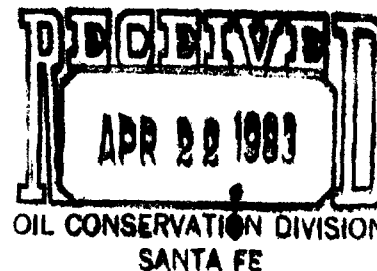


Union Texas
Petroleum

Southwest Division
1300 Wilco Building
Midland, Texas 79701
(915) 684-0600



April 19, 1983

Oil Conservation Commission
Box 2088
Santa Fe, N.M. 87501

Attn: Joe D. Ramey, Division Director

Re: Request for Exception to Rule 309-A
Post #1 N 14S 37E, Lea County, N.M.

O/S
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Gentlemen:

We are hereby requesting an exception to Rule 309-A for off-lease storage on our Post #1 Lease. Our purpose in requesting this exception is to avoid damage to the existing overhead circular irrigation system located in the SW quarter of Sec. 1, owned by the Dickinson Cattle Co. To locate a battery within this irrigation system would be impractical due to the height limitation imposed by the system. As requested by Dickinson Cattle Co., the battery will be located in the NW corner of the NW/4 of the SW/4 of Section 1, 14S 37E.

Attached are plats showing the location of the lease and proposed off-lease battery. All production will be from a single lease, the Post #1. Also attached is a letter from Post Petroleum giving their consent for their ownership of 25%; Union Texas Petroleum owns 75%.

Your prompt consideration for this exception will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORP.

Karen Friday

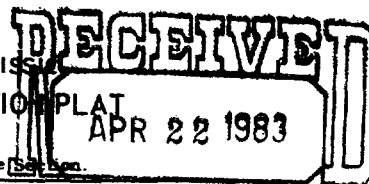
Karen Friday
Production Tech.

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attachments

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT



Form C-102
Supersedes C-128
Effective 1-1-65

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

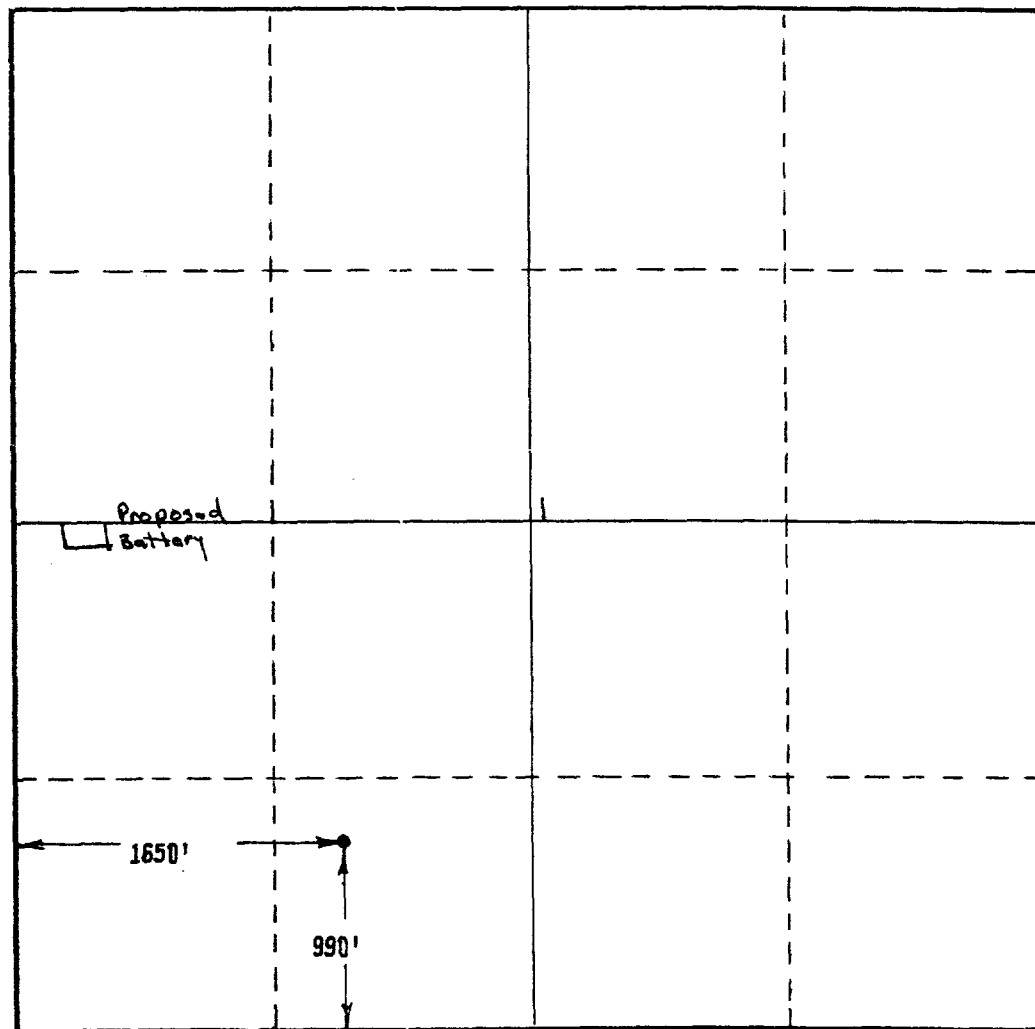
Operator UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORPORATION			Lease POST		OIL CONSERVATION	Well No. 1
Unit Letter N	Section 1	Township 14S	Range 37E	County LEA		
Actual Footage Location of Well: 990 feet from the SOUTH line and 1650 feet from the WEST line						
Ground Level Elev. 3831'	Producing Formation		Pool		Dedicated Acreage: 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.



CERTIFICATION

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

Name

Position

Company

Date

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.

October 7, 1982

Date Surveyed

RICHARD B. DUMMETT

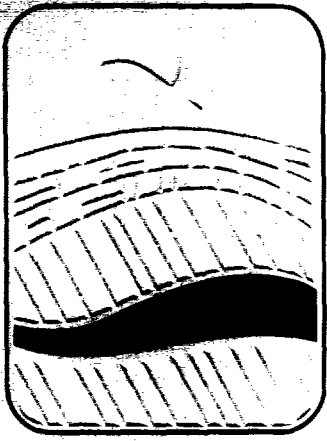
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and/or Professional Surveyor

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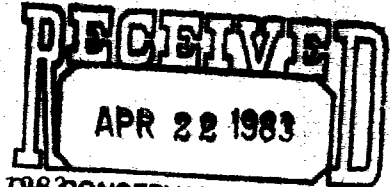
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**Post
Petroleum
Company, Inc.**



April 15, 1983 CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE

Union Texas Petroleum
Southwest Division
1300 Wilco Building
Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Mr. Bill Higgins

RE: Post #1

Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that we approve of off-lease storage of the production from the Post #1.

Very truly yours,

LARRY McLANE,
President

LM/drw

cc: Mr. Windel M. Gibson
Mr. George P. Post