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ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Application Acronyms:

- [NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]
- [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]
- [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]
- [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]
- [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]
- [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

[1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

- [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication
 NSL NSP SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

- [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement
 DHC CTB PLC PC OLS OLM

- [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery
 WFX PMX SWD IPI EOR PPR

- [D] Other: Specify _____

[2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply

- [A] Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
- [B] Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
- [C] Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
- [D] Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
- [E] For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
- [F] Waivers are Attached

[3] **SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.**

[4] **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

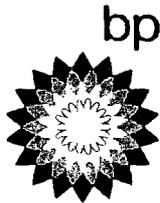
Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Mary Corley
 Print or Type Name

Mary Corley
 Signature

Sr. Regulatory Analyst 07/09/2003
 Title Date

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 e-mail Address



October 29, 2003

Mr. Michael Stogner,
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
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Application For Unorthodox Location
Arch Rock Well # 1
1300' FNL, 2300' FEL, Section 23-T31N-R11W
Basin Dakota & Blanco Mesaverde Pools
San Juan County, New Mexico

30-045-30040

San Juan Performance Unit

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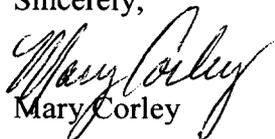
P. O. Box 3092
Houston, Texas 77253-3092
501 Westlake Park Boulevard
Houston, Texas 77079

BP America Production Company hereby requests administrative approval for an unorthodox well location for the Arch Rock well no. 1 to be recompleted into the Basin Dakota and Blanco Mesaverde Pools. The subject well was drilled by Conoco Inc. into the Wildcat Pennsylvanian formation in 2000. This proved to be an unsuccessful completion into the Pennsylvanian and the well is shut in. It is our intent to abandon the Pennsylvanian and recomplete to the Dakota and Mesaverde Pools. The spacing unit for this well is the E/2 Section 23 as shown on attached C-102. Also attached is two 9 section plats (one for the Mesaverde and one for the Dakota) with the subject well and surrounding wells identified. Approval for this unorthodox location is required since the well does not conform to the Dakota or Mesaverde location requirements that stipulated that a well be no closer than 660' to the East and West lines of a GPU.

BP America is the operator of record of the 320 acre offsetting the proposed drilling unit, however, the working interest owners are not identical. Please see attached listing for the working interest owners in the E/2 and W/2 of Section 23. Each of these interest owners are being furnished a copy of this application by certified mail return receipt requested.

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions concerning this application please do not hesitate to call me at 281-366-4491.

Sincerely,


Mary Corley

cc: Frank Chavez, Supervisor
NMOCD District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, NM 87410

W/2 WORKING INTEREST OWNERS (See Attached)

There is no other production from the Dakota in this Section.

Mesaverde production is from four BP operated wells: Linda Nye wells

Offset Working Interest Notification

Burlington Resources Oil And Gas Co
Attn: David Valdez
P.O. Box 4289
Farmington, NM 87499-4289

ConocoPhillips Company
Attn: Ann Becker
600 North Dairy Ashford
Houston, TX 77079-1175

Moore Loyal Trust
403 N Marienfeld
Midland, TX 79701-4323

Robert Umbach Cancer Foundation
Bank of Oklahoma, Agent
Attn: J. Mark Choplin
P. O. Box 3499
Tulsa, OK 74101

George W. Umbach
Bank of Oklahoma, Agent
Attn: J. Mark Choplin
P. O. Box 3499
Tulsa, OK 74101

District I
1625-N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240

District II
811 South First, Artesia, NM 88210

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

District IV
2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised August 15, 2000

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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State Lease - 4 Copies
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number 30-045-30040		² Pool Code 71599 & 72319		³ Pool Name Basin Dakota & Blanco Mesaverde	
⁴ Property Code		⁵ Property Name Arch Rock			⁶ Well Number 1
⁷ OGRID No. 000778		⁸ Operator Name BP America Production Company			⁹ Elevation 5881'

¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from	North/South	Feet from	East/West	County
Unit B	23	31N	11W		1300'	North	2300'	East	San Juan

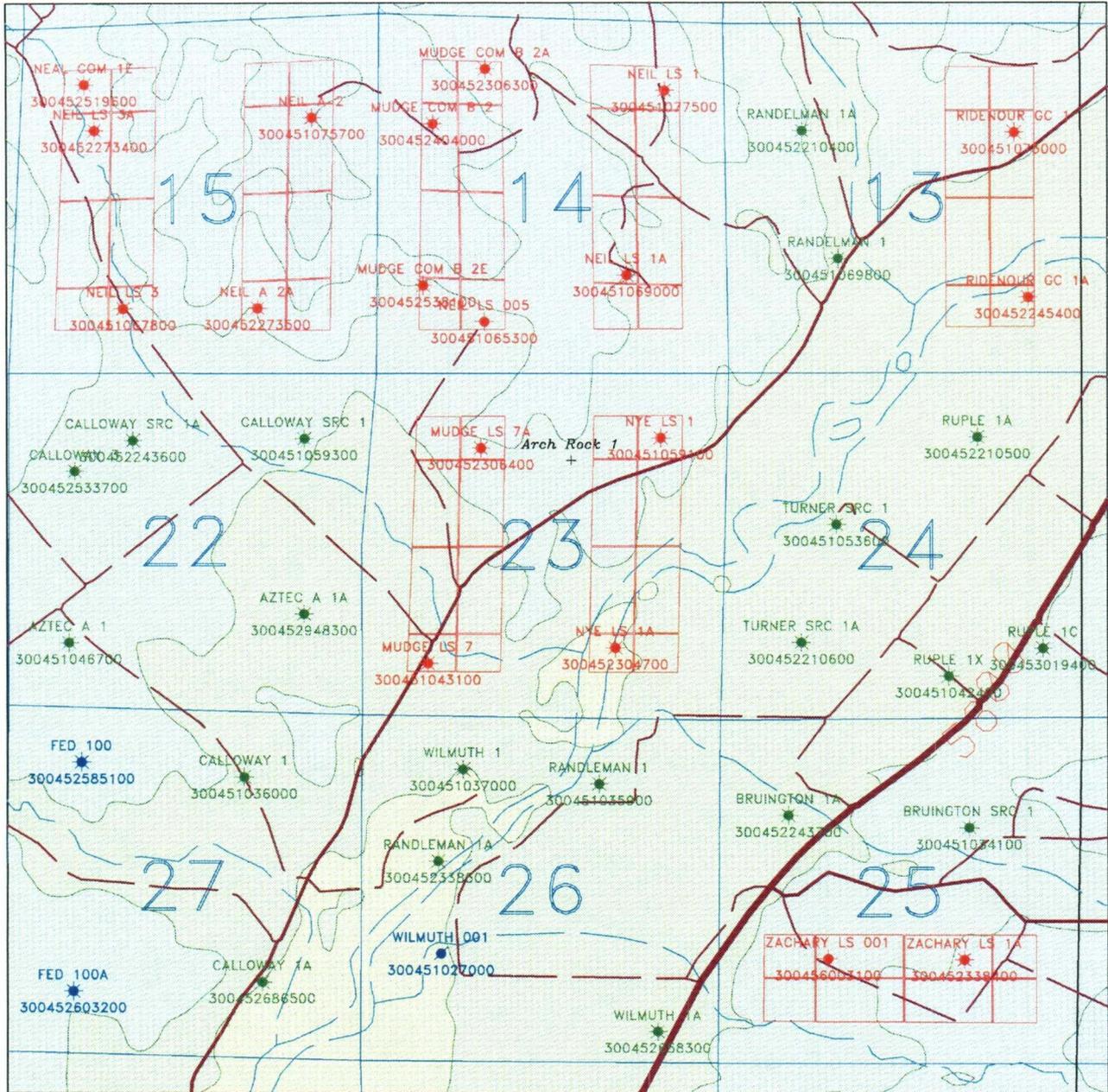
¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from	North/South	Feet	East/West	County

¹² Dedicated Acres 320	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

<p>W/2 WORKING INTEREST OWNERS: Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co ConocoPhillips Co Moore Loyal Trust George William Umbach Robert Umbach, Cancer Foundation</p>		<p>¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</p> <p><i>Mary Corley</i> Signature Mary Corley Printed Name Sr. Regulatory Analyst Title 10/29/2003 Date</p>
		<p>¹⁸ 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 belief.</p> <p>on file Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: Certificate Number</p>
<p>E/2 WORKING INTEREST OWNERS: Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co ConocoPhillips Co Merchant Resources Moore Loyal Trust</p>		



WELL SYMBOL LEGEND

- Active Well
- Abandoned Well
- Inactive Prior Year

COLOR LEGEND

- BP America Production Co.
- Burlington Operated
- Conoco Operated
- Phillips Operated
- Other Co. Operated

Special Well Legend

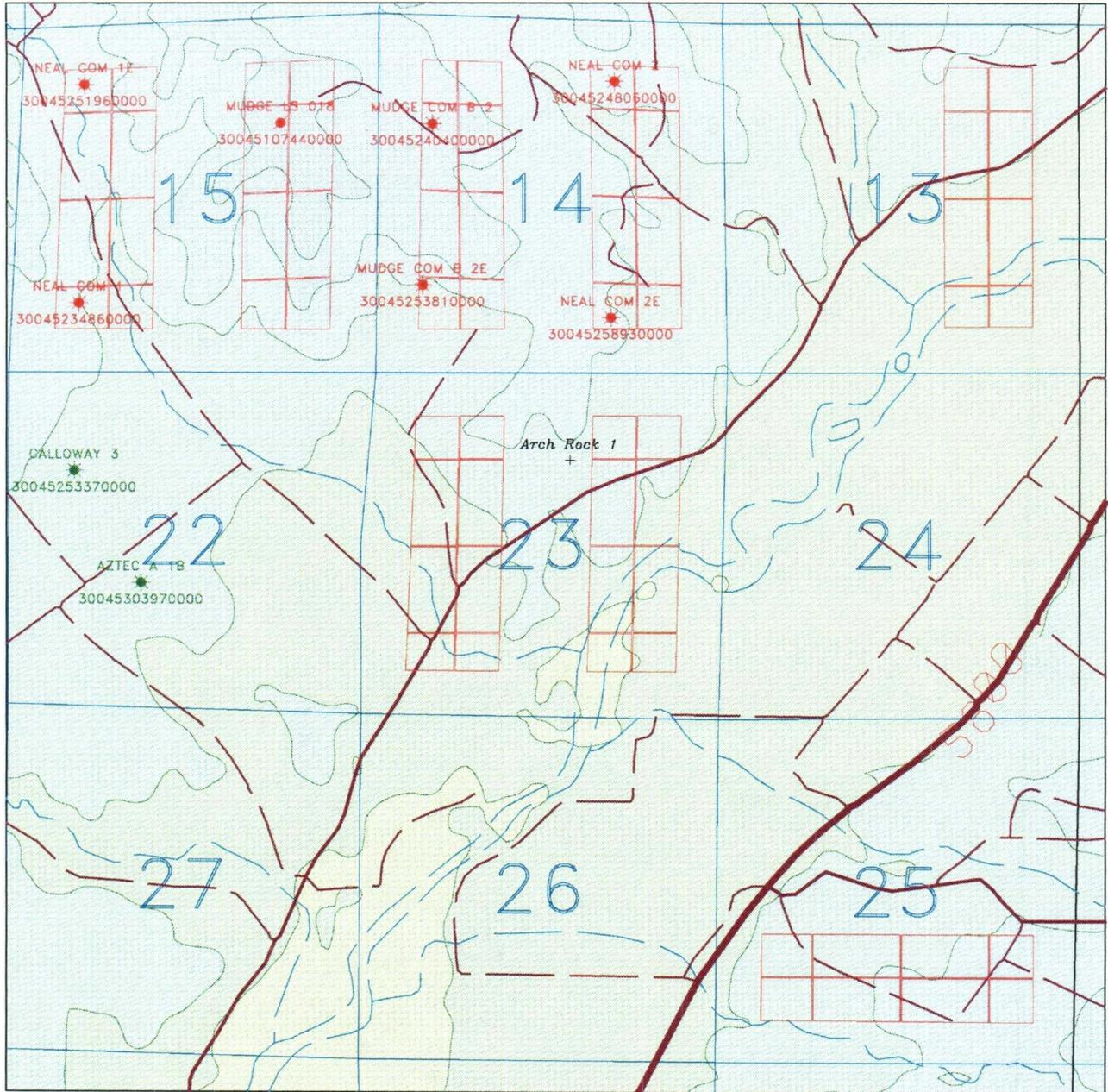
- 2002 Drilled Location
- ◆ 2003 Staked Location
- + 2003 Proposed Location

BP America Production Company
Houston, Texas

San Juan Basin
9 Section - MV Wells
31 N 11 W Section 23

Arch Rock 1

SCALE	DRAWN C. SACKETT	DATE 21-MAY-2003
DRAWING		



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Houston, Texas

San Juan Basin
9 Section - DK Wells
31 N 11 W Section 23

Arch Rock 1

SCALE	DRAWN C. SACKETT	DATE 21-MAY-2003
DESIGNED		