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| | [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, |
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[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.

| Ben Stone | harten | Agent for RKI E&P | 2/26/11 |
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| Print or Type Name | Signature | Title | Date |
| | | ben@sosconsulting.us | |
| | | e-mail Address | |

Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT

- I. PURPOSE: Salt Water Disposal and the application qualifies for administrative approval.
- II.
 OPERATOR:
 RKI Exploration & Production, LLC

 ADDRESS:
 3817 NW Expressway, Suite 950, Oklahoma City, OK 73112

CONTACT PARTY: Bill Aubrey (405) 996-5750 Agent: SOS Consulting, LLC – Ben Stone (903) 488-9850

- III. WELL DATA: All well data and applicable wellbore diagrams are attached hereto.
- IV. This is not an expansion of an existing project.
- V. **A map is attached** that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well. This circle identifies the well's area of review.
- *VI. A tabulation is attached of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. The data includes a description of each well's type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail.
- VII. The following data is attached on the proposed operation, including:
 - 1. Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected;
 - 2. Whether the system is open or closed;
 - 3. Proposed average and maximum injection pressure;
 - 4. Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and,
 - If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.).
- *VIII. Appropriate geologic data on the injection zone is attached including appropriate lithologic detail, geologic name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone as well as any such sources known to be immediately underlying the injection interval.
- IX. No stimulation program is proposed at this time.
- *X. There is no applicable logging and test data on the well however, any previous well logs have been filed with the Division and they need not be resubmitted.
- *XI. There are 4 fresh water wells within one mile the proposed salt water disposal well however, the construction of the SWD will prevent any potential threat to the shallow domestic wells.
- XII. An affirmative statement is attached that available geologic and engineering data has been examined and no evidence was found of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground sources of drinking water.
- XIII. "Proof of Notice" section on the next page of this form has been completed. There are 2 offset operators within ½ mile.
- XIV. Certification: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

| NAME: | Ben Stone | TITLE SOS CO | onsulting, LLC agent / c | onsultant for F | RKI Explor | ation & Produc | ction |
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| SIGNATURE | | Inter | | | DATE: | 2/26/2011 | |

E-MAIL ADDRESS: ben@sosconsulting.us

* If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstances of the earlier submittal: DISTRIBUTION: Original and one copy to Santa Fe with one copy to the appropriate District Office

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III. WELL DATA - The following information and data is included:

- A. The following well data must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. The data must be both in tabular and schematic form and shall include:
 - (1) Lease name; Well No.; Location by Section, Township and Range; and footage location within the section.
 - (2) Each casing string used with its size, setting depth, sacks of cement used, hole size, top of cement, and how such top was determined.
 - (3) A description of the tubing to be used including its size, lining material, and setting depth.

(4) The name, model, and setting depth of the packer used or a description of any other seal system or assembly used.

Division District Offices have supplies of Well Data Sheets which may be used or which may be used as models for this purpose. Applicants for several identical wells may submit a "typical data sheet" rather than submitting the data for each well.

- B. The following must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. All items must be addressed for the initial well. Responses for additional wells need be shown only when different. Information shown on schematics need not be repeated.
 - (1) The name of the injection formation and, if applicable, the field or pool name.
 - (2) The injection interval and whether it is perforated or open-hole.
 - (3) State if the well was drilled for injection or, if not, the original purpose of the well.
 - (4) Give the depths of any other perforated intervals and detail on the sacks of cement or bridge plugs used to seal off such perforations.
 - (5) Give the depth to and the name of the next higher and next lower oil or gas zone in the area of the well, if any.

XIV. PROOF OF NOTICE pursuant to the following criteria is attached.

All applicants must furnish proof that a copy of the application has been furnished, by certified or registered mail, to the owner of the surface of the land on which the well is to be located and to each leasehold operator within one-half mile of the well location.

Where an application is subject to administrative approval, a proof of publication must be submitted. Such proof shall consist of a copy of the legal advertisement which was published in the county in which the well is located. The contents of such advertisement must include:

- (1) The name, address, phone number, and contact party for the applicant;
- (2) The intended purpose of the injection well; with the exact location of single wells or the Section, Township, and Range location of multiple wells;
- (3) The formation name and depth with expected maximum injection rates and pressures; and,
- (4) A notation that interested parties must file objections or requests for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within 15 days.

NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON THE APPLICATION UNTIL PROPER PROOF OF NOTICE HAS BEEN SUBMITTED.

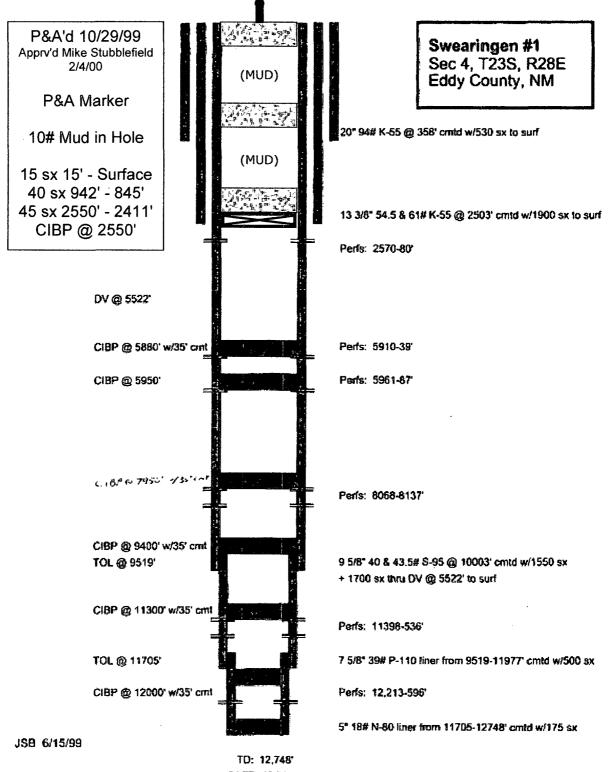
NOTICE: Surface owners or offset operators must file any objections or requests for hearing of administrative applications within 15 days from the date this application was mailed to them.

C-108 ITEM XII – GEOLOGIC AFFIRMATION

We have examined available geologic and engineering data and have found no evidence of open faults or other hydrologic connection between the disposal interval and any underground sources of drinking water.

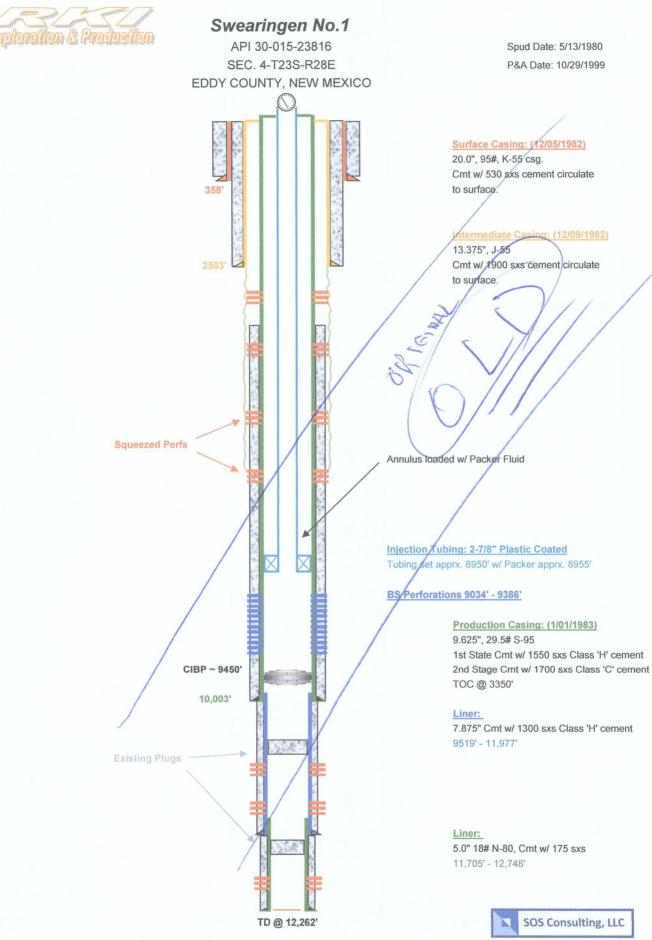
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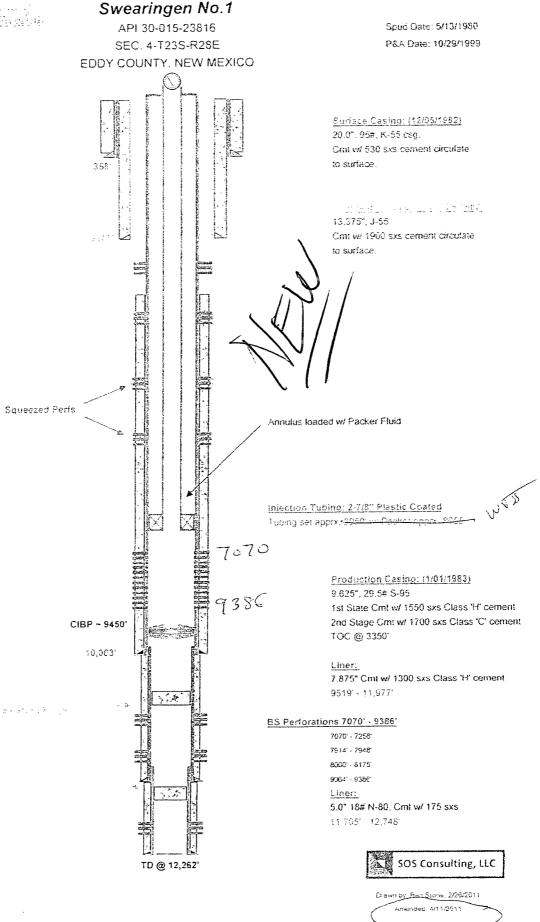
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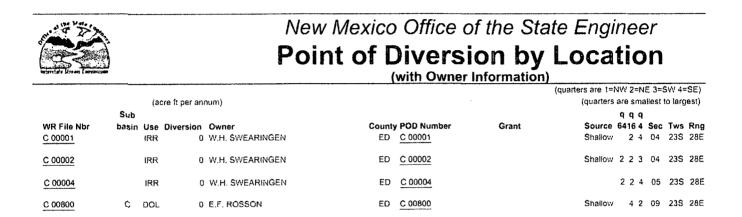
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C-108 ITEM XI - Water Wells Within One Mile

Wells are shown on AOR map to qtr/qtr section resolution.



C-108 ITEM VI – AOR Well Tabulation

(Wells Penetrating Proposed Injection Interval) < Corrected >

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| Hole 3 | 1 | | 8.75 | 0 | 12597 | | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | | | 0 | No |
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30-015-24333 LOVING FEDERAL COM #001 - Active

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| Hole 2 | 1 | | 13.5 | 0 | 2700 | | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | | | 0 | No |
| Intermediate 1 Casing | 1 | | 10.75 | 0 | 2700 | J-55 | 0 | 45.5 | 2700 | 0 | CIR | Class C Cement | 1400 | Yes |
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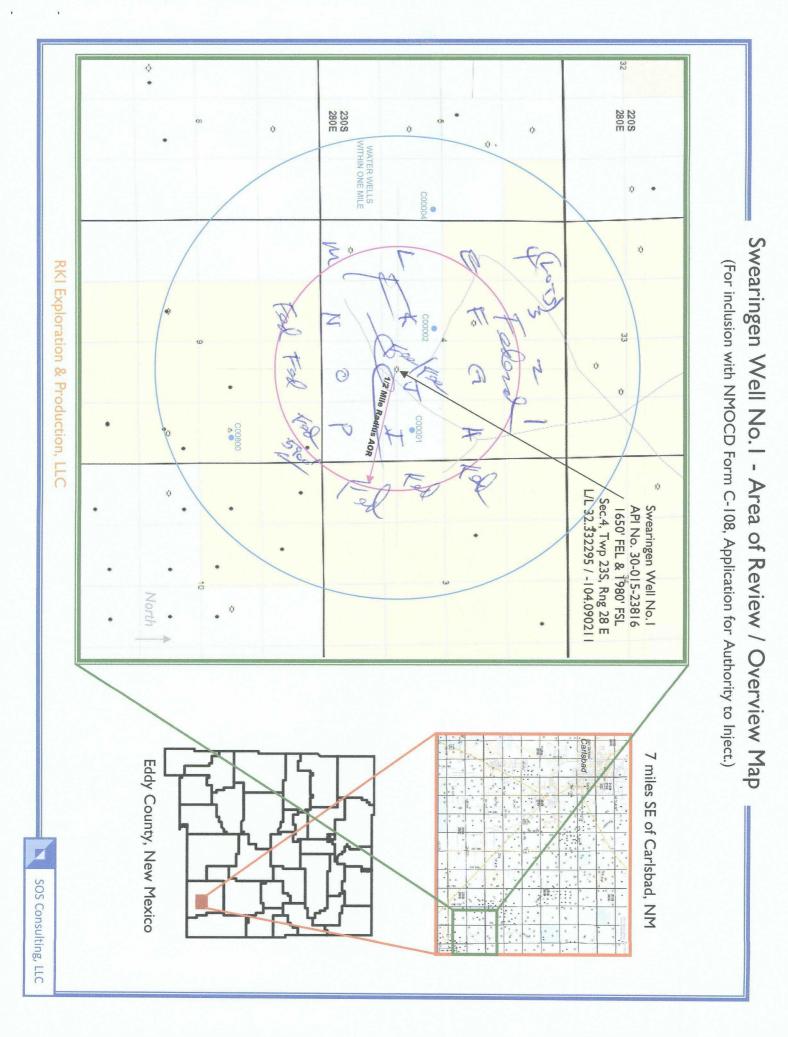
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C-108 ITEM XIII – PROOF OF NOTIFICATION INTERESTED PARTIES LIST

OFFSET SURFACE OWNER

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR (FedEx'ed copy) Bureau of Land Management Oil & Gas Division 2909 W. Second Street Roswell, NM 88201-2019

SURFACE OWNER

ADDIE P. SWEARINGEN (Certified Mail) P.O. Box 1231 Portales, NM 88130-1231

OFFSET MINERALS LESSEES

OXY USA (Certified Mail) 5 Greenway Plaza, Ste.110 Houston, TX 77046

LATIGO PETROLEUM, INC. (Certified Mer.) P.O. Box 10340 Midland, TX 79702-7340

NADLE AND GUSSMAN PERMIAN, LLC (Certified Mail) V 601 N. Marienfeld, Suite 508 Midland, TX 79701

REGULATORY

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION (FedEx'ed original and copy) 1220 S. St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION (FedEx'ed copy) 1301 W. Grand Ave. Arteisa, NM 88210

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR (FedEx'ed copy) Bureau of Land Management Oil & Gas Division 620 E. Greene Street Carlsbad, NM 88220

ADDITIONAL NOTICE REQUESTS (Certified Mail)

DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION CO., LP 20 N. Broadway, #1500 Oklahoma City, OK 73102

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. P.O. Box 18496 Oklahoma City, OK 73154-0496

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For publication in the Artesia Daily Press.

Submitted 4/08/2011 (Published on Tuesday, April 12, 2011 - Affidavit forthcoming.)

Publish one time on earliest possible date.

Contact: Ben Stone, SOS Consulting, LLC, P.O. Box 300 Como, Texas 75431 (903)488-9850. Email: ben@sosconsulting.us

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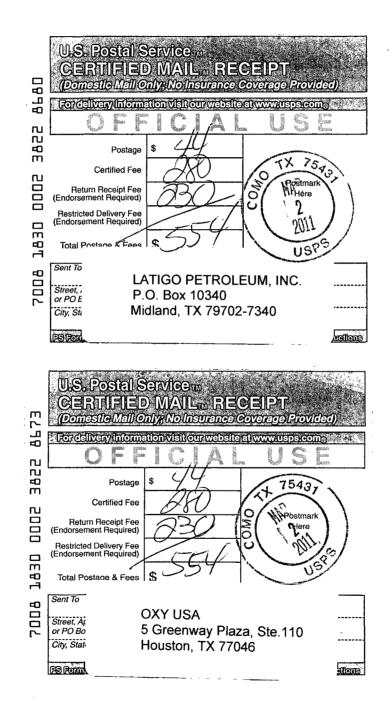
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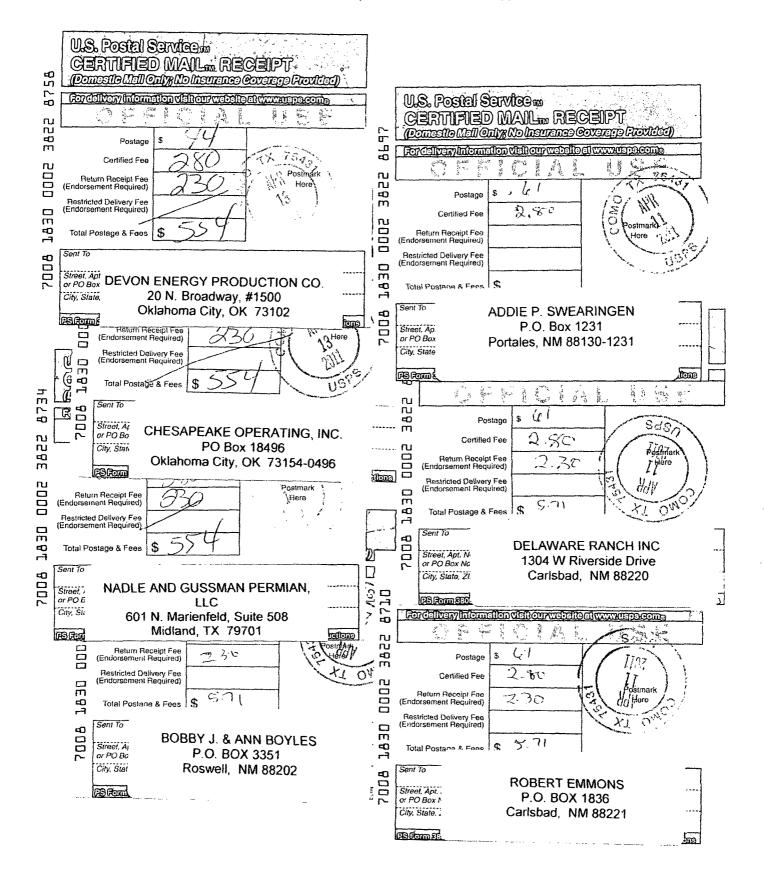
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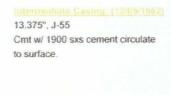
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Swearingen No.1 API 30-015-23816 SEC. 4-T23S-R28E EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Spud Date: 5/13/1980 P&A Date: 10/29/1999

Surface Casing: (12/05/1982) 20.0", 95#, K-55 csg. Cmt w/ 530 sxs cement circulate to surface.



Annulus loaded w/ Packer Fluid

7070

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TD @ 12,262'

Injection Tubing: 2-7/8" Plastic Coated Tubing set apprx: 8950' w/ Packer apprx: 8955

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Production Casing: (1/01/1983) 9.625", 29.5# S-95 1st State Cmt w/ 1550 sxs Class 'H' cement 2nd Stage Cmt w/ 1700 sxs Class 'C' cement TOC @ 3350'

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Liner: 7.875" Cmt w/ 1300 sxs Class 'H' cement 9519' - 11,977'

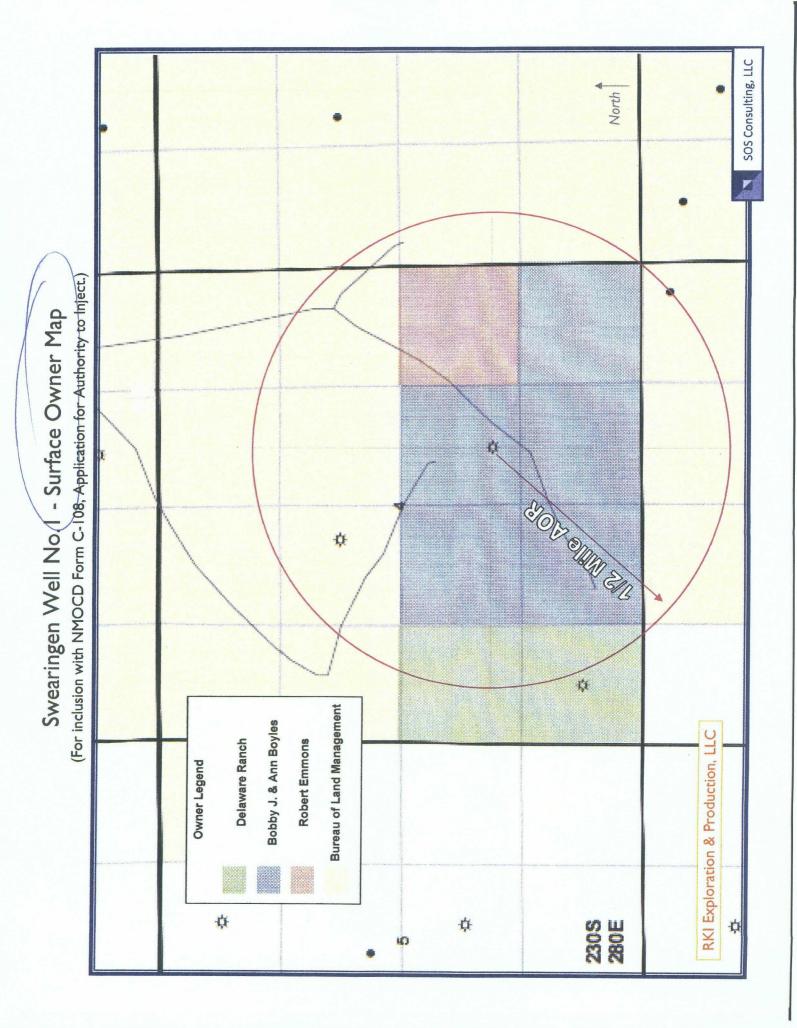
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7070' - 7258' 7914' - 7948' 8000' - 8175' 9064' - 9386' Liner: 5.0" 18# N-80, Cmt w/ 175 sxs

11,705' - 12,748'



Drawn by, Ben Stone 2/26/2011 Amended 4/11/2011



Affidavit of Publication

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State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss.

2011 MAR 17 A 11: 49:

Kathy McCarroll, being first duly sworn, on oath says:

That she is the Classified Supervisor of the Current-Argus, Carlsbad a newspaper published daily at the City of Carlsbad, in said county of Eddy, state of New Mexico and of general paid circulation in said county; that the same is a duly qualified newspaper under the laws of the State wherein legal advertisements notices and may be published; that the printed notice attached hereto was published in the regular and entire edition of said newspaper and not in supplement thereof on the date as follows, to wit:

March 3 2011

That the cost of publication is **\$52.20** and that payment thereof has been made and will be assessed as court costs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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Jones, William V., EMNRD

| From: Sent: | Jones, William V., EMNRD Thursday, April 07, 2011 5:36 PM |
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| To: | 'Ben Stone' |
| Cc: | Ezeanyim, Richard, EMNRD; Reeves, Jacqueta, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD; Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD; Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD; 'Wesley_Ingram@blm.gov' |
| Subject: | Disposal application from RKI Exploration & Production, LLC: Swearingen#1 30-015-23816 J/4/23S/28E Bone Spring interval |

Hello Ben or Bill Aubrey:

Just reviewed this application.

- a. There is a different proposed top depth on your wellbore diagram and on the application let me know whether 9034 or 9064 is the top.
- b. The NM Database ONGARD shows spot J of Sec 4 as being "Fee" surface and minerals, yet the application says the BLM is the surface owner.

Please have your Landman divide the circular AOR into identically owned tracts, identify each tract on a map, and list on a separate paper the mineral owners within each tract, then if additional notice is required, please send.

- c. The inactive well check shows 5 wells inactive while RKI operates 172 wells. This is still OK for release of SWD permits, but I must check it again after any other concerns are addressed. If one additional well falls into inactive status, it would delay the permit, per Rule 5.9.
- d. The well file shows many logs were initially run on this well in 1980, but the OCD imaging system shows none. The logs run: PDC, DILL, MICL, SONL, FOCL, CNL/FDC. Please send copies of any logs you inherited on this well, including any CBLs, to the Hobbs district office for scanning.
- e. Please obtain a new Fresh Water sample in this area from a water well and send a copy of a new water analysis to me here for this application.
- f. If you can find out the Top of the Wolfcamp in this area, let me know.

Thank You,

William V Jones, P.E. Engineering, Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505 Tel 505.476.3448 ~ Fax 505.476.3462



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| erom: Sent: | Ben Stone [ben@sosconsulting.us] Wednesday, April 13, 2011 2:08 PM |
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| To: | Jones, William V., EMNRD |
| Subject: | RE: Disposal application from RKI Exploration & Production, LLC: Swearingen#1 30-015-23816 J/4/23S/28E Bone Spring interval |
| Attachments: | C-108AmdSwearingenSWD20110412.pdf |

Will,

Per your request, please find an attached pdf file with the following documents:

- 1) Updated wellbore schematic showing correct (and extended) Bone Spring perforated interval.
- 2) Copies of Certified Mail receipts to 7 additional 'Interested Parties'.
- 3) Updated "List if Interested Parties" as provided by RKI's in-house landman, Cody Reid.
- 4) Copy of text for new Legal Notice which ran in the Artesia Daily Press on Tuesday, April 12, 2011.

I will forward the affidavit of publication as soon as I receive it AND, RKI did have some raster format logs on the subject well. We are in the process of getting these converted to TIFF and will forward them to Paul Kautz in the Hobbs office just as soon as that takes place.

I appreciate your efforts in processing a good application. I hope that with this amended information, the processing can again continue and an order can be issued swiftly.

My client is in serious need of this SWD asset and thanks you for your speedy processing.

Best,

Ben Stone, Partner SOS Consulting, LLC

From: Jones, William V., EMNRD [mailto:William.V.Jones@state.nm.us]
Sent: Friday, April 08, 2011 9:00 AM
To: Ben Stone
Subject: RE: Disposal application from RKI Exploration & Production, LLC: Swearingen#1 30-015-23816 J/4/23S/28E
Bone Spring interval

Awesome Mr. Ben, Thank You,

And Thanks for the brief on the DHC history yesterday.

The AOR split into "tracts" is something the David Brooks implemented here. David is an attorney/Landman and has done title opinions in private practice. The reasoning as I understand it, is that instead of just getting a list of parties notified and a statement that all affected persons have been noticed, we ask for more details including an outline within the AOR of "leases" or identically owned "tracts" and the owners of each of those tracts. In your application, if you noticed someone, you should know where that "party" owns acreage – David wants us to gather that info in the applications. Another reason for this, is that if this info is in the record, other Landman's can quickly see if they agree or if their company was left out. You're not the only one that is surprised to see us asking for this.

Subject: RE: Disposal application from RKI Exploration & Production, LLC: Swearingen#1 30-015-23816 J/4/23S/28E * Bone Spring interval

, Will,

a. The top perf was a typo, it was 9064 however, RKI has since determined that they'd like to open more interval in the Bone Spring.

I will send a new wellbore schematic and republish and notice for the new interval.

b. The information I have available also indicated it to be on private land. I believe in putting the application together, the template I use for 'Interested Parties' was not properly adjusted before the application went out. *I will send a corrected 'List of Interested Parties'*.

I don't even know what you're talking about by dividing the AOR into identically owned tracts. The map shows what the rules ask for and *all parties either owning minerals or leasing mineral rights have been noticed.* c. *I will advise RKI of their current inactive well inventory.*

d. I'll see if they have a log but am amazed that in 31 years of this well being in New Mexico earth, it would fall to my client for someone else's oversight - this is after all, a re-entry of a plugged well and this type of acquisition frequently involves no transfer of well documents including logs. I would have had my client download a copy of any available logs from OCD's imaging system.

e. We will sample and test water from the nearest water well and submit the analysis to you.

f. The Wolfcamp top is approximately 9400'. However please consider that the transition from the Bone Spring sand to the Wolfcamp enters distinctly more shaley formation thereby enhancing segregation. More importantly however is that the offset wells are completed in the Atoka or deeper (one well did have a Morrow completion but that zone was abandoned some time ago.)

I will send the abovementioned documents, updates or amendments, republish and renotice and check to see if RKI has any logs. I'll send the water analysis ASAP.

Assuming that RKI keeps their inactive well inventory in check, will there be anything else?

Thanks,

Ben Stone, Partner SOS Consulting, LLC (903) 488-9850

From: Jones, William V., EMNRD [mailto:William.V.Jones@state.nm.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 07, 2011 6:36 PM
To: Ben Stone
Cc: Ezeanyim, Richard, EMNRD; Reeves, Jacqueta, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD; Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD; Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD; Wesley_Ingram@blm.gov
Subject: Disposal application from RKI Exploration & Production, LLC: Swearingen#1 30-015-23816 J/4/23S/28E Bone Spring interval

Hello Ben or Bill Aubrey:

Just reviewed this application.

- a. There is a different proposed top depth on your wellbore diagram and on the application let me know whether 9034 or 9064 is the top.
- b. The NM Database ONGARD shows spot J of Sec 4 as being "Fee" surface and minerals, yet the application says the BLM is the surface owner.

Please have your Landman divide the circular AOR into identically owned tracts, identify each tract on a map, and list on a separate paper the mineral owners within each tract, then if additional notice is required, please send.

c. The inactive well check shows 5 wells inactive while RKI operates 172 wells. This is still OK for release of SWD permits, but I must check it again after any other concerns are addressed. If one additional well falls into inactive status, it would delay the permit, per Rule 5.9.

- d. The well file shows many logs were initially run on this well in 1980, but the OCD imaging system shows none. The logs run: PDC, DILL, MICL, SONL, FOCL, CNL/FDC. Please send copies of any logs you inherited on this well, including any CBLs, to the Hobbs district office for scanning.
- e. Please obtain a new Fresh Water sample in this area from a water well and send a copy of a new water analysis to me here for this application.
- f. If you can find out the Top of the Wolfcamp in this area, let me know.

Thank You,

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Jones, William V., EMNRD

| From: | Ben Stone [ben@sosconsulting.us] |
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| Sent: | Tuesday, May 03, 2011 1:49 PM |
| То: | Jones, William V., EMNRD |
| Subject: | RE: Swearingen SWD - Surface Owner Map |

Sorry Will - I thought we had that straightened out.

My first application had a map that I created from an existing one and inadvertently left the BLM coverage. IT IS INVALID.

Me first redo included Addie P. Swearingen as a surface owner which I got from the Eddy County Clerk's office. Apparently, it was in error and that notification came back as "Undeliverable".

The map I just sent is the result of RKI landman's (certified) recent research in response to your request. IT IS ACCURATE.

I didn't recall your request saying anything except "who owns the tracts"?

The lessees have all been notified on the last mailing of which I sent you the copies of the certified receipts.

Oxy is the leaseholder over all the tracts within the AOR. Nadle and Gussman operate the Apollo Fee No.1. Beyond the AOR in non-adjacent tracts there is also Devon and Chesapeake and ALL of them have been notified.

Sorry for the confusion. NO, please don't send it over to Terry or David!!!!! I just want to get it done.

Let me know - I'm about to lose RKI as a client.

Thanks,

Ben

From: Jones, William V., EMNRD [mailto:William.V.Jones@state.nm.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 03, 2011 2:31 PM
To: Ben Stone
Cc: Brooks, David K., EMNRD; Warnell, Terry G, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Swearingen SWD - Surface Owner Map...

Mr. Ben,

Sounds like Landman issues. I worked with company Landmen for many years, they always call their goto guy at the courthouse for the true takeoff information.

You colored the map fine, but why did you send a "surface owners" map? We asked for a map showing the Bone Spring tracts or leases and who owned each of those leases... NEVER MIND that....

Just tell me who the correct surface owner is.

The first application you sent says the BLM was the surface owner, The last C-108 item XIII you sent shows Addie P. Swearingen is the surface owner. The surface map you just sent shows Bobby J. and Ann Boyles is the surface owner.

If you are tired of this application and want to talk with someone else besides me, call Terry Warnell or David Brooks?

| Injection Permit Checklist (07/9/2010) | |
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| RULE 26.7(A) Affected Persons: 6XY Lating ? | |
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