.  
(but not recommended)
- 2) Primary usage is in diverter systems.
- 3) Automatically returns to the open position when closing is released.
- 4) Sealing assistance is gained from the well pressure.



## SURFACE USE PLAN

Lone Mountain Production Company  
Federal No. 1  
NWSE Section 6-T16N-R7W  
McKinley County, New Mexico

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### 1. EXHISTING ROADS

See Maps #1 and #2 and Plat #1. This proposed well is located approximately 10 miles north of San Mateo, New Mexico.

### 2. ACCESS ROADS TO BE CONSTRUCTED

See Map #1 and Plat #2

### 3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS

See Map #3.

### 4. LOCATION OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES

Submitted in the event the well is completed.

### 5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

The source of water for this well is the Demitro Flores Water well located in SWSW of Section 9-T16N-R7W. It is used to water livestock on the Lee Ranch.

### 6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

No construction materials will be used other than native materials. Soil from cuts will be used in fills. No outside material will be brought in.

### 7. METHODS FOR HANDLING WASTE MATERIAL

Cuttings will be buried in the reserve pit at cleanup. Garbage and other waste material will be contained in a trash cage. This cage will be dumped at an approved sanitary landfill. Human waste will be contained and will be disposed of at an approved sanitary landfill.

Drilling fluids will be contained in the reserve pit and left to evaporate. Any fluids produced during testing operations will be collected in a test tank. If a test tank is not available, the fluids will be contained in the reserve pit. Any spills of oil, gas, saltwater, or noxious fluid will be cleaned up and removed.



If the well is productive, produced water will be disposed of on site for 30 days only or 90 days with the permission of the State Petroleum Engineer. After that time application will be made for approval of permanent disposal method in compliance with the rules and regulations of the State of New Mexico.

#### 8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES

No ancillary facilities are planned.

#### 9. WELLSITE LAYOUT

See Plat #2 - Pit and Pad Layout

See Plat #2A - Cross Sections of Pit and Pad

See Plat #3 - Rig Layout

The location will be constructed large enough to accomodate the drilling rig and associated equipment with allowance made for future completion and production equipment.

Topsoil will be stripped to a depth of 8 - 12 inches and stockpiled on the north edge of the location. No topsoil stripping will be done when soils are moisture saturated to a depth of 3 inches, or frozen below the stripping depth.

The reserve pit will be fenced on three sides prior to drilling activity at the request of the Lee ranch and closed off on the fourth side after drilling is finished. Fencing will be four strands of barb wire or 48 inch woven wire with one strand of barb wire above the woven wire. All corners will be braced with a wooden H-type brace. The fence construction will be on cut or undisturbed surface.

The backslope of the location will not exceed 2:1.

All construction activities will be confined to the minimum area necessary. The exterior boundaries of the construction area will be clearly flagged prior to any surface disturbing activities or vegetation removal.

The proposed access road will be flat bladed as necessary. No traffic will be allowed outside of the right of way.

#### 10. PLANS FOR RECLAMATION OF THE SURFACE

A biodegradeable mulch may be required if soil erosion or vegetation establishment is determined to be a problem by the authorized officer on the access or location reclamation.

All disturbed areas will be seeded with the seed mixture as outlined in the stipulations. following mixture. Application

Lone Mountain will prepare seedbed by contour cultivating 4 - 6 inches deep and drilling seed 1/2 to 1 inch deep following the contour. In areas that cannot be drilled, seed will be broadcast at 1.5 times the application rate and covered 1/2 to 1 inch deep with a harrow or drag bar.

Seeding will be completed during the approved time frame.

If the well is a producer:

Lone Mountain will upgrade and maintain access roads as necessary to prevent soil erosion and accomodate year-round traffic. Lone Mountain will reshape areas unnecessary to operation, rip or disk on the contour, and seed all disturbed areas outside the work area according to the approved seed mixture. The top soil will be saved for use during final reclamation unless the site can be recontoured to blend with the natural topography as required for final abandonment. Perennial vegetation will be established. Additional work will be required in case of seeding failures. All permanent facilities placed on the location will be painted the color specified by the BLM to blend with the natural environment.

If the well is abandoned/dryhole:

Lone Mountain will restore the access road and location to blend with the natural topography. During reclamation of the site, fill material will be pushed into cuts and up over the backslope. No depressions will be left that could trap water or form ponds. Topsoil will be distributed evenly over the location and seeding according to the above seed mixture. The access road and location will be ripped or disked prior to seeding.

The area is considered to be satisfactorily reclaimed when:

- A) Soil erosion resulting from the operation has been stabilized.
- B) A vegetative cover at least equal to that present prior to disturbance and a plant species composition at least as desirable as that present prior to disturbance has been established. Establishment of seeded species in the approved seed formula will be considered as acceptance.

Additional work will be required until these conditions are satisfied.

11. SURFACE OWNERSHIP

Owned By Iona Lee.

12. OTHER INFORMATION

Lone Mountain will contact the Farmington BLM Manager at least 24 hours prior to commencing construction or maintenance of the access road and well pad.

Lone Mountain will immediately bring to the attention of the Farmington Resource Area Manager any and all antiquities or other objects of historic or prehistoric ruins, artifacts, or fossils discovered as a result of operations under this permit. Lone Mountain will immediately suspend all activities in the area of the object and will leave such discoveries intact until told to proceed by the Area Manager. Notice to proceed will be based upon evaluation of the cultural significance of the object. Evaluation will be by a qualified professional selected by the Area Manager from a federal agency insofar as practical. When not practical, Lone Mountain will follow the mitigation requirements set forth by the Area Manager concerning protection, preservation, or disposition of any sites or material discovered. In those situations where the Area Manager determines that data recovery and/or salvage excavations are necessary, Lone Mountain will bear the cost of such data recovery and/or salvage operations.

The Farmington Resource Area Manager will be notified at least 24 hours prior to commencing reclamation work.

13. LESSEE'S OR OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVES AND CERTIFICATION

James G. Routson  
Lone Mountain Production Company  
P.O. Box 3394  
Billings, Montana 59103  
Office Phone: 406-245-5077  
Home Phone: 406-245-8797

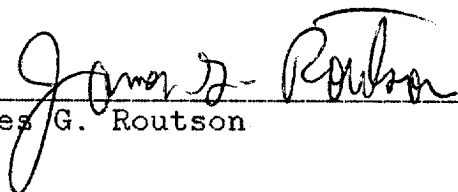
Joe Elledge  
Field Consultant

P.O. Box 111  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499  
Phone: 505-327-9267

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my supervision, have inspected the proposed drillsite and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with operations proposed herein will be performed by Lone Mountain Production Company and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

February 23, 1989

Date

  
James G. Routson

PLAT # 2

PIT & PAD LAYOUT

1" = 50'

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AA

50' RP • B

100'

50'

BB

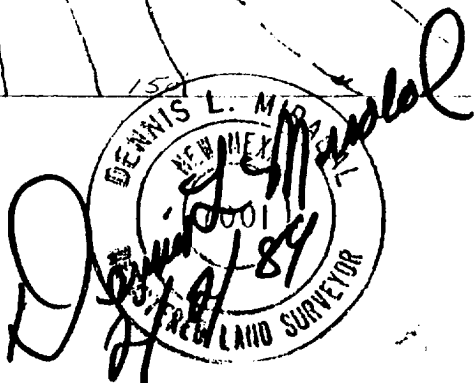
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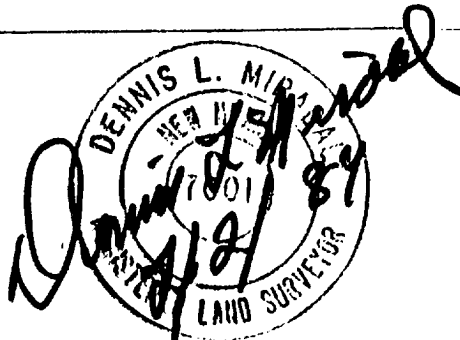
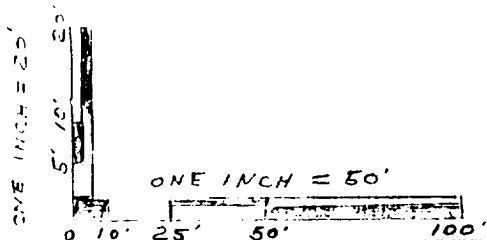
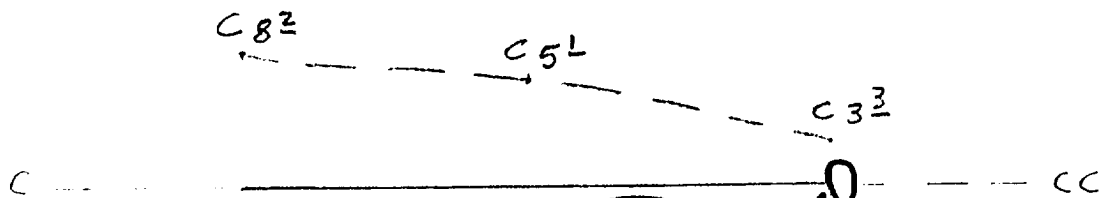
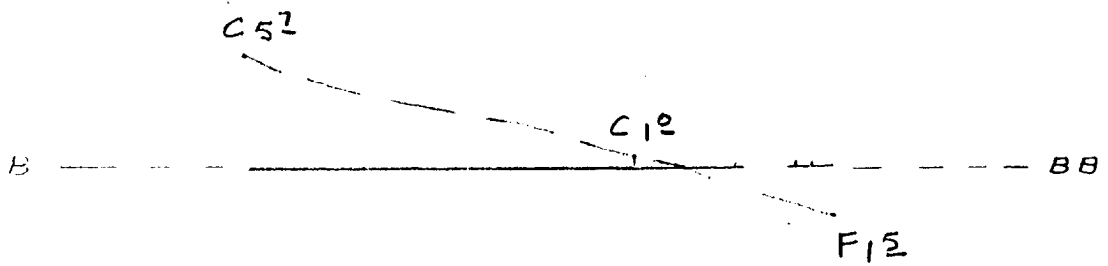
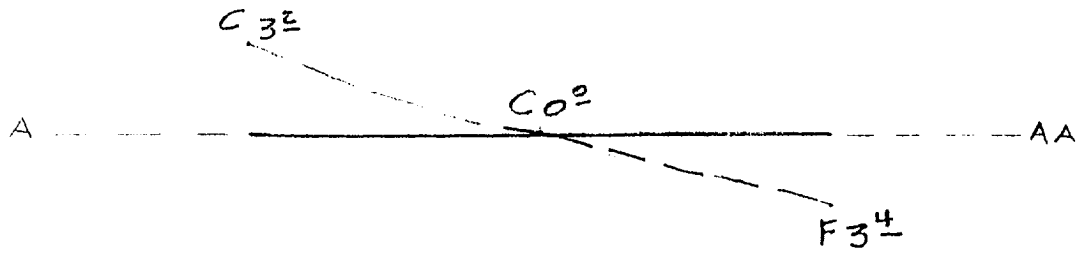
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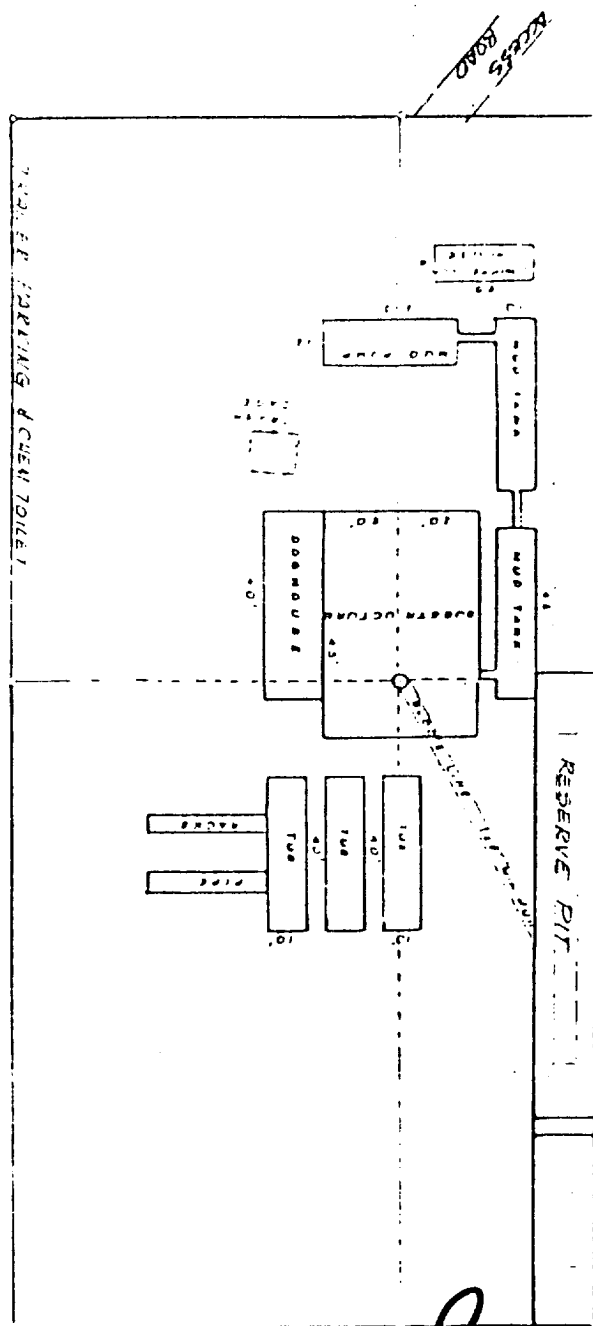
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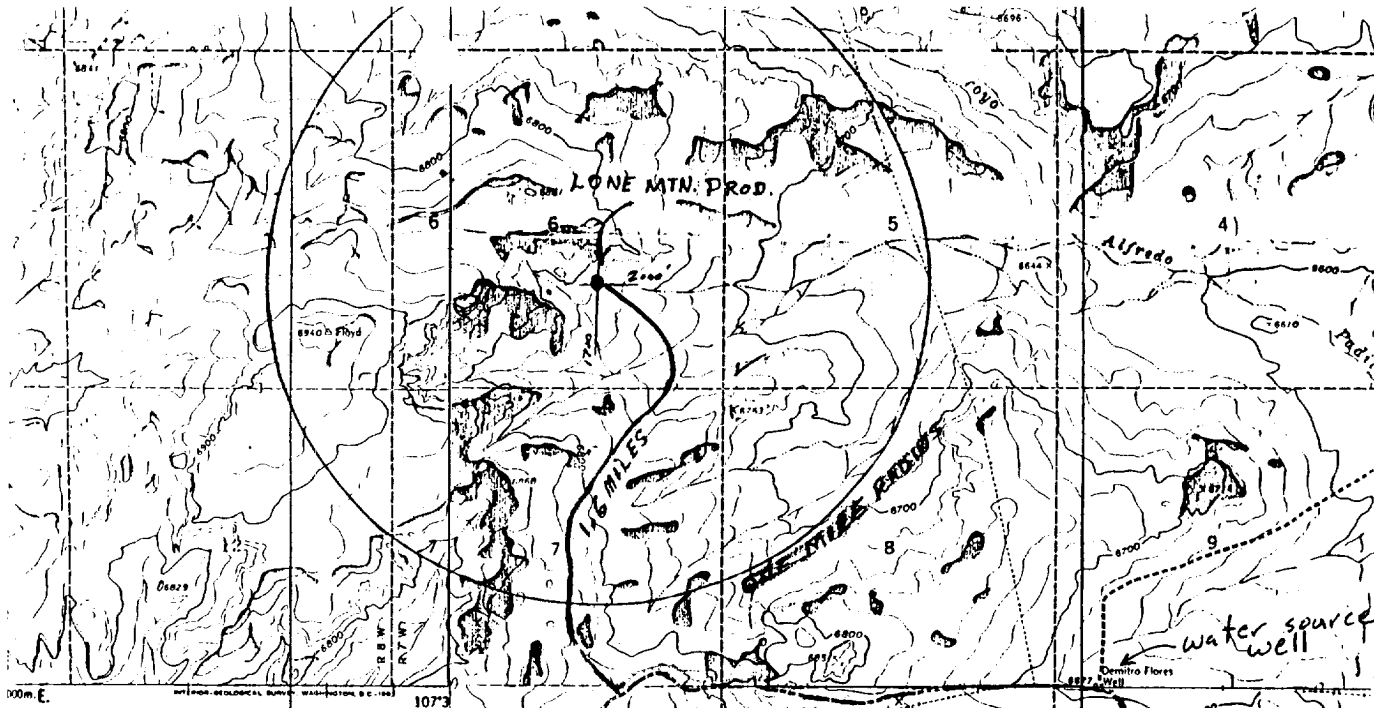
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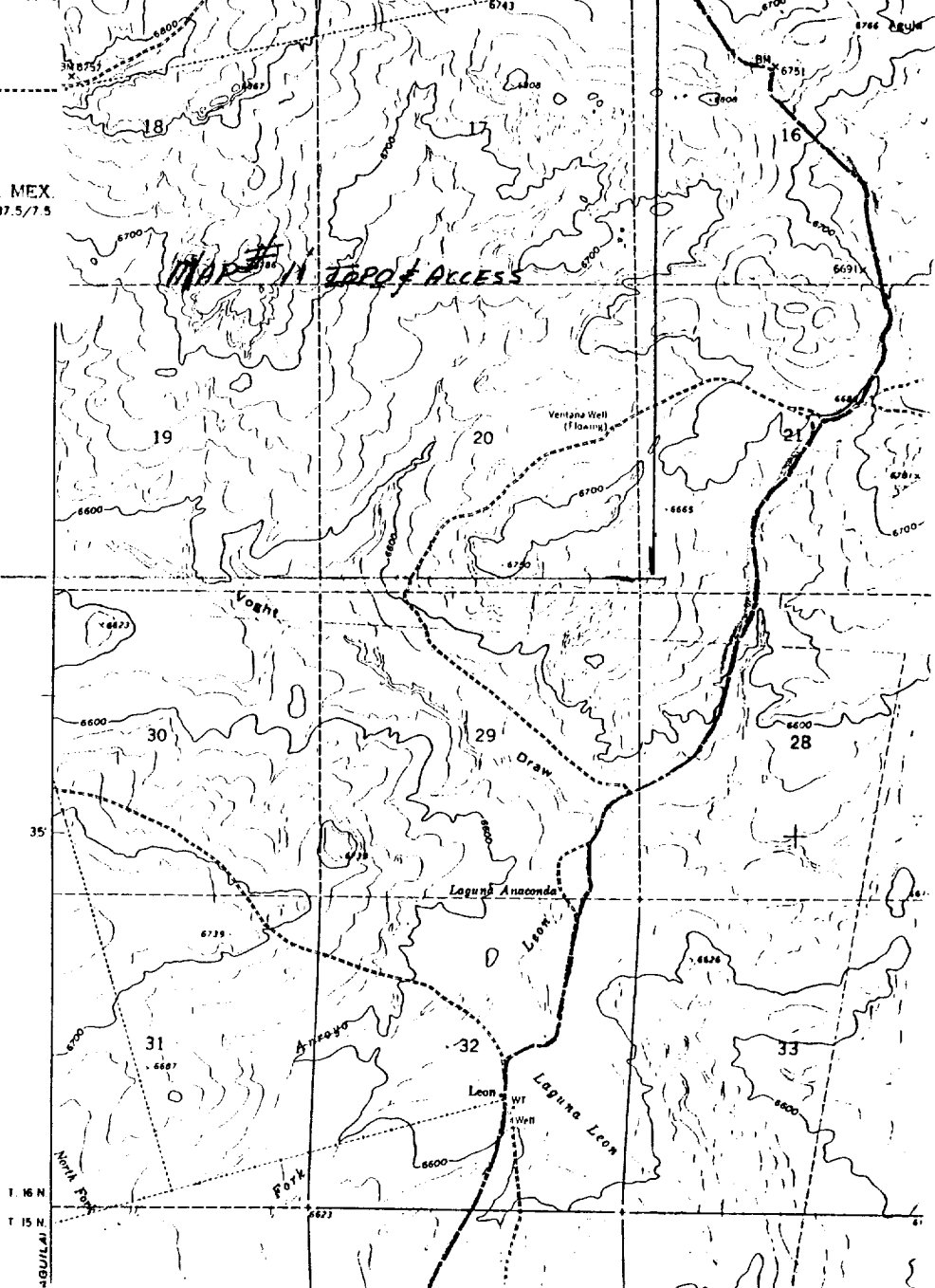
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 LONE MOUNTAIN

LONE MOUNTAIN PROPS. CO.



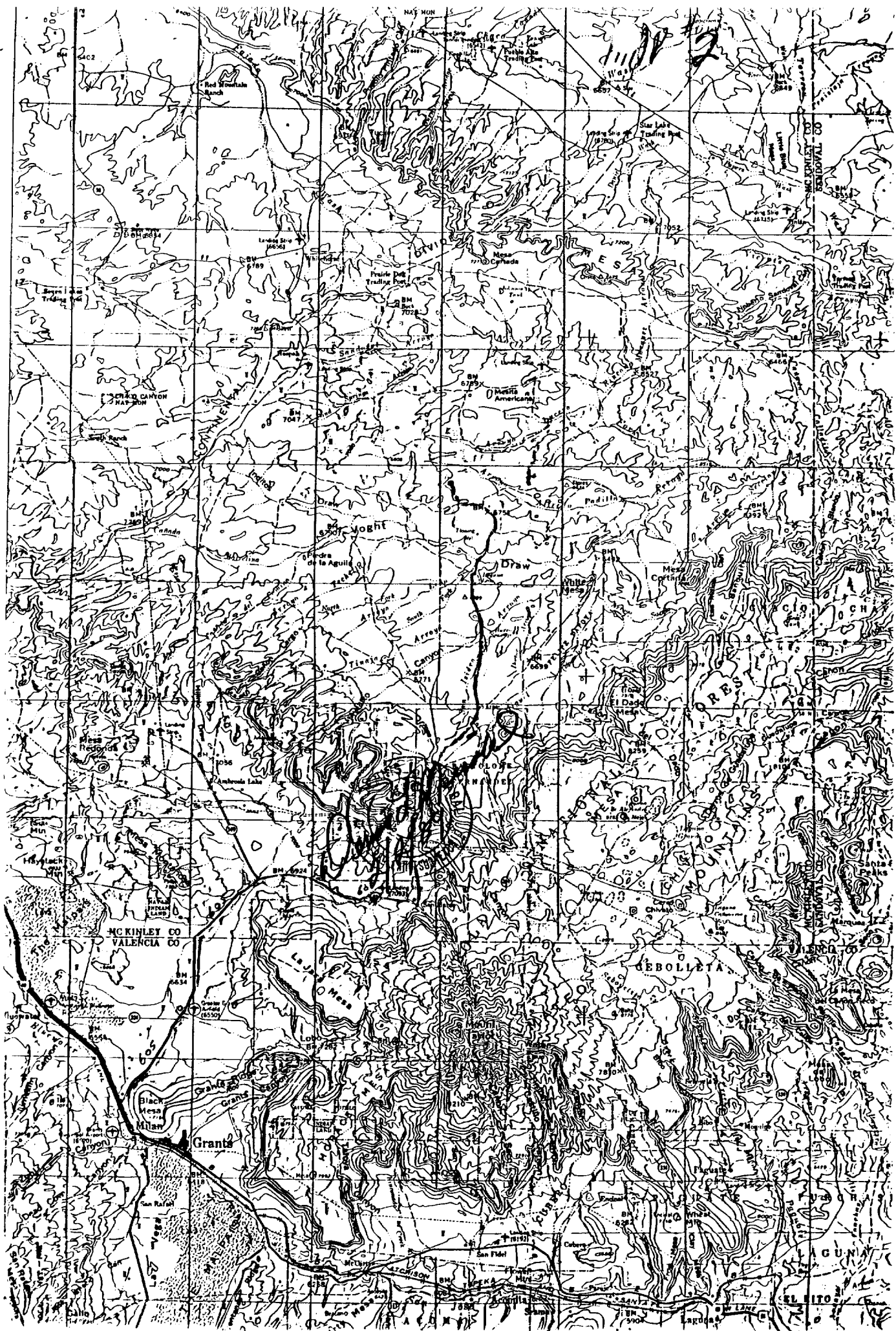
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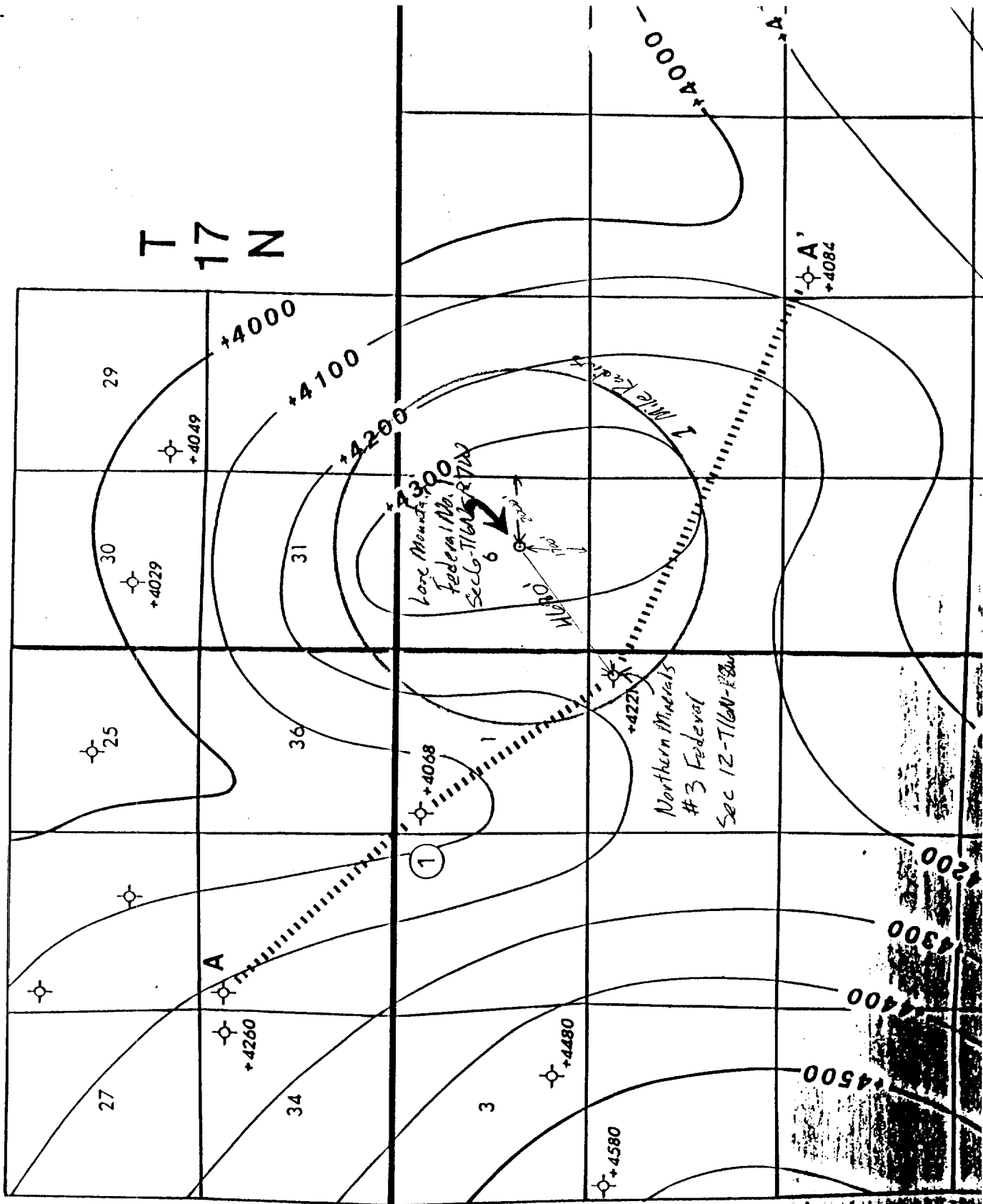
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1. Existing Roads

See maps #1 and #2 and Plat #1. This proposed well is approximately 24.7 miles Northwest of the town of San Mateo. It is reached by going from the intersection of (in Milan, NM), the Santa Fe Railroad and Highway 605, Northeast on H/W 605 approximately 22.4 miles. Then LT. on H/W 456 1.7 miles then LT. on the Santa Fe Coal Mine Road approximately 7.7 miles, then turn RT. on a dirt road approximately 13.7 miles, then turn rt. on new access road 1.6 miles to well location

2. Access road to be Reconstructed

See map #1 and Plat #1. The access road which lies North-erly through Section 7, and into Section 6. I will be necessary to grade and widen this road.

3. Location of Water Well

This well is located approximately  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles South, and  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles East of the proposed well sight. This is a Lee Ranch Well used to water their livestock.

4. Wellsite Layout

See Plat #2 - Pit & Pad Layout  
See Plat #2A - Cross Section of Pit and Pad  
See Plat #3 - Rig Layout

5. Other Information

The Vegetation includes juniper, pinon, sage brush, and grama grass.

Date:

2/2/89

Dennis L. Mirabal

