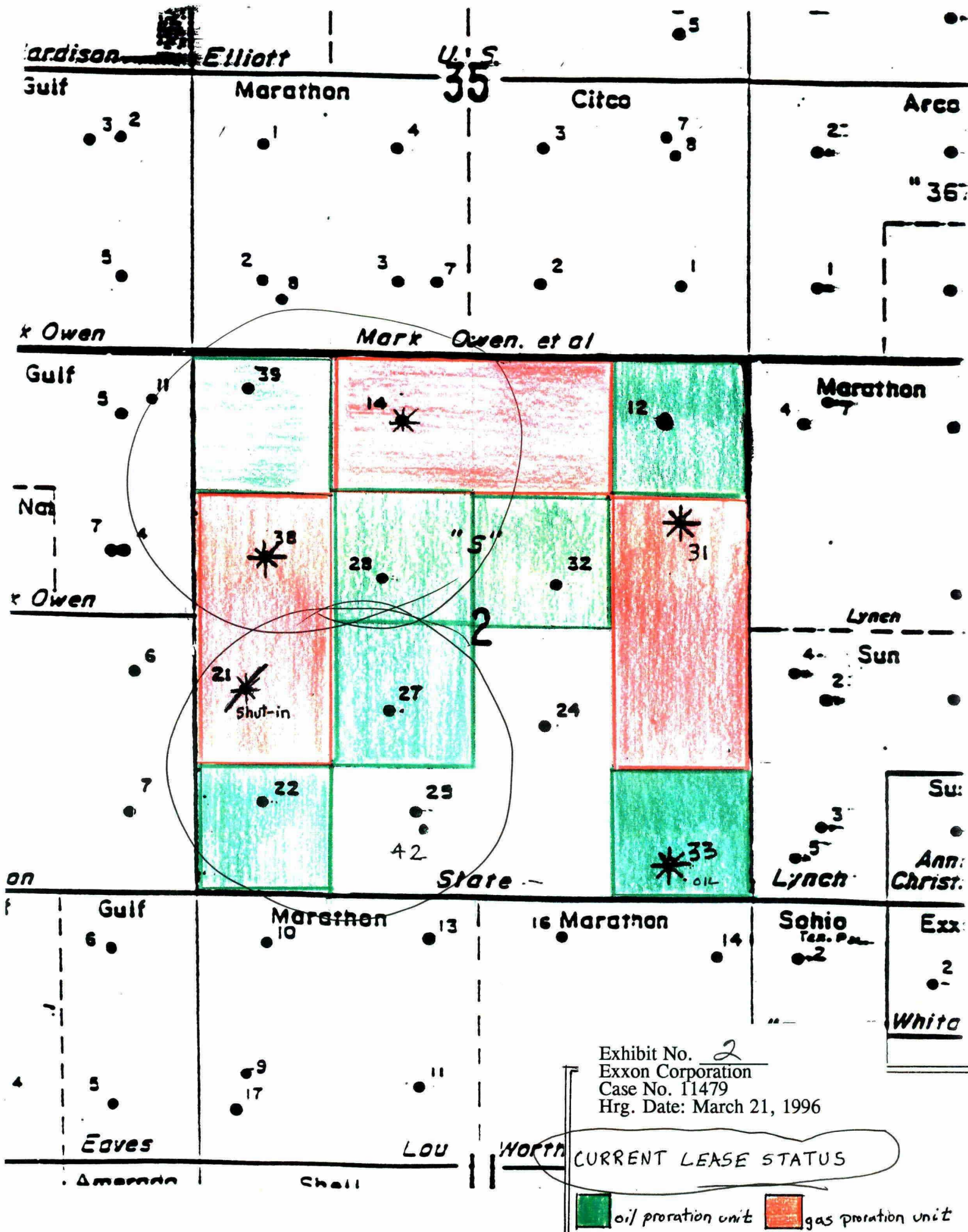
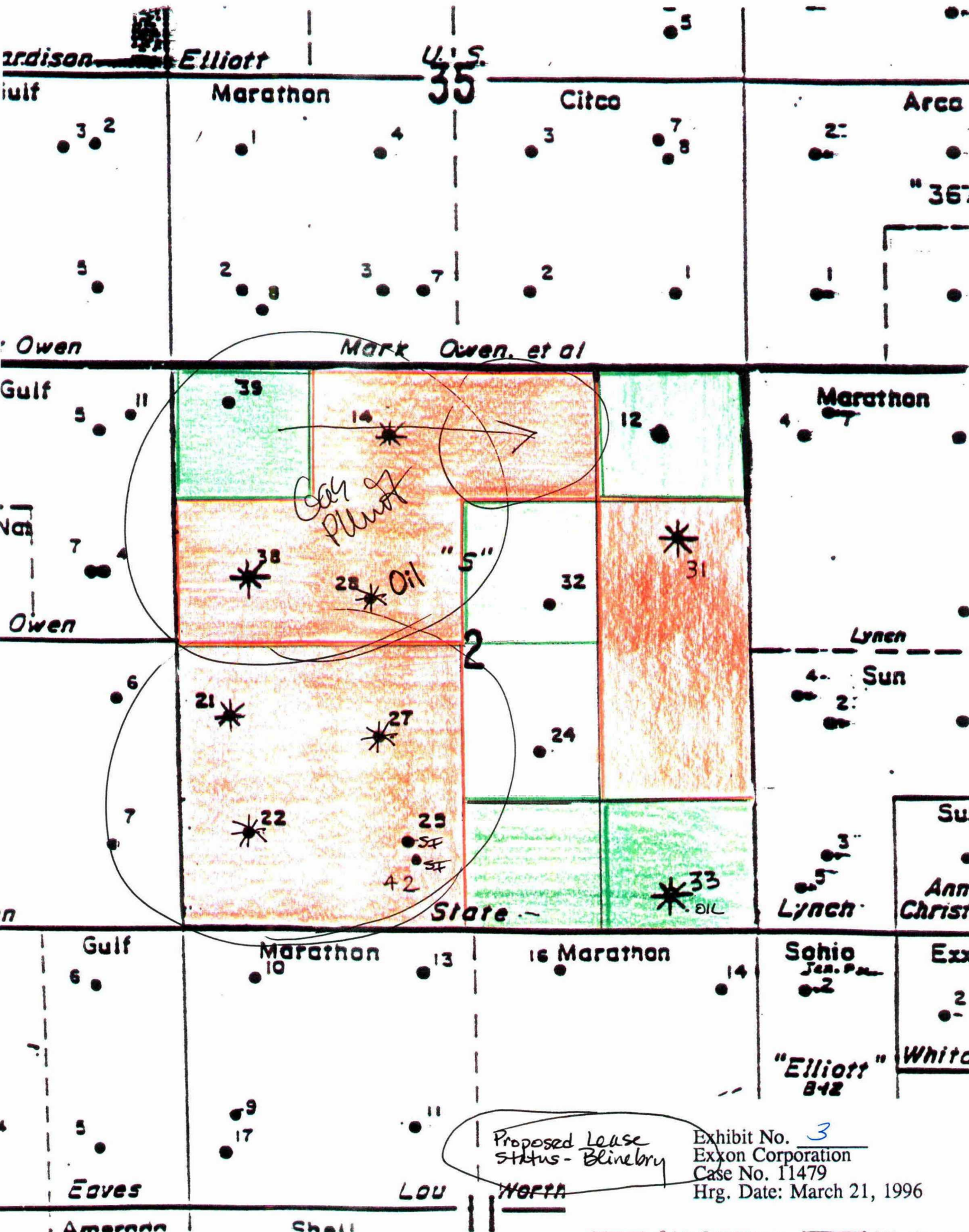


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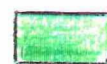
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GAS PRORATION
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OIL PRORATION
UNIT

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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number 30025009948	Pool Code 72480	Pool Name BLINEBRY (PRO GAS)(CONSOLIDATED)
Property Code 004198	Property Name NEW MEXICO "S" STATE	Well Number 14
OGRID No. 007673	Operator Name Exxon Corp.	Elevation 3378'

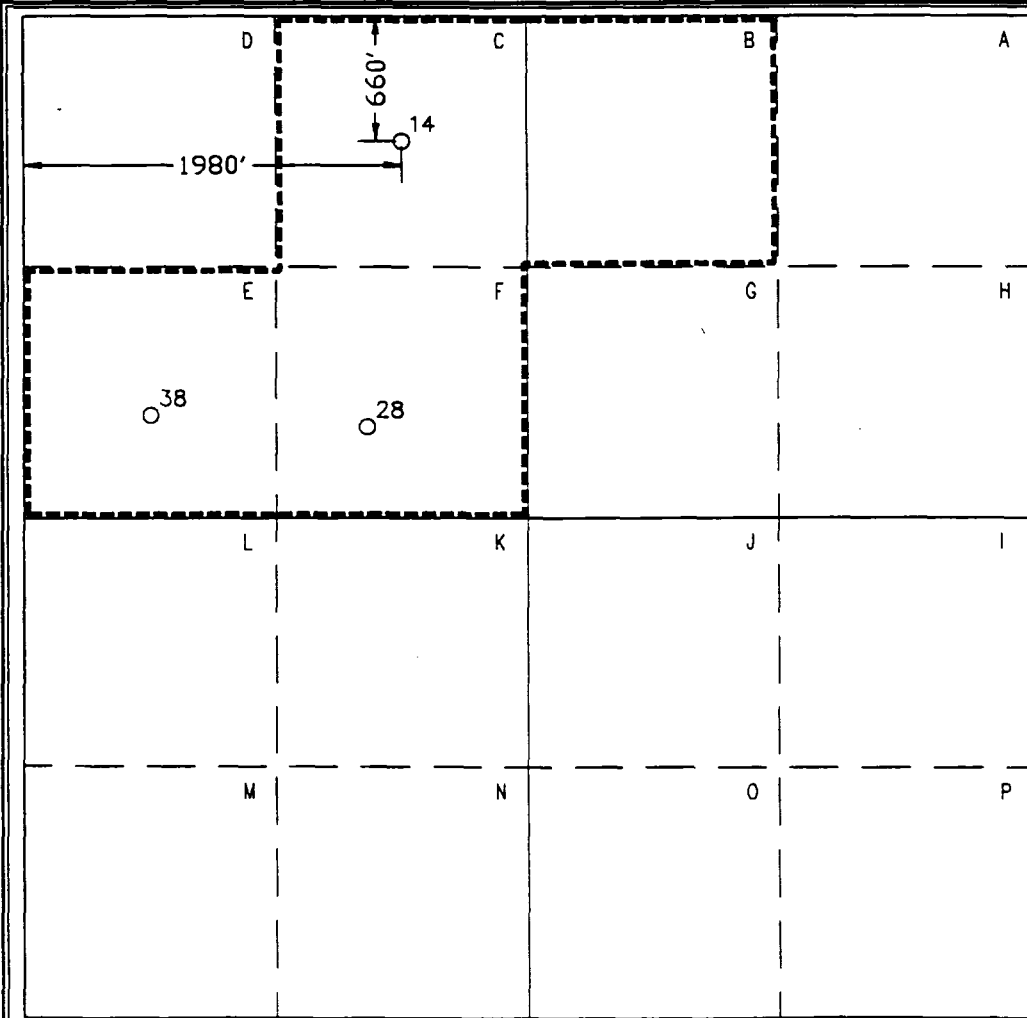
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Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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Distance to nearest Town 2 Miles SE of EUNICE, New Mexico.	Drawn By MLH	Date 2/23/96	Drawing File Name File No.: A06877-L
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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number 3002525268	Pool Code 72480	Pool Name BLINEBRY (PRO GAS)(CONSOLIDATED)
Property Code 004198	Property Name NEW MEXICO "S" STATE	Well Number 28
OGRD No. 007673	Operator Name Exxon Corp.	Elevation 3383' KB

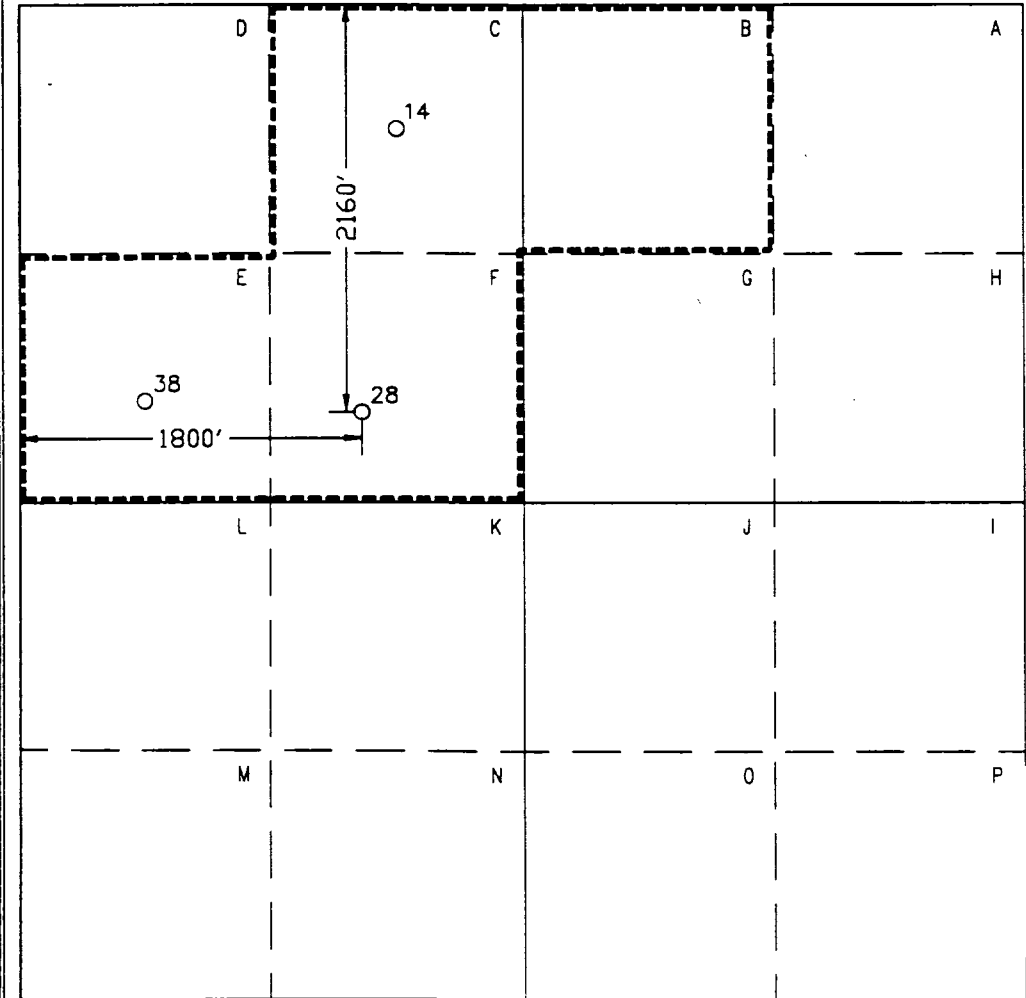
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UL or lot no. F	Section 2	Township 22-S	Range 37-E	Lot Idn	Feet from the 2160	North/South line NORTH	Feet from the 1800	East/West line WEST	County LEA
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Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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API Number 3002525508	Pool Code 72480	Pool Name BLINEBRY (PRO GAS)(CONSOLIDATED)
Property Code 004198	Property Name NEW MEXICO "S" STATE	Well Number 38
OGRIID No. 007673	Operator Name Exxon Corp.	Elevation 3373'

Surface Location

UL or lot no. E	Section 2	Township 22-S	Range 37-E	Lot Idn	Feet from the 2100	North/South line NORTH	Feet from the 660	East/West line WEST	County LEA
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BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF EXXON CORPORATION
FOR A NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION
UNIT AND TWO UNORTHODOX GAS WELL
LOCATIONS, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case No. 11479

Affidavit Regarding Notice

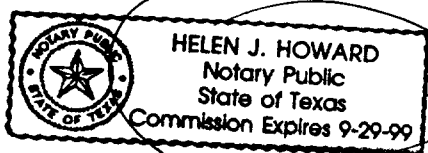
STATE OF TEXAS)
) §
COUNTY OF MIDLAND)

WILLIAM T. DUNCAN, JR., being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18 and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
2. I am an employee of Applicant herein.
3. Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the correct addresses of interest owners entitled to receive notice of the Application herein.
4. Notice of the Application was provided to the interest owners at their correct addresses by mailing each of them, by certified mail, a copy of the Application. Copies of the notice letters and certified return receipts are attached hereto.
5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rule 104 and Rule 1207.


WILLIAM T. DUNCAN, JR.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 19th day of March 1996 by
WILLIAM T. DUNCAN, JR.




Notary Public

My commission Expires:

Exhibit No. 6
Exxon Corporation
Case No. 11479
Hrg. Date: March 21, 1996

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3. Article Addressed to:
Marathon Oil Company
ATTN: Land Dept.
P. O. Box 552
Midland, TX 79703

4a. Article Number
Z 740-407-835

4b. Service Type
☐ Registered ☐ Insured
☒ Certified ☐ COD
☐ Express Mail ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise

7. Date of Delivery
FEB 28 1992

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Signature (Addressee)
D. McWilliams

6. Signature (Agent)

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OXY USA Inc.
ATTN: Kent Woolley
6 Desta Drive
Midland, TX 79705

4a. Article Number
Z 740-407-834

4b. Service Type
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3. Article Addressed to:
John H. Hendrix
P. O. Box 3040
Midland, TX 79702-3040

4a. Article Number
Z 740-407-833

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3. Article Addressed to:
Arch Petroleum
777 Taylor St, Ste. 11A
Fort Worth, TX 76102-4919

4a. Article Number
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3. Article Addressed to:
Chevron USA, Inc
ATTN: Land Dept.
P. O. Box 1150
Midland, TX 79702

4a. Article Number
Z 740-407-832

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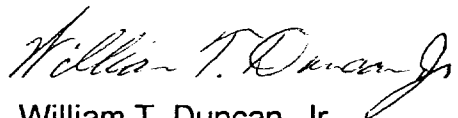
February 22, 1996

NMOCD Case #11479
Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit
New Mexico "S" State Lease
Blinebry Oil & Gas Pool
Section 2, T-22-S, R-37-E
Lea County, New Mexico

Offset Operators:
(List Attached)

Exxon Corporation has filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division the attached application for a non-standard gas proration unit, and the hearing will be set for March 21, 1996. Hearings on that date are scheduled to begin at 8:15 a.m. in the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division hearing room, 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Sincerely,



William T. Duncan, Jr.
(915) 688-6174
FAX 688-6199

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Attachment

Certified Return Receipt Requested



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c: Matt Perkins
Jim Bruce
Blinebry Field Rules

OFFSET OPERATORS

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777 TAYLOR ST.
SUITE 11A
FT. WORTH, TX 76102-4919

CHEVRON USA, INC.
ATTN: LAND DEPT.
P. O. BOX 1150
MIDLAND, TX 79702

JOHN H. HENDRIX
P. O. BOX 3040
MIDLAND, TX 79702-3040

OXY U.S.A., INC.
ATTN: KENT WOOLLEY
6 DESTA DRIVE
MIDLAND, TX 79705

MARATHON OIL COMPANY
ATTN: LAND DEPT.
P. O. BOX 552
MIDLAND, TX 79702

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

RECEIVED

APPLICATION OF EXXON CORPORATION
FOR A NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION
UNIT, SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION,
AND TWO UNORTHODOX GAS WELL
LOCATIONS, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

FEB 13 1996

Oil Conservation Division
NO. _____

APPLICATION

Exxon Corporation hereby applies for a non-standard gas spacing and proration unit, simultaneous dedication, and two unorthodox gas well locations, and in support thereof states:

1. Applicant is the operator of the New Mexico "S" State Lease, which covers all of Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, in Lea County. The lease is within the limits of the Blinebry Oil and Gas Pool ("the Pool"). The special rules and regulations for the Pool require 160 acre gas well units, consisting of a governmental quarter section.

2. Applicant requests a 159.92 acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit in said pool, consisting of Lots 2, 3, and the ~~S&NW~~ of said Section 2. Further, Applicant requests authorization to simultaneously dedicate to the unit its New Mexico "S" State Well Nos. 14 (Unit C), 38 (Unit E), and 28 (Unit F).

3. If the above proration unit is approved, Well No. 38 will be at an unorthodox gas well location 2,100 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 2, and Well No. 28 will be at an unorthodox gas well location 2,160 feet from the North line and 1,800 feet from the West line of Section 2. Said wells are existing Blinebry wells, and Applicant requests approval of the unorthodox locations.


4. If the foregoing request is granted, the following orders will be superseded: Division Order No. R-10063, which approved a non-standard proration unit in the Pool comprised of Lots 2 and 3 of Section 2; and Division Administrative Order NSP-1667, which approved a non-standard proration unit in the Pool comprised of the ~~SW~~~~NW~~ and ~~NW~~~~SW~~ of Section 2.

5. The granting of this application is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division grant the relief requested above.

Respectfully submitted,

HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD,
& HENSLEY, P.L.L.C., LTD., CO.



James Bruce
P. O. Box 2068
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2068
(505) 982-4554

Attorneys for Exxon Corporation