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Director
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NSL-2416
RULE-104 F(I)
Undesignated Crooked Creek
Narrow Gas Pool
320-Accred. - S/2 Section 33

Anna,
Format → Reference is made to your request
on behalf of BTA Oil Producers etc...

Re: BTA Oil Producers
Unorthodox Location
Sec. 33, T. 23S., R. 24E.
Eddy County, NM
566' FSL & 1312' FEL

Dear Sir:

Request is hereby made for administrative approval off an unorthodox location, pursuant to Division Rule 104. F.I., based on topographical conditions. In support of the application the following documents are enclosed:

- Exhibit "A" - Surveyor's Dissertation
- Exhibit "B" - Survey Plat
- Exhibit "C" - Letter from offset operator stating
no objection to unorthodox location
- Exhibit "D" - Topo Map depicting well location

We trust that we have complied with Rule 104 F.I. for administrative approval and request that favorable consideration be given to this application at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

James A. Gillham

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Enclosures (4)

JAG/eam

*Yates is only offset
operator surrendering
this production unit.*

SCHUMANN ENGINEERING CO., INC.

MAX A. SCHUMANN, JR., PRESIDENT

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MEETING REPORT

MEETING DATE: September 16, 1987

ISSUE DATE: September 17, 1987

PROJECT: Field staking of well location for BTA
Oil Producers, 8710 JV-P "Tank" Lease,
Well No. 1

LOCATION: Field site, to wit; Section 33, Range-24-
E, Township-23-S, Eddy County, New Mexico

PRESENT: Mr. Jim Gillham, representing BTA Oil
Producers

Mr. Barry Hunt, representing Bureau of
Land Management

Mr. Jim Martin, Archaeologist

Mr. Robert Rowland, surveyor party chief,
representing Schumann Engineering Co.,
Inc.

DISCUSSION:

Purpose of meeting was to choose site for well location that was suitable to all involved. Original requested location site from BTA being 660 feet from the South and 1980 feet from the East lines of the above stated section 33 was found to be on the side of a 300 foot high cliff.

Messrs. Gillham, Hunt and Martin then chose a second point for a location site being approximately 660 feet east of original location point. The alternate location was more precisely surveyed to be 566 feet from the South and 1312 feet from the East lines of the above stated section 33. This site is centered on a flat area slightly higher than the surrounding bounds. Those bounds are as follows: the North and East - a natural drainage intermittent stream, the South - the limits of the leased area and the West - first, an underground water pipeline, second, a third natural drainage intermittent stream and lastly the beginning or bottom edge of the heretofore mentioned cliff that the original location position was spotted.

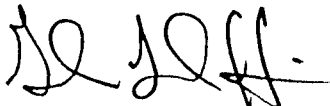
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The alternate location was considered the best possible site when considering the area needed for the location pad, pit areas and accessibility. Movement of the proposed alternate location in any direction of any distance, save a very minimal one could possibly create problems at the edges of the location site with the areas bounded by it as set out above.

END OF MEETING:

This report is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief as to the items discussed during the meeting listed hereon by the parties listed hereon. Please contact this office if any omissions or misrepresentations of any material discussed in this report are found.

SUBMITTED BY: Gralin L. Coffin from facts given by
Robert Rowland



Gralin L. Coffin
Manager
Schumann Engineering Co., Inc.

xc: 3- BTA Oil Producers, for distribution

**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

Form C-102
Supersedes C-128
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

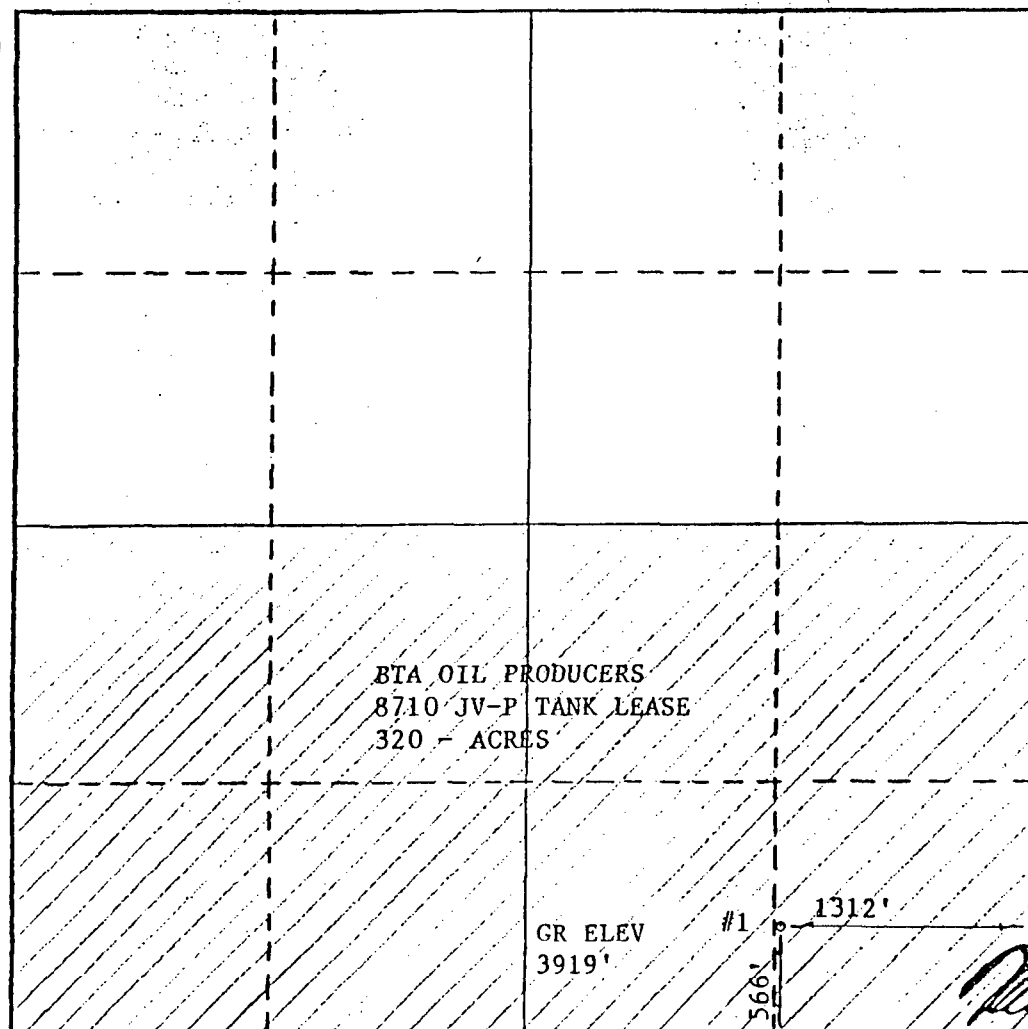
Operator BTA OIL PRODUCERS			Lease 8710 JV-P TANK		Well No. 1
Unit Letter "P"	Section 33	Township 23-S	Range 24-E	County EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO	
Actual Footage Location of Well:					
566 feet from the SOUTH line and		1312 feet from the EAST line			
Ground Level Elev. 3919	Producing Formation CROOKED CREEK		Pool MORROW	Dedicated Acreage: 320 ACRES Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



CERTIFICATION

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

Name _____

Position _____

Company _____

Date _____

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 and belief.

Date Surveyed _____

SEPTEMBER 16, 1987

Registered Professional Engineer
and/or Licensed Surveyor

MAX A. SCHUMANN JR

Certificate No. _____

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Exhibit "B"

0 330 660 990 1320 1650 1980 2310 2640 2000 1800 1600 1400 1200 1000 800 600 400 200 0



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S. P. YATES
PRESIDENT
JOHN A. YATES
VICE PRESIDENT
B. W. HARPER
SEC. - TREAS.

September 22, 1987

Mr. James A. Gillham
P. O. Box 1181
Roswell, New Mexico 88201

Re: BTA Oil Producers Unorthodox
Location
Sec. 33, T23S-R24E
Eddy County, New Mexico
566' FSL and 1312' FEL

Dear Mr. Gillham:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation, Yates Petroleum Corporation has no objection to the captioned unorthodox location for topographic reasons. We trust that we would be given similar consideration should the need arise.

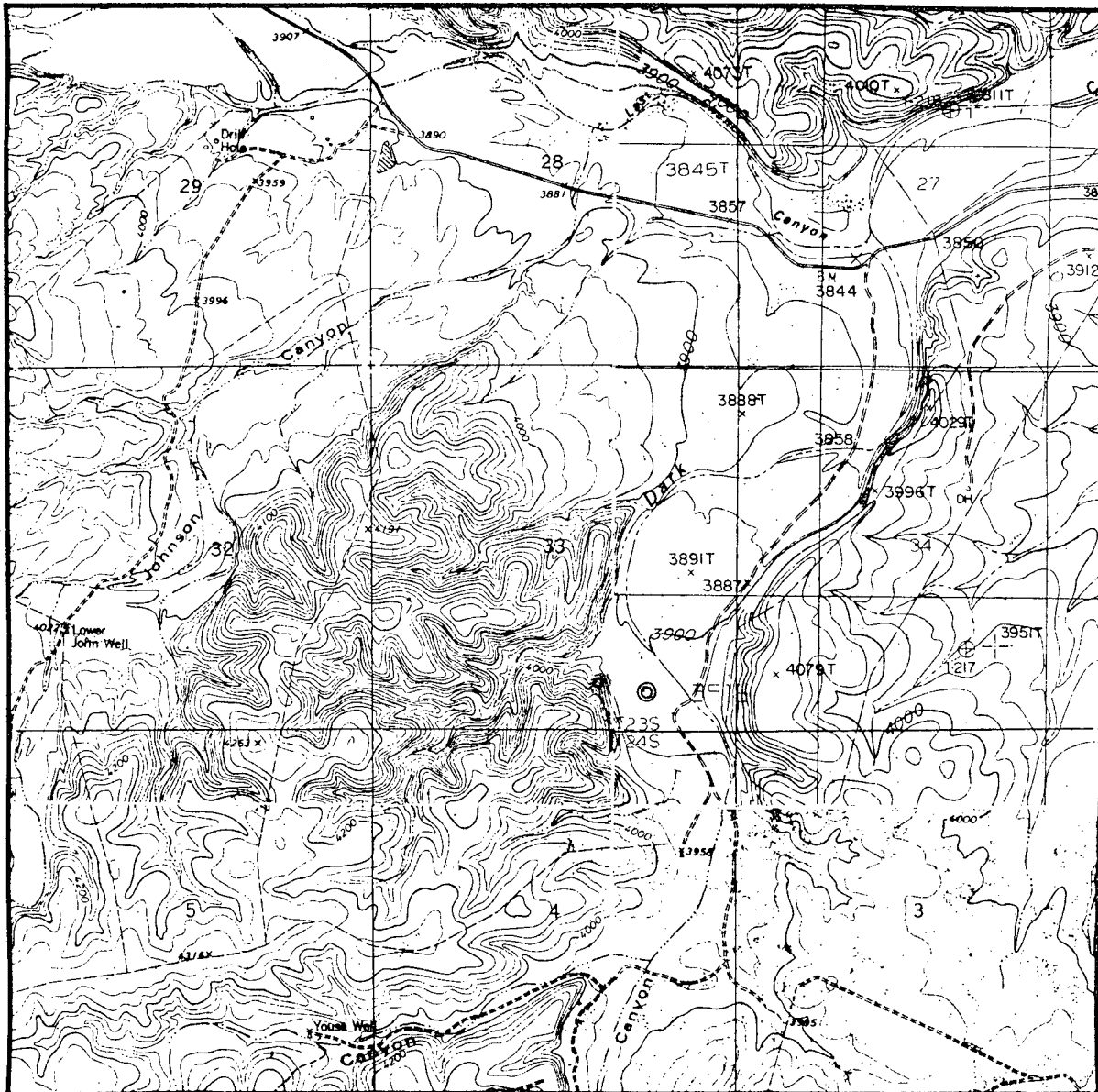
Thank you.

Very truly yours,

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Randy G. Patterson
Land Manager

RGP/mw



Scale: 1:24,000

U.S.G.S. Topographic Map

**BTA OIL PRODUCERS
8710 JV-P TANK WELL NO. 1
EDDY CO., NEW MEXICO**

◦ LEGAL LOCATION
(1980' FEL & 660' FSL,
sec. 33, 23-S 24-E)

© PROPOSED LOCATION
(1312' FEL & 566' FSL,
sec. 33, 23-S 24-E)

Exhibit "D"

9/17/87