

NSL-130-A

131857121

***New Mexico Oil Conservation Division---Engineering Bureau
Administrative Application Process Documentation***

Date Application Received: 11-13-2001

Date of Preliminary Review: 11-28-2001
(Note: Must be within 10-days of received date)

Results: ✓ Application Complete Application Incomplete

Date Incomplete Letter Sent: NA

Deadline to Submit Requested Information: NA

Phone Call Date: NA
(Note: Only applies if requested data is not submitted within the 7-day deadline)

Phone Log Completed? Yes No

Date Application Processed: 12-3-2001

Date Application Returned:
(Note: Only as a last resort & only after repeated attempts by the Division to obtain the necessary information to process the application)

DATE 11/13/01	SYSTEM 12/3/01	ENGINEER MS	LOGGED IN KV	TYPE NSL	APP NO. 131857121
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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Application Acronyms:

[NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]
[DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]
[PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]
[WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]
[SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]
[EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

[1] TYPE OF APPLICATION - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

[A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication
☒ NSL ☐ NSP ☐ SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

[B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement
☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

[C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery
☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

[D] Other: Specify _____

[2] NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Which Apply, or ☐ Does Not Apply

- [A] ☐ Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
- [B] ☒ Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
- [C] ☐ Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
- [D] ☐ Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
- [E] ☐ For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
- [F] ☐ Waivers are Attached

[3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.

[4] CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

GEORGE A. COX
 Print or Type Name

George A Cox
 Signature

LAWMAN
 Title

11-7-01
 Date

GEORGE COX @ XTO ENERGY.COM
 e-mail Address



November 7, 2001

CERTIFIED MAIL:

Mr. Michael E. Stogner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 S. Saint Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

RE: Application for Administrative Approval of Unorthodox Location
XTO Energy Inc.'s Schwerdtfeger "A" #12B Well
2,385' FNL and 2,580' FWL (SE/4 NW/4)
Unit F, Section 6, T27N-R8W
San Juan County, New Mexico
Blanco Mesaverde Gas Pool

Dear Mr. Stogner:


XTO Energy Inc. hereby requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location for the above referenced well. Attached for your reference are the following exhibits:

1. Well location plat (NMOCD Form C-102)
2. List of Offset Owners
3. Ownership map
4. Topographic map
5. Production map

The rules state that the well should not be closer than 660 feet to the South and North lines nor closer than 660 feet to the East and West lines of a Gas Proration Unit and not closer than 10 feet to any interior quarter or quarter-quarter section line. Due to the existing topography, XTO is not able to place the well any further West for a location that will conform to current footage requirements. The drilling of this additional well would increase production and the protection of correlative rights.

By certified mail, a copy of this application and request for administrative approval has been sent to all of the Blanco Mesaverde Gas Pool working interest owners and offset operators listed on the attached list. XTO would like to request your Administration Approval for the unorthodox location based on the above information. Should you need any additional information please feel free to contact me at (817) 885-2454.

Sincerely,
XTO ENERGY INC.


George A. Cox, CPL
Landman

Enclosures

cc: Gary Markestad
Darrin Steed
Jeff Patton
Robin Tracy

DISTRICT I
1825 N. French Dr., Hobbs, N.M. 88240

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised August 15, 2000

DISTRICT II
811 South First, Artesia, N.M. 88210

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, NM 87505

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, N.M. 87410

DISTRICT IV
2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 87505

RECEIVED

OCT 31 2001

LAND DEPARTMENT

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

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number	² Pool Code	³ Pool Name
⁴ Property Code	⁵ Property Name SCHWERTFEGER "A"	⁶ Well Number 12B
⁷ OGRID No.	⁸ Operator Name XTO ENERGY INC.	⁹ Elevation 6757'

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
F	6	27-N	8-W		2385'	NORTH	2580'	WEST	SAN JUAN

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					¹³ Joint or Infill		¹⁴ Consolidation Code		¹⁵ Order No.

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

¹⁶ CALC'D CORNER S 89-30-07 E 2664.3' (M)		FD BC G.L.O. 1916	
LOT 4	LOT 3	LOT 2	LOT 1
S 00-06-47 W 2605.1' (M)		2385'	
LOT 5	1248'	1082'	84'
2580'		220'	
CALC'D CORNER		6	
LOT 6	LAT: 36°36'17" N. LONG: 107°43'20" W.		
LOT 7			

¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

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

Signature _____

Printed Name _____

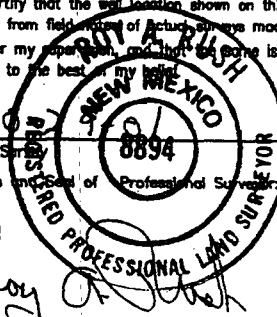
Title _____

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 knowledge

Date of Survey _____

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: 

8894

Certificate Number _____

OFFSET OPERATORS AND OWNERS NOTIFICATION LIST
SCHWERDTEFGER "A" #12B WELL

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas
P.O. Box 4289
Farmington, NM 87499-4289
Attention: Dawn Howell

Four Star Oil & Gas
P.O. Box 2100
Denver, CO 80210-2100
Attention: Rocky Holly

BPAmoco
P.O. Box 3092
Houston, TX 77253
Attention: Steve Reinert



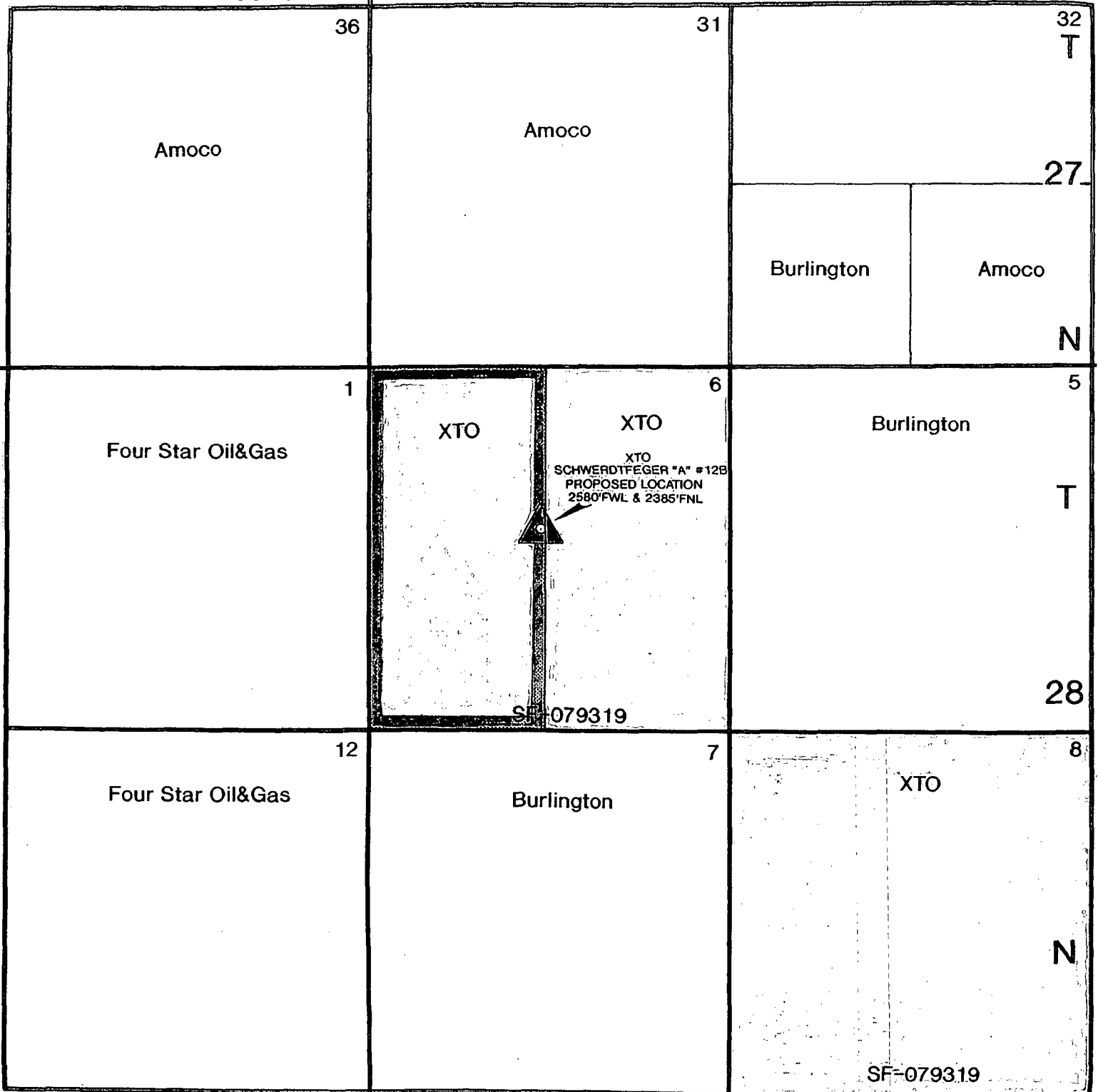
SECTION PLAT OF 9 SQUARE MILES

STATE: New Mexico COUNTY: San Juan
PROSPECT: Mesaverde Formation DATE: _____
SECTIONS: _____ BLOCK: _____ SURVEY: _____
ACRES: _____ TOWNSHIP: 27North RANGE: 8West

SCALE: 1"=2,000'

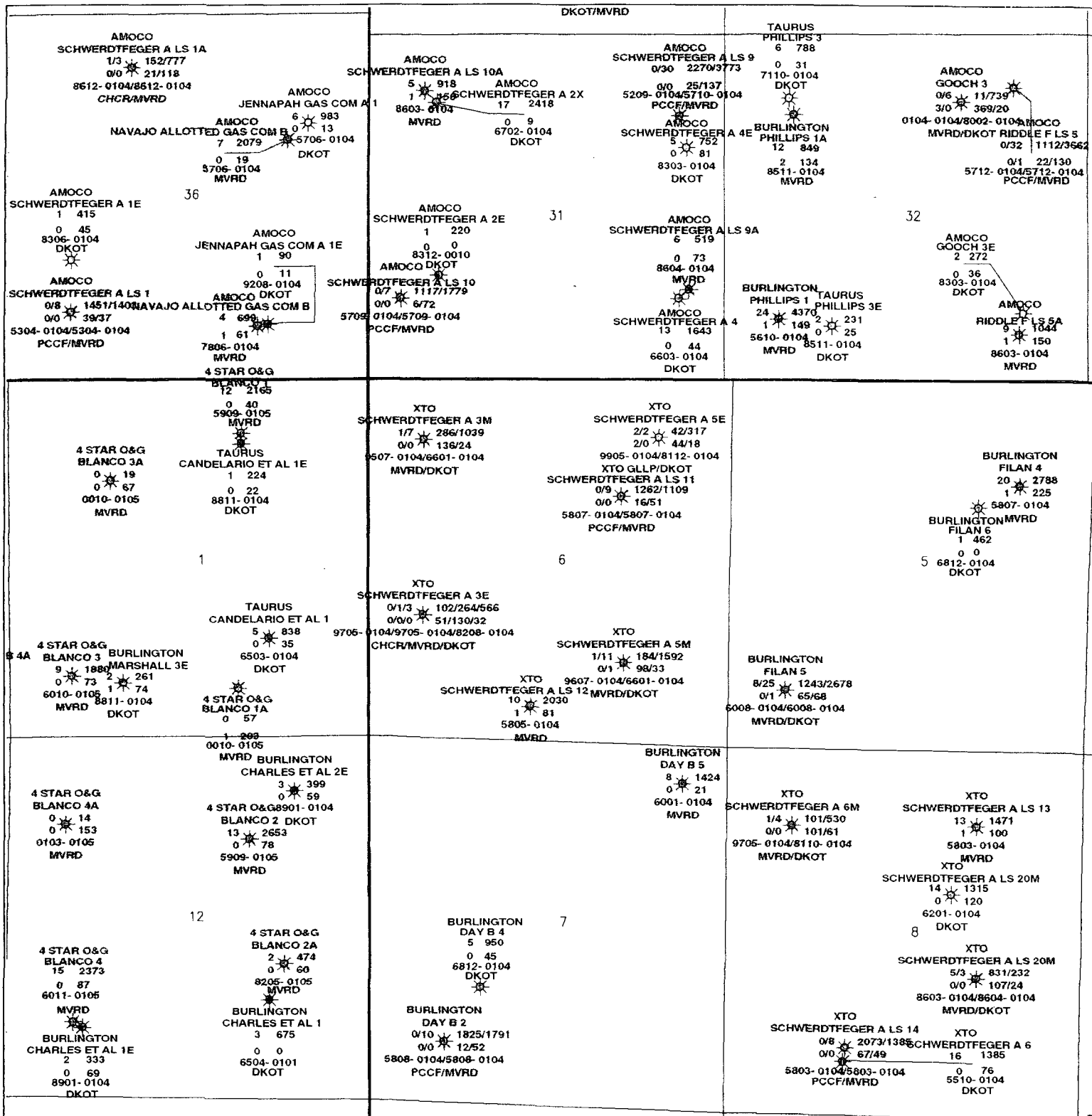
R-9-W

R-8-W



XTO ENERGY INC.
SCHWERTFEGER "A" No. 12B
NW/4 SEC. 6, T-27-N, R-8-W, N.M.P.M.A.,
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
2385' FNL 2580' FWL







November 7, 2001

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Farmington, NM 87499-4289
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Sincerely,
XTO ENERGY INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'George A. Cox'.

George A. Cox, CPL
Landman

Enclosures



November 7, 2001

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Four Star Oil & Gas
P.O. Box 2100
Denver, CO 80210-2100
Attention: Rocky Holly

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Houston, TX 77253
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- Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
- Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits.

1. Article Addressed to:

BP Amoco
P. O. Box 3092
Houston, TX 77253
Attn: Steve Reinert
GAC:11/06/01:Schwerdtferger A 12B

2. Article Number
(Transfer from service label)

PS Form 3811, August 2001

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-01-M-2509

COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

A. Signature

X☐ Agent
☐ Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name)

C. Date of Delivery

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes
If YES, enter delivery address below: ☐ No

3. Service Type

☐ Certified Mail ☐ Express Mail
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(Transfer from service label) **7001 0320 0004 8336 5046**

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