

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

N.M. OIL CONS. COMMISSION
P.O. BOX 1980
HORBS, NEW MEXICO 88740

REVISED
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

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

1. Type of Well

Oil Well Gas Well Other

2. Name of Operator

MERIDIAN OIL INC.

3. Address and Telephone No.

P.O. Box 51810, Midland, TX 79710-1810 915-688-6943

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

SEC. 14, T22S, R32E

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.

NM 77058/NM 94096

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

INDIAN

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

RED TANK/REDCHKR
FEDERAL

9. API Well No.

10. Field and Pool, or exploratory Area

WEST RED TANK DELAWARE

11. County or Parish, State

LEA NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

- Notice of Intent
 Subsequent Report
 Final Abandonment Notice

TYPE OF ACTION

- Abandonment
 Recompletion
 Plugging Back
 Casing Repair
 Altering Casing
 Other COMMINGLING REQUEST
 Change of Plans
 New Construction
 Non-Routine Fracturing
 Water Shut-Off
 Conversion to Injection
 Dispose Water

(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.)*

AMENDED REQUEST:

MERIDIAN OIL INC. RESPECTFULLY REQUEST APPROVAL TO COMMINGLING PRODUCTION FROM THE RED TANK FEDERAL LEASE (NM 77058) WITH THE REDCHECKER FEDERAL LEASE (NM 94096). ALL PRODUCTION IS FROM THE WEST RED TANK DELAWARE FIELD.

WE ARE REQUESTING APPROVAL FOR OFF-LEASE STORAGE, SURFACE COMMINGLING, AND MEASUREMENT OF HYDROCARBONS.

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

Signed [Signature] Title REGULATORY ASSISTANT Date 1/10/95

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by Orig. Signed by Adam Salameh Title Petroleum Engineer Date 2/7/95

Conditions of approval, if any:

APPLICATION FOR OFF-LEASE STORAGE, SURFACE COMMINGLING, AND MEASUREMENT APPROVAL FOR THE RED TANK FEDERAL LEASE (NM 77058) AND THE REDCHECKER FEDERAL LEASE (NM 94096) LOCATED IN SEC. 14, T22S, R32E, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. PRODUCTION IS FROM THE WEST RED TANK DELAWARE FIELD.

**TO: BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
P.O. BOX 1778
CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO 88221-1778**

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<u>WELL NO:</u>	<u>SEC.</u>	<u>TWP</u>	<u>RNG</u>	<u>FORMATION</u>	<u>LEASE NO.</u>	<u>STATUS</u>
Red Tank Federal # 1	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 77058	Prod.
Red Tank Federal # 2 SWD	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 77058	Disp.
Red Tank Federal # 3	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 77058	Prod.
Red Tank Federal # 4	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 77058	Prod.
Red Tank Federal # 5	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 77058	Prod.
Red Tank Federal # 6	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 77058	Prod.
Redchecker '14' Federal # 1	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 94096	w/o completion
Redchecker '14' Federal # 2	14	22S	32E	Delaware	NM 94096	to be drilled

PRODUCTION FROM THE LEASES INVOLVED IS AS FOLLOWS:

<u>LEASE NAME AND NO.</u>	<u>BOPD</u>	<u>GRAVITY</u>	<u>MCF/PD</u>
Red Tank Federal (NM 77058)	350	43.0	426
Redchecker '14' Federal (NM 94096)**	400	42.0	350

**** THIS PRODUCTION IS BASED ON RESERVOIR STUDIES FROM SURROUNDING WELLS.**

THIS REQUEST IS FOR LEASE COMMINGLING DUE TO CONTINUED FUTURE DRILLING PLANS.

A MAP IS ENCLOSED SHOWING LOCATION OF ALL WELLS THAT WILL CONTRIBUTE PRODUCTION TO THE PROPOSED COMMINGLING/COMMON STORAGE FACILITY. ALL UNITIZED/COMMUNITIZED AREAS, PRODUCING ZONES/POOLS ARE ALSO CLEARLY ILLUSTRATED.

A SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM IS ALSO ATTACHED WHICH CLEARLY IDENTIFIES ALL EQUIPMENT THAT WILL BE UTILIZED.

THE STORAGE AND MEASURING FACILITY IS LOCATED IN THE SE/SW OF SEC. 14, T22S, R32E, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, FEDERAL LEASE NM 77058. THE 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:

ALL THE PRODUCTION INVOLVED WILL BE SEPARATELY MEASURED AT VARIOUS TIMES OF THE MONTH VIA A TEST VESSEL SITUATED BY THE COMMON STORAGE VESSEL TO BE INDIVIDUALLY TESTED. (WELL TESTS). THE GAS WILL BE METERED & SOLD AT ONE POINT

MERIDIAN IS 100% WORKING INTEREST OWNER FOR ALL THE LEASES TO BE INVOLVED IN THE COMMINGLING.

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 IF APPLICABLE, WE WILL SUBMIT WITHIN 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.

SIGNATURE: 

NAME: Donna Williams

TITLE: Regulatory Assistant

DATE: 1/10/95

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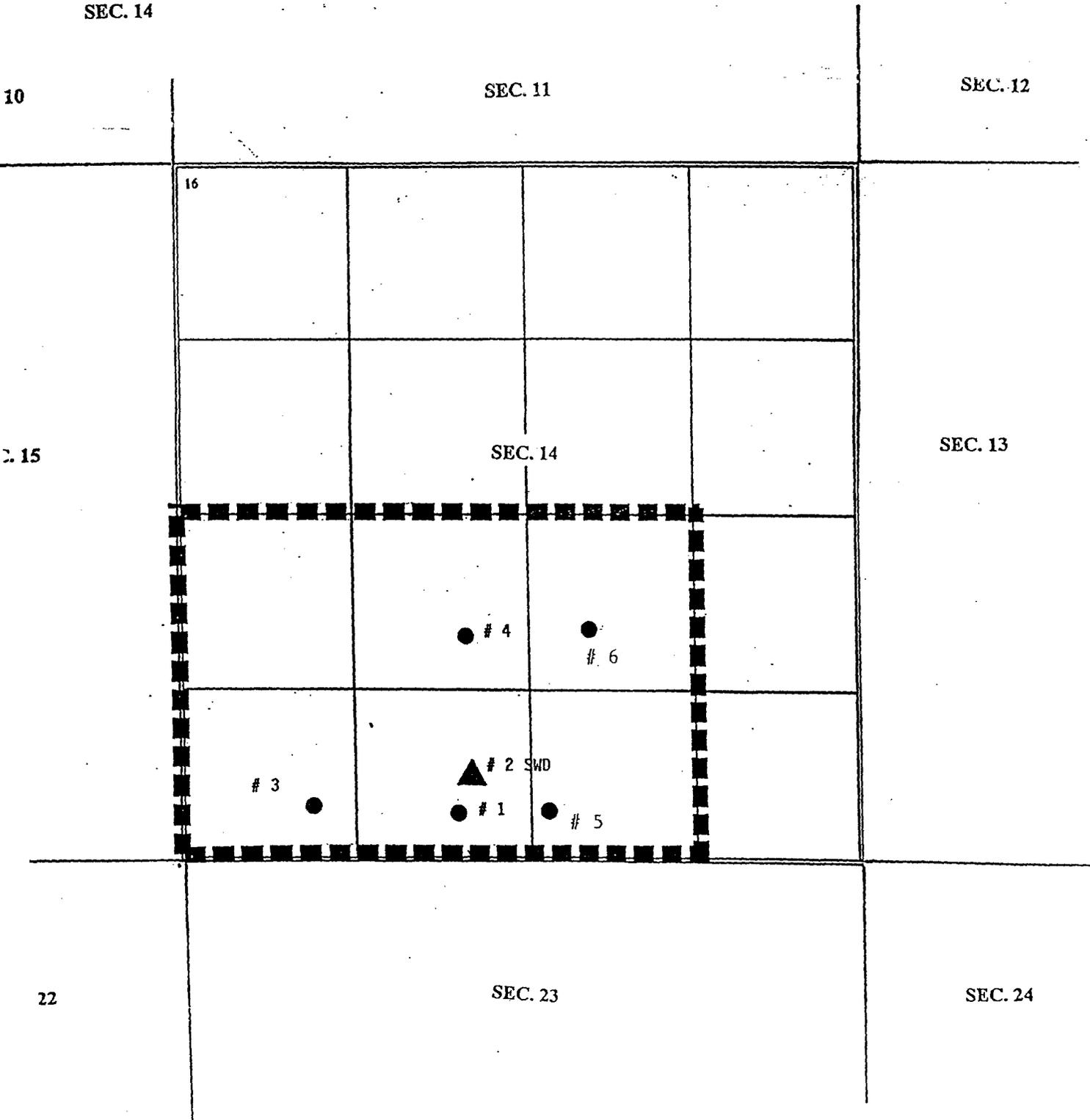
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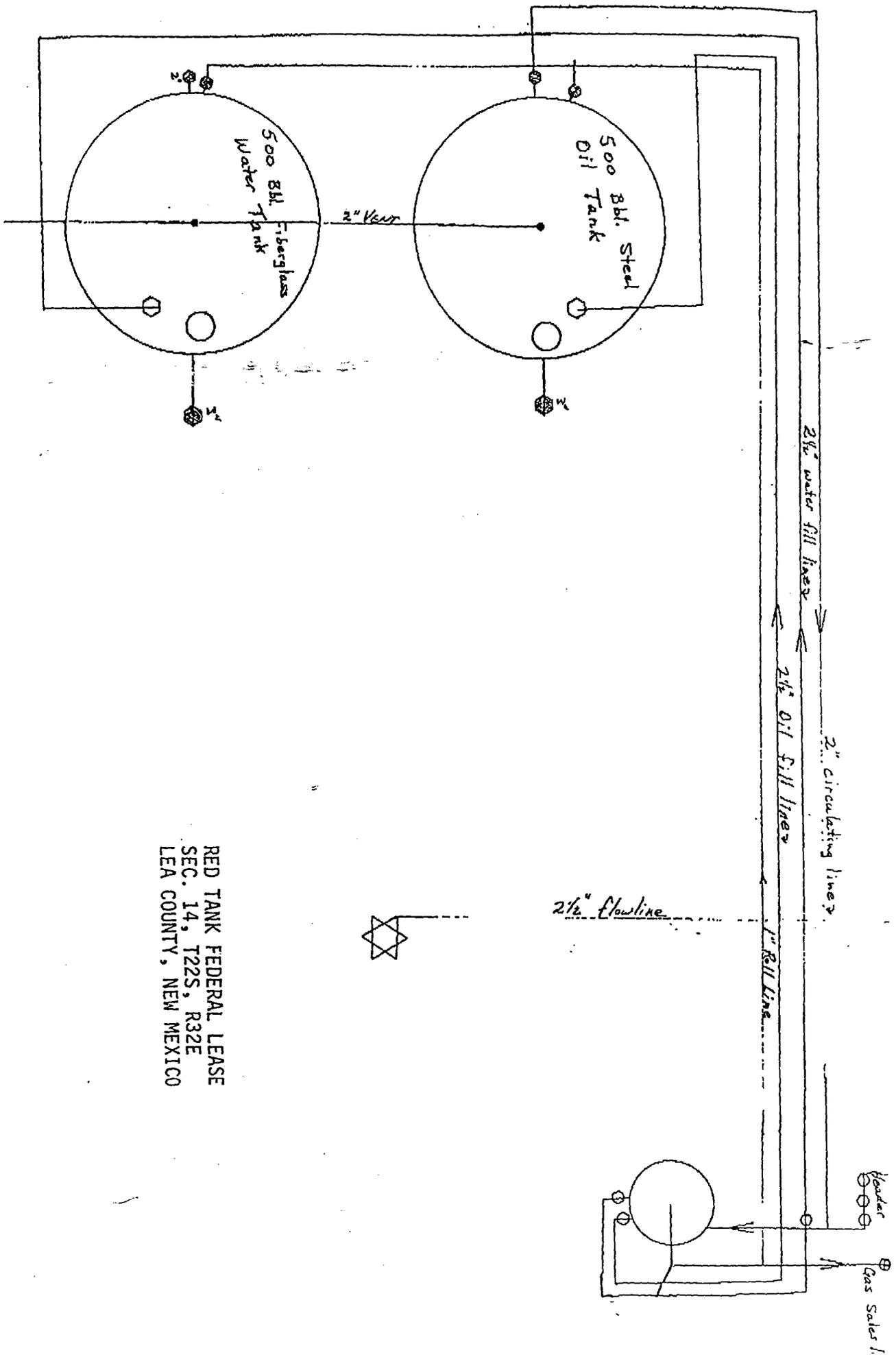
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TITLE: Regulatory Assistant
DATE: 1/10/95

MERIDIAN OIL INC.
RED TANK FEDERAL LEASE

LEASE NO. NM 77058
SEC. 14, T-22-S, R-32-E
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

LEASE DESCRIPTION: 240 ACRES IN LEASE
ALL OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SEC. 14 AND NW/SE AND SW/SE QUARTER OF
SEC. 14

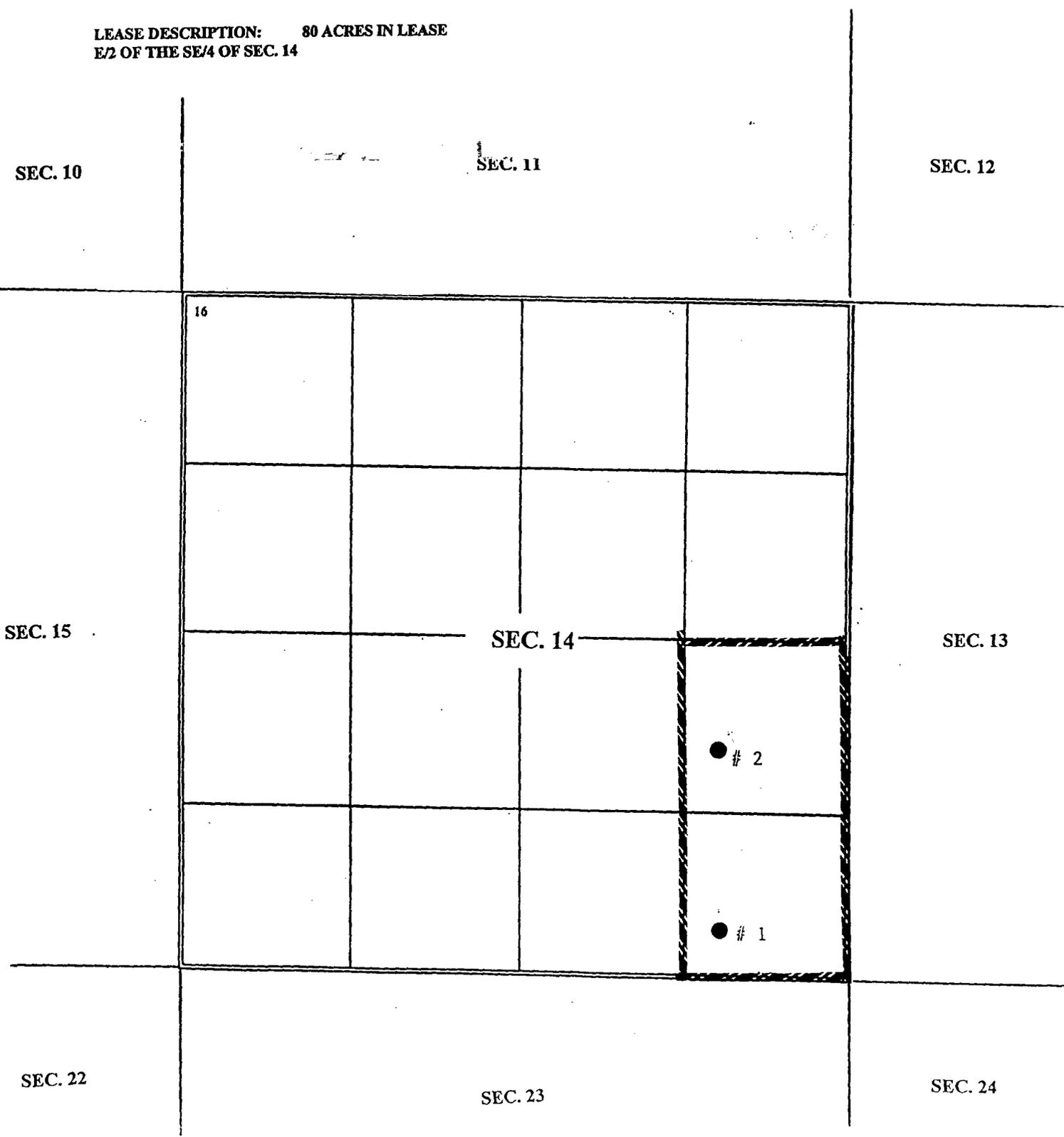




RED TANK FEDERAL LEASE
 SEC. 14, T22S, R32E
 LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

MERIDIAN OIL INC.
REDCHECKER FEDERAL LEASE
LEASE NO: NM 94096
SEC. 14, T22S, R32E
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

LEASE DESCRIPTION: 80 ACRES IN LEASE
E/2 OF THE SE/4 OF SEC. 14



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1965

W. D. HOBBS
OFFICE

12-1-95
85937
59000

MOR RES. 1/2
88740

Pogo P

L-478

TQ15301

18

R Smith
Telaco et al
E13685
T05078
0412-3-61

"NBR
Statk

15
Strata Prod.
(Mercury Exp.)
Connally Fed.
(Aluxa Disc.)
T01519
P/B 14-100
M/D 15290
U. Penn. Disc.

3 "Connally-
Fed."

Exxon
9-1-93
77058
4500

HNO
10-1-90
39154

Carter
Red Tank
T05030
0412-10-62

U.S.

"Fed" (MOR
Res. 1/2)

Pogo
69374
50729
U.S. KES

Exxon
5-1-94
81272
5900

22 Pogo Prod.
Red Tank Fed.

Meridian
F. Prince, IX, et al
01633

ROOTLE RIDGE W.

Meridian Oil
Meridian
Pogo
69375
Meridian Oil Inc.
Checkboard
23 Fed.

U.S.

C.W. Trainer
Boo/leg-
Phillips
Fed.
T0253
0/A 10-10-99

Meridian
12-1-98
87260
48500

U.S.

C.W. Trainer
(F. Prince, IX, et al)
6-1-94
81633
12522

U.S.

(C.W. Trainer)
V-1988

T.H. McElvain, Jr.

9-1-94
V-3087
9015

C.W. Trainer
9-1-91
V-1988, 3191

Statk

Exxon
01272

27

Pogo Prod.
Exxon
27 Fed.

U.S.

Pogo
86149

"Red Tank-Fed"

Pogo Prod
HBP
2379

17-A
Culbertson
Culbertson
T04577
0/A 4-16-45

U.S. Covington-Fed

(Chevron)
Pogo Prod.
2379
"A"

25

"Covington-Fed"

U.S.

Mitchell En.
(Cal-Mongtal)
2-1-95
V8-0374 16142

30

"Big Horn
Statk

Pogo Prod
Red Tank Fed.
Aluxa Disc
1.2 Mil.

Pogo Prod.
Red Tank-Fed.

34

Pogo Prod
5-1-90
90903
190028

U.S.

Pogo Prod
4-1-95
86156
40000
Pogo Prod.
Red Tank-Fed.

35

Pogo Prod.
HBP
2378

U.S.

Scott Expl
v. 2512
Strata Prod.
(C.W. Trainer)
Shell-St.
(Shell)
Boo/leg Rktge (U)
T016300
0/A 8-24-64)
P/B 5180
Del. Disc.)
T01
P/B Sp. Disc.
P/B

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STATK

Statk

Mitche
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V-8
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Statk

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