

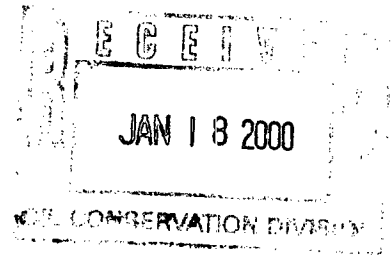
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January 15, 2000

Michael E. Stogner
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Application of Manzano Oil Corporation for administrative
approval of an unorthodox oil well location:


Cayuma Well No. 1-A
3580 feet FSL & 990 feet FWL
Lots 12 and 13 of Irregular Section 1, Township 16
South, Range 36 East, NMPM
Lea County, New Mexico

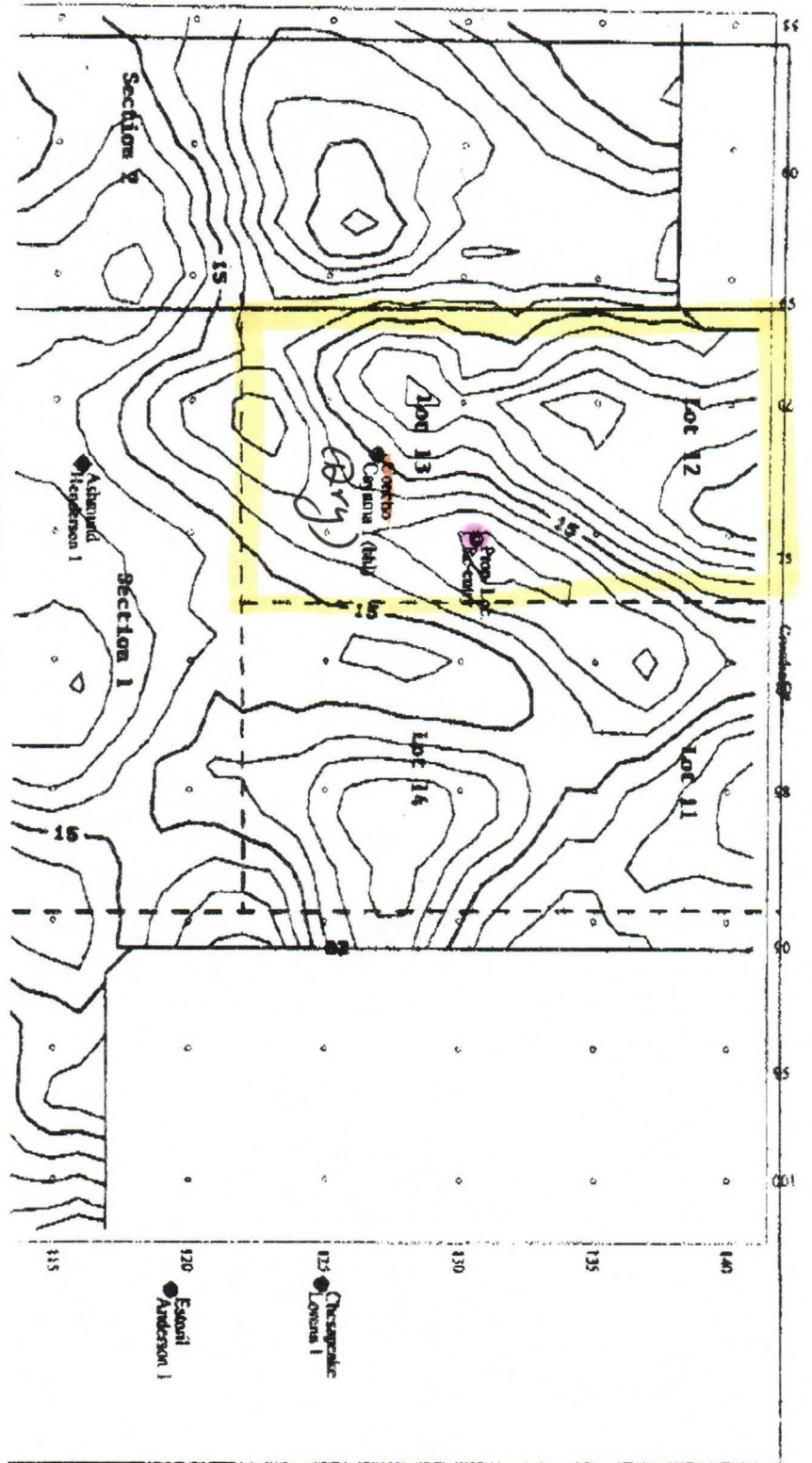
Dear Mr. Stogner:

Enclosed is Exhibit B to the above application (filed January
13th), which was omitted from the original application.

Exhibit B is an isochron map of the Strawn, which shows that the
proposed location is favorably situated in the Strawn, and will
reduce the risk involved in drilling the well. This map
incorporates the results of the Cayuma Well No. 1, drilled by
Concho Resources, Inc., which was dry in the Strawn.

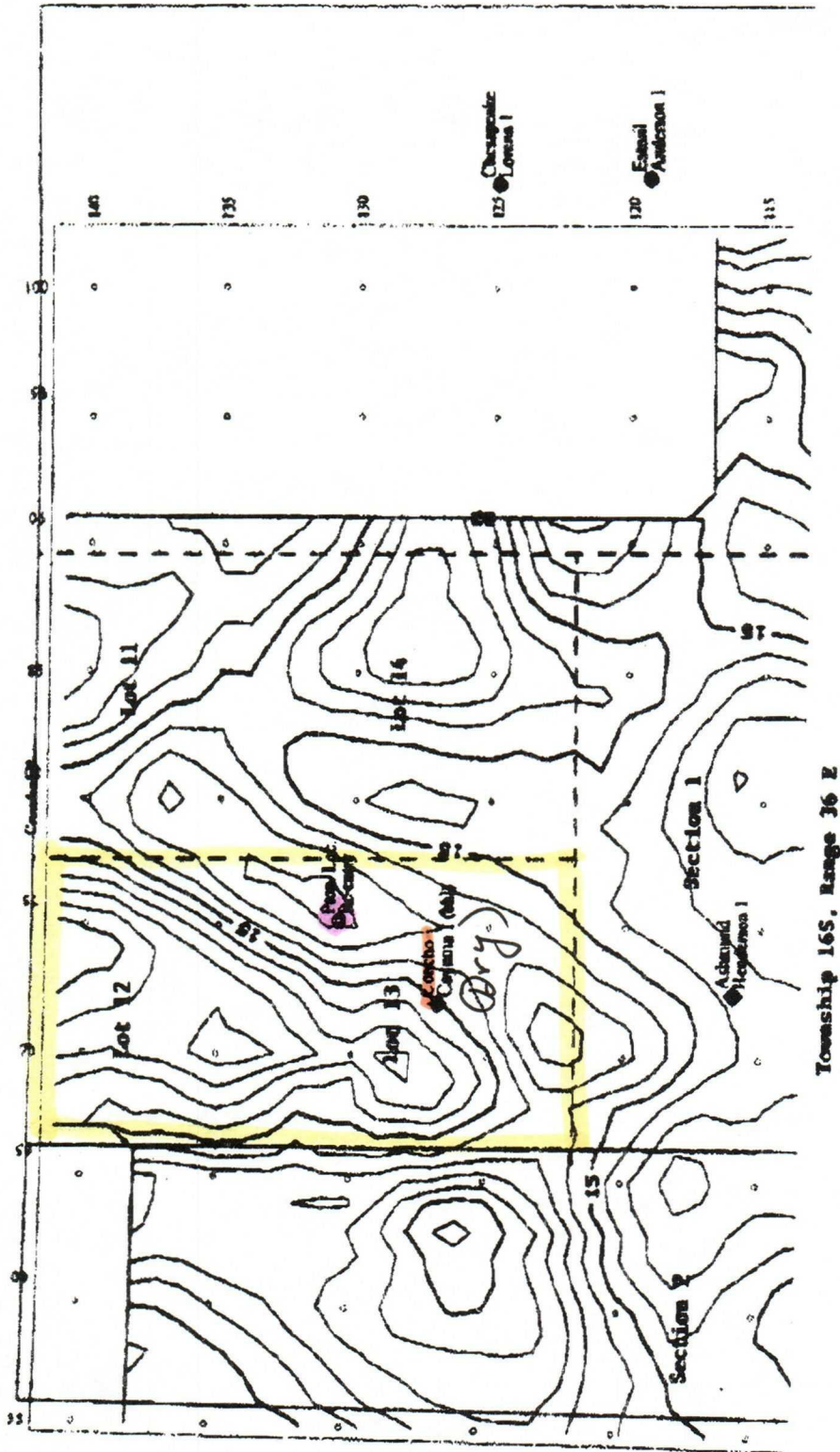
Very truly yours,


James Bruce
Attorney for Manzano
Oil Corporation



MANZANO OIL CORPORATION
 TURTLE 3-D SEISMIC SURVEY
 LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
 Stream - Mid-Stream Horizons
 Location Map
 January 14, 2000





MANZANO OIL CORPORATION
TURTLE 3-D SEISMIC SURVEY
 LEA COUNTY NEW MEXICO
 Strauss -- Mid-Strauss Horizons
 Location Map

C17 = 1:1 Million Scale January 14, 2000

