

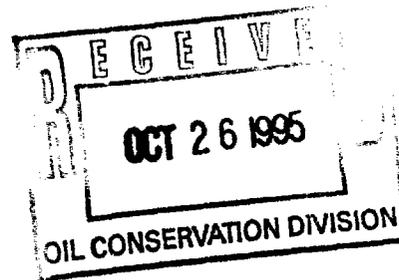
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SONAT EXPLORATION



October 25, 1995

Mr. David R. Catanach
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: Rule 309.-B. - Administrative Approval, Lease Commingling
Lotos Federal and Lotos "C" Federal Leases
Sections 8, 9, 10, and 11, T24S, R31E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Mr. Catanach:

Sonata Exploration respectfully requests administrative approval for an exception to Rule 309-A to allow commingling of production from two separate leases for the Lotos Federal and Lotos "C" Federal leases located in Eddy County, New Mexico.

Attached is a plat designating the two leases and the formation that each well produces from. It is proposed to only commingle production from the Delaware formation.

A schematic diagram of the proposed commingling facility is attached. Oil, water, and gas from each lease will be separately metered prior to commingling in the stock tanks. Adequate facilities will also be installed to provide monthly well tests for each well on each lease.

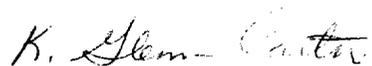
Hydrocarbon production will be accurately measured and determined in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Division "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities."

The ownership is not common on the two leases. However, only a very small ORRI is not common. All working interest owners, royalty owners, overriding royalty owners, and the purchasers have been notified by registered mail. All parties have consented in writing to the commingling of production from the

two leases. See attachments for copies of the registered mail receipts and letters of consent. Also attached is a copy of the Sundry Notice which has been submitted to the BLM requesting approval of the lease commingling.

If additional information is needed, or if I can be of any assistance in expediting this matter, please contact me at (915) 684-0405.

Sincerely,



K. Glenn Carter
Sr. Drilling and Production Engineer

Attachments

cc: JAM
MJJ
TMM
SMJ
BDH

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Legal Description of Leases

All leases described below are in T24S, R31E, Eddy County,
New Mexico.

1. Lotos Federal Lease - Federal Lease Number 29234

West 1/2 of Section 8 except the SW1/4 SW1/4.

South 1/2 of Section 9.

West 1/2 of Section 10.

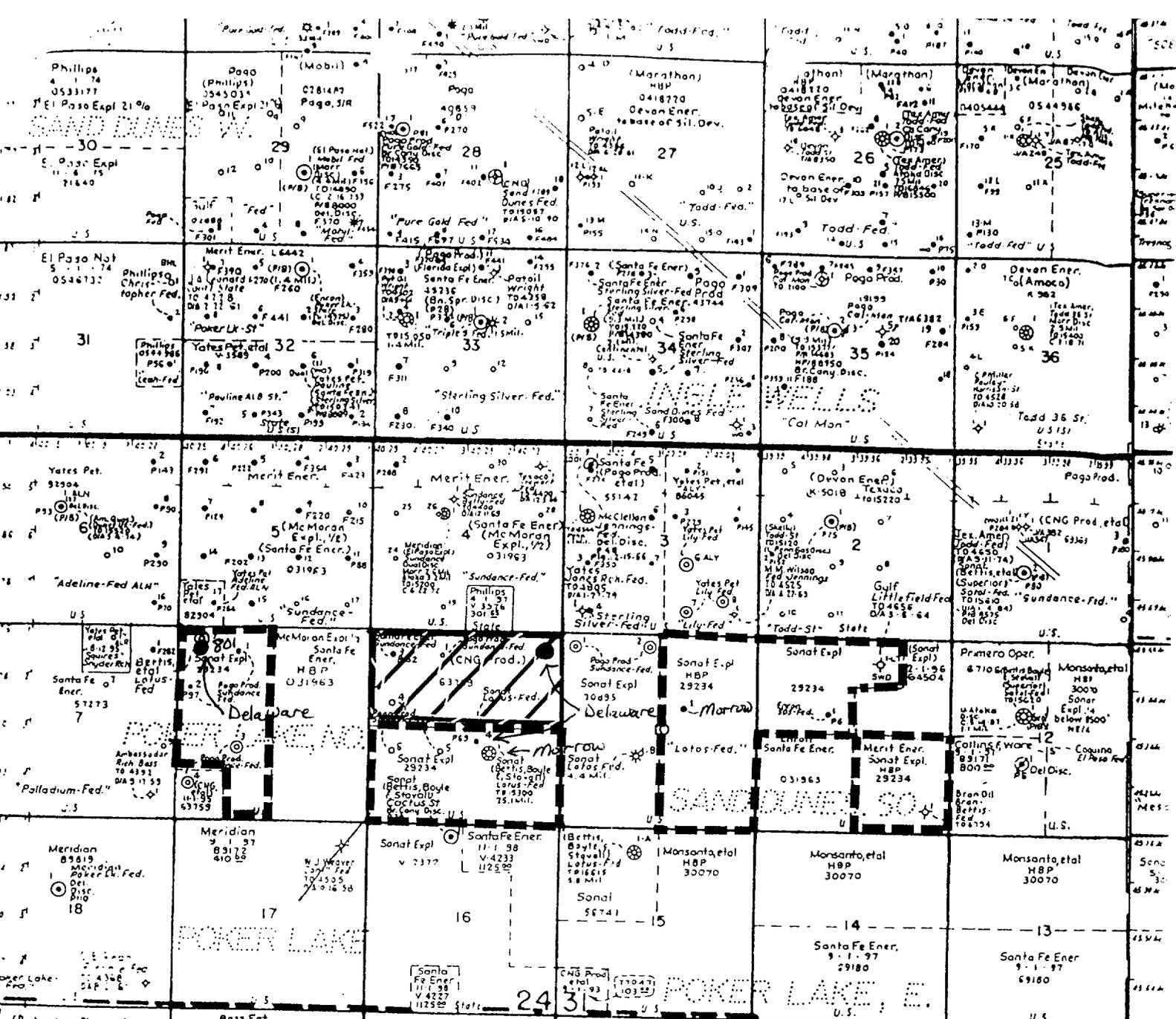
Southeast 1/4 of Section 11.

Northwest 1/4 of Section 11.

NW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 11.

2. Lotos "C" Federal Lease - Federal Lease Number 63757

North 1/2 of Section 9.



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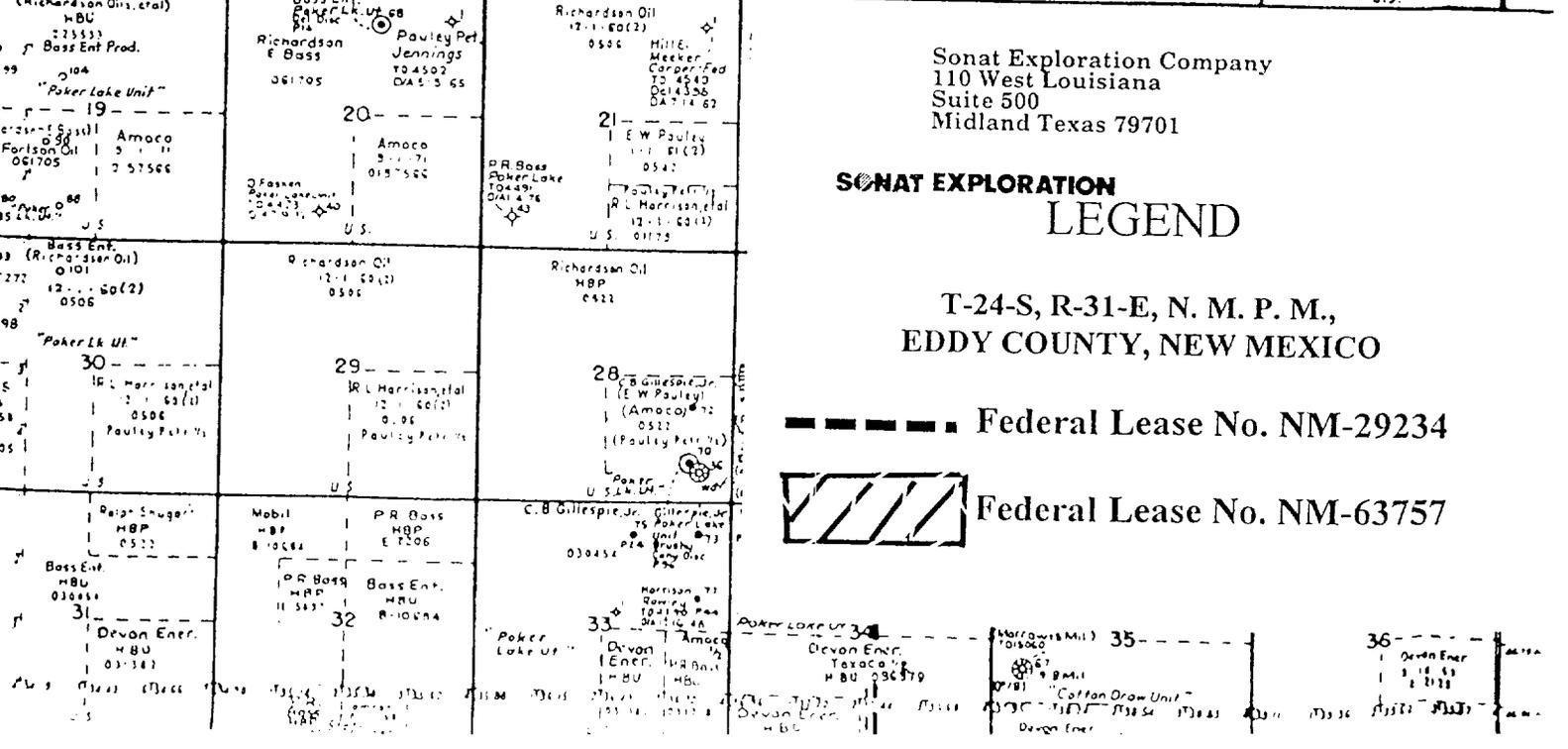
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 LEGEND**

T-24-S, R-31-E, N. M. P. M.,
 EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

--- Federal Lease No. NM-29234



Federal Lease No. NM-63757



FAX COVERSHEET

DATE: 10/30/95

TO: Mr. David Catanach
NMOCD - Santa Fe

FROM: Glenn Carter
Sonat Exploration - Midland
(915) 684-0405 Fax 684-0444

SUBJECT: Lease Commingling
Lotos Federal and Lotos "C" Federal Leases
Eddy County, New Mexico

Pages: 2 including cover sheet

Mr. Catanach,

On October 25, 1995, I mailed you an application to surface commingle the subject leases. Attached is the BLM's approval of such.

If you have any questions, please call me at the number listed above.

Sincerely,

Glenn Carter

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Form 3160-5
(June 1990)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135
Expires: March 31, 1993

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir.
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.
NM 63757

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

1. Type of Well
 Oil Well Gas Well Other

8. Well Name and No.
Lotos "C" #901 Federal #701

2. Name of Operator
SONAT EXPLORATION COMPANY-Midland

9. API Well No.

3. Address and Telephone No.
110 W. Louisiana, Ste. 500, Midland, Texas 79701 (915) 684-0400

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

S. Sand Dunes Delaware

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

11. Country or Parish, State

330' FNL, 660' FEL Sec. 9, T24S, R31E

Eddy Co., New Mexico

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(S) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
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(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*

Attached is the application for surface commingling, off lease storage measurement approval.

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Signed R. Alan Carter Title Senior Drilling & Prod. Eng. Date 10/09/95

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by Adam S. ... Title _____ Date 10/25/95

Conditions of approval, if any:

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statement or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

*See Instruction on Reverse Side

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NM 63757

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7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

Lotos "C" #901 Federal #901

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Attached is the application for surface commingling, off lease storage, and measurement approval.

Mailed 10/23/95.

Fed Reg + Midland March - Carlsbad.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Signed *K. Glenn Carter*

Title Senior Drilling & Prod. Eng.

Date 10/09/95

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Approved by _____

Title _____

Date _____

Conditions of approval, if any:

CRA BLM FORMAT

**APPLICATION FOR SURFACE COMMINGLING,
OFF LEASE STORAGE AND MEASUREMENT APPROVAL**

This Format Should Be Attached To A Sundry Notice

To: Bureau of Land Management
P. O. Box 1778
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-1778

Sonat Exploration Company - Midland is requesting approval for surface commingling and off-lease storage and measurement of hydrocarbon production from the following formation(s) and well(s) on **Federal Lease No. NM 63757; Lease Name: Lotos "C" Federal.**

<u>Well No.</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Twp.</u>	<u>Rng.</u>	<u>Formation</u>
<u>901</u>	<u>NE1/4 NE1/4</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>24S</u>	<u>31E</u>	<u>Delaware</u>
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
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with hydrocarbon production from the following formation(s) and well(s) on **Federal Lease Number NM 29234; Lease Name: Lotos Federal.**

<u>Well No.</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Twp.</u>	<u>Rng.</u>	<u>Formation</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>NW1/4 SE1/4</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>24S</u>	<u>31E</u>	<u>Delaware</u>
<u>801</u>	<u>NW1/4 NW1/4</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>24S</u>	<u>31E</u>	<u>Delaware</u>
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Production from the well(s) involved is as follows:

<u>Well Name and No.</u>	<u>BOPD</u>	<u>Oil Gravity</u>	<u>MCFPD</u>
Lotos "C" Federal No. 901 *	<u>40 Est</u>	<u>40 Est.</u>	<u>40 Est.</u>
Lotos Federal No. 4	<u>30</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>23</u>
Lotos Federal No. 801	<u>50</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>27</u>

* Lotos "C" Federal No. 901 is a new well which is currently being competed.

The proposed operation is described in detail on the attached diagrams.

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A map is enclosed showing the lease numbers and location of all leases and wells that will contribute production to the proposed commingling/common storage facility. No unitized/communitized areas or producing zones/pools will be commingled.

A schematic diagram is also attached which clearly identifies all equipment that will be utilized.

The storage and measuring facility is located at SE-¼, Section 9, T24S, R31E, on lease number NM 29234, Eddy County, New Mexico. BLM will be notified if there is any future change in the facility location.

Details of the proposed method for allocating production to contributing sources is as follows:

Oil, water, and gas production will be separately metered from each lease prior to commingling in the stock tanks. A heater treater will be installed for each lease to separate the oil, water, and gas prior to metering. As necessary, a test separator (or test heater treater) will be installed for each lease to allow accurate well testing on each lease.

The working interest owners, royalty owners, and overriding royalty owners have been notified of the proposal.

The proposed commingling of production is in the interest of conservation and will not result in reduced royalty or improper measurement of production.

The proposed commingling is necessary for continued operation of the above-referenced Federal leases.

We understand that the requested approval will not constitute the granting of any right-of-way or construction rights not granted by the lease instrument. And, we will submit, within thirty (30) days, an application for right-of-way approval to the BLM's Realty Section in your office if we have not already done so.

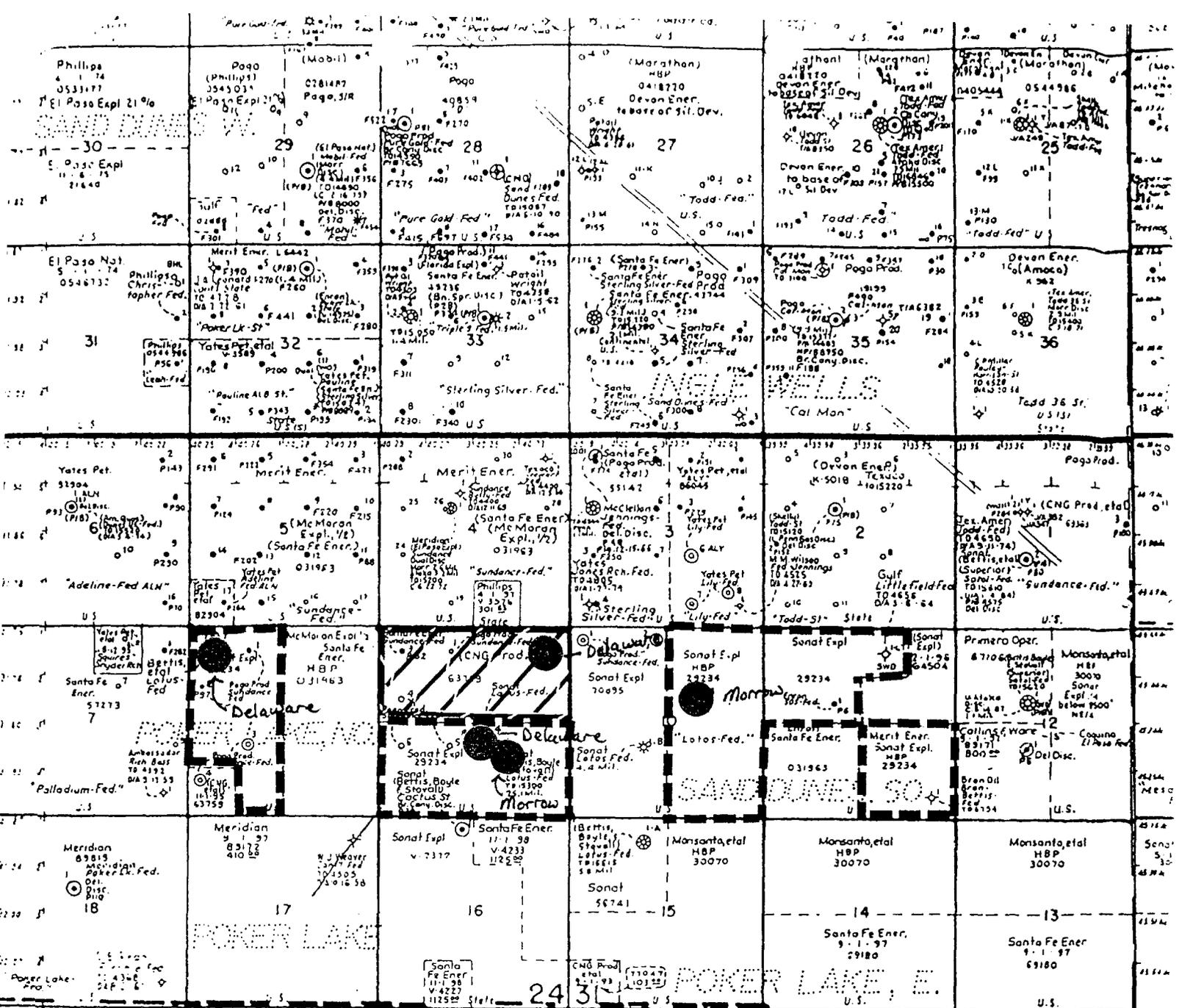
Additional well(s) will require additional commingling approvals.

Signature: K. Glenn Carter

Name: K. Glenn Carter

Title: Sr. Drilling and Production Engineer

Date: 10/09/95



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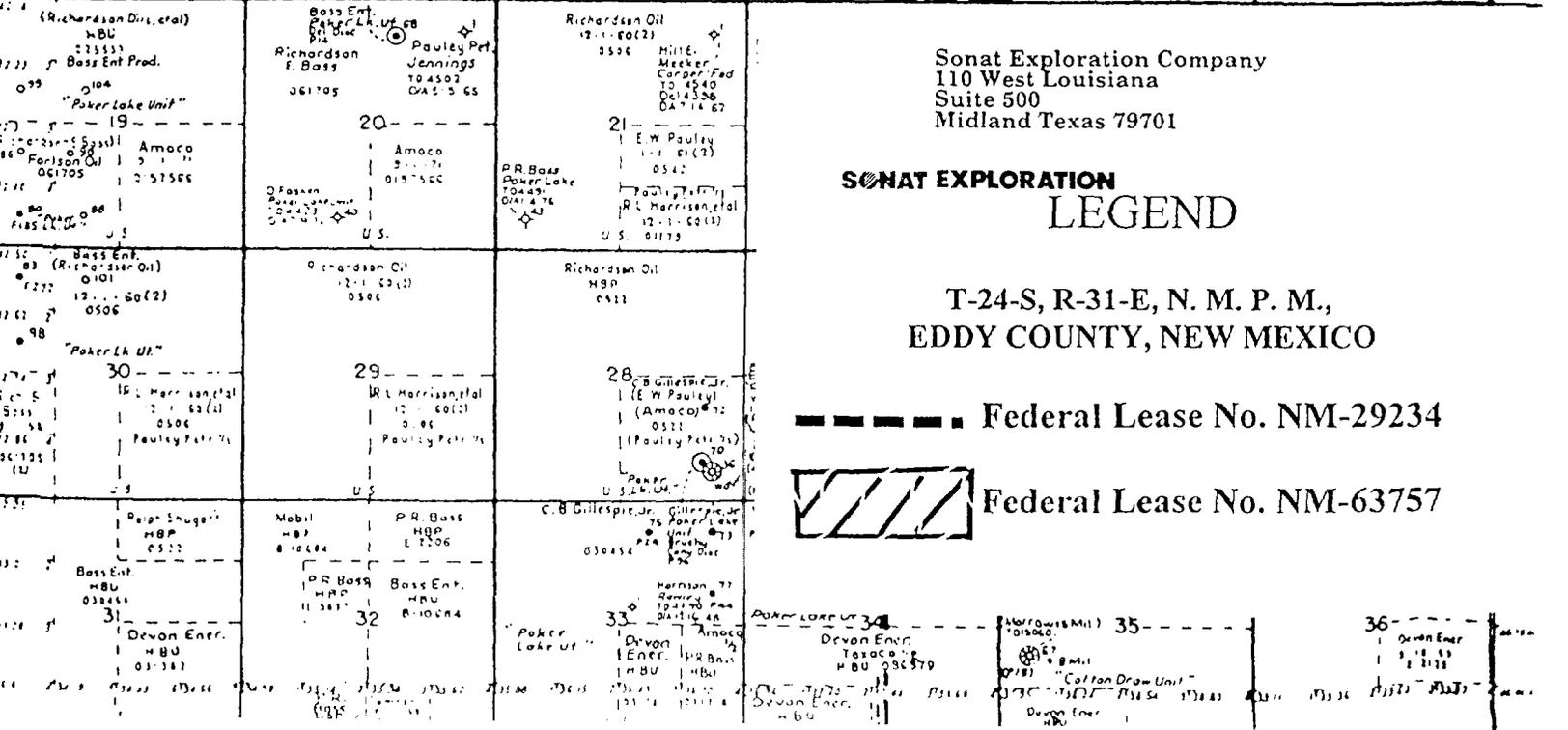
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T-24-S, R-31-E, N. M. P. M.,
 EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

----- Federal Lease No. NM-29234



Federal Lease No. NM-63757



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2. Lotos "C" Federal Lease - Federal Lease Number 63757

North 1/2 of Section 9.

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Proposed Commingled Tank Battery

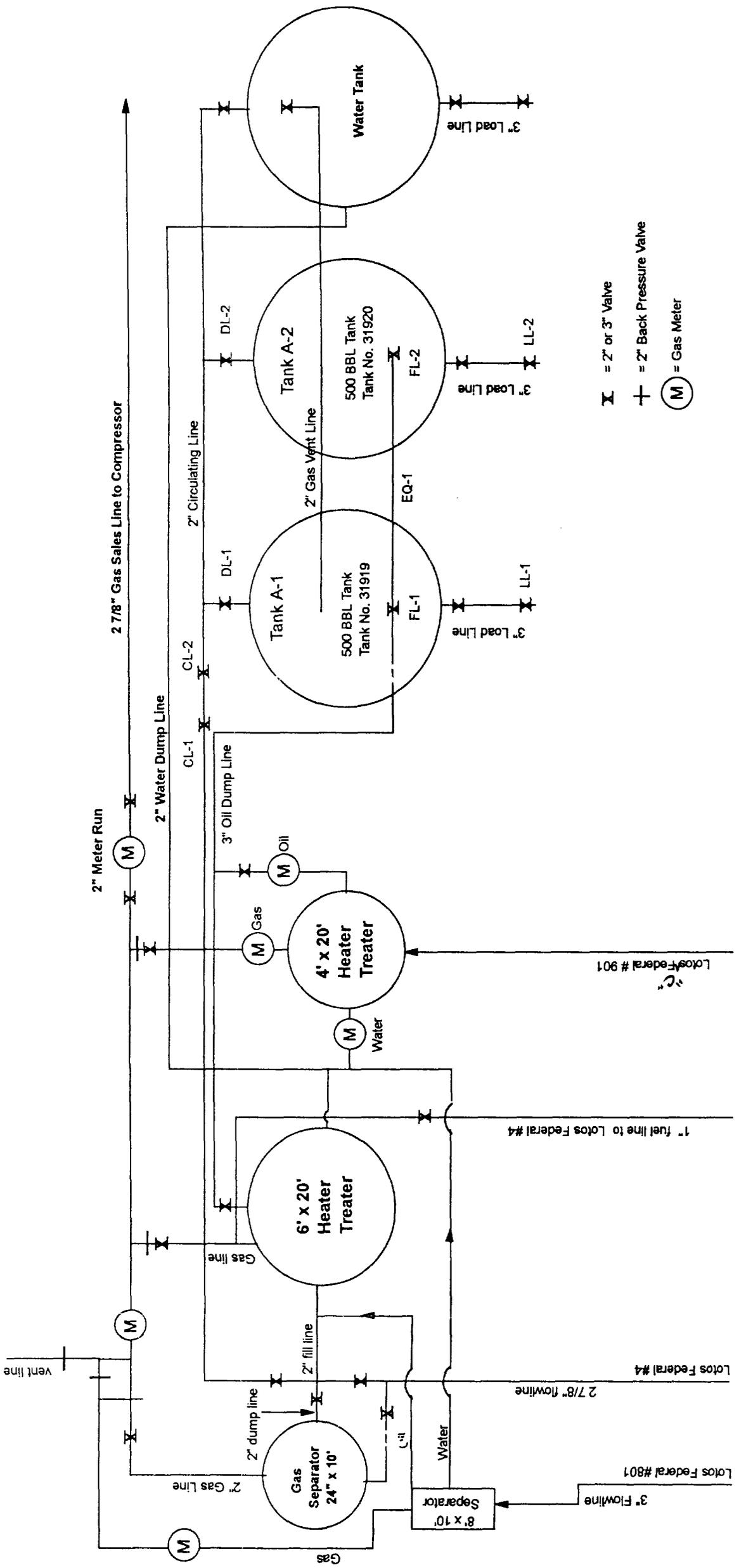
Lotos Federal Battery - Wells #4, #801

and Lotos "C" Federal No. 901

NM 29234 NW,SE, Sec 9, T24S, R29E

NM 63757

Eddy County, New Mexico



- ⌘ = 2" or 3" Valve
- + = 2" Back Pressure Valve
- (M) = Gas Meter

**OWNERSHIP OF INTEREST IN PRODUCTION
BY FEDERAL LEASE**

Federal Lease No. NM-29234

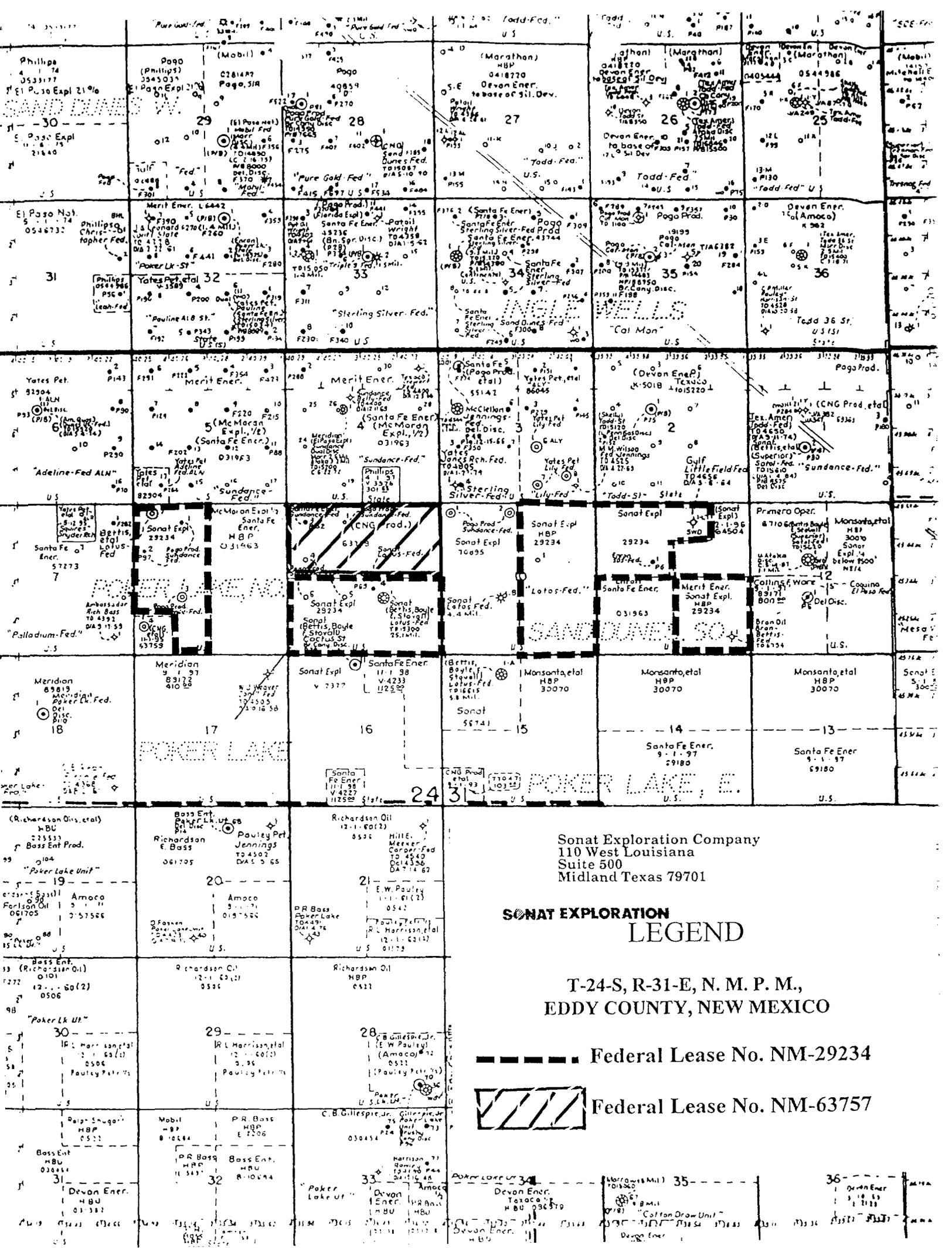
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Alan R. Hannifin
Les R. Honeyman
Joseph K. Morgan
G. W. Breuer
Mary Jane Shelley Favor
Wilbur D. & Afton H. Wilson Trust
David J. Sorenson

F. Andrew Grooms
Hadson Corporation (Gas Purchaser)
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(Oil Purchaser)

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Sonata's proposal to commingle Delaware production excludes all lands operated by Pogo Producing Company. Those lands are identified as the NE/4NW/4, SW/4NW/4, and NE/4SW/4 of Section 8; W/2 of Section 9; and the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 9.



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 12-1-62(12)
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cc: Shannon Shaw - Bureau of Land Management
David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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I (WE) HAVE **NO OBJECTION** TO THE SURFACE COMMINGLING OF THE DELAWARE PRODUCTION FROM THE TWO (2) SEPARATE LEASES CAPTIONED ABOVE.

EXECUTED THIS THE 27th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

NUEVO SEIS, INC.

Barbara E. Hannifin
BY: *Barbara E. Hannifin*
TITLE: *President*

**Fill in
the Blanks**

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✓ 9 I (WE) HAVE **NO OBJECTION** TO THE SURFACE COMMINGLING OF THE DELAWARE PRODUCTION FROM THE TWO (2) SEPARATE LEASES CAPTIONED ABOVE .

EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ 19th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Shawn P. Hannifin, dealing in his sole and separate property

✓ Shawn P. Hannifin



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EXECUTED THIS THE 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Robert Eckels Family Trust

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✓ Christopher R. Eckels

BY: ✓
TITLE: TRUSTEE



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EXECUTED THIS THE 22 DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Western Interior Energy, Inc.


BY: Brian H. Wert
TITLE: Vice Pres.

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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ 23RD DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Grant W. Breuer, Jr.,
*A SINGLE
MAN*

✓ *n/a*
_____ Breuer, wife of Grant
W. Breuer, Jr.

✓ *Grant W. Breuer, Jr.*

✓

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David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ *19th* DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

TC/OK 1993-M c/o Texas Commerce Bank

✓ _____
BY: ✓ *[Signature]*
TITLE: ✓ *General Partner*



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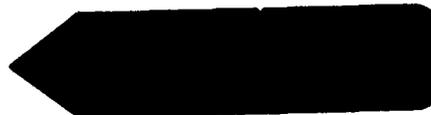
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Lyle B. and Mary Boxel Gallivan

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Lyle B. Gallivan



✓ Mary Boxel Gallivan
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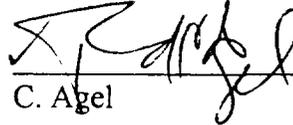
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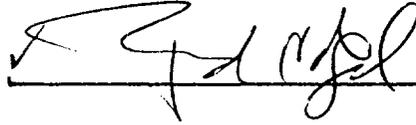
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Ronald C. Agel

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the Blanks**


C. Agel Agel, wife of Ronald

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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ _____ DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

L. E. Oppermann

Nicolette A. Oppermann, wife of L. E. Oppermann

✓ L. E. Oppermann

Nicolette A. Oppermann

cc: Shannon Shaw - Bureau of Land Management
David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

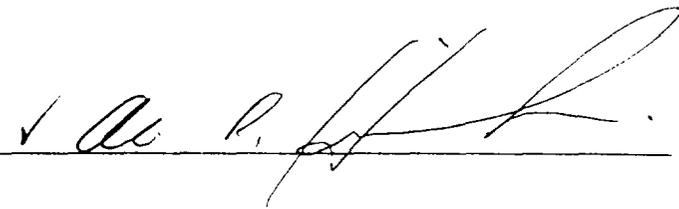
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**Fill in
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EXECUTED THIS THE 21st DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Alan R. Hannifin, dealing in his sole and separate property



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David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ 14TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Les R. Honeyman

LaNell J. Honeyman, wife of Les R.
Honeyman

✓ [Signature] LaNell J. Honeyman

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David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ 15 DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

G. W. Breuer

✓ Janice Breuer, wife of G. W.
Breuer

✓ [Signature]

✓ [Signature]

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David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

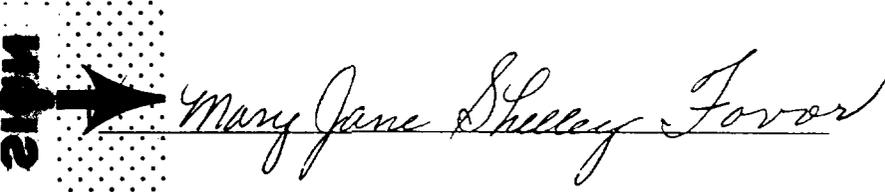
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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ 19th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Mary Jane Shelley Favor, dealing in her sole and separate property

 A handwritten signature in cursive script, "Mary Jane Shelley Favor", is written over a horizontal line. To the left of the signature is a circular stamp with a dotted pattern and a large arrow pointing to the right. The word "NOTES" is printed vertically along the left edge of the stamp.

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Wilbur D. & Afton H. Wilson, Individually and as Trustees
of the Wilbur D. & Afton H. Wilson Revocable Trust, U/T/I
dated 11/13/84

✓ Wilbur D. Wilson

BY: Wilbur D. Wilson
TITLE: Trustee

✓ Afton H. Wilson

BY: Afton ^{H.} Wilson
TITLE: Trustee

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EXECUTED THIS THE 13th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

David J. Sorenson

Bonnie J. Sorenson, wife of David J. Sorenson

David J. Sorenson

Bonnie J. Sorenson

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EXECUTED THIS THE 14th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

F. Andrew Grooms

Eileen M. Grooms Grooms, wife of F.
Andrew Grooms

F. Andrew Grooms

Eileen M. Grooms

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David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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EXECUTED THIS THE ✓ 15th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

D-M Corporation

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the Blanks**

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BY: ✓ Shannon Shaw
TITLE: President

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cc: Shannon Shaw - Bureau of Land Management
David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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EXECUTED THIS THE 24th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1995.

HADSON CORPORATION



BY: TIM S. CASHNER
TITLE: SUPPLY DEVELOPMENT MANAGER

cc: Shannon Shaw - Bureau of Land Management
David Catanach - State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

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EXECUTED THIS THE 25 DAY OF OCTOBER, 1995.

Texaco Trading and Transportation, Inc.

BY: Gary Wood
TITLE: crude oil representative
Texaco Trading & Transportation Inc.

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Sonat Exploration Company
110 West Louisiana Suite 500
Midland TX 79701
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SONAT EXPLORATION

September 11, 1995

TC/OK 1993-M c/o Texas Commerce Bank
Post Office Box 951424
Dallas, TX 75395-1424

RE: Surface Commingling of
Federal Lease No. NM-29234
Federal Lease No. NM-63757
both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
Eddy County, New Mexico

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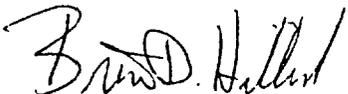
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response to us at 915-684-0444. *(Should you fax your response, please be sure to mail the original to the
letterhead address.)*

We appreciate your consideration in this matter. Should you have any questions concerning this matter,
please feel free to contact me at 915-684-0416. We wish to remain,

Very truly yours,

SONAT EXPLORATION COMPANY


Brent D. Hilliard
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SONAT EXPLORATION

September 11, 1995

Grant W. Breuer, Jr.
 1856 South Washington Street
 Denver, CO 80210

RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
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Dear Mr. Breuer:

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We appreciate your consideration and please feel free to contact

Very truly yours,

SONAT EXPLORATION

Brent D. Hilliard
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[Signature]

6. Signature (Agent)
[Signature]

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Western Interior Energy, Inc.
 1700 Broadway, #520
 Denver, CO 80290-0501

September 11, 1995

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 1700 Broadway, #520
 Denver, CO 80290-0501

RE: Surface Commingling of
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7. Date of Delivery
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 Western Interior Energy, Inc.
 1700 Broadway, #520
 Denver, CO 80290-0501

5. Signature (Addressee)

6. Signature (Agent)
Shirley M. Otake

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September 11, 1995

Robert Eckels Family Trust
 Post Office Box 30
 Cedaredge, CO 81413

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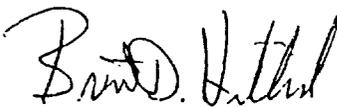
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SONAT EXPLORATION CO


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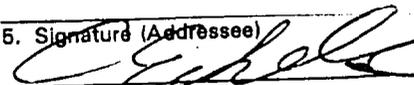
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September 11, 1995

Shawn P. Hannifin
 518 17th Street, Suite 540
 Denver, CO 80202

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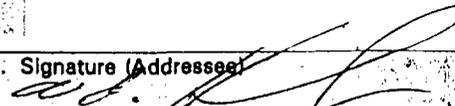
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 Post Office Box 182
 Roswell, New Mexico 88202-0182

SONAT EXPLORATION

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September 11, 1995

Minerals Management Service
 United States of America
 Post Office Box 5810
 Denver, CO 80217-5810

RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
 Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 309-B of The State of New Mexico Energy and Minerals Department Oil Conservation Division Rules and Regulations, Sonat proposes to Surface Commingle the Delaware production from two (2) separate leases (captioned above) at a collection point referred to as the "Lotos Federal No. 4 Battery". The commingling of this production will be accurately measured from each lease, prior to the commingling thereof, in accordance the Rules and Regulations of the Oil Conservation District. Sonat expects the commingling of the Delaware production from the leases to reduce the overall costs of equipping wells drilled thereon.

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We appreciate your consideration and please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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Brent D. Hilliard
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 P.O. BOX 6954
 DENVER, CO 80206

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7. Date of Delivery: 05/14/99

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):
Mr. Shannon Shaw
Bureau of Land Management
Post Office Box 1778
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-1778

5. Signature (Addressee):
6. Signature (Agent):

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4b. Service Type: Insured, Registered, Certified, Express Mail, Return Receipt for Merchandise

7. Date of Delivery: 05/14/99

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):
Mr. David Catnach
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

5. Signature (Addressee):
6. Signature (Agent):

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SONAT EXPLORATION

September 11, 1995

Alan R. Hannifin
 518 17th Street, Suite 540
 Denver, CO 80202

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RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
 Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hannifin:

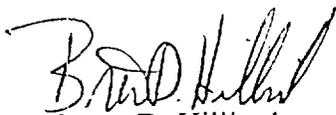
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SONAT EXPLORATION


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 Denver, CO 80202

5. Signature (Addressee)

6. Signature (Agent)

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September 11, 1995

G. W. Breuer
 2777 South Elmire Street, #22
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RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
 Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Breuer:

Pursuant to Rule 309-B of The State of New Mexico Energy and Mine:
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Wilbur D. & Afton H. Wilson
 200 West First Street, Suite 367
 Roswell, New Mexico 88201-4675

Wilbur D. & Afton H. Wilson
 200 West First Street, Suite 367
 Roswell, New Mexico 88201-4675

RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
 Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Wilson:

Pursuant to Rule 309-B of The State of New Mexico Energy and Mineral Division Rules and Regulations, Sonat proposes to Surface Commingle the (2) separate leases (captioned above) at a collection point referred to as the commingling of the Delaware production from the leases to reduce the overall costs of equipping wells drilled thereon.

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D-M Corporation
 Post Office Box 1196
 Englewood, CO 80150

RE: Surface Commingling of
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 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
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September 11, 1995

David J. and Bonnie J. Sorenson
 Post Office Box 1453
 Roswell, New Mexico 88202-1453

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RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
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5. Signature (Addressee)
 David J. Sorenson

6. Signature (Agent)

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September 11, 1995

Mr. & Mrs. L. E. Oppermann
 500 West Texas, Suite 830
 Midland, TX 79701

RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
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 Midland, TX 79701

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SONAT EXPLORATION

September 11, 1995

Joseph K. Morgan
 518 17th Street, Suite 545
 Denver, CO 80202

RE: Surface Commingling of
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 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
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Joseph K. Morgan
 518 17th Street, Suite 545
 Denver, CO 80202

5. Signature (Addressee)

6. Signature (Agent)
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September 11, 1995

Mr. & Mrs. Les R. Honeyman
 3806 Crestridge
 Midland, TX 79707

RE: Surface Commingling of
 Federal Lease No. NM-29234
 Federal Lease No. NM-63757
 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
 Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Honeyman:

Pursuant to Rule 309-B of The State of New Mexico Energy and Mineral Resources Division Rules and Regulations, Sonat proposes to Surface Commingling (2) separate leases (captioned above) at a collection point referred to as the Delaware production. The commingling of this production will be accurately measured from each lease, prior to the commingling thereof, in accordance the Rules and Regulations of the Oil Conservation District. Sonat expects the commingling of the Delaware production from the leases to reduce the overall costs of equipping wells drilled thereon.

Rule 309-B requires that all royalty, overriding royalty, working interest ownership, interests in production and purchasers of the commingled production consent in writing to the commingling of the Delaware production. Please indicate your position in this matter by checking the appropriate space provided below. Sonat is in the process of completing a well, situated on the Federal Lease No. NM-63757, known as our Lotos "C" Federal Well No. 901. In light of this, your timely response will be greatly appreciated. Please return your response to us in the self-addressed envelope provided. If you do not wish to return your response to us at 915-684-0444, (See letterhead address.)

We appreciate your consideration in this matter. If you please feel free to contact me at 915-684-0444.

Very truly yours,

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3806 Crestridge		
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F. Andrew Grooms
 Post Office Box 2328
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September 11, 1995

Mary Jane Shelley Favor
 Post Office Box 96
 Hayneville, AI 36040

RE: Surface Commingling of
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 both situated in T-24-S, R-31-E, N.M.P.M.,
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Ronald C. Agel
 105 Countryside Road
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September 11, 1995

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September 11, 1995

Lyle B. and Mary Boxel Gallivan
 8470 West 4th Avenue
 Lakewood, CO 80226

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