

**Tenneco Oil  
Exploration and Production**  
A Tenneco Company

Rocky Mountain Division

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, NM 87501  
Attn: Joe D. Ramey

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
1000 Rio Brazos Road  
Aztec, NM 87401  
Attn: Frank Chavez

Delivery Address:  
6061 South Willow Drive  
Englewood, Colorado



July 23, 1981

*NSK - 1394  
Rule 3 R1620  
8-16-81*

Re: Application for Unorthodox Location  
Tenneco Hughes A3E, 540'FEL, 1635'FSL  
Sec 28, T29N, R8W, San Juan, New Mexico

*Basin Dakota Pool*

Gentlemen:

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Pursuant to the authority of Rule 104-F we respectfully request your approval of an exemption to the standard well location requirements.

Yours very truly,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY

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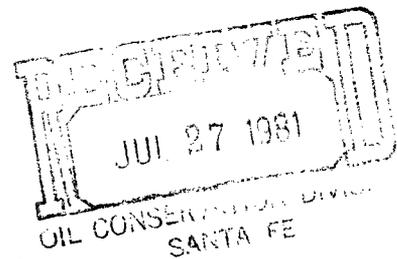
DHM/lo  
Enclosures

W A I V E R

hereby waives objection to Tenneco Oil Company's application for unorthodox location for their Tenneco Hughes A3E proposed above.

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_



Mailing List  
Application for Unorthodox Location  
Tenneco Hughes A3E, 540'FEL, 1635'FSL  
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El Paso Natural Gas  
P.O. Box 990  
Farmington, NM 87401  
Attn: Carl E. Matthews

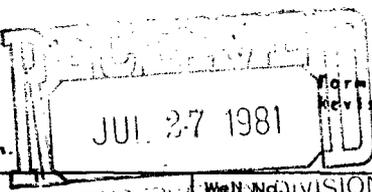
Mesa Petroleum  
1660 Lincoln Street, Suite 2800  
Denver, CO 80203  
Attn: G. S. Dixon

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

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



Form C-102 Revised 10-1-78

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

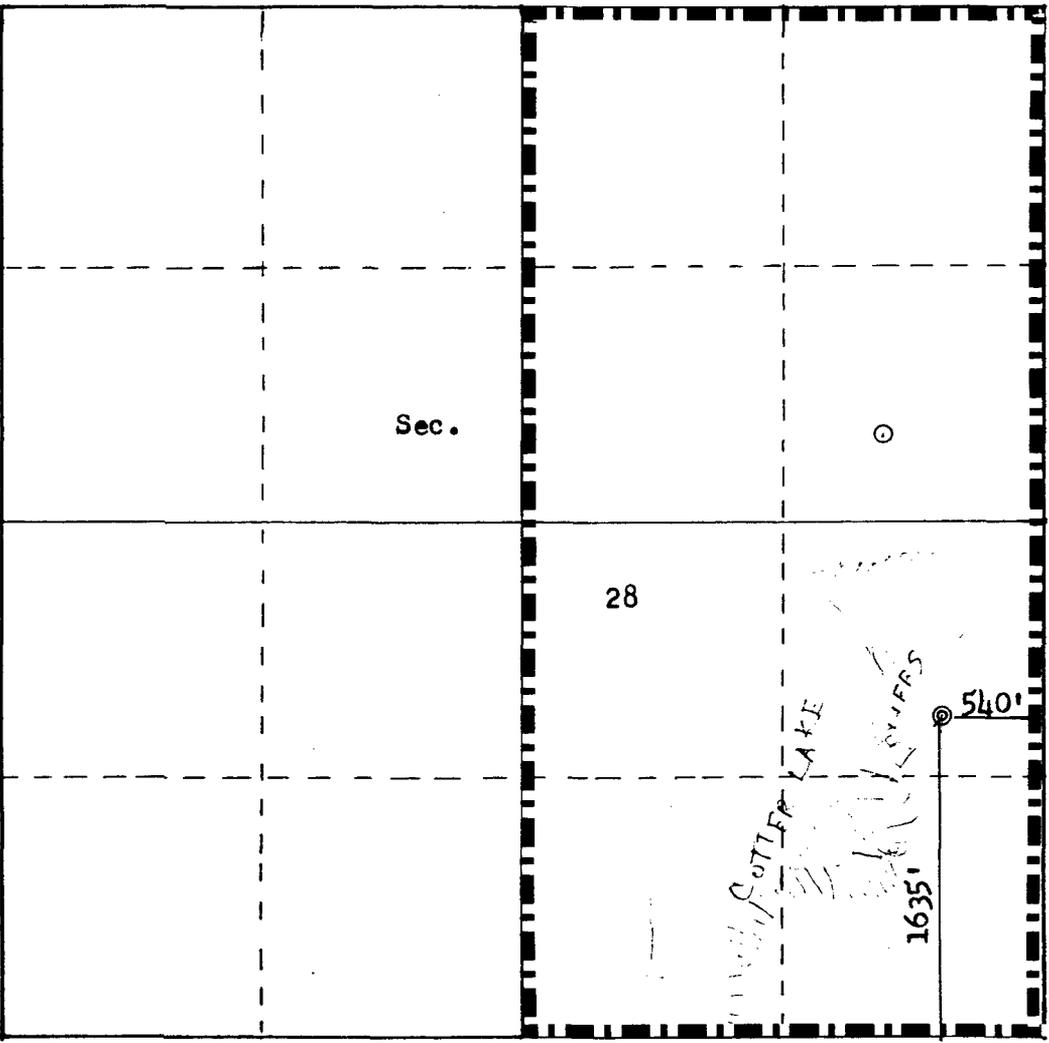
Operator <b>TENNECO OIL COMPANY</b>		Lease <b>HUGHES "A"</b>			Well No. <b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION SANTA FE</b>	
Unit Letter <b>I</b>	Section <b>28</b>	Township <b>29N</b>	Range <b>8W</b>	County <b>San Juan</b>		
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>1635</b> feet from the <b>South</b> line and <b>540</b> feet from the <b>East</b> line						
Ground Level Elev: <b>6376</b>	Producing Formation <b>Dakota</b>		Pool <b>Basin Dakota</b>		Dedicated Acreage: <b>320</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.



Scale: 1"=1000'

**CERTIFICATION**

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

*Don H. Morrison*

Name	Don H. Morrison
Position	Production Analyst
Company	Tenneco Oil Company
Date	July 22, 1981

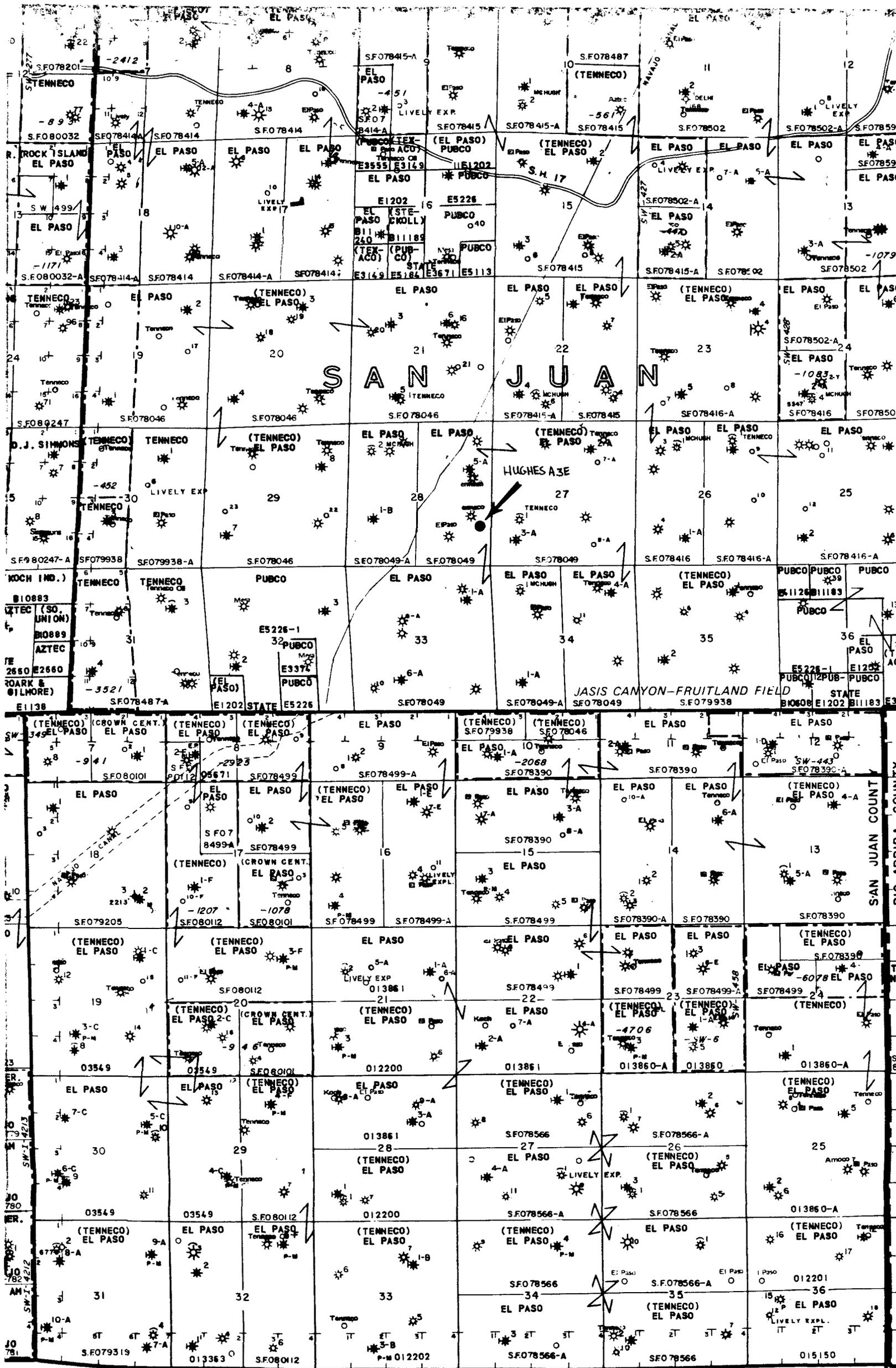
I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed: **July 15, 1981**

Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor

*Fred B. Kerr Jr.*

Certificate No. **3950**



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BY: *J. Small*

DATE: 7-27-81