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RE: I-29 EOL Boot; T18S, R38E
NMOCD Case #: unassigned

Dear Mr. Sanchez:

R.T. Hicks Consultants, Ltd. is pleased to submit the attached Corrective Action Plan for the above referenced site. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,
R.T. Hicks Consultants, Ltd.

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October 20, 2005

Corrective Active Plan I-29 EOL Boot

Prepared for:

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1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents the results of the characterization activities performed by R.T. Hicks Consultants (Hicks Consultants) and Rice Operating Company (ROC) at the I-29 EOL Boot site. Based on field data, laboratory results, and predictive modeling, the selected remedy for the site is removal of the upper 4-feet of soil at this site and placement of a 1-foot of low-permeability clay layer overlain by 3-feet of top fill installed with a slight crown to promote surface runoff. Using highly conservative input data, HYDRUS-1D modeling of this scenario predicts that resulting ground water chloride concentrations are less than 30 ppm above background concentrations (100 ppm) in the future. This remedy is protective of ground water quality, human health and the environment.

The Hobbs Salt Water Disposal System (SWD), which managed produced water from the late 1950s to the present, is now closed. Future releases from system are not possible.

Closure of facilities like the I-29-EOL Boot within Hobbs SWD followed the August 6, 2004 NMOCD-approved junction box closure plan. This plan calls for delineation of any impact from these sites during the closure process and states:

If 12 feet vertical delineation at the source reveals Target Concentrations for TPH or BTEX will not meet NMOCD guidelines or TPH and BTEX will meet guidelines but there is not a significant decline vs depth in chloride concentration, the site-impact is judged to be outside the scope of this work plan and will become a risk-based corrective action (RBCA) project-site.

The I-29-EOL Boot site meets this criteria and this report describes characterization activities that are consistent with the NMOCD-approved workplan for this site. The characterization activities show that regulated hydrocarbons are not present in the vadose zone below the site and that chloride ion concentration in soil is less than 250 ppm from 30 feet below land surface to ground water.

2.0 SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

1. The I-29 EOL Boot site is located in Section 29, T18S, R 38E, on the west side of Hobbs, New Mexico. This end of line boot is part of the Hobbs Salt Water Disposal System.
2. R.T. Hicks Consultants supervised field activities at the I-29 EOL Boot site in November 2004. This involved general reconnaissance identified in the NMOCD-approved work plan as well as supervision of the borehole sampling of the vadose zone from ground surface to the capillary fringe.
3. Due to the dry and unconsolidated nature of the sand-silt material, the split-spoon was unable to hold samples of the vadose zone from below 35-feet to the capillary fringe. Throughout this depth interval, samples from cuttings were collected instead. This is the only material deviation from the NMOCD-approved workplan.
4. With the exception of one sample, all field analyses of headspace organic vapors were less than 100 ppm. The sample obtained at 6-feet below grade contained 135 ppm total organic vapors.
5. Laboratory analyses confirm that regulated petroleum hydrocarbons are not present above screening levels employed by the Petroleum Storage Tank Bureau of the New Mexico Environment Department.
6. Chloride concentration data show that the center of mass of a release from the site resides from near ground surface to 25-feet below ground surface (bgs).
7. HYDRUS-1D simulated three potential remedies to mitigate the potential impact to ground water caused by the migration of chloride from the upper vadose zone to ground water.

8. Results of the HYDRUS-1D simulations allow R.T. Hicks Consultants to recommend:

- Excavation of the upper 4-feet of material, placement of a 1-foot thick low-permeability clay layer from 4-feet bgs to 3-feet bgs,
- Filling the remaining 3-feet of the excavation with a sandy loam topsoil mixture,
- Grading the site to prevent any ponding of surface water, and
- Seeding the area to enhance natural re-vegetation.

This remedy reduces chloride flux into the aquifer such that ground water chloride concentration is less than 30 ppm above background concentration (100 ppm).

3.0 BACKGROUND

The I-29-EOL Boot was a component of the Hobbs SWD system. With the abandonment of the system in 2002, Rice Operating Company (ROC) excavated and removed the EOL Boot and used imported soil to fill the excavation. Appendix A presents additional information regarding the Hobbs SWD system.

3.1 LOCATION

Appendix A includes a regional location map showing the location of the site relative to selected other components of the Hobbs SWD system and public roads. Plate 1 is an aerial photograph of the site when it was active, taken between 1996 and 1998. Plotted on Plate 1 is the location of the site, the monitoring well at the adjacent I-29 Vent site, the location of the Texland Petroleum well and French Lane. Office of the State Engineer (OSE) wells within a one-mile radius of the I-29 EOL Boot site are given in Appendix C.

3.2 CHARACTERIZATION ACTIVITIES

In November 2004, R. T. Hicks Consultants, ROC, and Eades Drilling mobilized to complete one boring at the site. At the I-29 EOL Boot site, the location of the borehole was chosen inside the small depression (about 2-feet deep) caused by the removal of the boot, allowing data collection within approximately 3-feet of the boot location. In order to permit comparison of the results from this boring with the ambient chloride concentrations in the vadose zone, collection of samples from a background soil boring was a critical element of the NMOCD-approved workplan. Appendix A shows the location of and results from this background soil boring.

At the I-29-EOL boot site from 0-35 feet below land surface, the split spoon obtained samples at 5-foot intervals. The dry and unconsolidated nature of the sand-silt below a depth of 35-feet made retrieval of the split spoon for samples impossible. Continued attempts to collect split spoon samples were unsuccessful until a depth of 56-feet below ground surface. Due to increased soil moisture at this depth, the split spoon was able to retain samples to the total depth of 62-feet. In the interval between 35-feet bgs and 55-feet bgs, samples were collected from cuttings. This is the only material deviation from the NMOCD-approved workplan.

In the field, ROC evaluated samples from each depth for chloride and used the heated headspace method to measure total organic vapors by PID. Samples were submitted to the laboratory from depths showing the highest field chloride and PID measurements (6-feet bgs) and from the capillary fringe (61-feet bgs).

4.0 HYDROGEOLOGY OF THE SITE

Appendix A describes the hydrogeology of the area of the Hobbs SWD system

4.1 CHARACTERIZATION OF THE VADOSE ZONE

The soil profile at the site is composed primarily of a very fine grained sand-silt with three prominent caliche layers in the upper soil profile (Plate 2). The uppermost 6-feet at the site is sand-silt with some caliche. A more consolidated caliche exists from 6-feet bgs to 22-feet bgs. A well-indurated caliche sandstone layer exists between 30- and 35-feet bgs. The lowest caliche layer exists at 45- to 50-feet bgs. From 35-feet bgs to the bottom of the boring, the sand-silt is a reddish tan. Moisture was observed in the material from the bottom of the boring at 62-feet bgs.

Field chloride measurements were performed by ROC personnel every 5-feet starting at 6-feet bgs as detailed earlier and presented in Appendix B and Figure 1. An additional sample was collected at 22-feet bgs due to difficulty in collecting sufficient material of the well-indurated caliche layer at this depth. At 6-feet bgs, ROC measured a field chloride concentration of 5,125 mg/kg. Chloride measurements declined to 596 mg/kg at 16-feet bgs. Two additional chloride measurements of 1,415 mg/kg and 328 mg/kg occurred at 21-feet bgs and 31-feet bgs, respectively. Below this depth, chloride measurements (from cuttings) were at background levels with no measurement above 100 mg/kg below 35-feet bgs. As shown in Appendix A, the background chloride concentration in this area is 80 mg/kg.

The sample from 6-feet bgs featured a field PID reading of 124 ppm. All other readings from 11-feet bgs to 61-feet bgs were at background levels with an exception of a reading of 35 ppm at a depth of 35-feet bgs (See Plate 2). Samples from 6-feet bgs and 61-feet bgs were sent for laboratory analysis of BTEX. Laboratory analysis from the site is included in Appendix B. In the sample from 6-feet bgs, there was no detection of benzene (Table 1). Toluene, ethyl benzene and xylene were detected in concentrations two to four orders of magnitude lower than NMED soil screening levels (*NMED TPH Screening Guidelines*, February, 2004, DAF 20 guidelines allowing decay of constituents of concern) and below NMOCD Guidance. No constituents of concern were detected in the sample from 61-feet bgs.

Laboratory Data for SWD B-4 (I-29 EOL Boot), November 2004

	6 ft bgs	61 feet bgs	Detection Limit	NMED Screening Limit
	<i>mg/kg (dry)</i>			
Benzene	ND	ND	0.025	0.0283
Toluene	0.0139	ND	0.025	6.8
Ethylbenzene	0.0416	ND	0.025	10.5
Xylene (p/m)	0.055	ND	0.025	158
Xylene (o)	0.0298	ND	0.025	147
	<i>mg/kg (wet)</i>			
Chloride	4890	ND	20	

Because field evidence demonstrated that the chloride mass remains in the upper vadose zone and no evidence of material hydrocarbon impact was observed at the site; R.T. Hicks Consultants concluded that any releases from this boot did not flow to ground water and there was no need to install a monitoring well at the site.

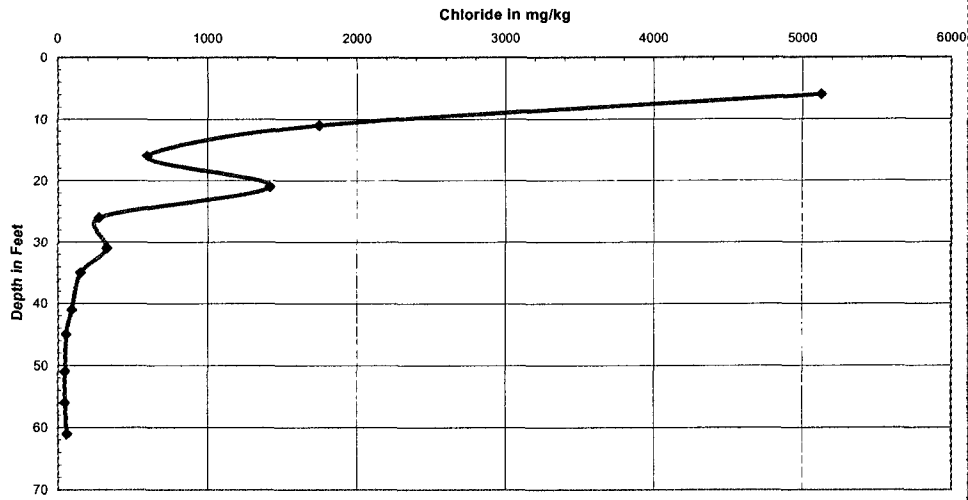
Table 1. Laboratory data for I-29 EOL Boot, November 2004

4.2 CONCEPTUAL MODEL OF SUBSURFACE PRODUCED WATER RELEASE

Boots within the gravity-flow pipelines of the system consisted of a T-like intersection of pipes, with an open vertical pipe above ground placed over a wooden catchment box. Some separation of gas from the produced water and entrained hydrocarbons occurred, and the resulting outflow has gravity flow. The conceptual model presented in Appendix A discusses how produced water releases generally occur within gravity driven water disposal systems, such as the Hobbs SWD. The conceptual model relies upon eyewitness accounts of recent releases and observations of subsurface chemistry.

From discussions with individuals familiar with these systems and from field inspection of the surface soils, R. T. Hicks Consultants concluded that periodic overflow events occurred at the I-29 EOL Boot site. ROC field chloride concentration measurements and laboratory data demonstrate that the mass of constituents of concern remains above 35-feet bgs (see Figure 1 and Appendix B). Although these samples were from cuttings associated with the air-rotary drilling process, Hicks Consultants believes they represent the chemistry of the vadose zone. These data support a release model where saturated conditions between the surface and ground water did not exist.

Figure 1
Soil Chloride Concentrations at the I-29 EOL Boot Site v. Depth



5.0 SIMULATION OF VERTICAL CHLORIDE FLUX

5.1 METHODS OF EVALUATION

As described in the NMOCD-approved workplan, HYDRUS-1D simulated flow through the vadose zone. The HYDRUS-1D output becomes the input to a simple ground water mixing model to simulate chloride concentration in a hypothetical well immediately down gradient of the site. Section 3.0 of Hendrickx and Others, *Modeling Study of Produced Water Release Scenarios*, (2005), provides a general description of this modeling approach (see References Section at the end of this document).

For subsurface releases like those within the Hobbs SWD System, the chloride vadose zone profile (Figure 1) was installed in lieu of attempting to re-create the specific release history for model input. The present chloride load within the soil profile is the result of all previous events at the site and is based upon field observation and analysis producing the most accurate modeling approach.

5.2 INPUT FOR SIMULATIONS

Inputs for the HYDRUS-1D modeling are synopsized in Table 3. The soil profile is based upon the results from this site and five other borings completed within Section 29 (see Appendix A).

Because of R.T. Hicks Consultants' recent experience with similar soils south of Lovington, New Mexico, conservative dispersion lengths were employed. Standard practice calls for employing a dispersion length that is 10% of the model length. For each lithologic unit identified in Appendix A, a dispersion length less than 6 % of the model thickness was installed (Table 2 presents the specific dispersion lengths for each lithology).

HYDRUS-1D calculated initial soil moisture of the Section 29 soil profile by running a simulation for 45 years using the weather data from the Pearl Weather station on a "dry" soil column. Because soils are

Table 2. Input parameters for HYDRUS-1D simulations

Hydrus Soil Profile 1 (Current Conditions)				
Material	Description	Length (cm)	Dispersion (cm)	% of Profile length
1	Sandy Loam	60	50	2.778
2	Caliche-sand	520	30	1.667
3	Caliche	150	10	0.556
4	Sand-silt	1070	100	5.556

relatively dry in this climate and vadose zone hydraulic conductivity varies with moisture content, it is important that simulation experiments of different remedial strategies begin with an initial "steady state" soil moisture content.

The calculation of soil moisture content begins with using professional judgment as an initial input then running sufficient years of weather data through the model to establish a "steady state" moisture content. Because only minimal changes in the HYDRUS-1D soil moisture content profile occurred after year 30 of the initial condition calculation, 45 years was considered more than sufficient to establish the initial moisture condition. Soil profiles hydrated in this manner were used in all simulations of chloride movement discussed later in this report.

As mentioned earlier, from the observed field data generated by ROC personnel, linearly interpolated chloride concentrations were assigned to the model's more finely spaced nodes of the hydrated soil profile.

As the Boot is oriented vertically, the effected area is small. Significant lateral impacts were not observed; and therefore, length of release parallel to ground water flow was concluded to be less than or equal to 20-feet.

Weather data used in the predictive modeling was Hobbs data from November 2003 to December 2004 plus an additional 45 years from the Pearl Weather Station, approximately 11 miles west of the Hobbs Airport. The Pearl Weather Station is the closest station to the I-29 Vent

Table 3. Input parameters for HYDRUS-1D simulations

Input Parameter	Source
Vadose Zone Thickness - 60 feet	Section 29 Bore Logs
Vadose Zone Texture (Plate 2 and Appendix A)	See Section 29 B-2 Well Log and App. A
Dispersion Length - <6% of model length	Professional judgement
Climate	2004 Hobbs, NM data and Pearl Weather Station Data
Soil Moisture	HYDRUS-1D initial condition simulation
Initial soil chloride concentration profile	From ROC Field Measurements
Length of release parallel to ground water flow - 20 feet	Field Estimate
Background Chloride in Ground Water 100 ppm	Intera Report (see Section 9.0 References)
Ground Water Flux - 8.6 cm/day	Calculated from published data
Aquifer Thickness - 10-feet	From Well Chloride data at Section 29 sites

site featuring sufficiently complete weather data for the HYDRUS-1D input files. Only more recent data from the Hobbs Airport is complete enough to be used for HYDRUS-1D input.

As described in Appendix A, a ground water flux of 8.6 cm/day was calculated.

Field data observed within Section 29 demonstrates that the aquifer is greater than 40-feet thick in this area. Persistent vertical differences in chloride concentrations in other wells installed in Section 29 suggest restrictions to vertical flow within the Ogallala aquifer (see Appendix A). Accordingly, a restricted aquifer thickness of 10 feet was employed in the mixing model as a conservative measure to cause over-estimation of chloride concentration in the imaginary monitoring well.

6.0 PROPOSED REMEDY

Four scenarios were modeled by coupling HYDRUS-1D output to a ground water mixing model. The scenarios are:

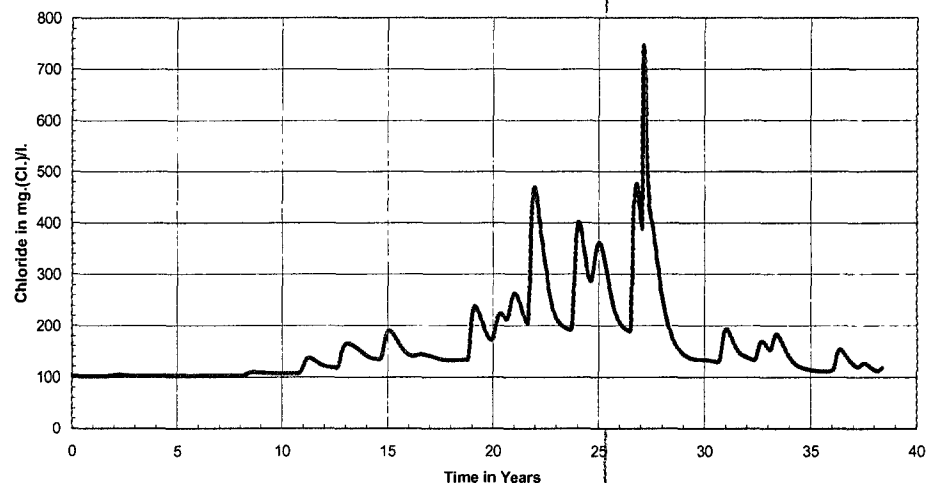
- Scenario 1 - Modeling of current conditions from the November 2004 field program.
- Scenario 2 - Removal of the upper two feet of the soil profile, placement of a synthetic barrier overlain with two feet of clean fill on top of the barrier.
- Scenario 3 - Excavation of the upper 10 feet of the soil profile and replacement with 10 feet of clean fill.
- Scenario 4 - Excavation of the upper four feet of the soil profile, placement of one foot of clean clay between 4 feet bgs and 3 feet bgs, and placement of 3 feet of a clean sandy loam.

6.1 ALTERNATIVES EXAMINED

Modeling of the current condition (Scenario 1) indicates that chloride concentrations in ground water may exceed 250 mg/l during the time from 21 years through 29 years from now (Figure 2). Scenario 1 establishes a baseline condition to which possible remedies may be compared.

Three remedial alternatives were examined with the modeling. The first remedy evaluated, Scenario 2, simulated the removal of the upper 2-feet of the soil profile and replacement of this material with an impermeable barrier, such as a synthetic liner. Despite no infiltration, gravity causes the residual vadose zone moisture to move downward. However, the lack of infiltration

Figure 2. Chloride Concentration in the Aquifer for I-29 EOL Boot (Scenario 1)



causes the moisture content in the profile to decline over time. Lower moisture content causes a commensurate reduction in unsaturated hydraulic conductivity. Without infiltration, the vadose zone flux into the aquifer is so diminished that chloride concentration in the aquifer is indistinguishable from background concentration (Figure 3).

The second possible remedy, Scenario 3, evaluated the removal of the upper 10-feet of soil and replacement with clean fill assumed to contain a background chloride concentration of 80 mg/kg. To evaluate this alternative, a second HYDRUS-1D soil profile was used (see Appendix A and Plate 3) with this adjusted chloride load.

This second soil profile represents an excavated site by replacing the upper 19- feet of sand, caliche, and clay with sandy loam, which exhibits a higher hydraulic conductivity than the excavated material. This change accelerates the residual chloride and water flux into the aquifer. Because most of the chloride currently at the site is contained within the upper 10-feet of the soil profile and is exported in this remedy, the resulting peak chloride concentration in the aquifer is less than 150 ppm about 22 years from now (Figure 4). This simulation does not consider re-vegetation of the ground surface, which would occur and reduce infiltration.

The third remedy, Scenario 4, simulated the excavation of the upper 4-feet of material, placement of a 1-foot thick low-permeability clay layer from 4-feet bgs to 3-feet bgs and filling the remaining 3-feet of the excavation with a sandy loam topsoil mixture. Again, the second HYDRUS-1D soil profile was used with the suitably adjusted chloride load. This choice permits the model to over estimate the potential impact

Figure 3. Chloride Concentration in the Aquifer for I-29 EOL Boot with a Barrier Installed (Scenario 2)

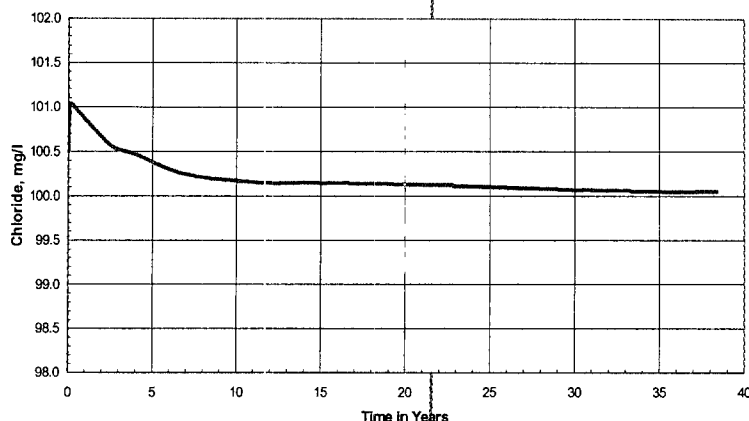
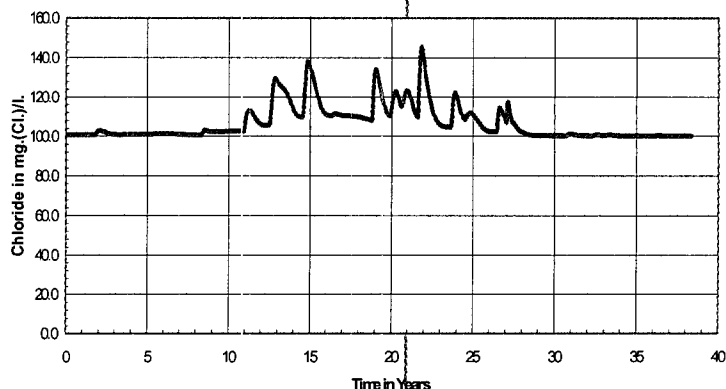
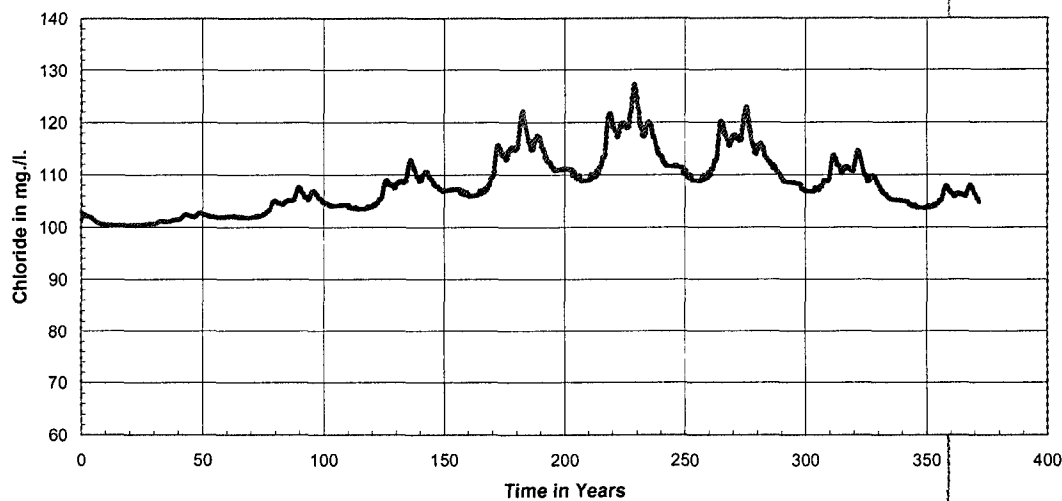


Figure 4. Chloride Concentration in the Aquifer with an Excavated Upper 10 feet of Soil Profile, I-29 EOL Boot v. Time (Scenario 3)



to ground water quality (see Appendix A). Figure 5 presents the result of this simulation showing that the chloride mass enters ground water through a diminished flux because of lowered infiltration. Ground water chloride concentrations are increased less than 30 ppm above background concentrations (100 ppm).

Figure 5. Chloride Concentration in the Aquifer for I-29 EOL with a Clay Cap v. Time, (Scenario 4)



7.0 PROPOSED REMEDY

R. T. Hicks Consultants recommends that ROC remove the upper 4-feet of soil at this site and replace this with 1-foot of clay and 3-feet of top fill installed with a slight crown to promote surface runoff (Scenario 4). The maximum predicted chloride concentration in ground water is represented in Figure 5.

8.0 CRITERIA FOR CLOSURE

Vadose zone samples demonstrate no presence of toxic pollutant(s) as defined in 20.6.2.7 NMAC. Existing vadose zone samples are proposed to serve as closure samples.

With installation of a clay cap and top soil fill at the site, modeling predicts no reasonable probability of ground water impairment using the initial vadose zone samples as the closure samples. Upon installation of the proposed clay cap, R.T. Hicks Consultants recommends that NMOCD close this site.

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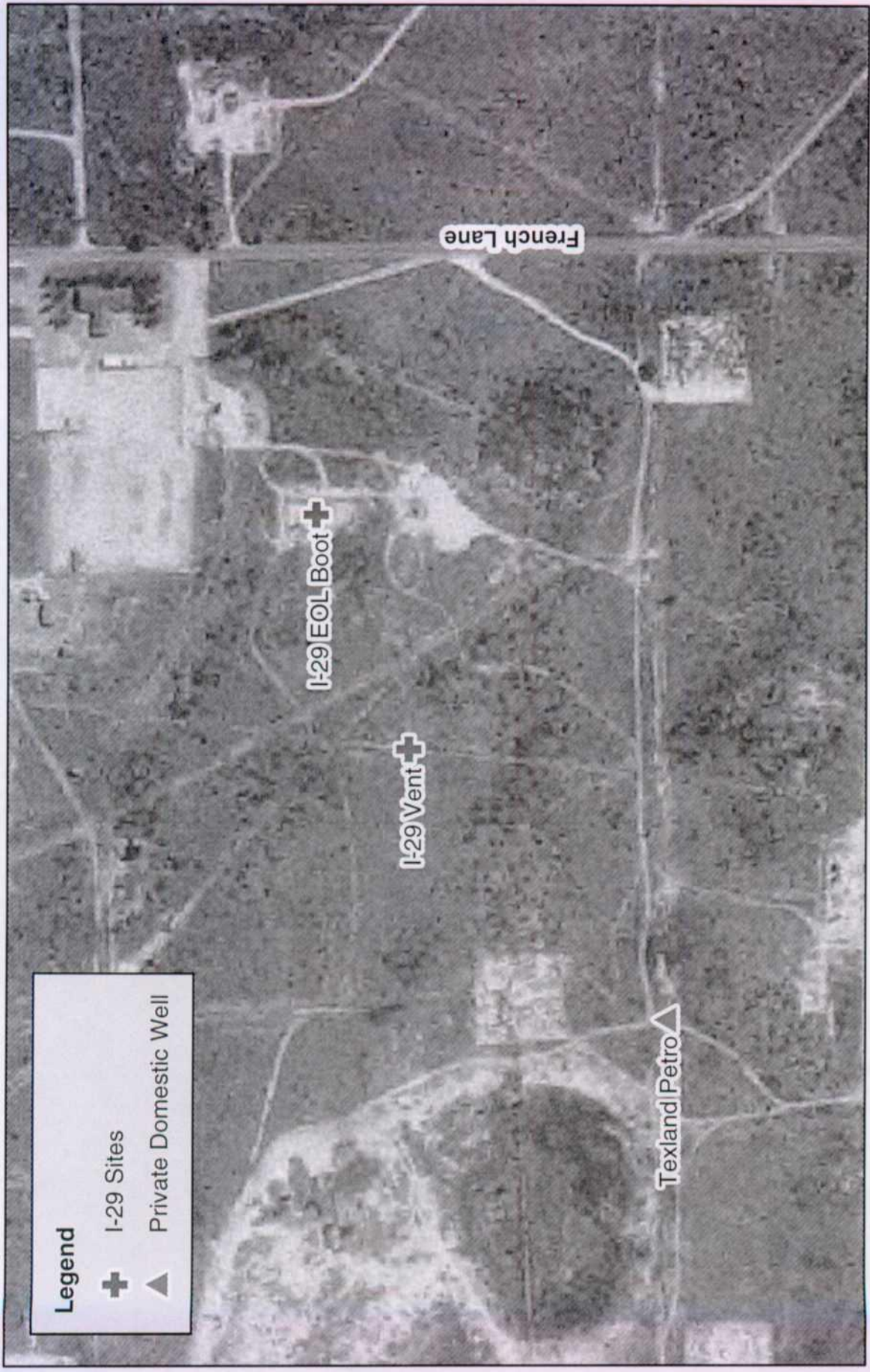
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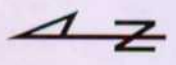
PLATES



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- + I-29 Sites
- ▲ Private Domestic Well

Source Map: Hobbs West NE Qtr (<http://rgis.unm.edu>)



	Aerial Photograph (1996-98) showing I-29 Site and Surrounds	Plate 1
	NMOCD: I-29 Corrective Action Plan (Rice Operating Company)	September 2005

Logger:		David Hamilton	Client:		Boring ID: Section 29 B-4 (62 feet)			
Driller:		Eades Drilling	Rice Operating Company					
Drilling Method:		Air Rotary	Project Name:					
Start Date:		11/4/2004	I-29 EOL Boot					
End Date:		11/4/2004	Location:					
			T18S R38E					
			Section 29, Unit I					
Depth (feet)	Description	Lithology	Comments	Field data				
0.0	Surface, 0-3 feet		Boring started 2 feet bgs in trench	Depth	Chloride mg/kg	PID		
2.0	Sand silt, caliche, tan, 3-6 feet							
4.0								
6.0	Caliche, tan to white, 6-22 feet			6.0	5125	124.0		
8.0								
10.0				11.0	1746	2.4		
12.0								
14.0				16.0	596	2.3		
16.0								
18.0				21.0	1415	2.8		
20.0								
22.0	Very fine grained sand silt, tan, 22-30 feet							
24.0								
26.0				26.0	271	6.7		
28.0								
30.0	Well indurated caliche, 30-33 feet		Hard drilling	31.0	328	7.5		
32.0	Sandstone, red-tan, 33-35 feet		Very hard drilling					
34.0	Very fine grained sand, tan-red, 35-45 feet							
36.0				35.0	152	35.0		
38.0								
40.0				41.0	92	9.7		
42.0	Very fine grained sand, some caliche, 45-50 feet							
44.0								
46.0				45.0	53	7.0		
48.0								
50.0	Very fine grained sand silt, tan red, 50-62 feet			51.0	46	4.3		
52.0								
54.0				56.0	47	8.2		
56.0								
58.0								
60.0				61.0	59	4.4		
62.0			Last sample 60-62 feet, moist. Hole backfilled with Bentonite					
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			Exploratory Boring					

HYDRUS-1D Profiles			Client:		
			Rice Operating Company		
			Project Name:		
			I-29 EOL Boot		
			Location:		
			T18S R38E		
			Section 29		
Depth (feet)	Description	Current Profile	Description	Excavated Profile	Depth (feet)
0.0	Sandy loam, 0 - 2 feet		Sandy loam 0-1 feet		0.0
2.0	Sand, caliche, 2-17 feet		Loamy sand, 1-19 feet		2.0
4.0					4.0
6.0					6.0
8.0					8.0
10.0					10.0
12.0					12.0
14.0					14.0
16.0	Caliche, 17-19 feet				16.0
18.0	Sand, silt 19-20feet		Sand, silt 19-20feet		18.0
20.0	Caliche, 20-22 feet		Caliche, 20-22 feet		20.0
22.0	Sand, silt 22-34 feet		Sand, silt 22-34 feet		22.0
24.0					24.0
26.0					26.0
28.0					28.0
30.0					30.0
32.0					32.0
34.0	Caliche, 34-35 feet		Caliche, 34-35 feet		34.0
36.0	Sand, silt, 35-45 feet		Sand, silt, 35-45 feet		36.0
38.0					38.0
40.0					40.0
42.0					42.0
44.0	Sand , caliche, 45-47 feet		Sand , caliche, 45-47 feet		44.0
46.0	Sand, silt, 47-59 feet		Sand, silt, 47-59 feet		46.0
48.0					48.0
50.0					50.0
52.0					52.0
54.0					54.0
56.0					56.0
58.0					58.0
60.0					60.0
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			Hydrus Profiles Developed from Exploratory Borings		September, 2005

APPENDIX A

1.0 CONCEPTUAL MODEL OF SUBSURFACE PRODUCED WATER RELEASES

The Hobbs SWD System operated at a capacity of about 40,000 barrels/day from the late 1950s to the late 1980s. During the past decade, about 1,000 barrels/day flowed through the system until operations ceased in 2002.

People familiar with the site suggest that soil staining and other evidence of produced water leakage at various sites typically dates to the time when the system was operating at capacity. Accidental releases to the environment at many sites ceased in the 1990s and natural restoration has mitigated the effects of any past releases. At most release sites, no vegetation stress that can be attributed to past releases exists.

The System operated by gravity flow of produced water through pipelines, junction boxes, boots, tanks and disposal through injection into wells. Releases occur periodically due to gradual failures of seals, overflow of vent lines, or sudden and accidental releases. The length of time that produced water flows to the subsurface was short for sudden and accidental releases or vent overflow incidents. A failure of a seal or a small crack in a pipeline may have allowed a release to the subsurface for months or longer. Because of the efforts of ROC to routinely identify system failures and because the flow in the Hobbs SWD System materially declined during the past decade, only minor subsurface releases occurred in the Hobbs SWD System until operations ceased in 2002.

The distribution of constituents of concern (primarily chloride, secondarily BTEX) in the surface soil and vadose zone is different for each release scenario. Releases of relatively large water volumes over long periods create saturated conditions between the release site and ground water. Where this type of release occurs, borehole data show a relatively constant chloride concentration of 2-4 times background concentration throughout the vadose zone. Due to the natural processes of sorption and biodegradation, petroleum hydrocarbons may not impact ground water even at sites where large volumes were released over long periods.

Episodic releases of small volumes of produced water will not always create saturation of the vadose zone. Where episodic releases occur in junction boxes or similar enclosures, spills of produced water and entrained crude oil infiltrate the vadose zone. After the spill ceases and the

produced water drains into the vadose zone, the entrained crude oil follows similar paths as the produced water with the difference that the higher viscosity and surface tension limits the depth of infiltration. After deposition of the oil within the near surface vadose zone pore spaces, volatilization of the lighter hydrocarbons from the crude oil and the aging process in general causes the formation of an asphaltic-sand that reduces or eliminates subsequent infiltration through that same flow path.

This conceptual model of produced water releases accounts for the distribution of chloride and regulated hydrocarbons observed at this and others salt water disposal systems. The depth of penetration of produced water depended primarily upon the size and frequency of releases, how quickly crude filled the pore spaces and reduced permeability, and the nature of the subsurface. At some sites, these three factors allowed produced water to penetrate less than 10 feet. At other sites where a relatively large volume of produced water entered the subsurface, penetration to depths much greater than 10 feet occurred due to unsaturated and saturated flow. At sites where crude was not released with produced water to reduce the permeability of the subsurface, relatively small episodic releases could reach ground water.

Because the system operated under gravity flow, the produced water releases were generally episodic, being caused by temporary over-pressuring at a given location (e.g. a vent). The lack of constant pressure within the system typically caused releases of relatively small volumes. If the total volume released was relatively small, then one could observe relatively high chloride concentrations in the unsaturated zone with no impairment of ground water quality.

Improved operational and environmental practices of the 1980s and 1990s plus the clogged pore spaces caused by previously released crude caused saturated flow conditions, which may have existed at some sites, to change to much slower unsaturated flow. With this type of release, one could observe high concentrations of constituents throughout the vadose zone but no current impairment of ground water quality.

Impairment of ground water quality occurs only where the mass of constituents of concern in produced water entered ground water at a sufficient rate to overwhelm natural dilution and dispersion. Therefore, high concentrations of constituents in the vadose zone are not the only factor that determines if ground water is impaired; it is the flux of these constituents to ground water. However, if a soil column contains only low concentrations of constituents, then one may conclude that there is insufficient mass of constituents to impair ground water quality regardless of the flux.

In the absence of vadose zone saturation, the arid climate of New Mexico creates such a low flux to ground water that one can observe sequestration of the constituents of concern in the upper vadose zone (10-20 feet below land surface) for many years. Borehole data from these types of releases show high concentrations of chloride below the release site and a relatively sharp decline in chloride concentration to background conditions with depth. If the release is not recent, natural processes can reduce the concentrations of any residual hydrocarbons and eliminate any environmental risk to ground water. Figure 1 presents schematic representations of field chloride analyses that are common for saturated and unsaturated release scenarios.

In summary, sites where chloride or other constituents of concern penetrated deep into the vadose zone probably experienced long-term releases of relatively large volumes of water; or crude was not released with the water and the filling of soil pores with asphaltic material did not occur. Where penetration of the vadose zone was less than 20-30 feet, the release was episodic and consisted of a relatively small volume of fluid.

Produced water potentially released to the environment from the Hobbs SWD System is expected to contain the following regulated constituents:

- Benzene
- Ethylbenzene
- Toluene
- Xylenes
- Naphthalenes
- Total Dissolved Solids
- Chloride
- Sulfate

Because the fate and transport of released chloride is essentially identical to that of TDS and sulfate, soil samples can be evaluated for chloride only; and one may remain confident that concentrations of chloride will indicate the presence of similar concentrations of other non-hydrocarbon constituents.

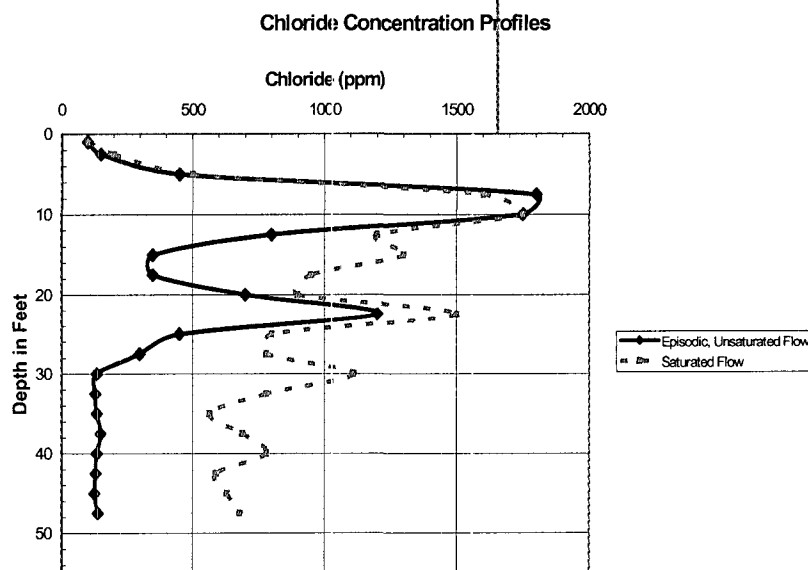


Figure 1. Schematic representations of field chloride analyses that are common for the two different release scenarios.

The regulated hydrocarbon constituents can behave independently of each other due to different rates of biodegradation and sorption. Field measurements of total organic vapors are very useful in providing a qualitative measure of the concentration of volatile organic constituents (e.g. benzene) in soil, and therefore, this field measurement is employed to identify which samples will undergo laboratory analysis.

2.0 HYDROGEOLOGY OF SECTION 29

2.1 CHARACTERISTICS OF THE VADOSE ZONE IN SECTION 29

Plate A-1 with Table A-1 shows:

- The location of monitoring wells and soil borings installed by ROC within Section 29,
- Private supply wells sampled by ROC,
- Supply wells with water sample data from the Intera's *Windmill Oil Site Ground Water Sampling Results* (2003), and
- Water supply wells that have lithologic information in Exhibit A-1 collected from the Office of the State Engineer (OSE).

Plate A-2 is the well log from the F 29-1a site, which is typical of the area. As is common in the Ogallala Formation throughout the High Plains, caliche dominates the uppermost vadose zone from 5 feet below surface to a depth of more than 20 feet. Below the caliche horizon, the boring penetrated tan and red very fine-grained sand and silt to the water table. Interbedded with the sand and silt are thin layers of caliche. The water table was intercepted between 60 and 65 feet.

Driller's logs on file with the OSE and published descriptions of the upper Ogallala Formation (Nicholson and Clebsch, 1961; Ash, 1963) generally agree with the lithologic profile presented in Plate A-2. Beneath the thin layer of topsoil, caliche is present in the uppermost vadose zone to a depth of 24-28 feet. Below this caliche layer, several supply well logs report penetration of a clay/shale zone, which was not observed in the F-29-1a boring but may exist elsewhere in Section 29. As Plate A-2 shows, R.T. Hicks Consultant's lithologic logs describe very fine grained sand and silt with thin layers of caliche between the surface and a depth of 24 feet and primarily a sand-silt to the total depth (102 feet). In the supply well logs, "sandstone" (which R.T. Hicks Consultants describes as "caliche") dominates the upper vadose zone to depth of about 25 feet; "sand" (which R.T. Hicks Consultants describes as "very fine grained sand-silt") dominates the lower vadose zone to a depth of about 65 feet.

Plate A-3 (see Composite Profile 1), which is a composite lithologic profile based upon available data, is considered to adequately represent the texture of the vadose zone and upper saturated zone throughout Section 29. The driller's logs that describe a clay/shale zone below the uppermost caliche suggest the uppermost vadose zone could be locally finer-grained than described in Plate A-2.

Plate A-3 also contains a second composite profile representing an excavated soil profile in Section 29, which is representative of sites where ROC removed portions of the upper vadose zone during the abandonment program. In this profile, the upper 19 feet (the maximum reach of a backhoe) of sand and caliche is replaced with a loamy sand. As the loamy sand has a higher hydraulic conductivity than the caliche and sand it replaces, overstating depth of excavation is conservative of ground water quality from a modeling viewpoint.

2.2 CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SATURATED ZONE IN SECTION 29

The saturated zone is the Ogallala Aquifer. Plate A-2 characterizes the saturated zone as well-sorted, fine-grained sand with thin layers of caliche and cemented sand. The base of the Ogallala is seldom penetrated in or near Section 29. The single well log on file at the OSE that extends to the top of the "Red Bed" (Dockum Group) does not describe a basal sand and gravel unit that is characteristic of the Ogallala throughout Lea County and the High Plains in general (Nicholson and Clebsch, 1961). The basal sand and gravel unit is probably present throughout the area, despite the lack of site-specific evidence.

Based upon the lithology of the saturated zone, the number and spacing of supply wells, and the size and use of several of these wells (e.g. 12 inches or more), R.T. Hicks Consultants believes that the hydraulic conductivity of the saturated zone in Section 29 is similar to that observed for the Ogallala Aquifer throughout the general area. McAda (1984) simulated water level declines using a two-dimensional digital model and employed hydraulic conductivity values of 51-75 feet/day (1.9 E-4 to 2.8 E-4 m/s) in the area. More recently, Musharrafieh and Chudnoff (1999) employed values for hydraulic conductivity within this area of interest between 81 and 100 ft/day for their simulation. According to Freeze and Cherry (1979), these values correspond to clean sand, which agrees with the site lithologic description of the saturated zone.

For the Hobbs System sites, the saturated hydraulic conductivity of the uppermost saturated zone is assumed as 75 feet/day.

To create a potentiometric surface map for the site, USGS gauging data from 2001-2002 was employed. Table A-1 presents the water level data, and Plate A-4 is the result. Ground water flows east-southeast in Section 29 under a hydraulic gradient of approximately 0.0036. Locally, within Section 29, ground water flows east. In general, ground water flow in Section 29 is concluded to be east-southeast with a hydraulic gradient of 0.003.

Plate A-5 presents two hydrographs of nearby USGS wells showing that ground water elevations near Section 29 have decreased by 10 feet since 1985. Plate A-1 shows the locations of these two wells: near the airport and at the southern city limit of Hobbs.

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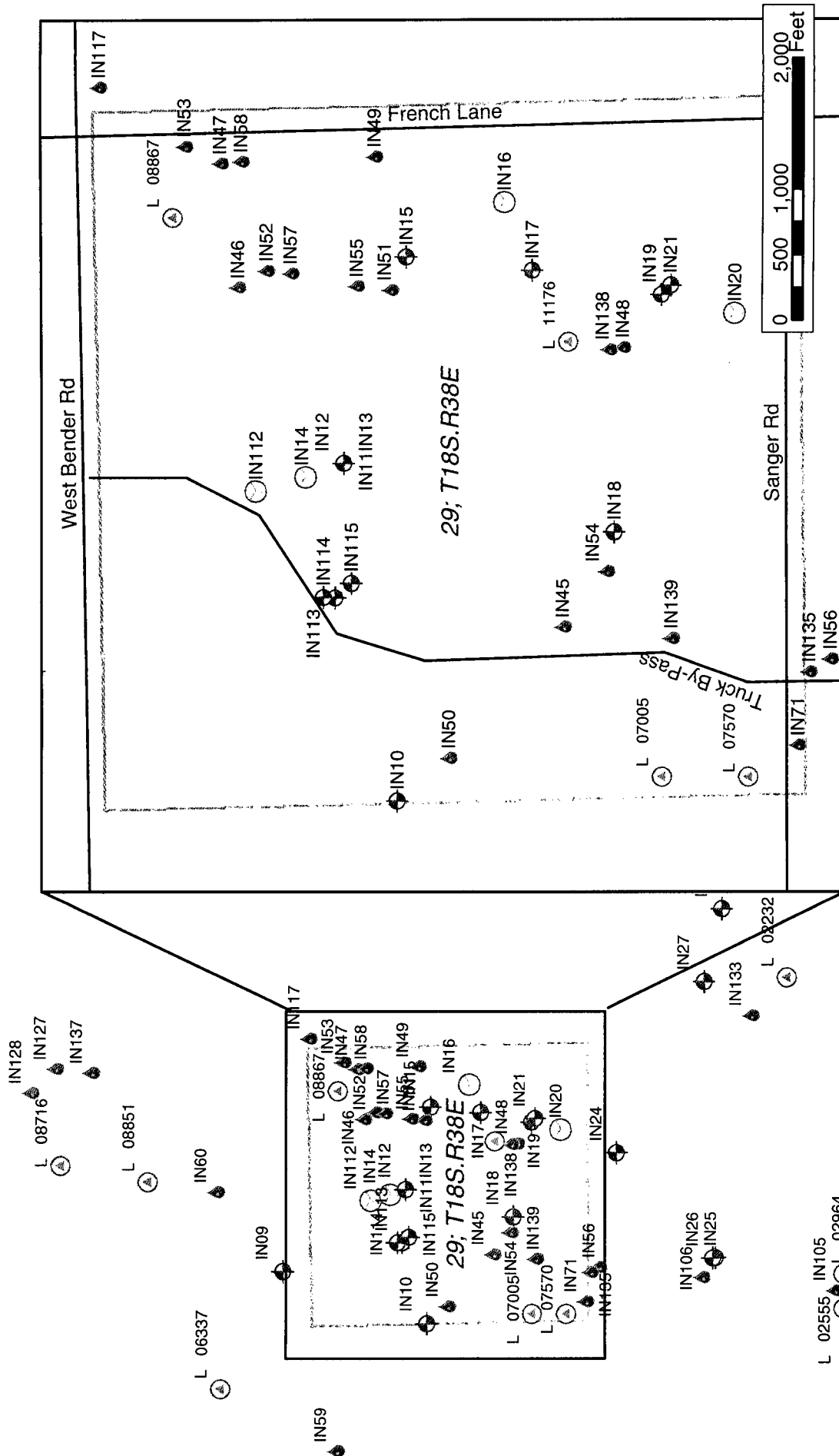
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TABLES

Table A-1

IN NO	Site ID	X_UTM83	Y_UTM83	Loc ID	System	Location	STATUS	GWelev	Cl_ppm
IN009	18S.38E.20.M.VENT	670996	3622479	M-20 Vent	Hobbs	Sec 20, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN010	18S.38E.29.E.VENT	670697	3621643	E-29 Vent	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN011	18S.38E.29.F.JCT.1A	671472	3621766	Jct. F-29-1a	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN012	18S.38E.29.F.JCT.1A-DEEP	671472	3621766	Jct. F-29-1a-Deep	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well	3585	332
IN013	18S.38E.29.F.JCT.1A-SHALLOW	671472	3621766	Jct. F-29-1a-Shallow	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well	3585	626
IN014	18S.38E.29.F.JCT.1B	671440	3621854	Jct. F-29-1b	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Soil Boring		
IN015	18S.38E.29.H.JCT.	671949	3621622	Jct. H-29	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN016	18S.38E.29.I.EOL BOOT	672076	3621394	I-29 EOL Boot	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Soil Boring		
IN017	18S.38E.29.I.VENT	671917	3621330	I-29 Vent	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well	3583	104
IN018	18S.38E.29.K.EOL BOOT	671314	3621139	K-29 EOL Boot	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN019	18S.38E.29.O.EOL	671861	3621031	O-29 EOL	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN020	18S.38E.29.O.VENT	671818	3620861	O-29 Vent	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Soil Boring		
IN021	18S.38E.29.P.VENT	671883	3621009	P-29 Vent	Hobbs	Sec 29, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN024	18S.38E.32.B.BOOT	671886	3620535	B-32 Boot	Hobbs	Sec 32, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN025	18S.38E.32.E.JCT.1	671077	3619959	Jct. E-32-1	Hobbs	Sec 32, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN026	18S.38E.32.E.JCT.2	671075	3619976	Jct. E-32-2	Hobbs	Sec 32, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN027	18S.38E.33.E.JCT.1	672671	3620026	Jct. E-33-1	Hobbs	Sec 33, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN028	18S.38E.33.F.VENT	673087	3619923	F-33 Vent	Hobbs	Sec 33, T18S, R38E	Monitoring Well		
IN045	INTERA.WO-001	671096	3621258	WO-001	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		
IN046	INTERA.WO-003	671878	3622011	WO-003	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		478
IN047	INTERA.WO-004	672167	3622050	WO-004	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		105
IN048	INTERA.WO-005	671739	3621120	WO-005	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		112
IN049	INTERA.WO-006	672183	3621695	WO-006	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		119
IN050	INTERA.WO-007	670796	3621523	WO-007	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		111
IN051	INTERA.WO-009	671872	3621659	WO-009	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		110
IN052	INTERA.WO-010	671917	3621945	WO-010	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		84
IN053	INTERA.WO-011	672206	3622132	WO-011	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		265
IN054	INTERA.WO-012	671224	3621157	WO-012	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		102
IN055	INTERA.WO-013	671881	3621737	WO-013	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		378
IN056	INTERA.WO-014	671023	3620640	WO-014	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		91
IN057	INTERA.WO-022	671911	3621889	WO-022	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		
IN058	INTERA.WO-024	672171	3622003	WO-024	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		
IN059	INTERA.WO-044	669954	3622169	WO-044	Windmill Oil		Domestic Well		402
IN060	OCD.AA Oil Field Services	671456	3622866	AA Oil Field Services			Domestic Well		60
IN071	OCD.Cat House Water Well	670826	3620715	Cat House Water Well	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		92
IN105	ROC.Bowlarama	670888	3619268	Bowlarama	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		176
IN106	ROC.Bulldog Tool Co.	670964	3620040	Bulldog Tool Co.	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		168
IN112	ROC.F-29-BGB-01	671407	3621969	F-29-BGB-01	Hobbs		Soil Boring		
IN113	ROC.F-29-MW-2	671163	3621786	F-29-MW-2	Hobbs		Monitoring Well		223
IN114	ROC.F-29-MW-3	671164	3621813	F-29-MW-3	Hobbs		Monitoring Well		272
IN115	ROC.F-29-MW-4	671197	3621748	F-29-MW-4	Hobbs		Monitoring Well		336
IN117	ROC.Hobbs Diesel Co.	672343	3622328	Hobbs Diesel Co.	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		88
IN127	ROC.Mac Truck Co.	672169	3623794	Mac Truck Co.	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		360
IN128	ROC.Oil Field Rental Services	672031	3623935	Oil Field Rental Services	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		76
IN133	ROC.Pan American Petro	672478	3619756	Pan American Petro	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		124
IN135	ROC.Smith's International	670994	3620689	Smith's International	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		92
IN137	ROC.Stoebr Wire Co	672147	3623586	Stoebr Wire Co	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		640
IN138	ROC.Texland Petro	671734	3621152	Texland Petro	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		140
IN139	ROC.Two State Tank Rental Co.	671070	3621007	Two State Tank Rental Co.	Domestic Well		Domestic Well		292

PLATES



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Well Location Map

Plate A-1

Rice Operating Company

October 2005

Logger:	David Hamilton	Client:	Well ID: F-29-1a B-2-1 (99 feet), F-29-1a B-2-2 (72 feet)
Driller:	Eades Drilling	Rice Operating Company	
Drilling Method:	Air Rotary	Project Name:	
Start Date:	11/3/2004	Hobbs F-29-1A	
End Date:	11/6/2004	Location:	
		T18S R38E Section 29, Unit F	

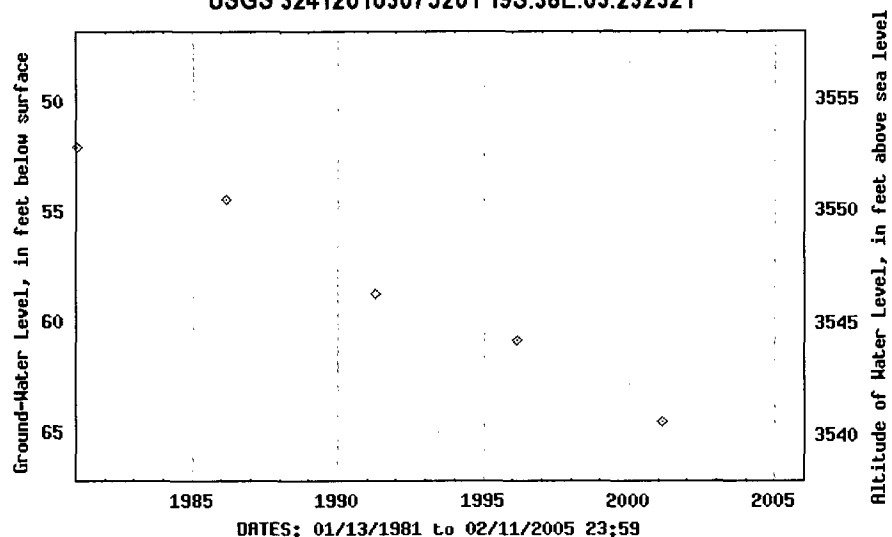
Depth (feet)	Description	Lithology	Comments	Well Construction	Field data			
					Depth	Chloride mg/kg	PID	
0.0	Surface, 0 - 1 feet		Some odor	Cement, 0 - 3 feet				
2.0	Caliche, clay, sand , moist, 1 - 13 feet, Some hydrocarbon impact							
4.0								
6.0				6.0	203	547		
8.0								
10.0					11.0	174	1575	
12.0	Caliche, fine grained sand, silt, light tan, 13 - 18 feet							
14.0								
16.0					16.0	106	1060	
18.0	Caliche, well indurated , 18 - 21 feet							
20.0	Caliche with some well indurated layers, 21 - 24 feet			21.0	73	1242		
22.0				22.0	78	1290		
24.0	Very fine grained sand, silt, light reddish tan, 24 - 36 feet		At 30 feet: Some hydrocarbon impact, strong odor	Hydrated bentonite, 3-50 feet				
26.0					26.0	91	1006	
28.0								
30.0					31.0	83	1290	
32.0								
34.0								
36.0	Some caliche, 36 - 36.5 feet				36.0	85	403	
38.0	Very fine grained sand, silt, tan - red, 36.5 - 48 feet							
40.0				41.0	92	432		
42.0								
44.0								
46.0				46.0	92	354		
48.0	Caliche layer, 48 - 48.5 feet							
50.0	Very fine grained sand, silt, tan - red, 48.5 - 59 feet		At 59 feet: Bore collapsing, Probe is wet. Drilled with water below 59 feet	Sand, 50-74 feet Screen 52-72 feet	51.0	72	527	
52.0								
54.0					56.0	87	479	
56.0								
58.0				59.0	94	414		
60.0	Very fine grained sand, silt, tan - red, 59 - 102 feet		Slump filled hole from 99-102 feet	Hydrated bentonite, 74-92 feet				
62.0								
64.0								
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76.0								
78.0								
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90.0								
92.0								
94.0				Sand, 92-99 feet Screen 94-99 feet				
96.0								
98.0								
100.0				Slump				
102.0								

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	Monitoring Well Boring	October 2005

HYDRUS-1D Profiles			Client:				
			Rice Operating Company				
			Project Name:				
			I-29 EOL Boot				
			Location:				
			T18S R38E				
			Section 29				
Depth (feet)	Description	Composite Profile		Description	Excavated Profile		Depth (feet)
0.0	Sandy loam, 0 - 2 feet			Sandy loam 0-1 feet			0.0
2.0	Sand, caliche, 2-17 feet			Loamy sand, 1-19 feet			2.0
4.0						4.0	
6.0						6.0	
8.0						8.0	
10.0						10.0	
12.0						12.0	
14.0						14.0	
16.0	Caliche, 17-19 feet						16.0
18.0	Sand, silt 19-20feet			Sand, silt 19-20feet			18.0
20.0	Caliche, 20-22 feet			Caliche, 20-22 feet			20.0
22.0	Sand, silt 22-34 feet			Sand, silt 22-34 feet			22.0
24.0						24.0	
26.0						26.0	
28.0						28.0	
30.0						30.0	
32.0						32.0	
34.0	Caliche, 34-35 feet			Caliche, 34-35 feet			34.0
36.0	Sand, silt, 35-45 feet			Sand, silt, 35-45 feet			36.0
38.0						38.0	
40.0						40.0	
42.0						42.0	
44.0	Sand , caliche, 45-47 feet			Sand , caliche, 45-47 feet			44.0
46.0	Sand, silt, 47-59 feet			Sand, silt, 47-59 feet			46.0
48.0						48.0	
50.0						50.0	
52.0						52.0	
54.0						54.0	
56.0						56.0	
58.0							58.0
60.0							60.0
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			Hydrus Profiles Developed from Exploratory Borings		October, 2005		



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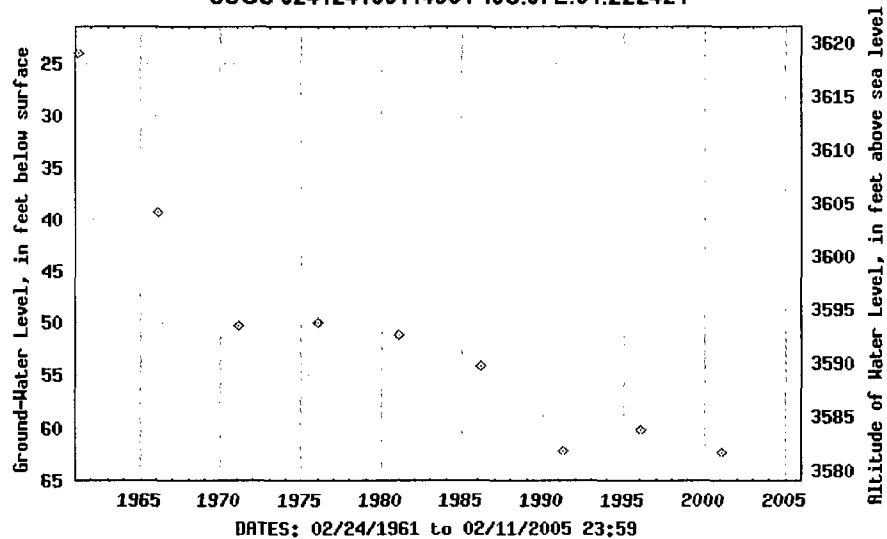


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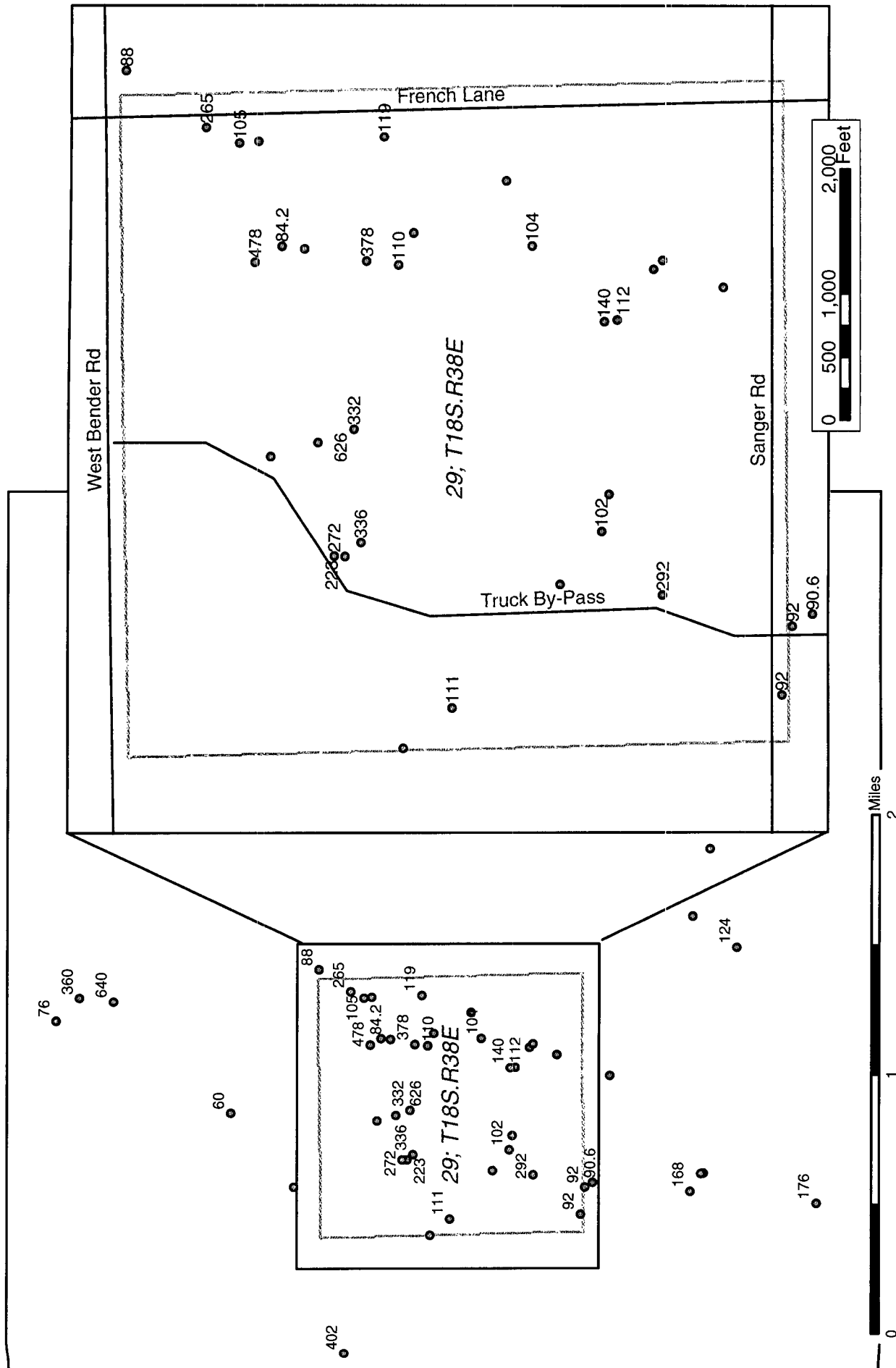
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USGS Hydrographs

Plate A-5

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Chloride concentration (mg/L) in nearby wells.		Plate A-6
Rice Operating Company		October 2005

EXHIBIT A-1

WELL RECORD

INSTRUCTIONS: This form should be executed in triplicate, preferably typewritten, and submitted to the nearest district office of the State Engineer. All sections, except Section 5, shall be answered as completely and accurately as possible when any well is drilled, repaired or deepened. When this form is used as a plugging record, only Section 1A and Section 5 need be completed.

Section 1

(A) Owner of well MORAN OIL PROP. & DRILLING CORP.Street and Number BOX 1919City HOBBSState N.M.Well was drilled under Permit No. L-6660(E) and is located in the
NE 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 19 Twp. 18 S Rge. 38E(B) Drilling Contractor ABBOTT BRCS.License No. WD-46Street and Number BOX 637City HOBBSState N.M.Drilling was commenced MARCH 23 19 70Drilling was completed MARCH 23 19 70

(Plat of 840 acres)

Elevation at top of casing in feet above sea level 120' Total depth of well 120'State whether well is shallow or artesian shallow Depth to water upon completion 48'

Section 2

PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

No.	Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation
	From	To		
1	48	92	44	sand water
2	114	120	6	sand water
3				
4				
5				

Section 3

RECORD OF CASING

Dia in.	Pounds ft.	Threads in.	Depth		Feet	Type Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
7	23	10	1	120	120	none	75'	120'

Section 4

RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet	Diameter Hole in in.	Tons Clay	No. Sacks of Cement	Methods Used
From	To			

Section 5

PLUGGING RECORD

Name of Plugging Contractor ABBOTT BRCS.License No. WD-46Street and Number BOX 637City HOBBSState N.M.Tons of Clay used 1.0Tons of Roughage used 1.0Type of roughage 1/2" x 1/2" x 1/2"Plugging method used dry packDate Plugged 19 70Plugging approved by: State Engineer

Cement Plugs were placed as follows:

No.	Depth of Plug		No. of Sacks Used
	From	To	

FOR USE OF STATE ENGINEER ONLY

Date Received 12-13-70File No. L-6660(E)Use QWDLocation No. 18.38.19.33.23

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FIELD ENGR. LOG

WELL RECORD

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Section 1

(A) Owner of well CAPTAN DRILLING COMPANY, Inc.Street and Number P.O. Box 6725City ODESSA 79766 State TexasWell was drilled under Permit No. L-6337 and is located in theSW 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 19 Twp. 18 S Rge. 38 E(B) Drilling Contractor Abbott Brothers License No. ED-46Street and Number P.O. Box 637City Hobbs 88240 State New MexicoDrilling was commenced June 10 19 68Drilling was completed June 10 19 68

(Plat of 640 acres)

Elevation at top of casing in feet above sea level _____ Total depth of well 110State whether well is shallow or artesian shallow Depth to water upon completion 40

Section 2

PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

No.	Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation
	From	To		
1	<u>20</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>sand, water</u>
2	<u>92</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>sand</u>
3				
4				
5				

Section 3

RECORD OF CASING

Dia in.	Pounds ft.	Threads in	Depth		Feet	Type Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
<u>7</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>open</u>	<u>28.3</u>	<u>91.0</u>

Section 4

RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Diameter Hole in in.	Tons Clay	No. Sacks of Cement	Methods Used
From	To				

Section 5

PLUGGING RECORD

Name of Plugging Contractor _____ License No. _____

Street and Number _____ City _____ State _____

Tons of Clay used _____ Tons of Roughage used _____ Type of roughage _____

Plugging method used _____ Date Plugged _____ 19 _____

Plugging approved by: _____

Cement Plugs were placed as follows:

No.	Depth of Plug		No. of Sacks Used
	From	To	

Basin Supervisor _____

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Date Received _____

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LOG OF WELL

The undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct record of the above described well.

Murrell Abbott Jr.
Well Driller

STATE ENGINEER OFFICE

WELL RECORD

FIELD ENGR. LOG

Section 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

(A) Owner of well Oil Field Rental Service Co. Owner's Well No. L-8716
 Street or Post Office Address 1312 Kiowa
 City and State Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Well was drilled under Permit No. L-8716 and is located in the:

- a. $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE of Section 20 Township 18-S Range 38-E N.M.P.M.
 b. Tract No. 8 of Map No. _____ of the First Unit of College Park Industrial
 c. Lot No. _____ of Block No. _____ of the _____
 Subdivision, recorded in Lea County.
 d. X= _____ feet, Y= _____ feet, N.M. Coordinate System _____ Zone in
 the _____ Grant.

(B) Drilling Contractor Abbott Bros. Drilling License No. WD-46
 Address P.O. Box 637, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240
 Drilling Began 3/23/82 Completed 3/24/82 Type tools Cable Size of hole 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.
 Elevation of land surface or _____ at well is _____ ft. Total depth of well 130 ft.
 Completed well is ☒ shallow ☐ artesian. Depth to water upon completion of well 49 ft.

Section 2. PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation	Estimated Yield (gallons per minute)
From	To			
49	92	43	Sand	

Section 3. RECORD OF CASING

Diameter (inches)	Pounds per foot	Threads per in.	Depth in Feet		Length (feet)	Type of Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
6 5/8	17	Welded	0	132	132	None	54	132

Section 4. RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Hole Diameter	Sacks of Mud	Cubic Feet of Cement	Method of Placement
From	To				

Section 5. PLUGGING RECORD

Plugging Contractor _____
 Address _____
 Plugging Method _____
 Date Well Plugged _____
 Plugging approved by: _____

State Engineer Representative

No.	Depth in Feet		Cubic Feet of Cement
	Top	Bottom	
1			
2			
3			
4			

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Quad _____ FWL _____ FSL _____

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Murrell Abbott
Driller N.B.

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STATE ENGINEER OFFICE

WELL RECORD

FIELD ENGR. LOG

Section 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

(A) Owner of well A A Oilfield Owner's Well No. _____
 Street or Post Office Address 1416 W. Broadway
 City and State Hobbs, NM 88240

Well was drilled under Permit No. L-8851 and is located in the:

a. $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 20 Township 18S Range 38E N.M.P.M.
 b. Tract No. 9 of Map No. _____ of the _____
 c. Lot No. _____ of Block No. _____ of the 2 Unit College Park Industrial
 Subdivision, recorded in Lea County.
 d. X= _____ feet, Y= _____ feet, N.M. Coordinate System _____ Zone in
 the _____ Grant.

(B) Drilling Contractor Larry's Drilling License No. WD882
 Address 2601 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88240
 Drilling Began 7-1-82 Completed 7-2-82 Type tools tricone Size of hole 8½ in.
 Elevation of land surface or _____ at well is _____ ft. Total depth of well 120 ft.
 Completed well is ☒ shallow ☐ artesian. Depth to water upon completion of well 54 ft.

Section 2. PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation	Estimated Yield (gallons per minute)
From	To			
54	120	66	sand & sandstone	28

Section 3. RECORD OF CASING

Diameter (inches)	Pounds per foot	Threads per in.	Depth in Feet		Length (feet)	Type of Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
5½	160PVC		-1	120	121		100	120

Section 4. RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Hole Diameter	Sacks of Mud	Cubic Feet of Cement	Method of Placement
From	To				

Section 5. PLUGGING RECORD

Plugging Contractor _____	No.	Depth in Feet		Cubic Feet of Cement
Address _____		Top	Bottom	
Plugging Method _____	1			
Date Well Plugged _____	2			
Plugging approved by: _____	3			
State Engineer Representative _____	4			

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Date Received July 9, 1982 Quad _____ FWL _____ FSL _____
 File No. L-8851 Use D & S Location No. 18.38.20.23141
 Temp. on N. E. Corner _____

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and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct r

Larry L. Baker
Driller

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STATE ENGINEER OFFICE
WELL RECORD

FIELD ENGR. LOG

Section 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

(A) Owner of well Big Horn Tank Rental Owner's Well No. _____
 Street or Post Office Address 2139 French Dr.
 City and State Hobbs, NM 88240

Well was drilled under Permit No. L-8867 and is located in the:

a. $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29 Township 18S Range 38E N.M.P.M.
 b. Tract No. _____ of Map No. _____ of the _____
 c. Lot No. _____ of Block No. _____ of the _____
 Subdivision, recorded in lea County.
 d. X= _____ feet, Y= _____ feet, N.M. Coordinate System _____ Zone in
 the _____ Grant.

(B) Drilling Contractor Larry's Drilling License No. WD882
 Address 2601 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88241
7-9-82 7-10-82
 Drilling Began _____ Completed _____ Type tools button bit Size of hole 8 1/2 in.
 Elevation of land surface or _____ at well is _____ ft. Total depth of well 120 ft.
 Completed well is ☒ shallow ☐ artesian. Depth to water upon completion of well 52 ft.

Section 2. PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation	Estimated Yield (gallons per minute)
From	To			
<u>60</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>sand & sandstone</u>	<u>28</u>

Section 3. RECORD OF CASING

Diameter (inches)	Pounds per foot	Threads per in.	Depth in Feet		Length (feet)	Type of Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
<u>5 1/2</u>	<u>160PVC</u>		<u>0</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>120</u>		<u>100</u>	<u>120</u>

Section 4. RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Hole Diameter	Sacks of Mud	Cubic Feet of Cement	Method of Placement
From	To				

Section 5. PLUGGING RECORD

Plugging Contractor _____
 Address _____
 Plugging Method _____
 Date Well Plugged _____
 Plugging approved by: _____

State Engineer Representative

No.	Depth in Feet		Cubic Feet of Cement
	Top	Bottom	
<u>1</u>			
<u>2</u>			
<u>3</u>			
<u>4</u>			

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Quad _____ FWL _____ FSL _____

File No. L-8867 Use D & S Location No. 18.38.29.22244

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Larry Lippman
Driller

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WELL RECORD

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Section 1

(A) Owner of well Two State Tank Rental Co.
 Street and Number Box 2305
 City Hobbs, State New Mexico
 Well was drilled under Permit No. L-7005 and is located in the
NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 29 Twp. 18S Rge. 38E
 (B) Drilling Contractor C. R. Hugglerwhite License No. 3199
 Street and Number Box 56
 City Hobbs, State New Mexico
 Drilling was commenced Oct. 14, 1972
 Drilling was completed Oct. 18, 1972

(Plat of 640 acres)

Elevation at top of casing in feet above sea level _____ Total depth of well 150
 State whether well is shallow or artesian Shallow Depth to water upon completion 50

Section 2

PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

No.	Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation
	From	To		
1	60	150	90	Sand, sand rock
2				
3				
4				
5				

Section 3

RECORD OF CASING

Dia in.	Pounds ft.	Threads in	Depth		Feet	Type Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
5	13	8	0	150	150	none	110	150

Section 4

RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Diameter Hole in in.	Tons Clay	No. Sacks of Cement	Methods Used
From	To				

Section 5

PLUGGING RECORD

Name of Plugging Contractor _____ License No. _____
 Street and Number _____ City _____ State _____
 Tons of Clay used _____ Tons of Roughage used _____ Type of roughage _____
 Plugging method used _____ Date Plugged _____ 19 _____
 Plugging approved by: _____

Cement Plugs were placed as follows:

No.	Depth of Plug		No. of Sacks Used
	From	To	

Basin Supervisor
 FOR USE OF STATE ENGINEER ONLY
 Date Received 1972 OCT 24 AM 8:51
 File No. L-7005 Use DTC Location No. 18-38-29-331

LOG OF WELL

The undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct record of the above described well.

O. R. Musker, Jr.
Well Driller

STATE ENGINEER OFFICE

WELL RECORD

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Section 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

(A) Owner of well Southwestern Drilling Mud Owner's Well No. _____
 Street or Post Office Address P.O. Box 2477
 City and State Midland, Texas 79701

Well was drilled under Permit No. L-7570 and is located in the:

a. $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29 Township 18S Range 38E N.M.P.M.

b. Tract No. _____ of Map No. _____ of the _____

c. Lot No. _____ of Block No. _____ of the _____
 Subdivision, recorded in Lea County.

d. X= _____ feet, Y= _____ feet, N.M. Coordinate System _____ Zone in
 the _____ Grant.

(B) Drilling Contractor Abbott Bros. License No. WD-46

Address P.O. Box 637, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Drilling Began 6/21/76 Completed 6/22/76 Type tools Cable Size of hole 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Elevation of land surface or _____ at well is _____ ft. Total depth of well 122 ft.

Completed well is ☒ shallow ☐ artesian. Depth to water upon completion of well 48 ft.

Section 2. PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation	Estimated Yield (gallons per minute)
From	To			
48	122	74		

Section 3. RECORD OF CASING

Diameter (inches)	Pounds per foot	Threads per in.	Depth in Feet		Length (feet)	Type of Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
6 5/8	15	welded	0	122	122	none	79	122

Section 4. RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Hole Diameter	Sacks of Mud	Cubic Feet of Cement	Method of Placement
From	To				

Section 5. PLUGGING RECORD

Plugging Contractor _____
 Address _____
 Plugging Method _____
 Date Well Plugged _____
 Plugging approved by: _____

State Engineer Representative

No.	Depth in Feet		Cubic Feet of Cement
	Top	Bottom	
1			
2			
3			
4			

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Quad _____ FWL _____ FSL _____

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Murrell Abbott
Driller H. B.

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STATE ENGINEER OFFICE

WELL RECORD

Section 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

(A) Owner of well Texland Petroleum- Hobbs LLC Owner's Well No. 1
 Street or Post Office Address 777 main street suite 3200
 City and State Fort Worth Tx 76102

Well was drilled under Permit No. L-11 176 Explore and is located in the:

a. SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29 Township 18 south Range 38 east N.M.P.M.

b. Tract No. _____ of Map No. _____ of the _____

c. Lot No. _____ of Block No. _____ of the _____
 Subdivision, recorded in Lea County.

d. X= _____ feet, Y= _____ feet, N.M. Coordinate System _____ Zone in
 the _____ Grant.

(B) Drilling Contractor Robinson Drilling License No. W D 1498

Address PO BOX 1495 Seminole TX 79360

Drilling Began 7-31-01 Completed 8-3-01 Type tools Rotary Size of hole 18 in.

Elevation of land surface or _____ at well is _____ ft. Total depth of well 220 ft.

Completed well is ☒ shallow ☐ artesian. Depth to water upon completion of well 65 ft.

Section 2. PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation	Estimated Yield (gallons per minute)
From	To			
111	210	99	Sand & Gravel	Unknown

Section 3. RECORD OF CASING

Diameter (inches)	Pounds per foot	Threads per in.	Depth in Feet		Length (feet)	Type of Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
12 3/4		Welded	+1	220	221	none	125	215

Section 4. RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Hole Diameter	Sacks of Mud	Cubic Feet of Cement	Method of Placement
From	To				

Section 5. PLUGGING RECORD

Plugging Contractor N/A
 Address _____
 Plugging Method _____
 Date Well Plugged _____
 Plugging approved by: _____

State Engineer Representative

No.	Depth in Feet		Cubic Feet of Cement
	Top	Bottom	
1			
2			
3			
4			

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Date Received 08/10/01

Quad _____ FWL _____ FSL _____

File No. L-11,176 Use SRO Location No. 18.38.29.41443

Section 6. LOG OF HOLE

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Section 7. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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The undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct record of the above described hole.

Driller

Driller

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(This form to be executed in triplicate)

WELL RECORD

Date of Receipt _____ Permit No. L-2395

Name of permittee, Marathon Petroleum Corp.

Street or P. O. Box 9, City and State Marquette, N.J.

1. Well location and description: The shallow well is located in N. 1/4, N. 1/4, N. 1/4,
(shallow or artesian)

N. 1/4 of Section 30, Township 18 S, Range 38 E; Elevation of top of

casing above sea level, _____ feet; diameter of hole, 7 inches; total depth, 57 feet;

depth to water upon completion, 30 feet; drilling was commenced 8-31-53, 19____,

and completed 8-31-53, 19____; name of drilling contractor L. E. Russell & Co.

_____; Address, Box 56, Butler, N.J.; Driller's License No. N.J. 139

2. Principal Water-bearing Strata:

	Depth in Feet		Thickness	Description of Water-bearing Formation
	From	To		
No. 1	35	70	35	Red sand course
No. 2	75	85	10	Red sand course hard
No. 3	85	87	3	Red sand course hard
No. 4				
No. 5				

3. Casing Record:

Diameter in inches	Pounds per ft.	Threads per inch	Depth of Casing or Liner		Feet of Casing	Type of Shot	Perforation	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
7	20	10			57	none	57	57

4. If above construction replaces old well to be abandoned, give location: _____, _____, _____

of Section _____, Township _____, Range _____; name and address of plugging contractor,

date of plugging _____, 19____; describe how well was plugged: _____

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O. R. Muslewski
Licensed Well Driller

This form shall be executed, preferably typewritten, in triplicate and filed with the State Engineer's Office at Roswell, New Mexico, within 10 days after drilling has been completed. Data on water-bearing strata and on all formations encountered should be as complete and accurate as possible.

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FIELD ENGR. LOG

WELL RECORD

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Section 1

(A) Owner of well Amerada Petroleum Corp.
 Street and Number Drawer D
 City Monument State New Mexico
 Well was drilled under Permit No. L-5849 and is located in the
 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 30 Twp. 18S Rge. 38E
 (B) Drilling Contractor O. R. Musslewhite License No. WD99
 Street and Number Box 56
 City Hobbs State New Mexico
 Drilling was commenced Feb. 10, 1966
 Drilling was completed Feb. 12, 1966

(Plat of 640 acres)

Elevation at top of casing in feet above sea level Unknown Total depth of well 38
 State whether well is shallow or artesian Shallow Depth to water upon completion 34

Section 2

PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

No.	Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation
	From	To		
1	34	38	4	Sand & sand rock
2				
3				
4				
5				

Section 3

RECORD OF CASING

Dia. in.	Pounds ft.	Threads in	Depth		Feet	Type Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
6 5/8	18	none	0	20	20	None	None	

Section 4

RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Diameter Hole in in.	Tons Clay	No. Sacks of Cement	Methods Used
From	To				
0	20	8		1 1/2 yds.	Dump remix around casing

Section 5

PLUGGING RECORD

Name of Plugging Contractor _____ License No. _____
 Street and Number _____ City _____ State _____
 Tons of Clay used _____ Tons of Roughage used _____ Type of roughage _____
 Plugging method used _____ Date Plugged _____ 19 _____
 Plugging approved by: _____ Cement Plugs were placed as follows:

No.	Depth of Plug		No. of Sacks Used
	From	To	

Basin Supervisor _____
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 Date Received 1966 APR -7 AM 8:41
 File No. L-5849 Use Card Location No. 18.38.30.144

LOG OF WELL

The undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct record of the above described well.

O. R. Musslewhite
Well Driller

WELL RECORD

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Section 1

(A) Owner of well Baker Oil Tools, Inc.
 Street and Number Box 1295
 City Hobbs, State New Mexico
 Well was drilled under Permit No. L-2984 and is located in the
E. 1/4 S. 1/4 S. 1/4 of Section 32 Twp. 18S Rge. 38E
 (B) Drilling Contractor O.R. Musslewhite License No. WD 99
 Street and Number Box 56
 City Hobbs, N State New Mexico
 Drilling was commenced Sept. 10 19 55
 Drilling was completed Sept. 11 19 55

(Plat of 640 acres)

Elevation at top of casing in feet above sea level _____ Total depth of well 100
 State whether well is shallow or artesian shallow Depth to water upon completion 30

Section 2

PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING STRATA

No.	Depth in Feet		Thickness in Feet	Description of Water-Bearing Formation
	From	To		
1	<u>40</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>Sand & sand rock</u>
2				
3				
4				
5				

Section 3

RECORD OF CASING

Dia in.	Pounds ft.	Threads in	Depth		Feet	Type Shoe	Perforations	
			Top	Bottom			From	To
<u>6 5/8</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>Collar</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>100</u>

Section 4

RECORD OF MUDDING AND CEMENTING

Depth in Feet		Diameter Hole in in.	Tons Clay	No. Sacks of Cement	Methods Used
From	To				

Section 5

PLUGGING RECORD

Name of Plugging Contractor _____ License No. _____
 Street and Number _____ City _____ State _____
 Tons of Clay used _____ Tons of Roughage used _____ Type of roughage _____
 Plugging method used _____ Date Plugged _____ 19 _____
 Plugging approved by: _____ Cement Plugs were placed as follows:

No.	Depth of Plug		No. of Sacks Used
	From	To	

Basin Supervisor _____

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Date Received SEP 13 1955

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GROUND WATER DIVISION
STATE ENGINEER

File No. L-2964 Use Don Location No. 18 N 32 E 33

LOG OF WELL

The undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct record of the above described well.

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(This form to be executed in triplicate)

WELL RECORD

Date of Receipt Permit No. L-2555

Name of permittee, Skelly Oil Co.

Street or P. O. Drawer D, City and State Hobbs, New Mexico

1. Well location and description: The Shallow well is located in SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$,
(shallow or artesian)

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 32, Township 18 S, Range 38 E; Elevation of top of

casing above sea level, feet; diameter of hole, 8 inches; total depth, 116 feet;

depth to water upon completion, 34 feet; drilling was commenced June 25, 1954,

and completed June 25, 1954; name of drilling contractor Ed. B. Burke

Box 306; Address, Hobbs, New Mexico; Driller's License No. WD-111

2. Principal Water-bearing Strata:

	Depth in Feet From	To	Thickness	Description of Water-bearing Formation
No. 1	54	85	31	Water Sand
No. 2	101 116	116	15	Water Sand
No. 3				
No. 4				
No. 5				

3. Casing Record:

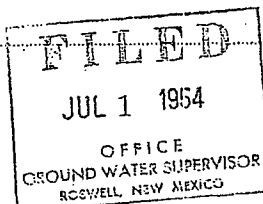
Diameter in inches	Pounds per ft.	Threads per inch	Depth of Casing or Liner Top	Bottom	Feet of Casing	Type of Shoe	Perforation From	To
6 5/8	20	10	0	113	113	collar	85	113

Cemented from 0 to 57

4. If above construction replaces old well to be abandoned, give location: $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{4}$

of Section Township Range; name and address of plugging contractor,

date of plugging 19.....; describe how well was plugged:



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5. Log of Well;

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The undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and correct record of the above described well.

8-38-32-333

Edward B Burke
Licensed Well Driller

Instructions

This form shall be executed, preferably typewritten, in triplicate and filed with the State Engineer's Office at Roswell, New Mexico, within 10 days after drilling has been completed. Data on water-bearing strata and on all formations encountered should be as complete and accurate as possible.

(This form to be executed in triplicate).

WELL RECORD

Date of Receipt July 9, 1953

Permit No. L-2232

Name of permittee, Joe P. Dutton

Street or P.O. Continental Tank Co., City and State Hobbs, New Mexico

1. Well location and description: The shallow well is located in SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 18 South Range 38 East; Elevation of top of casing above sea level, 112 feet; diameter of hole, 7 inches; total depth, 112 feet; depth to water upon completion, 56 feet; drilling was commenced June 23, 1953 and completed June 23, 1953; name of drilling contractor Ed. B. Burke

Box 637, Address, Hobbs, New Mexico; Driller's License No. WD-111

2. Principal Water-bearing Strata:

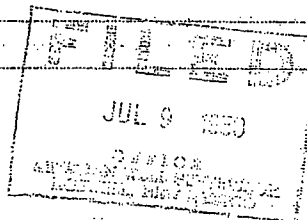
	Depth in Feet		Thickness	Description of Water-bearing Formation
	From	To		
No. 1	63	70	7	Water sand
No. 2	76	88	12	Water sand
No. 3	102	112	10	Water sand
No. 4				
No. 5				

3. Casing Record:

Diameter in inches	Foundations per ft.	Threads per inch	Depth of Casing or Liner Top	Feet of Casing Bottom	Type of Shoe	Perforations From	To
<u>5 1/2</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>111</u>	<u>none</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>111</u>

4. If above construction replaces old well to be abandoned, give location: SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 18 South Range 38 East; name and address of plugging contractor,

date of plugging June 23, 1953; describe how well was plugged:



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18.38.33.300

This form shall be executed, preferably typewritten, in triplicate and filed with the State Engineer's Office at Roswell, New Mexico, within 10 days after drilling has been completed. Data on water-bearing strata and on all formations encountered should be as complete and accurate as possible.

APPENDIX B

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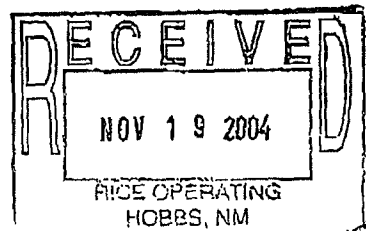
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Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Roy Rascon

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General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
SB @ 6' (4K10009-01) Soil									
Chloride	4890	20.0	mg/kg Wet	2	EK41209	11/10/04	11/11/04	SW 846 9253	
% Moisture	14.0		%	1	EK41101	11/10/04	11/11/04	% calculation	
SB @ 61' (4K10009-02) Soil									
Chloride	ND	20.0	mg/kg Wet	2	EK41209	11/10/04	11/11/04	SW 846 9253	
% Moisture	4.0		%	1	EK41101	11/10/04	11/11/04	% calculation	



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Project: I-29 eol
Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Roy Rascon

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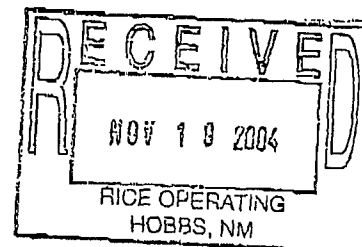
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Organics by GC
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
SB @ 6' (4K10009-01) Soil									
Benzene	ND	0.0250	mg/kg dry	25	EK41501	11/12/04	11/12/04	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	J [0.0139]	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	J
Ethylbenzene	0.0416	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	0.0550	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	0.0298	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene		85.2 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		94.1 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	12.1	10.0	mg/kg dry	1	EK40906	11/10/04	11/11/04	EPA 8015M	
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	52.8	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	64.9	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		98.0 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane		109 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	

SB @ 61' (4K10009-02) Soil

Benzene	ND	0.0250	mg/kg dry	25	EK41501	11/12/04	11/12/04	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene		89.8 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		96.9 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	ND	10.0	mg/kg dry	1	EK41006	11/10/04	11/11/04	EPA 8015M	
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	ND	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		100 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane		117 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	



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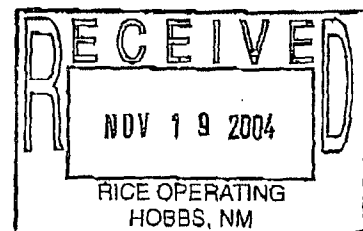
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ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
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SB @ 61'	4K10009-02	Soil	11/04/04 14:11	11/10/04 07:50



APPENDIX C

DB FILE NB	USE	WELL NUMBE	X COORD	Y COORD	TWS	RNG	SEC	Q	Q2	Q3	EASTING	NORTHING	START DATE	FINISH DAT	DEPTH WELL	DEPTH WATE
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