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Producing Department
Midland Division

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GOV-STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS
Unorthodox Locations
Vacuum Grayburg San Andres Unit
Well Nos. 137, 142, 143, 144, & 149
Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-2088

Attention: Mr. Michael E. Stogner

Gentlemen:

An exception to rule 104 F.I. by administrative approval is requested for Texaco Producing Inc.'s Vacuum Grayburg San Andres Unit Well Nos. 137, 142, 143, 144, and 149. The wells are located as follows:

Well No. 137: 1980' FNL, 1310' FWL, SEC. 2, T-18-S,R-34-E
Well No. 142: 1980' FNL, 2628' FWL, SEC. 1, T-18-S,R-34-E
Well No. 143: 1980' FNL, 1250' FEL, SEC. 1, T-18-S,R-34-E
Well No. 144: 1360' FNL, 660' FWL, SEC. 2, T-18-S,R-34-E
Well No. 149: 1310' FNL, 1980' FWL, SEC. 1, T-18-S,R-34-E

The wells must be drilled in these locations to ensure proper development of 10-acre spacing. Wells drilled previously on 10-acre spacing have proven to be viable wells. These wells will be completed in the Grayburg San Andres formation. Texaco Producing and Texaco Inc. are the only affected offset operators and we grant ourselves a waiver for Well nos. 137, 143, 144, and 149. Attached is Form C-102 for each well and a lease plat showing existing wells, locations of the subject wells, and the affected offset operator.

Yours very truly,

C.P. Basham
Drilling Superintendent
on behalf of Texaco Producing Inc.

CWH;

CC: NMOCD
P.O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240



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ENERGY & MINERALS DEPARTMENT
 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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RE: Proposed:

- MC _____
- DHC _____
- NSL _____
- NSP _____
- SWD _____
- WFX _____
- PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application for the:

- # 137-E 2-18-34
- # 142-F 1-18-34
- # 143-H 1-18-34
- # 144-E 2-18-34
- # 149-C 1-18-34

Texaco Producing Inc. Vacuum GB/SA Unit
 Operator Lease & Well No. Unit S-T-R

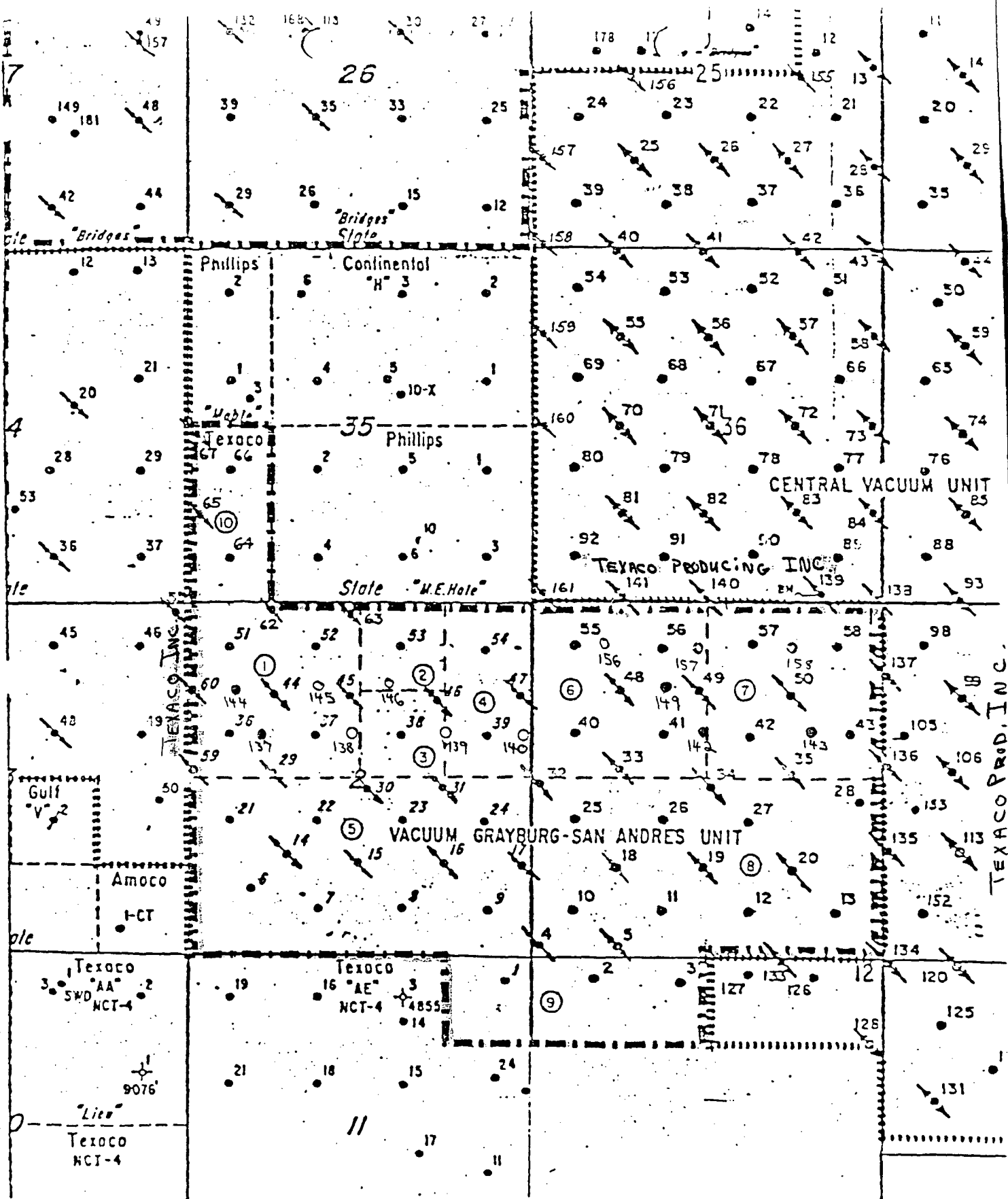
and my recommendations are as follows:

OK -

Yours very truly,

Jerry Sexton
 Jerry Sexton by *ES*
 Supervisor, District 1

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⑨ TRACT NUMBER

TEXACO PROD. INC.
 VACUUM G-SA UNIT
 VACUUM G-SA FIELD
 LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Submit to Appropriate District Office
 State Lease - 4 copies
 Fee Lease - 3 copies

State of New Mexico
 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
 Revised 1-1-89

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

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 P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II
 P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III
 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

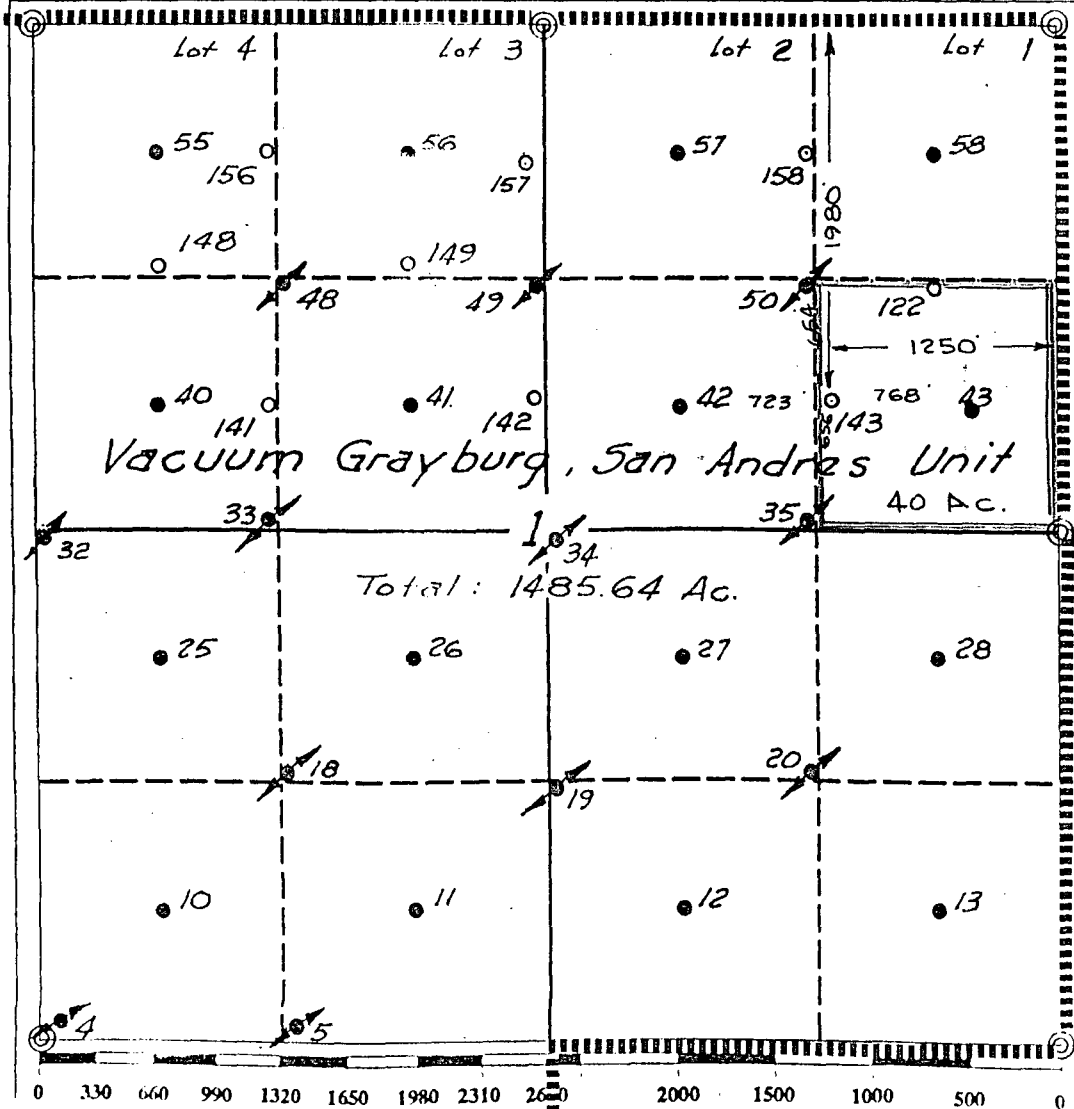
Operator TEXACO PRODUCING INC.			Lease Vacuum Grayburg, San Andres Unit		Well No. 143
Unit Letter H	Section 1	Township 18 South	Range 34 East	County Lea	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 1250 feet from the East line and 1980 feet from the North line					
Ground level Elev. 3983	Producing Formation Grayburg - San Andres		Pool Vacuum Grayburg - San Andres		Dedicated Acreage: 40 Acres

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

Yes No If answer is "yes" type of consolidation Unitization

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 interest, has been approved by the Division.



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

Signature _____

Printed Name
Royce Mariott

Position
Division Surveyor

Company
Texaco Producing Inc.

Date
March 19, 1990

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION
 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
March 13, 1990

Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor

Certificate No. 7254

John S. Piper