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WALTER DUNCAN  
OIL PROPERTIES  
POST OFFICE BOX 137  
DURANGO, COLORADO

New Address:  
1800 Security Life Building  
Denver, Colorado 80202

July 14, 1967

Re: Walter Duncan, North Hogback  
6, No. 2, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  6,  
T29N-R16W, San Juan  
County, New Mexico

Mr. George M. Hatch  
State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hatch:

Thank you for your letter of July 11th. I am sorry we have not replied sooner to your letter of June 9th; however, we have been in the midst of an office relocation.

There are no offsetting operators to notify in the case of the subject unorthodox location. Walter Duncan owns all of Section 6 and all of Section 1. Therefore, we are completely surrounded by our own acreage. We do request that you grant the approval to this location.

Yours very truly,

WALTER DUNCAN

  
Raymond T. Duncan

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**OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

P. O. BOX 2088

**SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

**LEGAL DIVISION  
PHONE 827-2741**

**July 11, 1967**

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**Mr. Walter Duncan**  
**Post Office Box 137**  
**Durango, Colorado**

**Attention: Mr. Raymond T. Duncan**

**Re: Walter Duncan North Hogback 6 Well No. 2,**  
**SW/4 NW/4 of Section 6, Township 29 North,**  
**Range 16 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New**  
**Mexico**

**Gentlemen:**

By letter of June 9, 1967, I notified you that your application for administrative approval of an unorthodox location for the above-described well would be held in abeyance until you notified the Commission that offset operators had been notified.

The Commission would appreciate hearing from you as to whether or not you are still interested in receiving approval of the non-standard location.

**Very truly yours,**

**GEORGE M. HATCH**  
**Attorney**

**GMH/esr**

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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June 9, 1967

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Mr. Walter Duncan  
Post Office Box 137  
Durango, Colorado

Attention: Mr. Raymond T. Duncan

Re: Walter Duncan North Hogback 6 Well No. 2,  
SW/4 NW/4 of Section 6, Township 29 North,  
Range 16 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New  
Mexico

Gentlemen:

Rule 104 F of the Commission Rules and Regulations requires all operators of proration or spacing units offsetting the unit for which the unorthodox location is sought to be notified of the application by certified or registered mail.

The plat you submitted does not identify the offset ownership to the west of your proposed unit.

Your application will be held in abeyance until you notify the offset operators, both direct and diagonal, to the west of your proposed unit of your application and inform the Commission that the operators have been notified.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH  
Attorney

GME/esr

cc: Oil Conservation Commission - Aztec

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WALTER DUNCAN  
OIL PROPERTIES  
POST OFFICE Box 137  
DURANGO, COLORADO

June 8, 1967

Re: Walter Duncan North Hogback 6  
Well No. 2  
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  6-29N-16W  
San Juan County, New Mexico

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Attention: Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.  
Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

Enclosed is a copy of Well Location and Acreage Dedication plat for our proposed North Hogback 6 No. 2 test. Also enclosed for your information are copies of our letter to the Oil Conservation Commission in Aztec dated June 3rd and their reply dated June 7th.

As noted on the plat, the location is staked 130' from the south line of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 6. It is impossible to move the location to the north because of the group of buildings which is also shown on the plat. Walter Duncan is lessee of all of Section 6 under Navajo Tribal Lease 14-20-0603-10008. Mr. Weldon Julander has a Designation of Operator covering the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of this section; however, that acreage is in no way affected by our proposed location.

Your early consideration and approval of this location are respectfully requested. If there is any other information you need in this regard, please let us know.

Yours very truly,

WALTER DUNCAN

*Raymond T. Duncan*  
Raymond T. Duncan (6)

RTD:br  
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cc: OCC, Aztec  
Mr. Tom Dugan

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June 3, 1967

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New Mexico Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
1000 Rio Brazos Road  
Aztec, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Enclosed in duplicate are copies of Application for Permit to Drill and Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat for our proposed North Hogback 6, No. 2.

This location is staked 130' north of the south line of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  as noted on the plat. A location 330' north of the south line is impossible due to a group of buildings which is also shown on the plat. Your approval of this location as staked is respectfully requested.

If we may furnish any additional information in this regard, please let us know.

Yours very truly,

WALTER DUNCAN

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Encl.

Raymond T. Duncan

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MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form 107  
Supersedes 128  
Effective 1-1-67

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

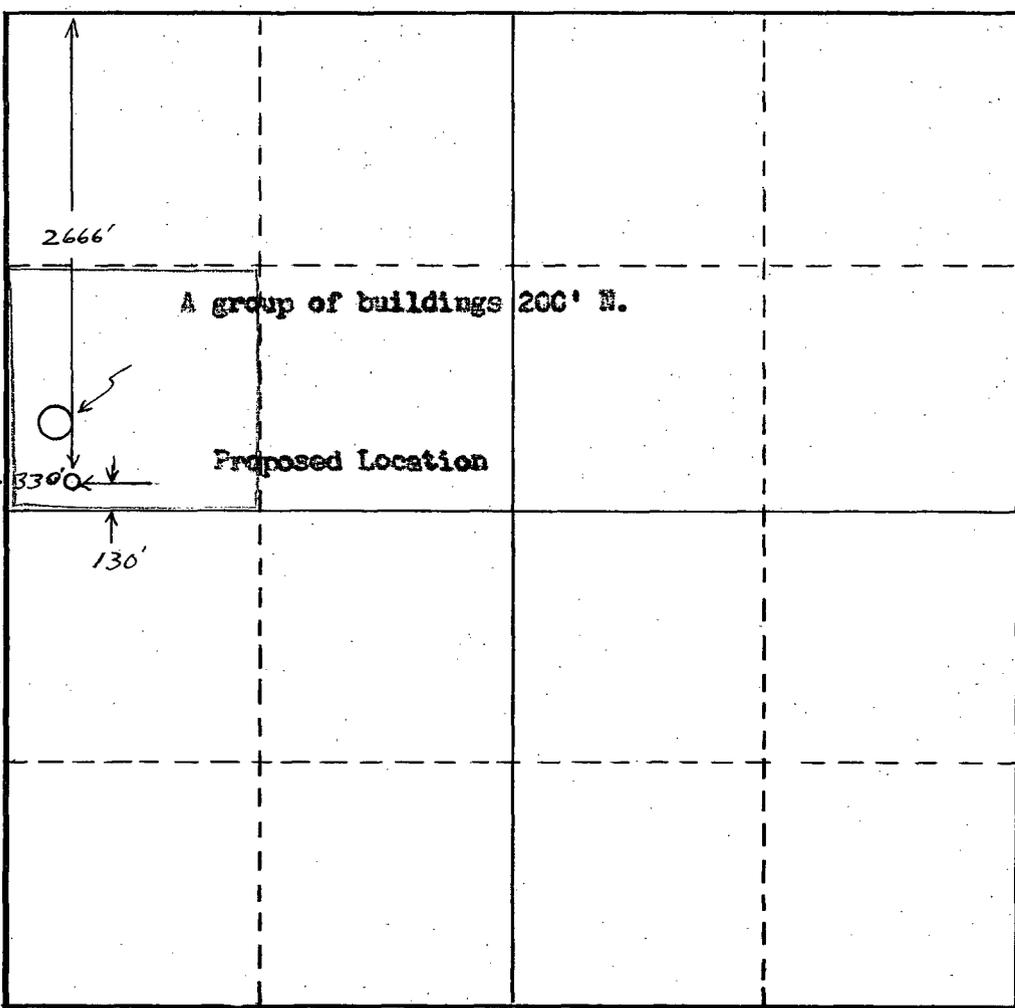
Operator <b>Walter Duncan</b>		Lease <b>North Hogback</b>		Well No. <b>6-2</b>
Unit Letter	Section <b>6</b>	Township <b>29 N</b>	Range <b>16 W</b>	County <b>San Juan</b>
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>2666</b> feet from the <b>North</b> line and <b>330</b> feet from the <b>West</b> line				
Ground Level Elev. <b>5005</b>	Producing Formation <b>Dakota</b>	Pool <b>undesignated</b>	Dedicated Acreage: <b>40</b> Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

Yes  No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation \_\_\_\_\_

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) \_\_\_\_\_

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**Raymond T. Duncan**

Name  
*[Signature]*

Position  
**for: Walter Duncan**

Company  
**Box 137, Durango, Colo.**

Date  
**June 3, 1967**

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed  
**June 1, 1967**

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor  
*[Signature]*

Certificate No. N. # 3795



GOVERNOR  
DAVID F. CARGO  
CHAIRMAN

State of New Mexico  
**Oil Conservation Commission**



LAND COMMISSIONER  
GUYTON B. HAYS  
MEMBER

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
AZTEC

STATE GEOLOGIST  
A. L. PORTER, JR.  
SECRETARY - DIRECTOR

June 7, 1967

Walter Duncan Oil Properties  
P. O. Box 137  
Durango, Colorado

Attn: Mr. Raymond Duncan

Dear Mr. Duncan:

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It will also be necessary that you furnish proof that the offset landowner in the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 6 has been notified of your application or in the alternative he may furnish you a waiver letter. If you own this acreage please so state in your application. Please send a copy of your application to this office.

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Yours very truly,

*Emery C. Arnold*  
Emery C. Arnold  
Supervisor, District #3

ECA:mc  
cc: A. L. Porter, Jr.  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
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