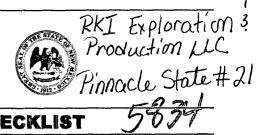
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CC: RKI Exploration & Production, LLC Attn: Chip Taylor

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Respectfully Submitted:

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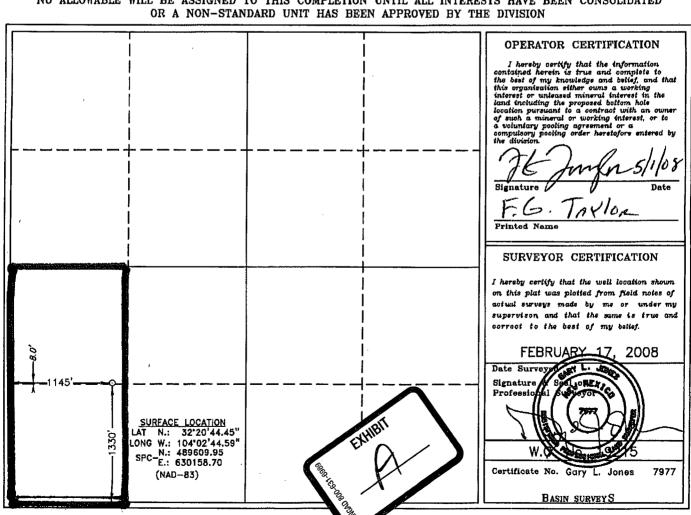
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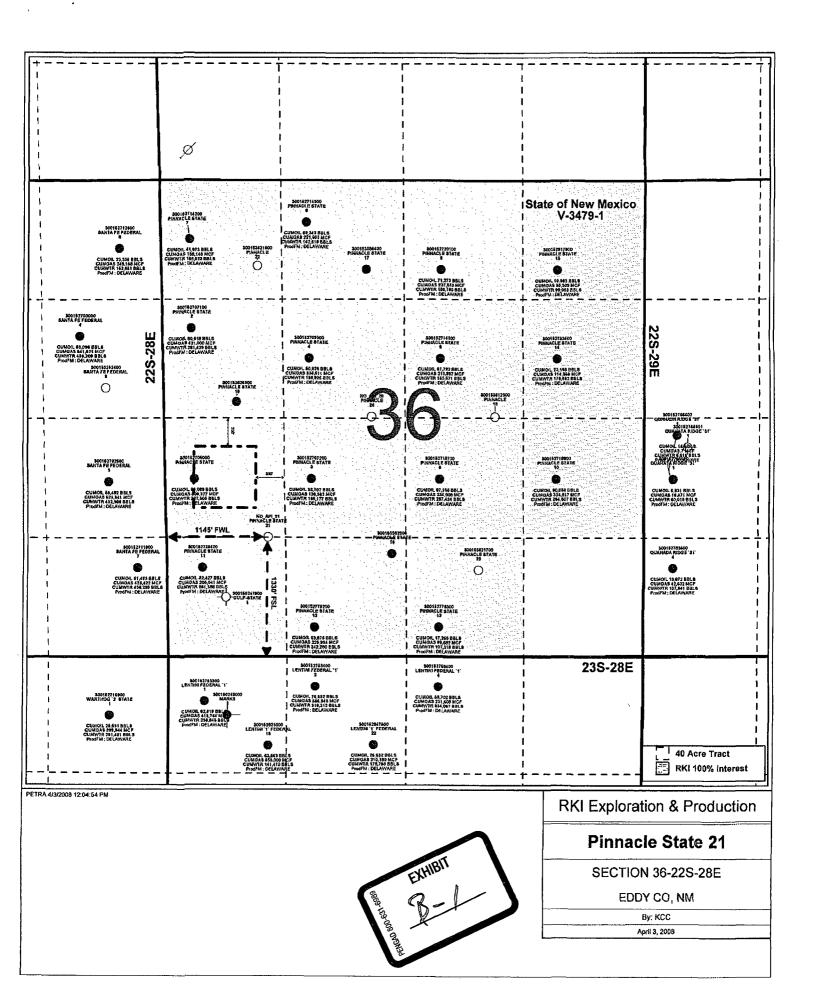
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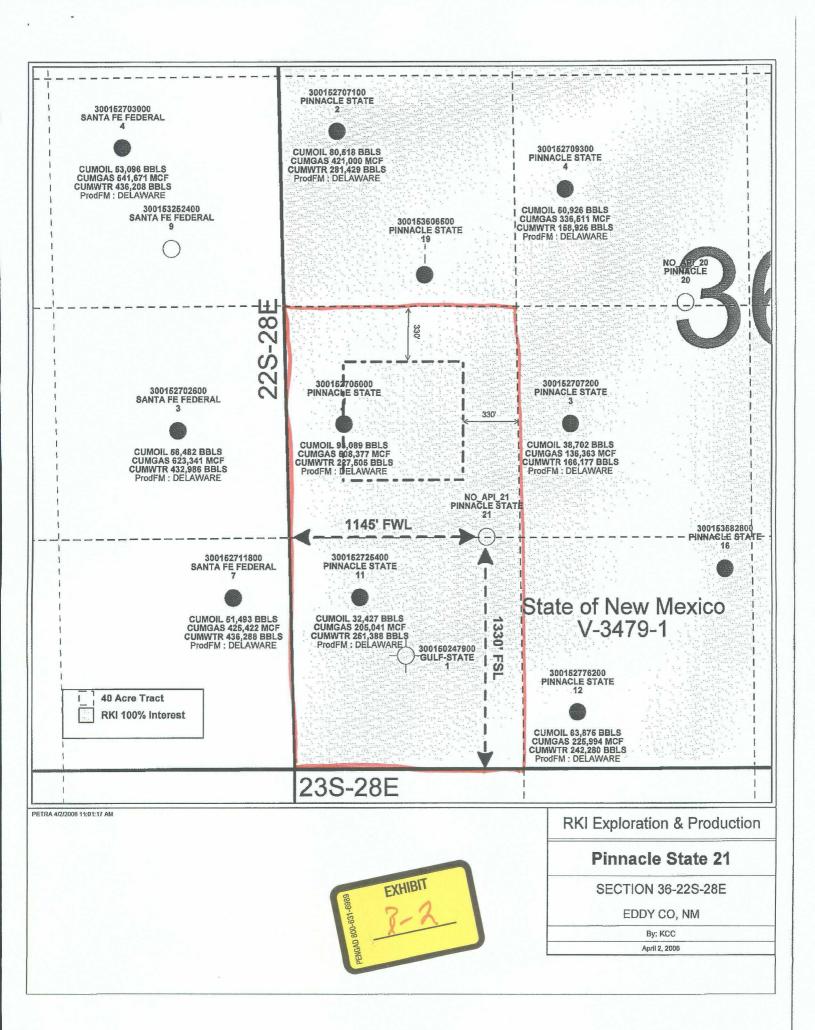
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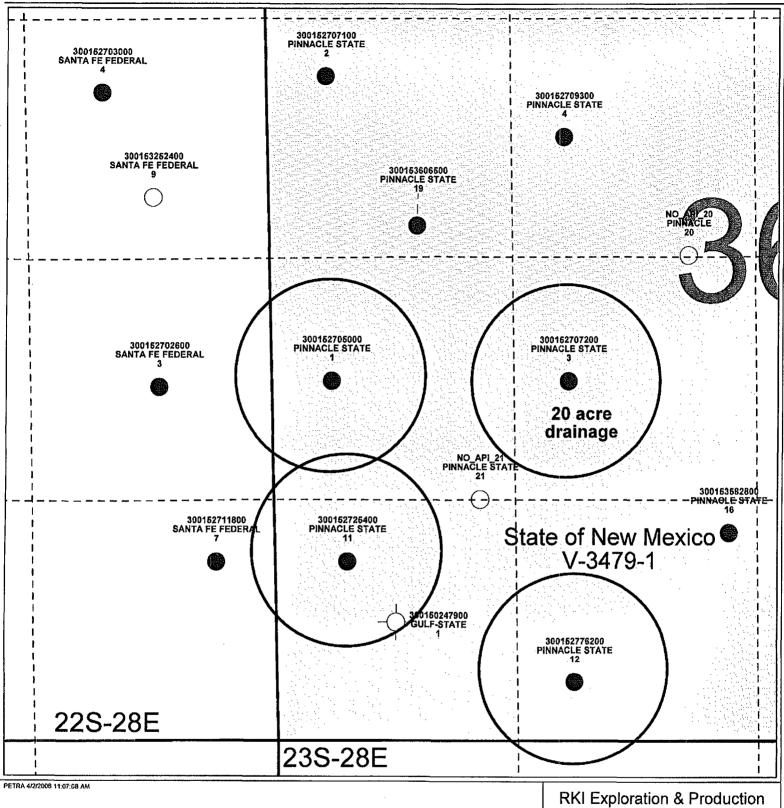
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SECTION 36-22S-28E

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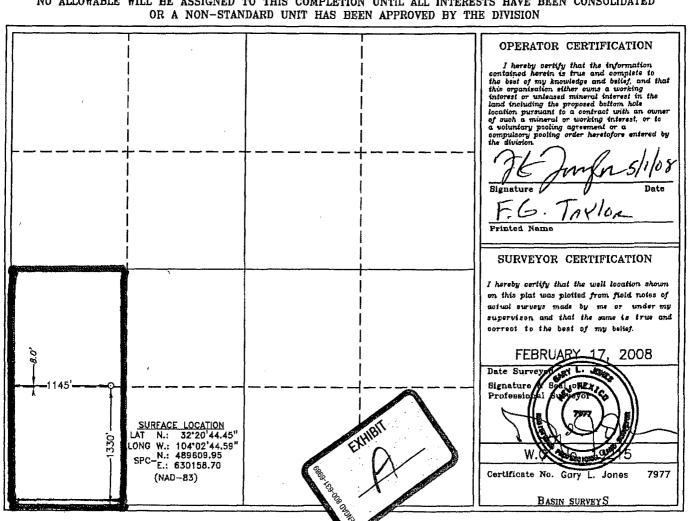
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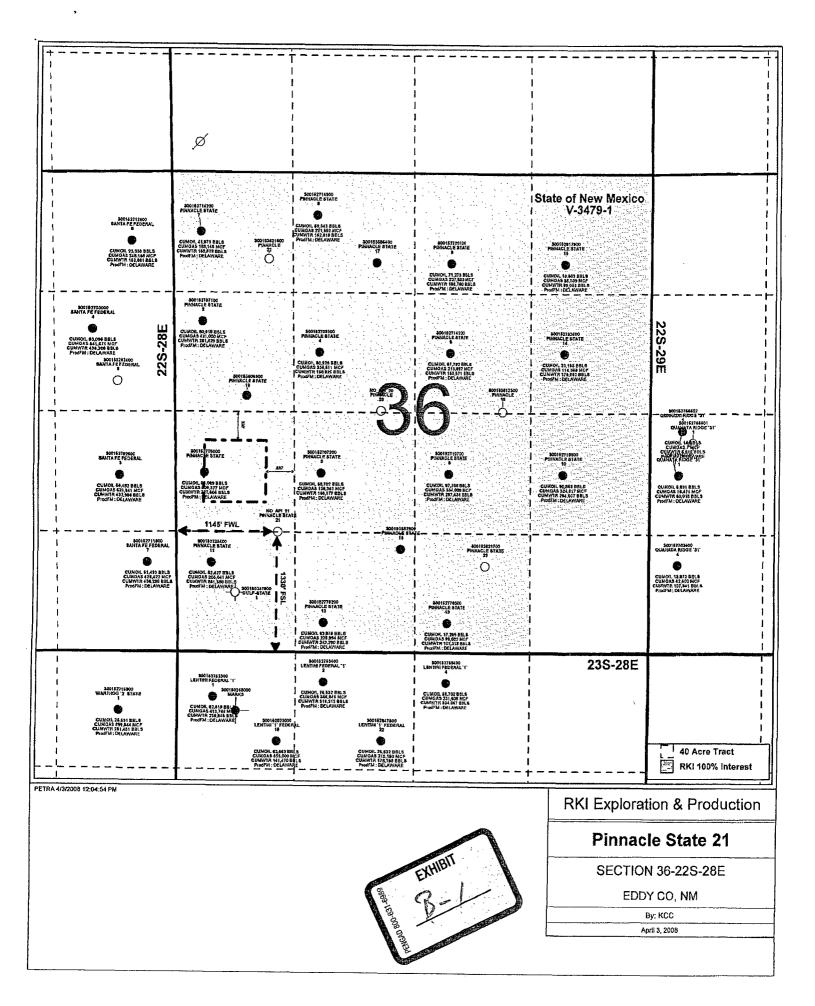
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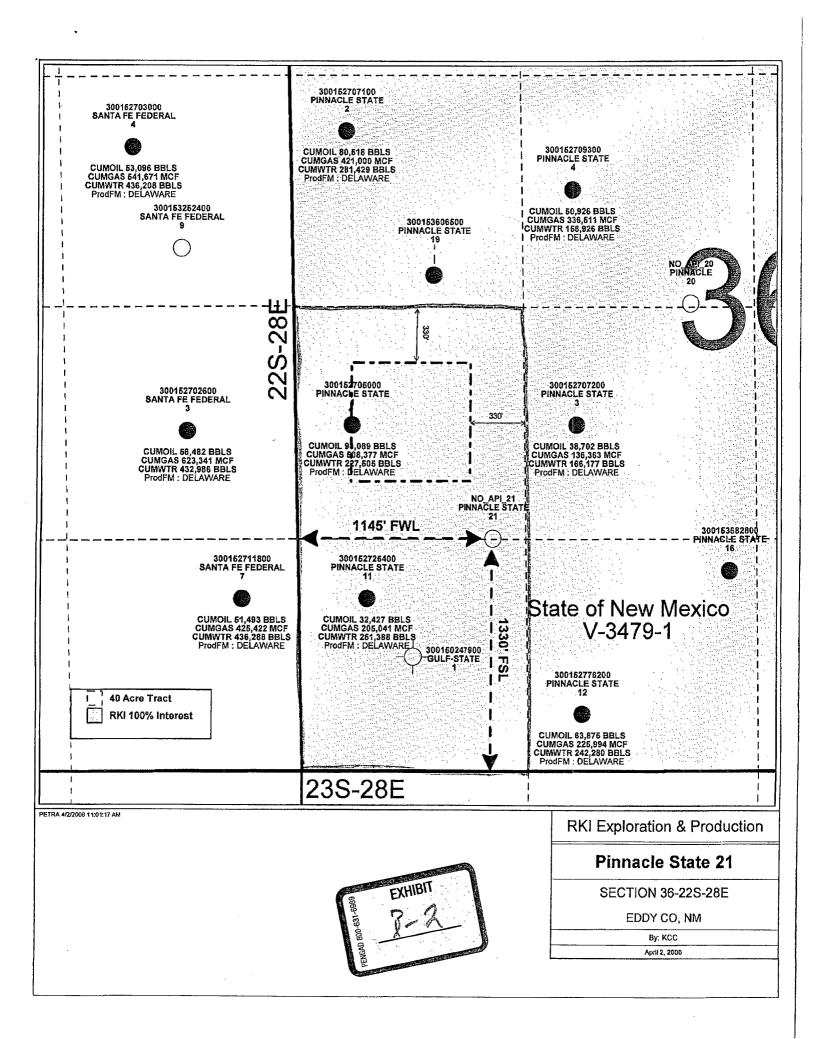
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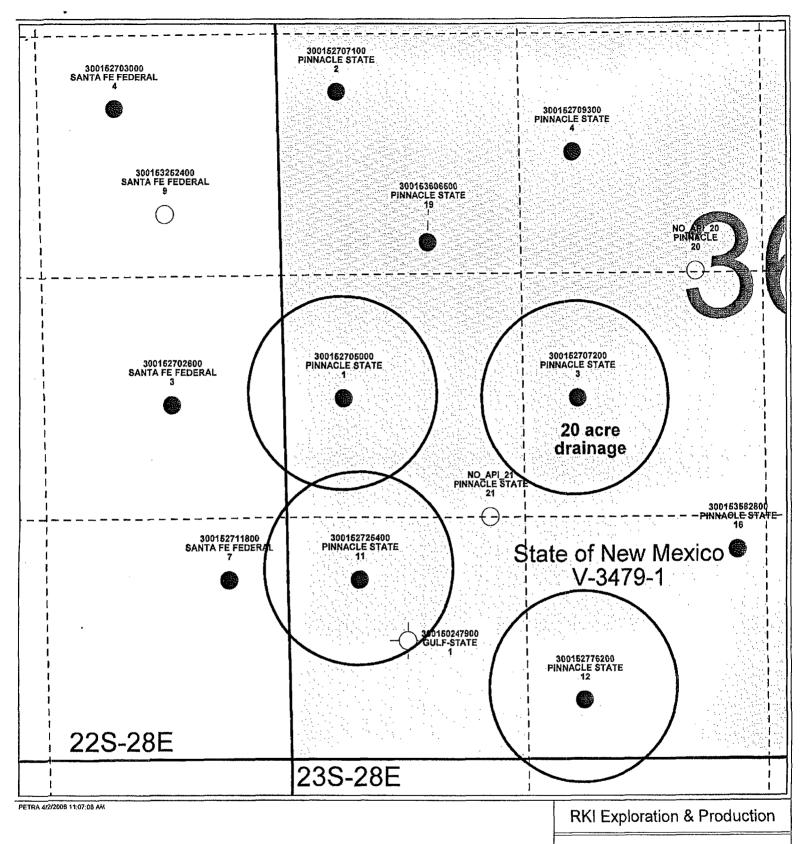
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David K. Brooks Legal Examiner 505-476-3450

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Sent: Friday, May 30, 2008 6:24 AM

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