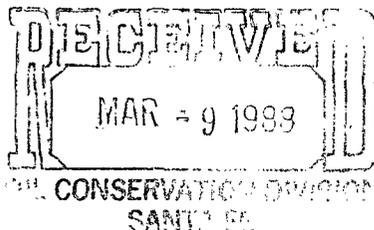


Release Date:
March 29, 1988

By DPC



Union Texas Petroleum



375 U.S. Highway 64
Farmington, New Mexico 87401
Telephone (505) 325-3587

March 7, 1988

Mr. William J. LeMay
N. M. Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-2088

Re: Unorthodox Location
Albright 20
2205' FNL & 825' FEL
Section 27, T29N-R10W
San Juan County, NM

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Union Texas Petroleum requests administrative approval of an unorthodox location for an Otero Chacra completion. The basis for our request is for topographic reasons and the proximity of existing pipelines and production facilities. The well is located on the bank of the San Juan River.

The only offset operator, who has been notified of our intentions, is Amoco Production Company. A copy of their letter is attached for your review.

If I may be of any further assistance, please advise.

Very truly yours,

Robert C. Frank
Permit Coordinator

RCF:lmg
attachments

cc: E. Busch/NMOCD

NISL - 2496
RUE - 104 F (E)

Otero Chacra Pool
160 Acres cld
NE 1/4 Section 27

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

Operator UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM		Lease ALBRIGHT			Well No. 20
Unit Letter H	Section 27	Township 29N	Range 10W	County San Juan	
Actual Postage Location of Well: 2205 feet from the North line and 825 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev. 5502	Producing Formation Chacra	Pool Otero		Dedicated Acreage NW/4 160.32 Acres	

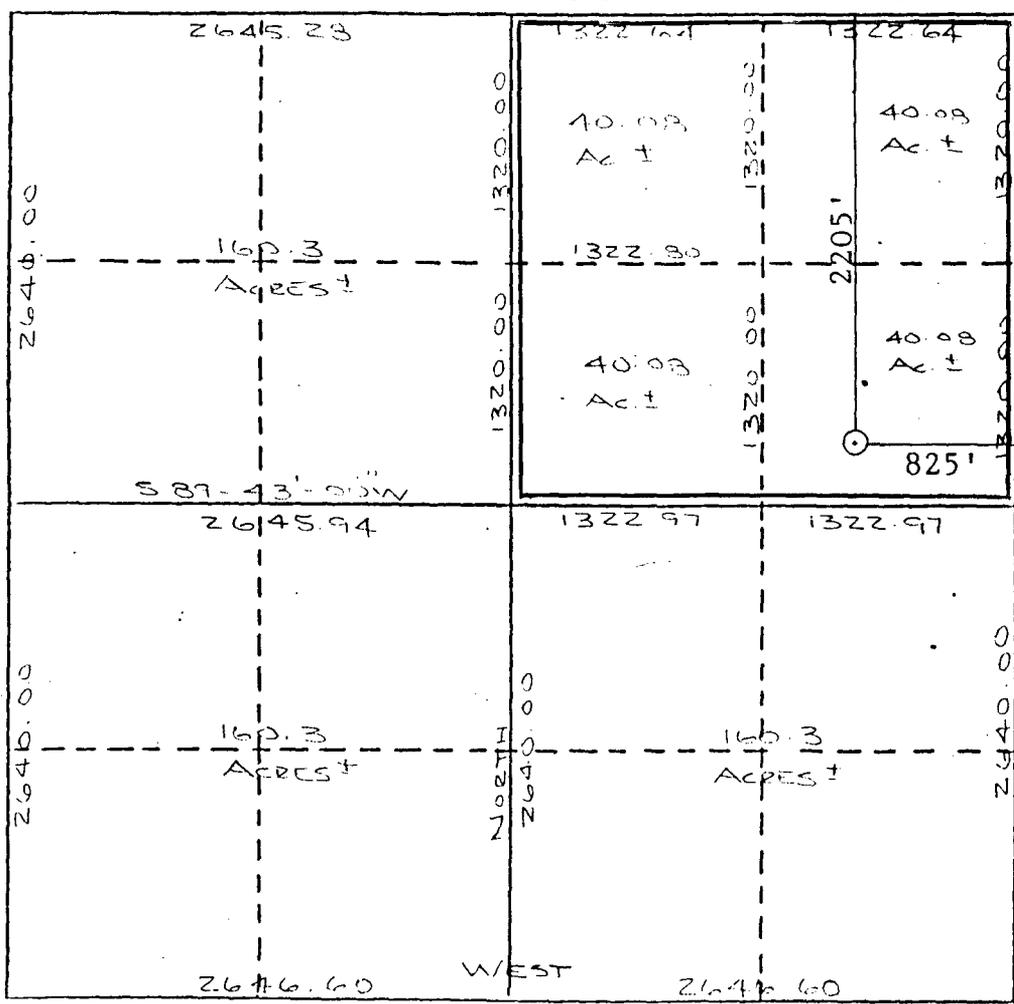
1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is 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 To be Communitized

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 Division.

S 87°-43'-00" W



CERTIFICATION

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

Robert C. Frank

Name
Robert C. Frank

Position
Permit Coordinator

Company
Union Texas Petroleum

Date
March 3, 1988

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.

Cecil B. Tullis

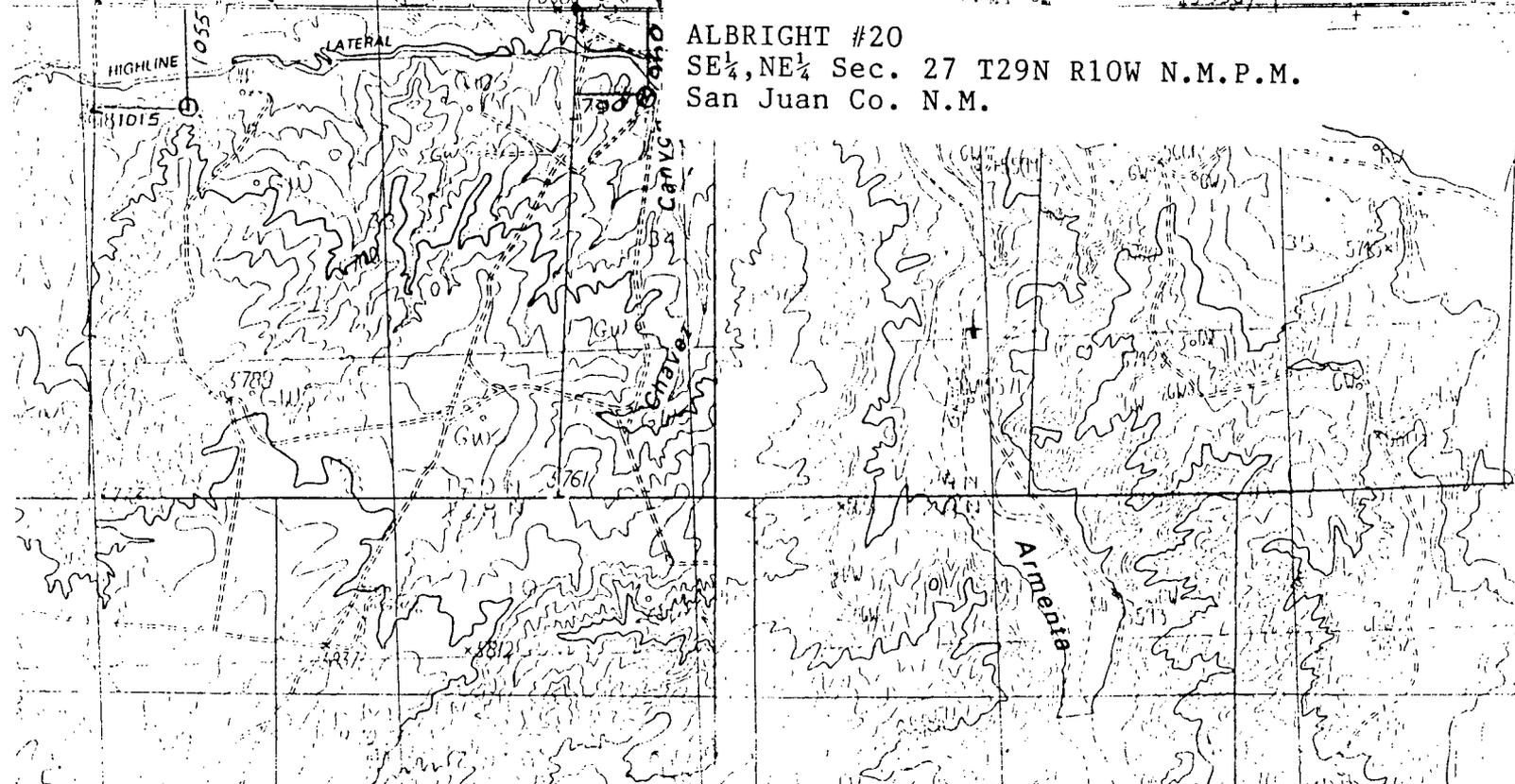
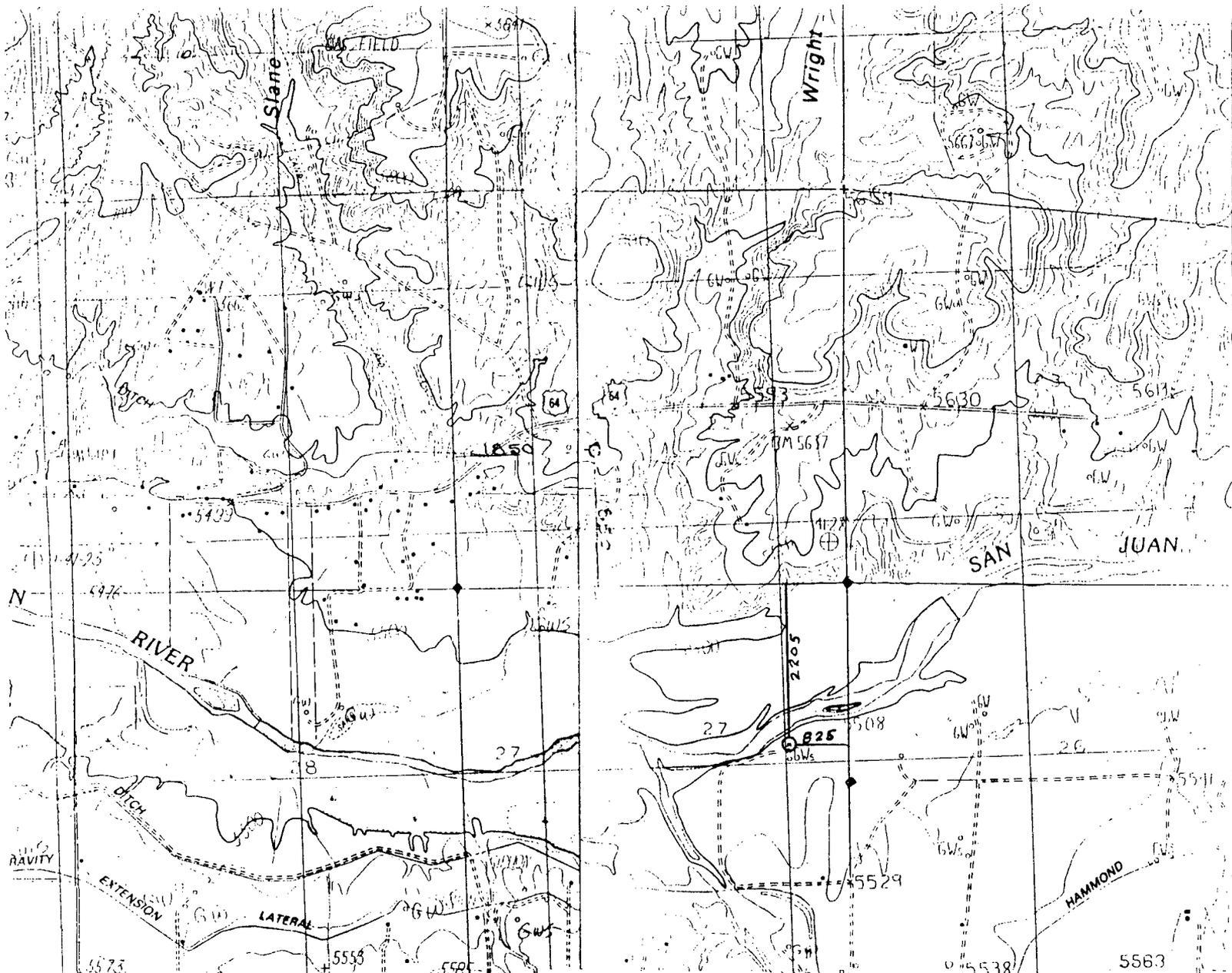
Date Surveyed
January 23, 1988

Registered Land Surveyor

Cecil B. Tullis

Certificate No.
9672



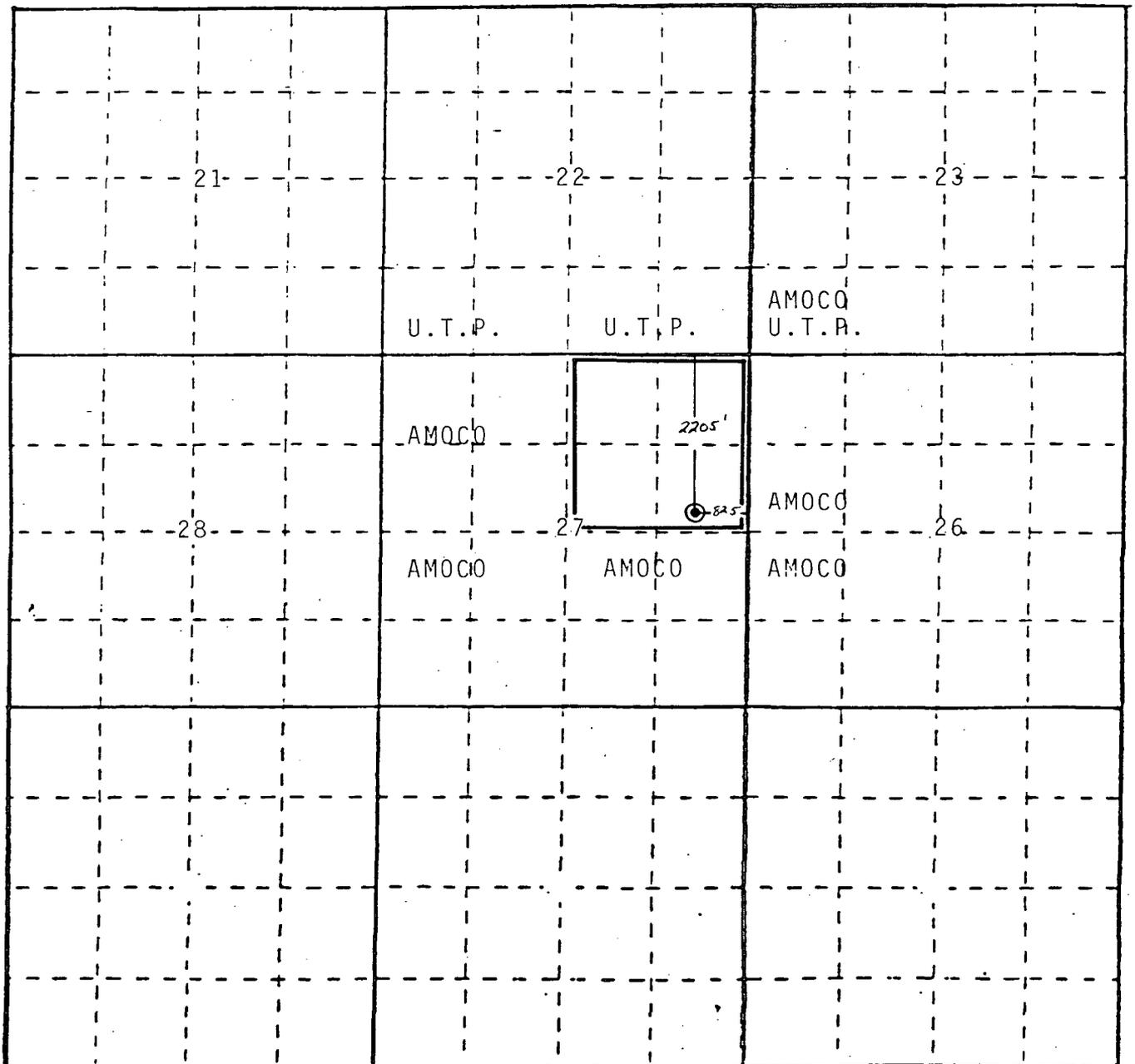


ALBRIGHT #20
 SE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 27 T29N R10W N.M.P.M.
 San Juan Co. N.M.

OFFSET OPERATOR PLAT

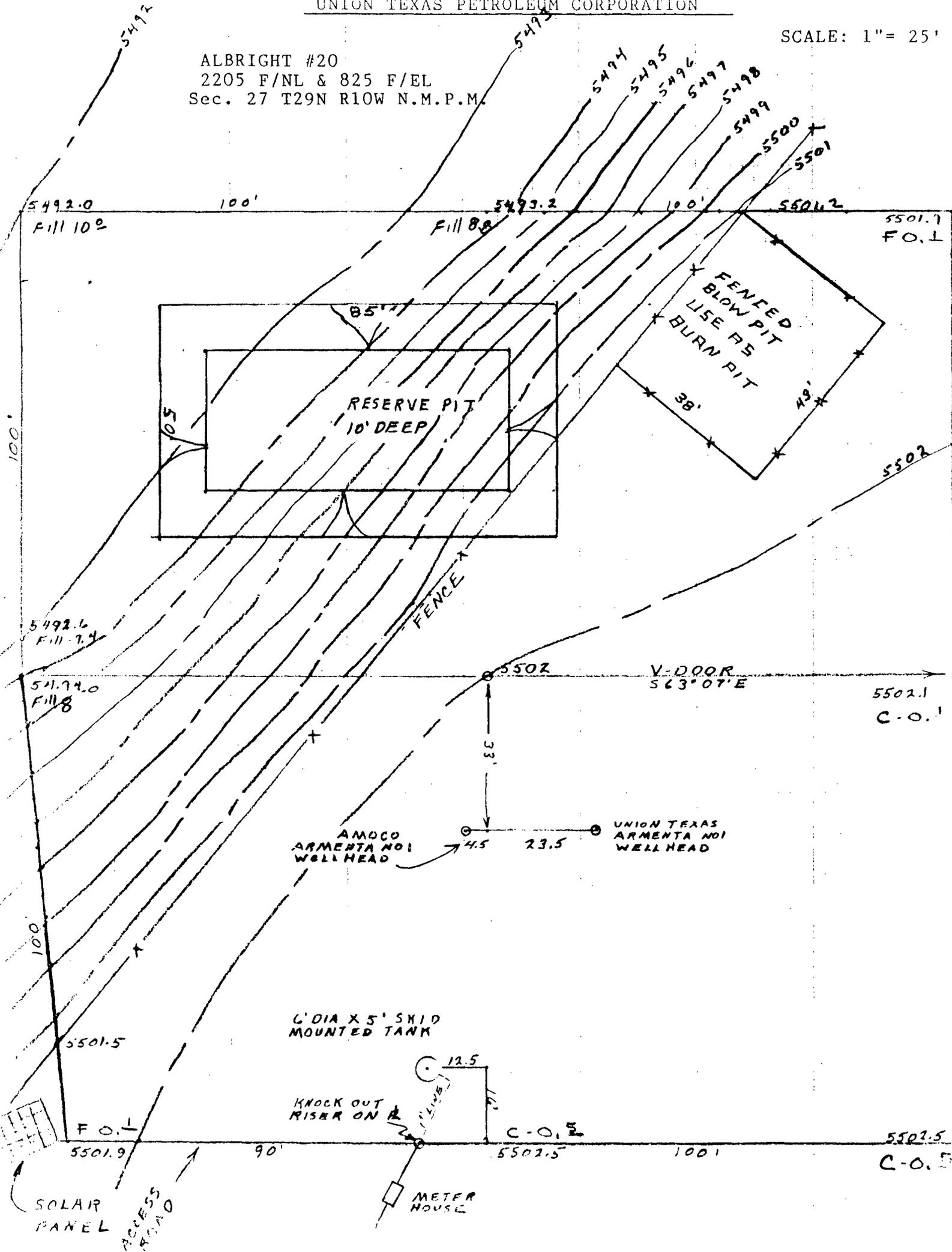
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2205 F/NL & 825 F/EL
Sec. 27 T29N R10W N.M.P.M.





Union Texas Petroleum

March 7, 1988

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Telephone (505) 325-3587

Amoco Production Company
2325 East 30th Street
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Re: Unorthodox Location
Albright 20
2205' FNL & 825' FEL
Section 27, T29N-R10W
San Juan County, NM

Gentlemen:

Union Texas Petroleum desires to drill an Otero Chacra test at an unorthodox location of 2205' FNL and 825' FEL. A standard location of 1850' FSL and 790' FEL is not possible due to topography and the proximity of existing pipelines and production facilities. The well is located on the bank of the San Juan River.

As an offset operator we are required to notify you of our intentions. If you do not approve of our proposal, you have twenty days from this date to notify the Director of the Oil Conservation Division in Santa Fe, New Mexico. If you are in accord with our proposal, please acknowledge by signing and returning one copy of this letter to Union Texas Petroleum at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

Robert C. Frank
Permit Coordinator

RCF:lmg
attachment

Acknowledgement:

Title



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

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SANTA FE

DATE 3-10-88

RE: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 3-8-88

for the Union Texas Petroleum Corp. Albright #20 H-27-29N-10W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

APPROVE

Yours truly,

E. B. Burt