



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS  
& NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
2040 South Pacheco Street  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505  
(505) 827-7431

May 12, 1999

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DIST. 3

Energen Resources Corporation  
2198 Bloomfield Highway  
Farmington, New Mexico 87401  
Attention: Richard P. Corcoran

*Administrative Order NSP-1804*

Dear Mr. Corcoran:

Reference is made to the following: (i) your application dated April 19, 1999; (ii) the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division's ("Division") initial response by letter dated April 26, 1999 from Mr. Michael E. Stogner, Engineer in Santa Fe; (iii) your response by letter dated May 3, 1999 with the supplemental data to complete this application; and (iv) the records of the Division: all concerning Energen Resources Corporation's ("Energen") request for to establish a non-standard 205.88-acre gas spacing and proration unit consisting of the following acreage in the Basin-Dakota Pool:

**RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM**

Irregular Section 31: Lots 1 through 5, the E/2 NW/4, and the NE/4 SW/4.

Gas production from this pool is to be dedicated to Energen's proposed San Juan "30-4" Unit Well No. 33-A to be drilled at a standard gas well location 830 feet from the North line and 820 feet from the West line (Unit C) of Section 31.

The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 104.F, 104.D(2), and 605.B.

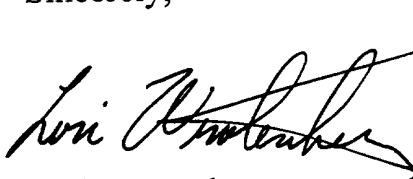
By the authority granted me under the provisions of Division Rules 104.F(2) and 104.D(2)(b), the above-described 205.88-acre non-standard gas spacing and

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May 12, 1999  
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proration unit in the Basin-Dakota Pool is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

  
Lori Wrotenbery  
Director

LW/MES/kv

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec /  
U. S. Bureau of Land Management - Farmington

**Remarks:** It is our understanding that this well is to be dually completed into both the Basin-Dakota and Blanco-Mesaverde Pools. Gas production from the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool is to be included in an existing non-standard 205.88-acre stand-up gas spacing and proration unit comprising this same acreage (approved by Division Administrative Order NWU-362, dated October 20, 1960), which is currently dedicated to Burlington's San Juan "30-4" Unit Well No. 33 (API No. 30-039-82387), located at a standard gas well location 1590 feet from the South line and 1110 feet from the West line (Unit K) of Section 31.



April 19, 1999

Mr. Michael E. Stogner  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

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RE: Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Proration Unit  
San Juan 30-4 Unit #33A Well  
830' FNL, 820' FWL  
Section 31, T30N-R4W  
Mesa Verde / Dakota Dual  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Energen Resources Corporation requests administrative approval of a non-standard spacing and proration unit for its San Juan 30-4 Unit #33A well to be located 830' FNL and 820' FWL of Section 31, T30N-R4W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

The W/2 of said Section 31 is an irregular section containing 205.88 acres, caused by a variation in the legal subdivision of the U.S. Public Land Survey. This results in the spacing and proration unit being 64.43% of a standard gas spacing and proration unit for the Blanco Mesa Verde and Basin Dakota pools. A non-standard proration unit covering the Blanco Mesa Verde was approved under Order NWU-362 in conjunction with the drilling of the San Juan 30-4 Unit #33 well. The #33 well, located 1,590' FSL and 1,100' FWL of Section 31, was drilled as a Mesa Verde well in June of 1960. As the Dakota formation was not included in Order NWU-362 for the previously drilled well, Energen respectfully requests administrative approval of a Non-Standard Proration Unit for the Basin Dakota formation under the subject well.

A copy of this application is being submitted to all offset operators by certified mail with a request that they furnish your office in Santa Fe with a Waiver of Objection.

Attached is a well location plat showing acreage, a topographic plat of the area, and a map showing all offsetting operators.

Sincerely,

Richard P. Corcoran  
District Landman

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CC: NMOCD-Aztec, BLM-Farmington, Offset Operators

April 19, 1999

EJE Brown Company  
Attn: Mr. Ed DiRe  
c/o Nations Bank of Texas, N.A.  
PO Box 2546  
Fort Worth, TX 76113-2546

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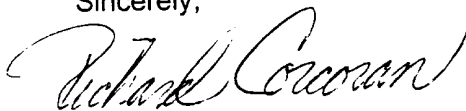
Dear Mr. DiRe:

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If you have no objection to this Non-Standard Proration Unit, please sign three copies of the attached waiver, return one executed copy to the NMOCD in Santa Fe, one copy to our office, and retain one copy for your files. If you have any objections to this proposal, please notify the NMOCD at 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 within 20 days of the date of this letter.

Your assistance and cooperation in this matter are appreciated.

Sincerely,



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April 19, 1999

Kathleen Quinn  
Attn: Mr. Ed DiRe  
c/o Nations Bank of Texas, N.A.  
PO Box 2546  
Fort Worth, TX 76113-2546

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Richard P. Corcoran  
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Devon Energy  
Attn: Land Department  
20 N. Broadway, Suite 1500  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

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Gentlemen:

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



April 19, 1999

Burlington Resources  
Attn: Mr. David Valdez  
PO Box 4289  
Farmington, NM 87499

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Dear Mr. Valdez:

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April 19, 1999

Mr. Thomas A. Dugan  
PO Box 420  
Farmington, NM 87499

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Dear Tom:

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April 19, 1999

Mr. Dave Parker  
Chase Bank of Texas  
Trust U/W/O Evelyn G. Brown  
PO Box 2558  
Houston, TX 77252-8033

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April 19, 1999

Mr. Scott Prather  
Phillips Petroleum Company  
5525 Highway 64  
Farmington, NM 87401

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April 19, 1999

Mr. Edwin S. Ryan, Jr.  
Cross Timbers Oil Company  
810 Houston St., Suite 2000  
Fort Worth, TX 76102-6298

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District I  
170 Box 1780, Hobbs, NM 88241-1780  
District II  
811 South First, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
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Revised October 18, 1991

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

☐ AMENDED REPORT

**WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

1. APT Number		2. Pool Code 72329/71599		3. Pool Name Blanco Mesaverde/Basin Dakota	
4. Property Code		5. Property Name SAN JUAN 30-4 UNIT			6. Well Number 33A
7. OGRID No. 162928		8. Operator Name TAURUS EXPLORATION			9. Elevation 7388'

**10 Surface Location**

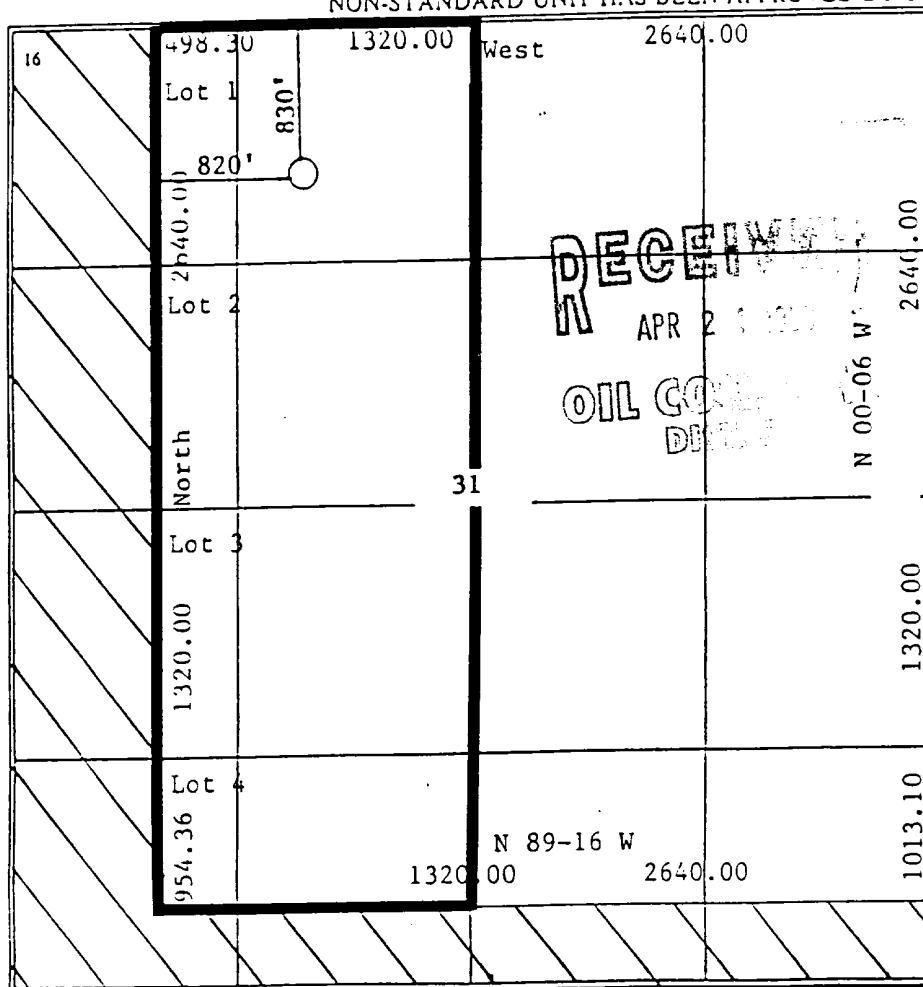
UL, or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
C	31	30N	4W		830'	North	820'	West	Rio Arriba

**11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface**

UL, or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County

12. Dedicated Acres 205.88	13. Joint or Infill	14. Consolidation Code	15. Order 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



**17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*[Signature]*  
Signature

Gary W. Brink

Printed Name

Production Superintendent

Title

3/15/99

Date

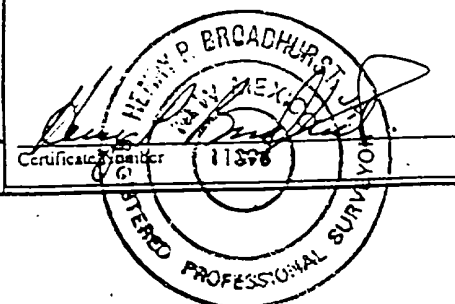
**18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

08/13/98

Date of Survey

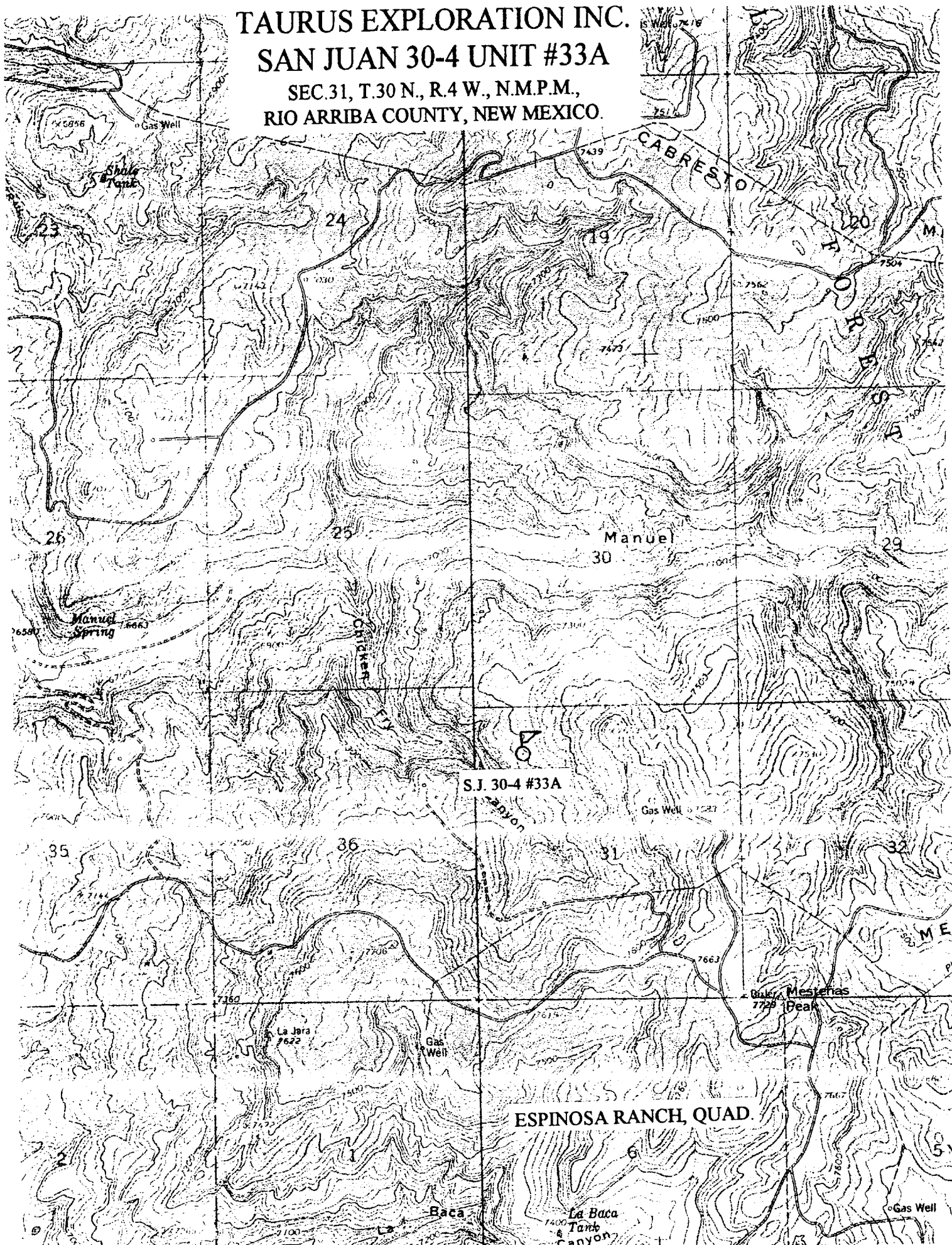
Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor:



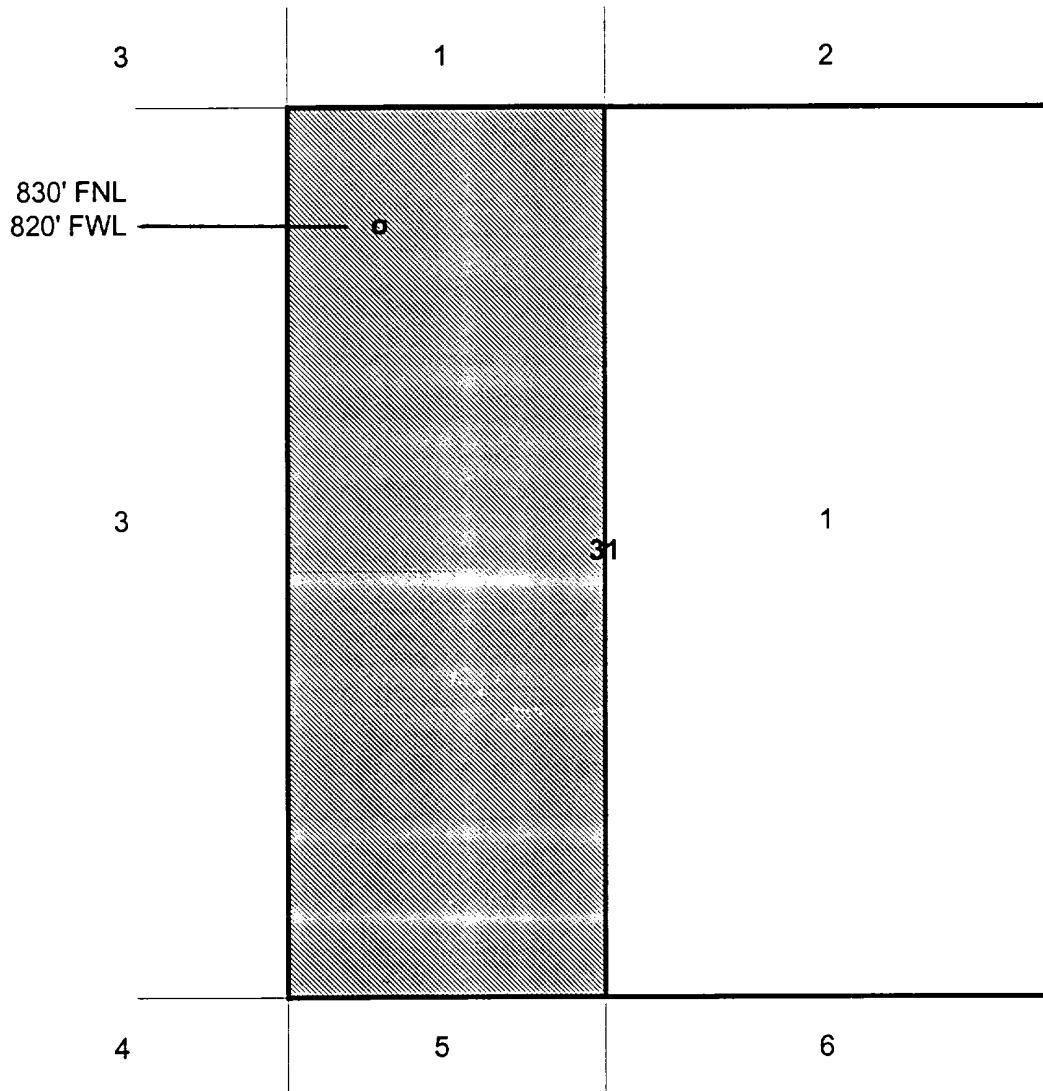
# TAURUS EXPLORATION INC.

## SAN JUAN 30-4 UNIT #33A

SEC. 31, T. 30 N., R. 4 W., N.M.P.M.,  
RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.



**Energen Resources Corporation**  
**San Juan 30-4 Unit # 33A**  
**OFFSET OPERATOR \ OWNER PLAT**  
**Mesa Verde \ Dakota**  
**Township 30 North - Range 4 West**  
**Section 31: Lots 1,2,3,4,5,E/2NW/4,NE/4SW/4 (W/2)**



Tract 1	Energen Resources Corp.	
Tract 2	Energen Resources Corp.	93.87500%
	Thomas A. Dugan	1.31250%
	Devon Energy Corp.	1.31250%
	EJE Brown Co.	1.31250%
	Trust UWO Evelyn G. Brown	0.38808%
	Trust UWO Algernon W. Brown	0.92442%
	Kathleen Quinn, a widow	0.87500%
Tract 3	Phillips Petroleum Company	
Tract 4	U. S. A. Unleased	
Tract 5	Cross Timbers Operating Co.	
Tract 6	Burlington Resources	