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Form 3160-3 (March 2012)

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FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0137 Expires October 31, 2014

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5. Lease Serial No. S#L: NMLC-0049998B; BHL-NMLC-0031844

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO	DRILL OF	NEENIER				
la. Type of work:  DRILL  REENT	ER		DIIOD	7. If Unit or CA Agr	reement, Name	and No.
		UNOR	IHOn	8. Lease Name and	Well No	<u> </u>
Ib. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	<b>✓</b> Si	ngle Zone 🔲 Multi	MAKE 10	HUMMINGBIRD F	EDERAL C	OM #18H
2. Name of Operator APACHE CORPORATION		٠		9. API Well No. 30-015-	434	B6
3a. Address 303 VETERANS AIRPARK LN #1000	3b. Phone No	. (include area code)		10. Field and Pool, or	Exploratory	
MIDLAND, TX 79705	432-818-1	167		FREN; GLORIETA	N-YESO <26	5770>
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with an	ty State requiren	ients.*)		11. Sec., T. R. M. or I	Blk.and Survey	or Area
At surface 330' FNL & 100 FWL NMLC-0049998B				050 4 7470 5	045	
At proposed prod. zone 330' FNL & 330' FEL NMLC-003	1844			SEC: 1 T17S R	31E	
<ol> <li>Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office*</li> <li>MILES WEST OF MALJAMAR, NM</li> </ol>			12. County or Parish EDDY		State M	
15. Distance from proposed* 100'	16. No. of a	cres in lease	17. Spacin	g Unit dedicated to this	well	
location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	839.80 A	CRES	160 A	CRES		
18. Distance from proposed location*	19. Propose	d Depth	20. BLM/I	BIA Bond No. on file		
to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.	II	TVD:5568' LP: 5476' MD: 10123'		-1463 NATIONWID	E / NMB000	)736
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)	1	mate date work will star	rt*	23. Estimated duration	on	
GL: 4039'	1 As S	oon As Avox	orred	~ 18 DAYS		
	24. Attac	chments				
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onsho	re Oil and Gas	Order No.1, must be at	ttached to thi	is form:		
<ol> <li>Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.</li> <li>A Drilling Plan.</li> </ol>		4. Bond to cover the Item 20 above).	he operation	ns unless covered by ar	existing bond	I on file (see
<ol> <li>A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO must be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).</li> </ol>	Lands, the	5. Operator certific		ormation and/or plans a	s may be requ	ired by the
25. Signature - 0 1 1	Name	(Printed/Typed)			Date	
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Title SUPV OF DRILLING SERVICES				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		<u>.                                    </u>
Approved by (Signature)  Steve Caffev	Name	(Printed/Typed)			DateNOV	2 0 2015
Title FIELD MANAGER	Office	Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE				
Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant hold conduct operations thereon.  Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.	ls legal or equi			ject lease which would VAL FOR TW		
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SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Approval Subject to General Requirements & Special Stipulations Attached

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE 620 E. GREENE STREET CARLSBAD, NM 88220

## **OPERATOR CERTIFICATION**

I HEARBY CERTIFY THAT I, OR SOMEONE UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION, HAVE INSPECTED THE DRILL SITE AND ACCESS ROUTE PROPOSED HEREIN; THAT I AM FAMILIAR WITH THE CONDITIONS WHICH CURRENTLY EXIST; THAT I HAVE FULL KNOWLEDGE OF STATE AND FEDERAL laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in the APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed in conformity with this APD package and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. I also certify that I, or the company I represent, am responsible for the operations conducted under this application. These statements are subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of false statements.

Operator Name: APACHE CORPORATION							
Signature:	Printed Name: TIM ORSAK						
Title: <u>Drilling Engineer</u>	Date:						
Email (optional):	tim.orsak@apachecorp.com						
Street or Box:	treet or Box: 303 Veterans Airpark Ln., Ste. 1000						
City, State, Zip Code:	Midland, TX 79705						
Telephone:	none: 432-818-1630						
Field Representative (if r Address (if different fron	not above signatory):						
Telephone (if different fr	om above):						
Email (optional):							

Executed this 31 day of July 2015

Agents not directly employed by the operator must submit a letter from the operator authorizing that the agent to act or file this application on their behalf.

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\$ILL S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
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## State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

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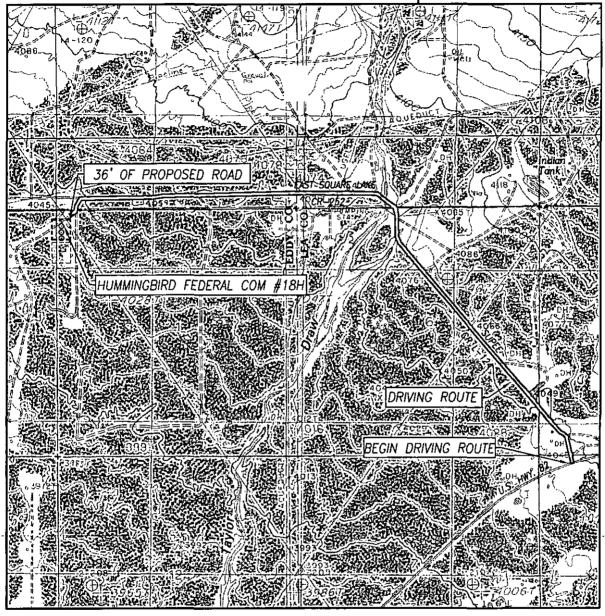
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## WELL SITE PLAN 4044.9 600' 4046.1 PROPOSED ROAD **PROPOSED** WELL PAD 4042.8 SOIL SECTION 2 SECTION ,009 200' 2001 HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #18H 4040.5 ELEV. 4039.31 S LAT.=32.869910° N LONG.=103.830900° W LAT.=32° 52′ 13" N LONG.=103° 49' 51" W **O**#17H 4038.6 4038.1 8 Φ#16H 4038.4" 4037.8 9 4035.8 4039.0 4034.3 4040.4 600 ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY BOUNDARY NOTE: SEE "LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP" FOR PROPOSED ROAD LOCATION. 100 100 200 Feet Scale: 1"=100 DIRECTIONS TO LOCATION APACHE CORPORATION FROM THE INTERSECTION OF US. HIGHWAY 82 AND LEA CO. RD. L-124 (SUPEE) GO NORTH-NORTHWEST APPROX. 2.7 MILES; TURN LEFT AND GO SOUTHWEST 172 FEET; TURN HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #18H WELL LEFT AND GO SOUTH 36 FEET TO THIS LOCATION. LOCATED 330 FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 100 FEET FROM THE WEST LINE OF SECTION 1, PROVIDING SURVEYING SERVICES TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, N.M.P.M., **SINCE 1946** EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO JOHN WEST SURVEYING COMPANY 412 N. DAL PASO HOBBS, N.M. 88240 Survey Date: 7/30/13 CAD Date: 6/11/15 Drawn By: LSL (575) 393-3117 www.jwsc.biz W.O. No.: 15130617 Rev: . Rel. W.O.: 13110813 Sheet 1 of TBPLS# 10021000

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## LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP



SCALE: 1" = 2000'

SEC. 1 TWP. 17-S RGE. 31-E

SURVEY\_\_\_\_ N.M.P.M.

COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW MEXICO

DESCRIPTION 330' FNL & 100' FWL

ELEVATION 4039'

OPERATOR APACHE CORPORATION

LEASE HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM

U.S.G.S. TOPOGRAPHIC MAP

MALJAMAR, N.M.

CONTOUR INTERVAL: MALJAMAR, N.M. — 10' MALJAMAR NE, N.M. — 5'

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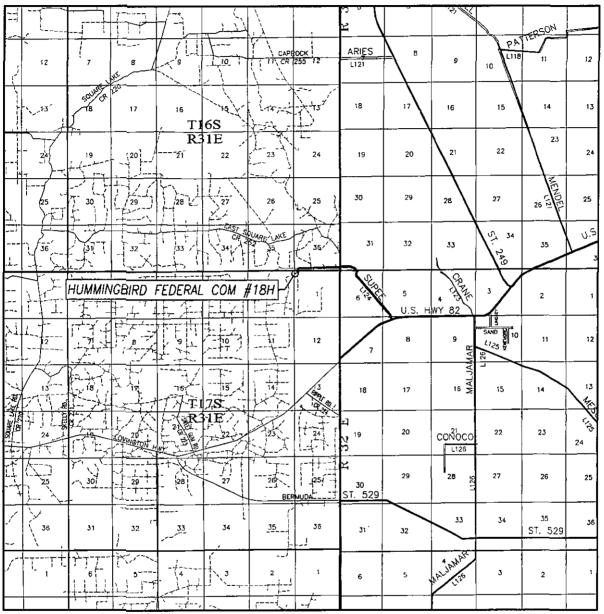
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## VICINITY MAP



SCALE: 1" = 2 MILES

DRIVING ROUTE: SEE TOPOGRAPHICAL AND ACCESS ROAD MAP

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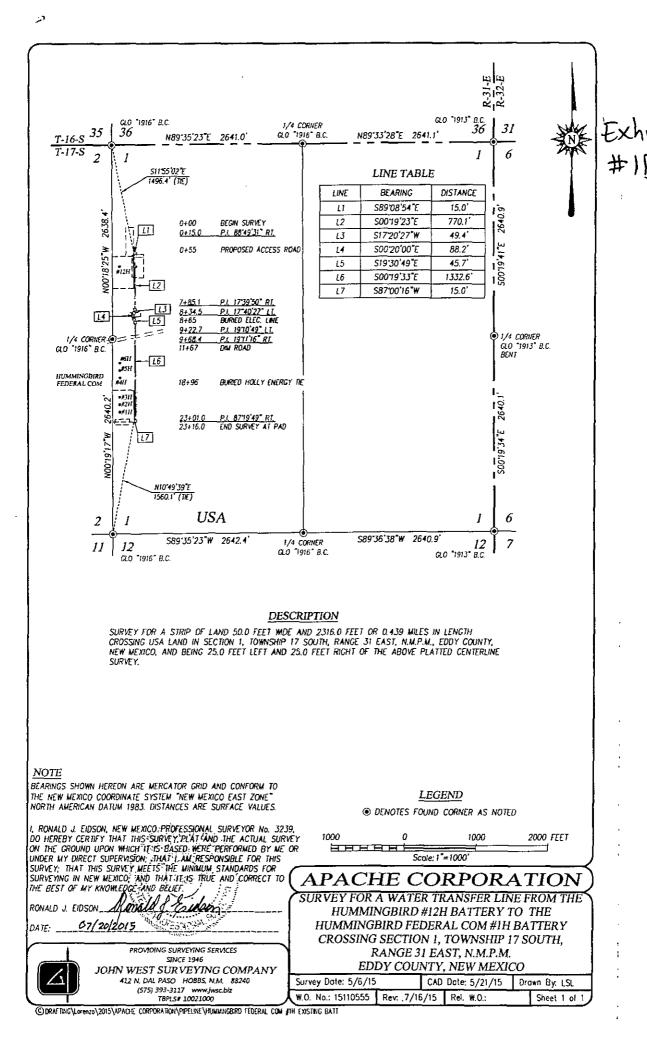
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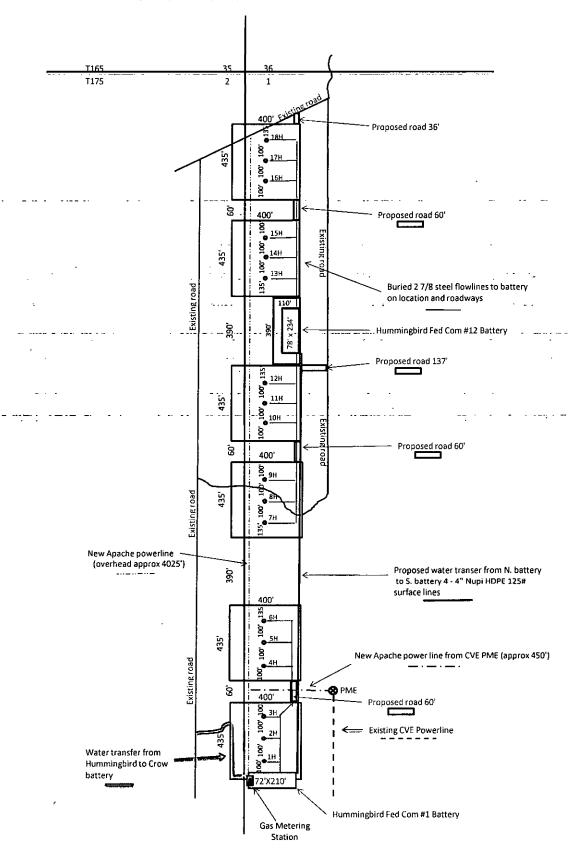
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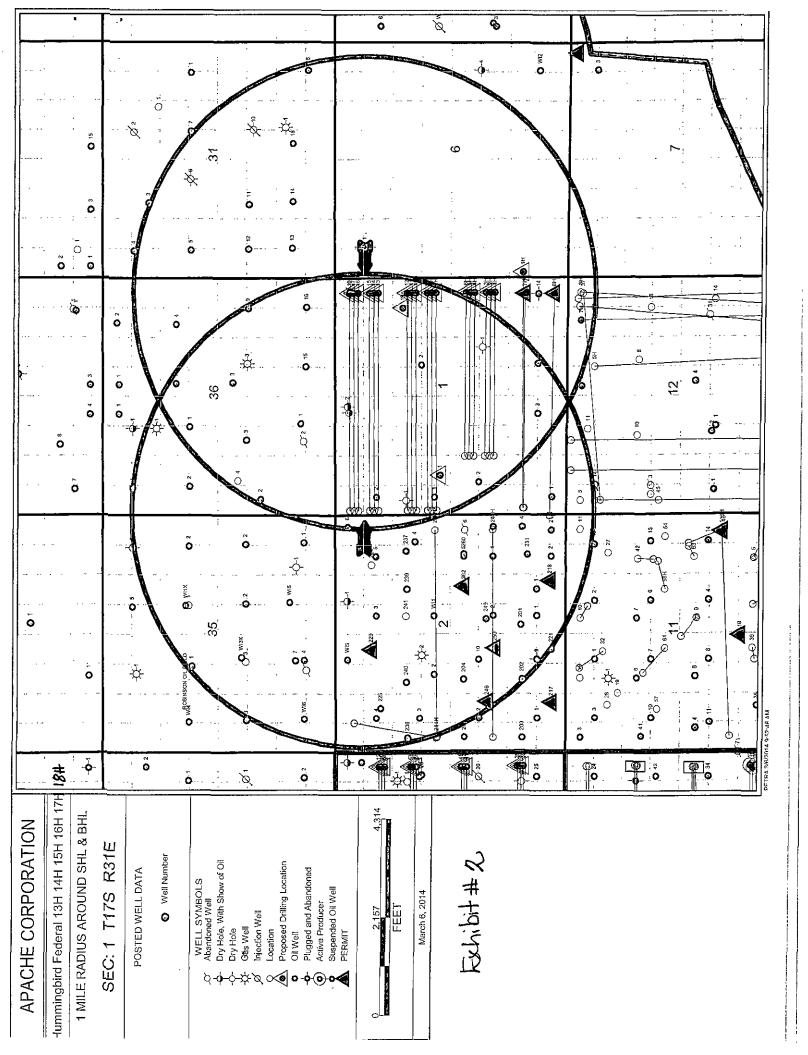
I, RONALD J. EIDSON, NEW HENCO PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR No.
3239, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT, THIS SURVEY PLAT AND THE ACTUAL SURVEY ON THE GROUPS UPON WHICH IT IS LESSED WERE PERFORMED BY ME OR UNDER MY BEREST SURVEY WE STATE AM RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS SURVEY; THAT SHIS SURVEY ME TO THE MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR SURVEYING ON NEW ME KIND AND THAT IT IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF RESSURVED AND BELIEF. TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING 0.985 ACRES MORE OR LESS. 100 100 200 Feet HHHHHH Scale: 1"=100 APACHE CORPORATION RONALD J. EIDSON. SURVEY FOR A TRACT FOR A TANK BATTERY \_*05*|22|2*015* SITUATED IN THE NW/4 OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, N.M.P.M. PROVIDING SURVEYING SERVICES **SINCE 1946** EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO JOHN WEST SURVEYING COMPANY 412 N. DAL PASO HOBBS, N.M. 88240 Survey Date: 5/5/15 CAD Dote: 5/21/15 Drawn By: LSL (575) 393-3117 www.jwsc.blz TBPLS# 10021000 W.O. No.: 15110554 Rev: 5/22/15 Rel. W.O.: Sheet 1 of © DRAFTING\



### Hummingbird Federal Com Wells 1H thru 18H (REVISED) EXHIBIT #1C

Pad overview - Elect lines, Battery, Flowlines, roads, water transfer line





## 1. Geologic Formations

TVD of target	5568' LP: 5476'	Pilot hole depth	N/A
MD at TD:	10123'	Deepest expected fresh water:	91'

## **Back Reef**

Formation	Depth (TVD) from KB	Water/Mineral Bearing/, Target Zone?	Hazards*
Quaternary Aeolian	Surf	Water	
Rustler	744′	Water	
Top of Salt	1495′	Salt	
Base of Salt	1960'	Barren	
Yates	2105′	Oil/Water/Gas	
Seven Rivers	2396'	Oil/Water/Gas	<u> </u>
Queen	3021'	Oil/Water/Gas	
Grayburg	3442'	Oil/Water/Gas	
San Andres	3732	Oil/Water/Gas	
Glorieta	5226′	Oil/Water/Gas	
Yeso	5283'	Oil/Water/Gas	

<sup>\*</sup>H2S, water flows, loss of circulation, abnormal pressures, etc.

## 2. Casing Program

Hole Casing Interval Csg. S Size From To	Casing Interval		Csg. Size	Weight	Grade	Conn	SF	SF Burst	SF
		(lbs)			Collapse		Tension.		
17-1/2"	0'	800'	13-3/8"	48	H-40	STC	2.133	2.16	8.39
12-1/4"	0'	3750'	9-5/8"	36	J-55	STC	1.189	1.26	2.92
8-1/2"	0'	4999'	7"	26	L-80	LTC	2.216	2.97	3.93
8-1/2"	4999'	10123'	5-1/2"	17	L-80	LTC	2.310	2.85	3.57
	·			BLM N	1inimum Sa	fety Factor	1.125	1	1.6 Dry
									1.8 Wet

<sup>\*</sup>All casing strings will be tested in accordance with Onshore Oil and Gas Order #2 III.B. 1.h

<sup>\*</sup>Production csg will be tapered string w/7" csg f/surf to KOP (cmtd thru a stage tool f/KOP to 2500'), uncemented 5-1/2" csg f/KOP to LP & 5-1/2" csg w/packers & sleeves f/LP to TD. Csg will be cmt'd f/KOP to surface. The Glorieta formation will be isolated f/the San Andres cmt thru a stage tool.

	Y or N					
Is casing new? If used, attach certification as required in Onshore Order #1	Y					
Does casing meet API specifications? If no, attach casing specification sheet.						
Is premium or uncommon casing planned? If yes attach casing specification sheet.	N					
Does the above casing design meet or exceed BLM's minimum standards? If not provide justification (loading assumptions, casing design criteria).	Υ					
Will the intermediate pipe be kept at a minimum 1/3 fluid filled to avoid approaching the collapse pressure rating of the casing?	Y					
Is well located within Capitan Reef?	N					
If yes, does production casing cement tie back a minimum of 50' above the Reef?						
Is well within the designated 4 string boundary.						
Is well located in SOPA but not in R-111-P?	N					

If yes, are the first 2 strings cemented to surface and 3 <sup>rd</sup> string cement tied back	
500' into previous casing?	
Is well located in R-111-P and SOPA?	N
If yes, are the first three strings cemented to surface?	
Is 2 <sup>nd</sup> string set 100' to 600' below the base of salt?	
Is well located in high Cave/Karst?	N
If yes, are there two strings cemented to surface?	
(For 2 string wells) If yes, is there a contingency casing if lost circulation occurs?	
Is well located in critical Cave/Karst?	N
If yes, are there three strings cemented to surface?	

3. Cementing Program

	Casing	# Sks	Wt.lb/ gal	Yid) ft3/ sack	H <sub>2</sub> 0 gal/s	500# Comp. Strength (hours)	Slurry Description.
Sue COA	Surf	525	14.8	1.34	6.34	6.4	Lead: Cl C + 1% CaCl2 (12hr-988psi; 24hr-1566psi)
	Inter	700	12.9	1.92	9.92	9.7	Lead: 35/65 Poz + 6% Gel + 5% Salt (12hr-820psi; 24hr- 1189psi)
See C	ØA	100	14.8	1.33	6.31	7.5	Tail: Cl C (12hr-1120psi; 24hr-1206psi)
Gee (	Prod OA	250	13.0	1.48	7.58	13.1	Lead: PVL + 1.3 Salt + 0.3% Retarder (12hr-1100psi; 24hr- 1755psi

\*DV tool depth(s) will be adjusted based on hole conditions and cement volumes will be adjusted proportionally. DV tool will be set a minimum of 50 feet below previous casing and a minimum of 200 feet above current shoe. Lab reports with the 500 psi compressive strength time for the cement will be onsite for review.

\*If water flow is encountered, Apache may 2-stage Interm csg. A DVT may be used in the 9-5/8" csg & ECP may be placed below DVT. Csg slips may be set before cmtg. TD of 12-1/4" @ +/-3750'

Esg	# Sks	Wt. lb// gall	Yld(ft3// sk	H <sub>ž</sub> 0 gal/sk	500# Comp. Strength (hrs),	Slurry/Description			
Inter	150	12.4	2.1	11.64	9.7	Lead: CIC (12hr-598psi; 24hr-859psi)			
<u>′</u>	ECP/DVT: 1800'								
\	100	14.8	1.33	6.31	7.5	Tail: Cl C (12hr-1364psi; 24hr-2026psi)			

Casing String	TOC	%·Excess،
Surface	0'	25%
Intermediate	0'	25%
Production	3000'	25%

Include Pilot Hole Cementing specs:

Pilot hole depth : N/A

**KOP** : **N/A** 

Plug	Plug	%	No.	Wt.	Yld.	l'	Slurry Description and Cement
top	Bottom	Excess	Sacks	lb/gal	ft3/sack		Type

## 4. Pressure Control Equipment

NO A variance is requested for the use of a diverter on the surface casing. See attached for schematic.

BOP installed and tested before drilling which hole?	Size?	Min: Required WP	T	ype		Tested to:
			Anı	nular	x	50% of working pressure
			Bline	d Ram		
12-1/4"	13-5/8"	3M	Pipe	Ram		2M
			Doub	le Ram		ZIVI
			Other*			
			Anı	nular	х	50% testing pressure
	]		Bline	d Ram	x	
9-5/8"	13-5/8"	3M	Pipe	Ram	x	264
			Doub	le Ram		2M
			Other*			

<sup>\*</sup>Specify if additional ram is utilized.

BOP/BOPE will be tested by an independent service company to 250 psi low and the high pressure indicated above per Onshore Order 2 requirements. The System may be upgraded to a higher pressure but still tested to the working pressure listed in the table above. If the system is upgraded all the components installed will be functional and tested.

Pipe rams will be operationally checked each 24 hour period. Blind rams will be operationally checked on each trip out of the hole. These checks will be noted on the daily tour sheets. Other accessories to the BOP equipment will include a Kelly cock and floor safety valve (inside BOP) and choke lines and choke manifold. See attached schematics.

X	On Exp integrit	ion integrity test will be performed per Onshore Order #2.  loratory wells or on that portion of any well approved for a 5M BOPE system or greater, a pressure y test of each casing shoe shall be performed. Will be tested in accordance with Onshore Oil and Gas 11.1.
No	A varia	nce is requested for the use of a flexible choke line from the BOP to Choke Manifold. See attached for and hydrostatic test chart.  Are anchors required by manufacturer?
No	A multi surface pressur	bowl wellhead is being used. The BOP will be tested per Onshore Order #2 after installation on the casing which will cover testing requirements for a maximum of 30 days. If any seal subject to test e is broken the system must be tested.  Provide description here ached schematic.

## 5. Mud Program

	Depth	Type	Weight (ppg)	Viscosity	Water Loss
From	To;				
0	Surf. shoe	FW	8.3-8.8	28-36	N/C
Surf csg	Int shoe	Brine	9.8-10.0	28-29	N/C
Int shoe	TD	Brine	9.0-10.0	28-29	N/C

<sup>\*</sup>Sufficient mud materials to maintain mud properties and meet minimum lost circulation and weight increase requirements will be kept on location at all times.

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What will be used to monitor the loss or gain of fluid?	I PVI/Pason/Visual Monitoring
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## 6. Logging and Testing Procedures

	ķŁ	oggin	g, Coring and Testing:
SOL			Will run GR/CNL fromTD to surface (horizontal well – vertical portion of hole). Stated logs run will be in the
See	2	<b>V</b>	Completion Report and submitted to the BLM.
			No Logs are planned based on well control or offset log information.
			Drill stem test? If yes, explain
			Coring? If yes, explain

Add	itional logs, planned	<u>linterval</u> i	
	Resistivity	Int. shoe to KOP	
	Density	Int. shoe to KOP	
	CBL	Production casing	
X	Mud log	KOP to TD	
	PEX		

## 7. Drilling Conditions

Condition.	Specify what type and where?
BH Pressure at deepest TVD	2449 psi
Abnormal Temperature	No

Mitigation measure for abnormal conditions. Describe:

Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) monitors will be installed prior to drilling out the surface shoe. If H2S is detected in concentrations greater than 100 ppm, the operator will comply with the provisions of Onshore Oil and Gas Order #6. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, measured values and formations will be provided to the BLM.



<u>Y</u>	H2S is present
Υ	H2S Plan attached

## 8. Other facets of operation

Is this a walking operation? NO Will be pre-setting casing? NO

Attachments

<u>YES</u> Directional Plan

YES Other: Apache will perf 330' from the West lease line to be in compliance.

EXPLORING WHAT'S POSSIBLE

KB: 11' @ 4050.00usit (TBO) 4039.00

Ground Level

8 500 å Seven Rivere

Q syl

Ouse

3000

BVSat

Yatas

True Vertical Depth (300 usft/in)

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Eddy County, NM (NAD27 NME) Hummingbird Federal Com Well: #18H Site

Wellbore: Wellbore #1 Design: Plan #1 07-30-14 Rig: TBD

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Magnetic Field Strength: 48530.9snT Dip Angle: 60.65° Date: 201407/30 Model: BGGM2013

Azimuths to Grid North True North: -0.27\* Magnetic North: 7.22\*



---#17H, Wellbore #1, Plan #1 07-30-14 VO ---#18H, Wellbore #1, Plan #1 07-30-14 VO ---#15H, Wellbore #1, Plan #1 07-30-14 VO FORMATION TOP DETAILS LEGEND 737.00 1488.00 1953.00 2390.00 3015.00 3438.00 3727.00 5221.15 5279.92 KOP, Start 12"/100" Build LP, 88.8" Inc. 69:57" Azm - Start hold TD at 10123.08" MD 32" 52" 11.80050 N 103" 48" 54 36279 W Point Longdude 103\* 49' 51,23903 W BEL HFC #18H Laliffude N 52\* 11.67577 N Northing Easting 880587.76 659115.01 a pe. DESIGN TARGET DETAILS VSect 7 0.00 0.00 467.45 4850.94 E 4039.00 SECTION DETAILS WELL DETAILS 17 BCs 0.00 0.00 57 CS 0.00 Ground Level: Easting \$54264.20 0000 0000 0000 0000 +E/-W 4850 81 +N/-S 36.06 4 center Northing 300551.70 24.0 0.00 3.47 8.06 TVD 5568.00 pfen hits target ₩.₩ ₩.₩ 5.55 0.00 Name BHL HFC #18H

Map System: US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution Datum: NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS) Elipsoid: Clarke 1888 Zone Name, New Mexco East 3001 To convert a Magnetic Direction to a Grid Direction, Add 7.22\* To convert a Magnetic Direction to a True Direction, Add 7.50° East To convert a True Direction to a Grid Direction, Subtract 6.27\* Local Organ: Well #18H, Grid North Latitude: 32° 52° 11.67577 N Longstude: 103° 49° 51,23903 W Geornagnetic Model: BGGM2013 Sample Date: 30-Jul-14 Magnete Decination: 7.50\* Dip Angle from Horizontal: 60.55\* Magnetic Field Strength: 49531 Grid East: 654264 20 Gnd North: 680551.70 Scale Factor: 1.000 West(-)/East(+) (150 usfVin)

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Eddy County, NM (NAD27 NME) Hummingbird Federal Com #18H Wellbore #1

Plan: Plan #1 07-30-14

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KB: 11' @ 4050.00usft (TBD) KB: 11' @ 4050.00usft (TBD) Minimum Curvature Compass 5000 GCR DB Mean Sea Level Well #18H Gria' Local Co-ordinate Reference: North Reference: Survey Calculation Method: System Datum: TVD Reference: MD Reference: Database: Eddy County, NM (NAD27 NME) US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)
NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)
New Mexico East 3001 Apache Corporation Eddy County, NM (NAD27 NME) Hummingbird Federal Com #18H Wellbore #1 Plan #1 07-30-14 Map System: Geo Datum: Map Zone: Company: Project: Site: Well: Wellbore: Design: Project

Site	Hummingbird Federal Com				
Site Position:		Northing:	677,262.80 usft	Latitude:	32° 51' 39.07462 N
From: Map		Easting:	655,481.80 usft	Longitude:	103° 49' 37.14798 W
Position Uncertainty:	0.00 usft	Slot Radius:	13-3/16 "	Grid Convergence:	0.27 °

Well	#18H					
Well Position	S-/N+	0.00 usft	Northing:	680,551.70 usft	Latitude:	32° 52' 11.67577 N
	+E/-W	0.00 usft	Easting:	654,264.20 usft	Longitude:	103° 49' 51.23903 W
Position Uncertainty	>	0.00 usft	Wellhead Elevation:	0.00 usft	Ground Level:	4,039.00 usft

Wellbore	Wellbore #1						
Magnetičs	, Model Name	Sample Date	Declination (*)	Dip Angle (*)		Field Strength (nT)	
	BGGM2013	2014/07/30		7.50	60.65	48,631	
Design	Plan #1 07-30-14						
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Survey Tool Program	Date 2014/07/30		
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Company: Project: Site:	Apache Corporation Eddy County, NM (NAD27) Humminabird Federal Com	Apache Corporation Eddy County, NM (NAD27 NME) Humminabird Federal Com	ME)				Local Co-ordinate Reference: TVD Reference: MD Reference:	e Reference:	Weil #18H KB: 11' @ 4050.00usft (TBD) KB: 11' @ 4050.00usft (TBD)	usft (TBD) Jsft (TBD)	
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5,400.00	00	48.16	89.57	1,304.37	5,354.37	1.18	158.99	680,552.88	654,423.19	158.99	12.00
5,425.00	00	51.16	89.57	1,320.55	5,370.55	1.32	178.04	680,553.02	654,442.24	178.04	12.00
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5,550.00	90.	66.16	89.57	1,385.38	5,435.38	2.11	284.50	680,553.81	654,548.70	284.51	12.00
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5,650.00	00	78.16	89.57	1,415.95	5,465.95	2.82	379.51	680,554.52	654,643.71	379.52	12.00
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## Phoenix Technology Services



Planning Report

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Well:	#18H	North Reference:	Grid
Wellbore:	Wellbore #1	Survey Calculation Method:	Minimum Curvature
Design:	Plan #1 07-30-14	Database:	Compass 5000 GCR DB
Formations			

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	1,488.00	1,488.00 T/ Salt		1.20	89.57
	3,727.00	3,727.00 San Andres		1.20	
	3,436.00	3,436.00 Grayburg		1.20	89.57
	1,953.00	1,953.00 B/Salt		1,20	89.57
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Plan Annotations					
Measured	Vertical	Local Coordinates	inates		
Depth (usft)	Depth (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Comment	
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10,123.08	5,568.00	36.06	4,850.81	4,850.81 TD at 10123.08' MD	
Checked By:	ļ		* 	Approved By:	

# APACHE BOP AND CHOKE MANIFOLD SCHEMATIC HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #13H #14H #15H #16H #17H #18H 11" 3M PSI BOP (to be tested as a 2M)

OF HOLE MINIMUM 3" LINE TO OPEN TOP FLARE PIT Fluid discharge from seperator 2" FULL OPENING VALVE SHAKER 2" GATE VALVE PIT 1 3" GATE VALVE BUFFER TANI BUFFER TANK Mud Gas Seperator **© 18** ⊗ **Ø ← 8** 2" FULL OPENING VALVE 2" ADJUSTABLE CHOKE All valves & lines on choke manifold are 2" unless noted 2" GATE VALVE 2" ADJUSTABLE CHOKE (Remote Adj Choke if needed) FLOW LINE PUMP PSI GAUGE W/ 2" GATE VALVE Exact manifold configuration may vary 3" HCR VALVE (installed on Surface Csg) 3" GATE VALVE **EXHIBIT #3** BLIND RAMS ROTATING HEAD **PIPE RAMS** ANNULAR MUD. CROSS FILL UP LINE 2" GATE VALVE KILL LINE

\*\*\* If H2S is encountered in quantities greater than 100ppm, Apache will shut in well & install a remote operated choke \*\*\*

## Closed Loop Equipment Diagram Exhibit 4

HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #18H

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Light Plant

Steel pits Solids Separator Water Tank Roll off culting containers on tracks Shakers Flow line Dog House Cellar Choke Manifold 2" choke line to pit --Mud Gas Separator — ひ⊹-ひら 見さいべき (Burried under Closed Loop Equip) 3" Choke line 150' fiweilhead

Roll off cutting containers on tracks

Gas vent line from separator to flare pit

4" Panic line to "gas buster" 150' fwellhead

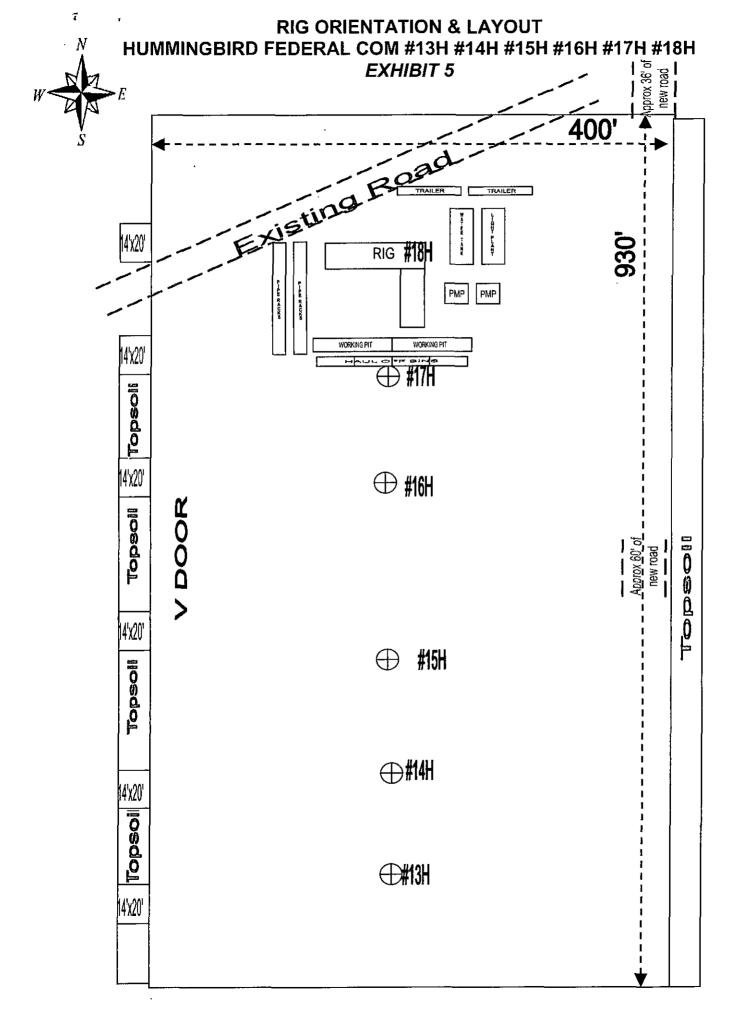
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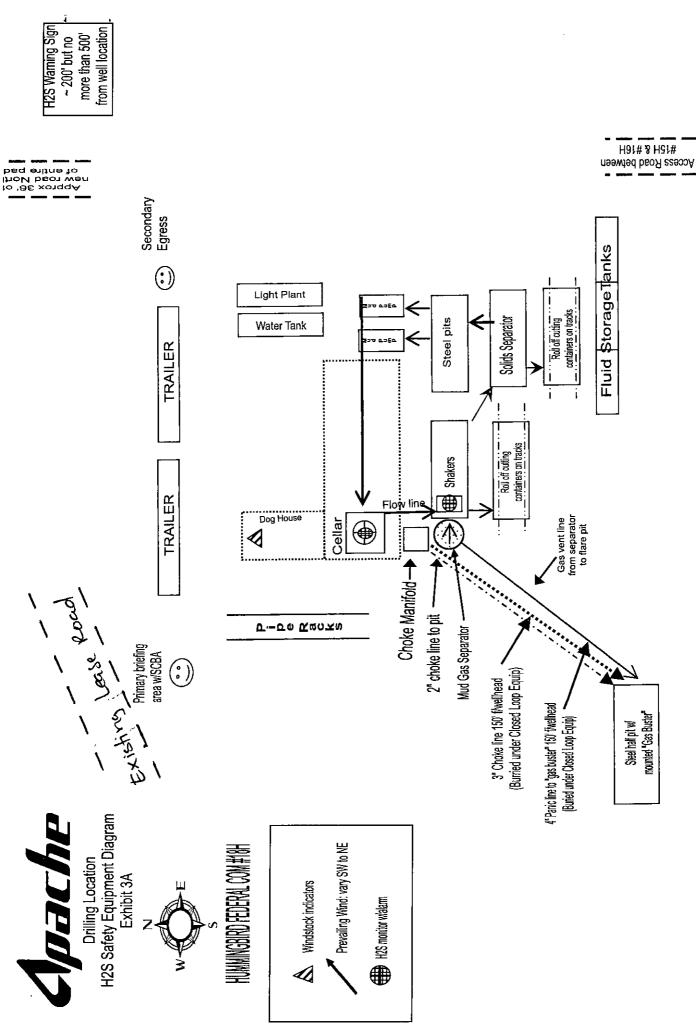
mounted "Gas Buster"

Steel half pit ≰

Fluid Storage Tanks

#12H & #16H Wccess Rosd between





## HYDROGEN SULFIDE (H2S) DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN

### **Hydrogen Sulfide Training:**

<u>All regularly assigned personnel, contracted or employed by Apache Corporation</u> will receive training from qualified instructor(s) in the following areas prior to commencing drilling possible hydrogen sulfide bearing formations in this well:

- The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S)
- The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.
- The proper use of H₂S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing area, evacuation procedures & prevailing winds.
- The proper techniques for first aid and rescue procedures.

## Supervisory personnel will be trained in the following areas:

- The effects of H₂S on metal components. If high tensile tubulars are to be utilized, personnel will be trained in their special maintenance requirements.
- Corrective action & shut-in procedures when drilling or reworking a well & blowout prevention / well control procedures.
- The contents and requirements of the H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan

There will be an initial training session just prior to encountering a known or probable  $H_2S$  zone (within 3 days or 500') and weekly  $H_2S$  and well control drills for all personnel in each crew. The initial training session shall include a review of the site specific  $H_2S$  Drilling Operations Plan and the Public Protection Plan. This plan shall be available at the well site. All personnel will be required to carry documentation that they have received proper training.

## H<sub>2</sub>S SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS:

## Well Control Equipment that will be available & installed if H<sub>2</sub>S is encountered:

- Flare Line with electronic igniter or continuous pilot.
- Choke manifold with a minimum of one remote choke.
- Blind rams & pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes with properly sized closing unit.
- · Auxiliary equipment to include: annular preventer, mud-gas separator, rotating head & flare gun with flares

### Protective Equipment for Essential Personnel:

• Mark II Survive-air 30 minute units located in dog house & at briefing areas, as indicated on wellsite diagram.

## **H2S Dection and Monitoring Equipment:**

- Two portable H<sub>2</sub>S monitors positioned on location for best coverage & response. These units have warning lights & audible sirens when H<sub>2</sub>S levels of 20 ppm are reached.
- One portable H<sub>2</sub>S monitor positioned near flare line.

### **H2S Visual Warning Systems:**

- Wind direction indicators are shown on wellsite diagram.
- Caution / Danger signs shall be posted on roads providing direct access to location. Signs will be painted a high visibility
  yellow with black lettering of sufficient size to be readable at a reasonable distance from the immediate location. Bilingual
  signs will be used when appropriate.

### Mud Program:

- The Mud Program has been designed to minimize the volume of H<sub>2</sub>S circulated to the surface. Proper mud weights, safe drilling practices & the use of H<sub>2</sub>S scavengers will minimize hazards when penetrating H<sub>2</sub>S bearing zones.
- A mud-gas separator and H₂S gas buster will be utilized as needed.

## Metallurgy:

- All drill strings, casing, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventers, drilling spool, kill lines, choke manifold & lines, & valves will be suitable for H<sub>2</sub>S service.
- All elastomers used for packing & seals shall be H<sub>2</sub>S trim.

### Communication:

Cellular telephone and 2-way radio communications in company vehicles, rig floor and mud logging trailer.

## HYDROGEN SULFIDE (H2S) CONTINGENCY PLAN

## **Assumed 100 ppm ROE = 3000'**

100 ppm H<sub>2</sub>S concentration shall trigger activation of this plan.

## **Emergency Procedures**

In the event of a release of gas containing H<sub>2</sub>S, the first responder(s) must

- Isolate the area and prevent entry by other persons into the 100 ppm ROE.
- Evacuate any public places encompassed by the 100 ppm ROE.
- Be equipped with H<sub>2</sub>S monitors and air packs in order to control the release.
- Use the "buddy system" to ensure no injuries occur during the response
- Take precautions to avoid personal injury during this operation.
- Contact operators and/or local officials to aid in operation. See list of phone numbers attached.
- Have received training in the :
  - o Detection of H<sub>2</sub>S, and
  - o Measures for protection against the gas,
  - o Equipment used for protection and emergency response.

## Ignition of Gas source

Should control of the well be considered lost and ignition considered, take care to protect against exposure to Sulfur Dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>). Intentional ignition must be coordinated with the NMOCD and local officials. Additionally the NM State Police may become involved. NM State Police shall be the Incident Command on scene of any major release. Take care to protect downwind whenever this is an ignition of the gas.

## Characteristics of H<sub>2</sub>S and SO<sub>2</sub>

Common Name	Chemical Formula	Specific Gravity	Threshold Limit	Hazardous Limit	Lethal Concentration
Hydrogen Sulfide	H <sub>2</sub> S	1.189 Air = I	10 ppm	100 ppm/hr	600 ppm
Sulfur Dioxide	SO <sub>2</sub>	2.21 Air = I	2 ppm	N/A	1000 ppm

## **Contacting Authorities**

Apache Corporation personnel must liaison with local and state agencies to ensure a proper response to a major release. Additionally, the OCD must be notified of the release as soon as possible but no later than 4 hours. Agencies will ask for information such as type and volume of release, wind direction, location of release, etc. Be prepared with all information available including directions to site. The following call list of essential and potential responders has been prepared for use during a release. Apache's response must be in coordination with the State of New Mexico's "Hazardous Materials Emergency Response Plan" (HMER).

## WELL CONTROL EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN

## I. GENERAL PHILOSOPHY

Our objective is to ensure that during an emergency, a predetermined procedure is followed so that prompt decisions can be made based on accurate information.

The best way to handle and emergency is with an experienced organization set up for the sole purpose of solving the problem. The *Well Control Emergency Response Team* was organized to handle dangerous & expensive well control problems. The *Team* is structured such that each individual can contribute the most from his area of expertise. Key decision-makers are determined prior to an emergency to avoid confusion about who is in charge.

If the well is flowing uncontrolled at the surface or subsurface, *The Emergency Response Team* will be mobilized. The *Team* is customized for the people currently on the Apache staff. Staff changes may require a change in the plan.

## II. EMERGENCY PROCEDURE ON DRILLING OR COMPLETION OPERATIONS

**A.** In the event of an emergency the *Drilling Foreman or Tool-Pusher* will immediately contact only one of the following starting with the first name listed:

Name	Office	Mobile	Home
Danny Laman – Drlg Superintendent	432-818-1022	432-634-0288	
Tim Orsak – Drilling Engineer	432-818-1630	432-634-4471	
Bobby Smith – Drilling Manager	432-818-1020	432-556-7701	
Bill Jones – EH&S Coordinator		432-967-9576	

<sup>\*\*</sup>This one phone call will free the Drilling Foreman to devote his full time to securing the safety of personnel & equipment. This call will initiate the process to mobilize the Well Control Emergency Response Team. Apache maintains an Emergency Telephone Conference Room in the Houston office. This room is available for us by the Permian Region. The room has 50 separate telephone lines.

- B. The Apache employee contacted by the Drilling Foreman will begin contacting the rest of the *Team*. If **DANNY LAMAN** is out of contact, **TIM ORSAK** will be notified.
- **C.** If a member of the *Emergency Response Team* is away from the job, he must be available for call back. Telephone numbers should be left with secretaries or a key decision-maker.
- **D.** Apache's reporting procedure for spills or releases of oil or hazardous materials will be implemented when spills or releases have occurred or are probable.

### **EMERGENCY RESPONSE NUMBERS:**

SHERIFF DEPARTMENT	
Eddy County	575-887-7551
Lea County	575-396-3611
FIRE DEPARTMENT	911
Artesia	575-746-5050
Carlsbad	575-885-2111
Eunice	575-394-2111
Hobbs	575-397-9308
Jal	575-395-2221
Lovington	575-396-2359
HOSPITALS	911
Artesia Medical Emergency	575-746-5050
Carlsbad Medical Emergency	575-885-2111
Eunice Medical Emergency	575-394-2112
Hobbs Medical Emergency	575-397-9308
Jal Medical Emergency	575-395-2221
Lovington Medical Emergency	575-396-2359
AGENT NOTIFICATIONS	
Bureau of Land Management	575-393-3612
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division	575-393-6161

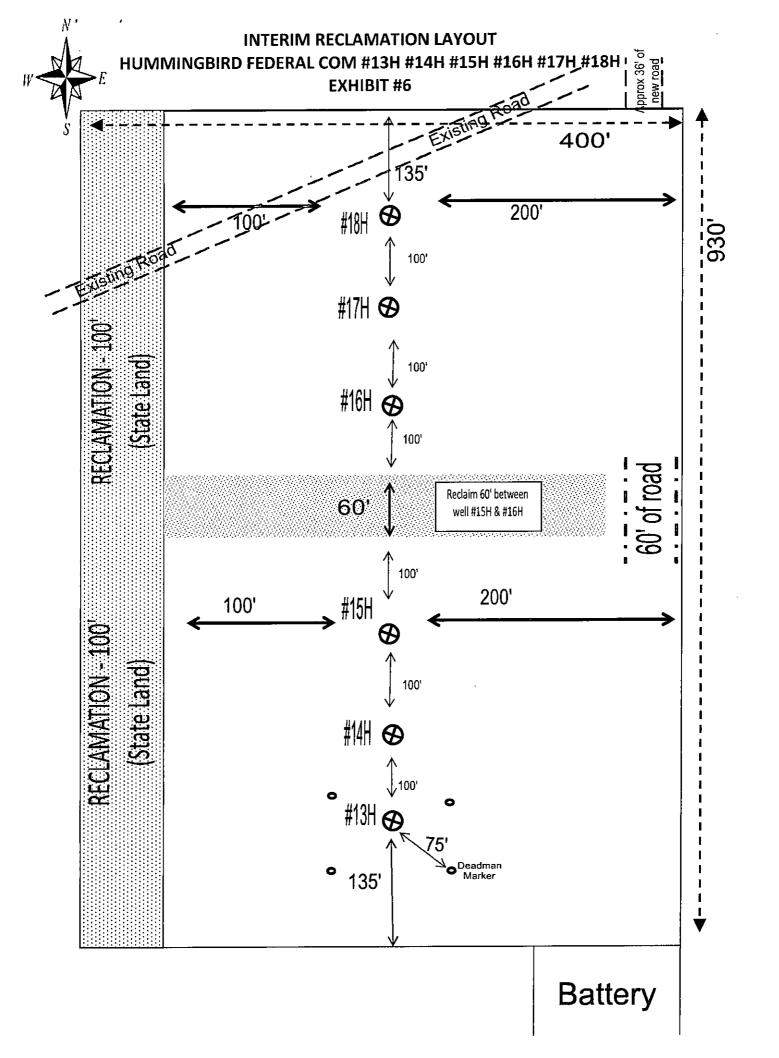
## **EXHIBIT #7**

## **WARNING**

## YOU ARE ENTERING AN H2S AREA AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY

- 1. BEARDS OR CONTACT LENSES NOT ALLOWED
- 2. HARD HATS REQUIRED
- 3. SMOKING DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY
- 4. BE WIND CONSCIOUS AT ALL TIMES
- 5. CHECK WITH APACHE CORPORATION

**1-888-257-6840** 



SHL: 330 FNL & 100 FWL, Section: 1, T.17S., R.31E. BHL: 330 FNL & 330 FEL, Section: 1, T.17S., R.31E.

## **Surface Use Plan of Operations**

## Introduction

The following surface use plan of operations will be followed and carried out once the APD is approved. No other disturbance will be created other than what was submitted in this surface use plan. If any other surface disturbance is needed after the APD is approved, a BLM approved sundry notice or right of way application will be acquired prior to any new surface disturbance.

Before any surface disturbance is created, stakes or flagging will be installed to mark boundaries of permitted areas of disturbance, including soils storage areas. As necessary, slope, grade, and other construction control stakes will be placed to ensure construction in accordance with the surface use plan. All boundary markers will be maintained in place until final construction cleanup is completed. If disturbance boundary markers are disturbed or knocked down, they will be replaced before construction proceeds.

If terms and conditions are attached to the approved APD and amend any of the proposed actions in this surface use plan, we will adhere to the terms and conditions.

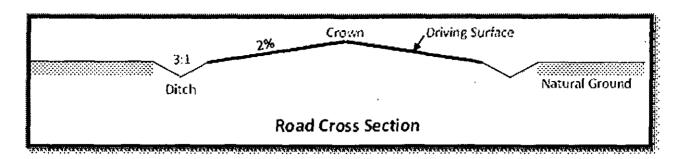
## 1. Existing Roads

- a. The existing access road route to the proposed project is depicted on EXHIBIT 1. Improvements to the driving surface will be done where necessary. No new surface disturbance will be done, unless otherwise noted in the New or Reconstructed Access Roads section of this surface use plan..
- b. The existing access road route to the proposed project does not cross lease or unit boundaries, so a BLM right-of-way grant will not be acquired for this proposed road route.
- c. The operator will improve or maintain existing roads in a condition the same as or better than before operations begin. The operator will repair pot holes, clear ditches, repair the crown, etc. All existing structures on the entire access route such as cattleguards, other range improvement projects, culverts, etc. will be properly repaired or replaced if they are damaged or have deteriorated beyond practical use.
- d. We will prevent and abate fugitive dust as needed, whether created by vehicular traffic, equipment operations, or wind events. BLM written approval will be acquired before application of surfactants, binding agents, or other dust suppression chemicals on roadways.

## 2. New or Reconstructed Access Roads

- a. An access road will be needed for this proposed project. See the survey plat for the location of the access road.
- b. The length of access road needed to be constructed for this proposed project is about 36 feet.
- c. The maximum driving width of the access road will be 14 feet. The maximum width of surface disturbance when constructing the access road will not exceed 25 feet. All areas outside of the driving surface will be revegetated.
- d. The access road will be constructed with 6 inches of compacted ROLLED & COMPACTED CALICHE.
- e. When the road travels on fairly level ground, the road will be crowned and ditched with a 2% slope from the tip of the road crown to the edge of the driving surface. The ditches will be 3 feet wide with 3:1 slopes. See Road Cross Section diagram below.

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- f. The access road will be constructed with a ditch on each side of the road.
- g. The maximum grade for the access road will be 2 percent.
- h. No turnouts will be constructed on the proposed access road.
- i. No cattleguards will be installed for this proposed access road.
- j. No BLM right-of-way grant is needed for the construction of this access road.
- k. No culverts will be constructed for this proposed access road.
- 1. No low water crossings will be constructed for the access road.
- m. Since the access road is on level ground, no lead-off ditches will be constructed for the proposed access road.
- n. Newly constructed or reconstructed roads, on surface under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management, will be constructed as outlined in the BLM "Gold Book" and to meet the standards of the anticipated traffic flow and all anticipated weather requirements as needed. Construction will include ditching, draining, crowning and capping or sloping and dipping the roadbed as necessary to provide a well-constructed and safe road.

## 3. Location of Existing Wells

- a. EXHIBIT 2 of the APD depicts all known wells within a one mile radius of the proposed well.
- b. There is no other information regarding wells within a one mile radius.

## 4. Location of Existing and/or Proposed Production Facilities

- a. All permanent, lasting more than 6 months, above ground structures including but not limited to pumpjacks, storage tanks, barrels, pipeline risers, meter housing, etc. that are not subject to safety requirements will be painted a non-reflective paint color, Shale Green, from the BLM Standard Environmental Colors chart, unless another color is required in the APD Conditions of Approval.
- b. If any type of production facilities are located on the well pad, they will be strategically placed to allow for maximum interim reclamation, recontouring, and revegetation of the well location.
- c. A production facility is proposed to be installed on the proposed well location. Production from the well will be processed on site in the production facility. EXHIBIT 1A depicts the location of the production facilities as they relate to the well and well pad.
- d. The proposed production facility will have a secondary containment structure that is constructed to hold the capacity of 1-1/2 times the largest tank, plus freeboard to account for percipitation, unless more stringent protective requirements are deemed necessary.
- e. EXHIBIT 1C depicts the production facility as well.

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If any plans change regarding the production facility or other infrastructure (pipeline, electric line, etc.), we will submit a sundry notice or right of way (if applicable) prior to installation or construction.

## Additional Pipeline(s)

We propose to install 4 additional pipeline(s):

- 1. Surface WATER pipeline:
  - a. We plan to install a 4 inch surface POLYETHYLENE pipeline from HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #12H BATTERY to HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #1H BATTERY. The proposed length of the pipeline will be 2316 feet. The working pressure of the pipeline will be 125 psi or less. The pipeline will transport WATER. If the pipeline route follows an existing road or buried pipeline right-of-way, the surface pipeline will be installed no farther than 10 feet from the edge of the road or buried pipeline right-of-way. If existing surface pipelines prevent this distance, the proposed surface pipeline will be installed immediately adjacent to the outer surface pipeline. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to existing roads or right-of-ways.
  - b. EXHIBIT 1B & 1C depicts the proposed WATER pipeline route.
  - c. Since the proposed pipeline crossess lease boundaries, a right of way grant will be acquired prior to installation of the proposed pipeline.
- 2. Surface WATER pipeline:
  - a. We plan to install a 4 inch surface POLYETHYLENE pipeline from HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #12H BATTERY to HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #1H BATTERY. The proposed length of the pipeline will be 2316 feet. The working pressure of the pipeline will be 125 psi or less. The pipeline will transport WATER. If the pipeline route follows an existing road or buried pipeline right-of-way, the surface pipeline will be installed no farther than 10 feet from the edge of the road or buried pipeline right-of-way. If existing surface pipelines prevent this distance, the proposed surface pipeline will be installed immediately adjacent to the outer surface pipeline. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to existing roads or right-of-ways.
  - b. EXHIBIT 1B & 1C depicts the proposed WATER pipeline route.
  - c. Since the proposed pipeline crossess lease boundaries, a right of way grant will be acquired prior to installation of the proposed pipeline.
- 3. Surface WATER pipeline:
  - a. We plan to install a 4 inch surface POLYETHYLENE pipeline from HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #12H BATTERY to HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #1H BATTERY. The proposed length of the pipeline will be 2316 feet. The working pressure of the pipeline will be 125 psi or less. The pipeline will transport WATER. If the pipeline route follows an existing road or buried pipeline right-of-way, the surface pipeline will be installed no farther than 10 feet from the edge of the road or buried pipeline right-of-way. If existing surface pipelines prevent this distance, the proposed surface pipeline will be installed immediately adjacent to the outer surface pipeline. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to existing roads or right-of-ways.
  - b. EXHIBIT 1B & 1C depicts the proposed WATER pipeline route.

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c. Since the proposed pipeline crossess lease boundaries, a right of way grant will be acquired prior to installation of the proposed pipeline.

## 4. Surface WATER pipeline:

- a. We plan to install a 4 inch surface POLYETHYLENE pipeline from HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #12H BATTERY to HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #1H BATTERY. The proposed length of the pipeline will be 2316 feet. The working pressure of the pipeline will be 125 psi or less. The pipeline will transport WATER. If the pipeline route follows an existing road or buried pipeline right-of-way, the surface pipeline will be installed no farther than 10 feet from the edge of the road or buried pipeline right-of-way. If existing surface pipelines prevent this distance, the proposed surface pipeline will be installed immediately adjacent to the outer surface pipeline. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to existing roads or right-of-ways.
- b. EXHIBIT 1B & 1C depicts the proposed WATER pipeline route.
- c. Since the proposed pipeline crossess lease boundaries, a right of way grant will be acquired prior to installation of the proposed pipeline.

# Electric Line(s)

- a. We plan to install an overhead electric line for the proposed well. The proposed length of the electric line will be 4475 feet. EXHIBIT 1C depicts the location of the proposed electric line route. The electric line will be construction to provide protection from raptor electrocution.
- b. The proposed electric line does not cross lease boundaries, so a right of way grant will not need to be acquired from the BLM.

# 5. Location and Types of Water

- a. The source and location of the water supply are as follows: ALL WATER\_FRESH OR OTHERWISE\_WILL BE PURCHASED FROM A COMMERCIAL SOURCE & TRUCKED TO THE LOCATION VIA EXISTING & OR PROPOSED ACCESS ROADS NO WATER SOURCE WELLS WILL BE DRILLED & NO SURFACE WATER WILL BE UTILIZED.
- b. The operator will use established or constructed oil and gas roads to transport water to the well site. The operator will try to utilize the identified access route in the surface use plan.

### 6. Construction Material

a. CALICHE WILL BE HAULED/TRUCKED FROM A BLM APPROVED PIT. NO SURFACE MATERIALS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED EXCEPT THOSE NECESSARY FOR ACTUAL GRADING & CONSTRUCTION OF THE DRILL SITE & ACCESS ROAD.

# 7. Methods for Handling Waste

- a. Drilling fluids and produced oil and water from the well during drilling and completion operations will be stored safely and disposed of properly in an NMOCD approved disposal facility.
- b. Garbage and trash produced during drilling and completion operations will be collected in a trash container and disposed of properly at a state approved disposal facility. All trash on and around the well site will be collected for disposal.
- c. Human waste and grey water will be properly contained and disposed of properly at a state approved disposal facility.
- d. After drilling and completion operations, trash, chemicals, salts, frac sand and other waste material will be

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removed and disposed of properly at a state approved disposal facility.

e. The well will be drilled utilizing a closed loop system. Drill cutting will be properly disposed of into steel tanks and taken to an NMOCD approved disposal facility.

# 8. Ancillary Facilities

a. No ancillary facilities will be needed for this proposed project.

# 9. Well Site Layout

- a. The following information is presented in the well site survey plat or diagram:
  - i. reasonable scale (near 1":50')
  - ii. well pad dimensions
  - iii. well pad orientation
  - iv. drilling rig components
  - v. proposed access road
  - vi. elevations of all points
  - vii. topsoil stockpile
  - viii. reserve pit location/dimensions if applicable
  - ix. other disturbances needed (flare pit, stinger, frac farm pad, etc.)
  - x. existing structures within the 600' x 600' archaeoligical surveyed area (pipelines, electric lines, well pads, etc.
- b. The proposed drilling pad was staked and surveyed by a professional surveyor. The attached survey plat of the well site depicts the drilling pad layout as staked.
- c. A title of a well site diagram is EXHIBIT 5. This diagram depicts the RIG ORIENTATION & LAYOUT.
- d. Topsoil Salvaging
  - i. Grass, forbs, and small woody vegetation, such as mesquite will be excavated as the topsoil is removed. Large woody vegetation will be stripped and stored separately and respread evenly on the site following topsoil respreading. Topsoil depth is defined as the top layer of soil that contains 80% of the roots. In areas to be heavily disturbed, the top 6 inches of soil material, will be stripped and stockpiled on the perimeter of the well location and along the perimeter of the access road to control run-on and run-off, to keep topsoil viable, and to make redistribution of topsoil more efficient during interim reclamation. Stockpiled topsoil should include vegetative material. Topsoil will be clearly segregated and stored separately from subsoils. Contaminated soil will not be stockpiled, but properly treated and handled prior to topsoil salvaging.

## 10. Plans for Surface Reclamation

# **Reclamation Objectives**

- i. The objective of interim reclamation is to restore vegetative cover and a portion of the landform sufficient to maintain healthy, biologically active topsoil; control erosion; and minimize habitat and forage loss, visual impact, and weed infestation, during the life of the well or facilities.
- ii. The long-term objective of final reclamation is to return the land to a condition similar to what existed prior to disturbance. This includes restoration of the landform and natural vegetative community, hydrologic systems, visual resources, and wildlife habitats. To ensure that the long-term objective will be reached through human and natural processes, actions will be taken to ensure standards are met for site stability,

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visual quality, hydrological functioning, and vegetative productivity.

- iii. The BLM will be notified at least 3 days prior to commencement of any reclamation procedures.
- iv. If circumstances allow, interim reclamation and/or final reclamation actions will be completed no later than 6 months from when the final well on the location has been completed or plugged. We will gain written permission from the BLM if more time is needed.
- v. Interim reclamation will be performed on the well site after the well is drilled and completed. EXHIBIT 6 depicts the location and dimensions of the planned interim reclamation for the well site.

#### Interim Reclamation Procedures (If performed)

- 1. Within 30 days of well completion, the well location and surrounding areas will be cleared of, and maintained free of, all materials, trash, and equipment not required for production.
- 2. In areas planned for interim reclamation, all the surfacing material will be removed and returned to the original mineral pit or recycled to repair or build roads and well pads.
- 3. The areas planned for interim reclamation will then be recontoured to the original contour if feasible, or if not feasible, to an interim contour that blends with the surrounding topography as much as possible. Where applicable, the fill material of the well pad will be backfilled into the cut to bring the area back to the original contour. The interim cut and fill slopes prior to re-seeding will not be steeper than a 3:1 ratio, unless the adjacent native topography is steeper. Note: Constructed slopes may be much steeper during drilling, but will be recontoured to the above ratios during interim reclamation.
- 4. Topsoil will be evenly respread and aggressively revegetated over the entire disturbed area not needed for all-weather operations including cuts & fills. To seed the area, the proper BLM seed mixture, free of noxious weeds, will be used. Final seedbed preparation will consist of contour cultivating to a depth of 4 to 6 inches within 24 hours prior to seeding, dozer tracking, or other imprinting in order to break the soil crust and create seed germination micro-sites.
- 5. Proper erosion control methods will be used on the area to control erosion, runoff and siltation of the surrounding area.
- 6. The interim reclamation will be monitored periodically to ensure that vegetation has reestablished and that erosion is controlled.

#### Final Reclamation (well pad, buried pipelines, etc.)

- 1. Prior to final reclamation procedures, the well pad, road, and surrounding area will be cleared of material, trash, and equipment.
- 2. All surfacing material will be removed and returned to the original mineral pit or recycled to repair or build roads and well pads.
- 3. All disturbed areas, including roads, pipelines, pads, production facilities, and interim reclaimed areas will be recontoured to the contour existing prior to initial construction or a contour that blends indistinguishably with the surrounding landscape. Topsoil that was spread over the interim reclamation areas will be stockpiled prior to recontouring. The topsoil will be redistributed evenly over the entire disturbed site to ensure successful revegetation.
- 4. After all the disturbed areas have been properly prepared, the areas will be seeded with the proper BLM seed mixture, free of noxious weeds. Final seedbed preparation will consist of contour cultivating to a depth of 4 to 6 inches within 24 hours prior to seeding, dozer tracking, or other imprinting in order

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to break the soil crust and create seed germination micro-sites.

- 5. Proper erosion control methods will be used on the entire area to control erosion, runoff and siltation of the surrounding area.
- 6. All unused equipment and structures including pipelines, electric line poles, tanks, etc. that serviced the well will be removed.
- 7. All reclaimed areas will be monitored periodically to ensure that revegetation occurs, that the area is not redisturbed, and that erosion is controlled.

# 11. Surface Ownership

a. The surface ownership of the proposed project is FEDERAL.

# 12. Other Information

a. ONSITE BY JESSE RICE ON 7/25/13 AND ANOTHER ONSITE BY JEFFERY ROBERTSON ON 5/14/15. PRODUCTION LINES: IN THE EVENT THIS WELL IS PRODUCTIVE, A DITCH, APPROX 4 FOOT WIDE, WILL BE TRENCHED FROM THE WELL TO THE BATTERY HEADER, TO INSTALL A NEW 4" POLYETHYLENE BURIED 500PSI PIPELINE. BATTERY WILL BE LOCATED ON THE WELL PAD. FOUR 4" SURFACE WATER TRANSFER LINES ARE BEING APPLIED FOR ON THIS APD TO TRANSFER WATER FROM THE HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #12 BATTERY TO THE HUMMINGBIRD FEDERAL COM #1 BATTERY (125 PSI, POLY, NUPI HDPE)\*\*\* PLEASE NOTE: APACHE WILL PERF 330' FROM LEASE LINE TO BE IN COMPLIANCE\*\*\* OPERATOR REP: DANNY LAMAN, DRLG SUP, 432-818-1022 OR 432-634-0288; OPERATOR PRODUCTION REP: CRIAG MAXWELL, 575-393-7106 OR 575-441-2568.

# 13. Maps and Diagrams

**EXHIBIT 1 - Existing Road** 

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EXHIBIT 5 - Well Site Diagram

EXHIBIT 6 - Interim Reclamation

# PECOS DISTRICT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

OPERATOR'S NAME: Apache Corporation
LEASE NO.: NMLC-031844
WELL NAME & NO.: Hummingbird Federal Com 18H
SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE: 0330' FNL & 0100' FWL
BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE 0330' FNL & 0330' FEL
LOCATION: Section 01, T. 17 S., R 31 E., NMPM
COUNTY: Eddy County, New Mexico

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# I. GENERAL PROVISIONS

The approval of the Application For Permit To Drill (APD) is in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations: 43 Code of Federal Regulations 3160, the lease terms, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, Notices To Lessees, New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Rules, National Historical Preservation Act As Amended, and instructions and orders of the Authorized Officer. Any request for a variance shall be submitted to the Authorized Officer on Form 3160-5, Sundry Notices and Report on Wells.

# II. PERMIT EXPIRATION

If the permit terminates prior to drilling and drilling cannot be commenced within 60 days after expiration, an operator is required to submit Form 3160-5, Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells, requesting surface reclamation requirements for any surface disturbance. However, if the operator will be able to initiate drilling within 60 days after the expiration of the permit, the operator must have set the conductor pipe in order to allow for an extension of 60 days beyond the expiration date of the APD. (Filing of a Sundry Notice is required for this 60 day extension.)

# III. ARCHAEOLOGICAL, PALEONTOLOGY & HISTORICAL SITES

Any cultural and/or paleontological resource discovered by the operator or by any person working on the operator's behalf shall immediately report such findings to the Authorized Officer. The operator is fully accountable for the actions of their contractors and subcontractors. The operator shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the Authorized Officer. An evaluation of the discovery shall be made by the Authorized Officer to determine the appropriate actions that shall be required to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values of the discovery. The operator shall be held responsible for the cost of the proper mitigation measures that the Authorized Officer assesses after consultation with the operator on the evaluation and decisions of the discovery. Any unauthorized collection or disturbance of cultural or paleontological resources may result in a shutdown order by the Authorized Officer.

## IV. NOXIOUS WEEDS

The operator shall be held responsible if noxious weeds become established within the areas of operations. Weed control shall be required on the disturbed land where noxious weeds exist, which includes the roads, pads, associated pipeline corridor, and adjacent land affected by the establishment of weeds due to this action. The operator shall consult with the Authorized Officer for acceptable weed control methods, which include following EPA and BLM requirements and policies.

# V. SPECIAL REQUIREMENT(S)

#### **Communitization Agreement**

A Communitization Agreement covering the acreage dedicated to this well must be filed for approval with the BLM. The effective date of the agreement shall be prior to any sales. In addition, the well sign shall include the surface and bottom hole lease numbers. If the Communitization Agreement number is known, it shall also be on the sign. If not, it shall be placed on the sign when the sign is replaced.

Timing Limitation Stipulation / Condition of Approval for lesser prairie-chicken:

Oil and gas activities including 3-D geophysical exploration, and drilling will not be allowed in lesser prairie-chicken habitat during the period from March 1st through June 15th annually. During that period, other activities that produce noise or involve human activity, such as the maintenance of oil and gas facilities, pipeline, road, and well pad construction, will be allowed except between 3:00 am and 9:00 am. The 3:00 am to 9:00 am restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during this period. Additionally, no new drilling will be allowed within up to 200 meters of leks known at the time of permitting. Normal vehicle use on existing roads will not be restricted. Exhaust noise from pump jack engines must be muffled or otherwise controlled so as not to exceed 75 db measured at 30 feet from the source of the noise.

Ground-level Abandoned Well Marker to avoid raptor perching: Upon the plugging and subsequent abandonment of the well, the well marker will be installed at ground level on a plate containing the pertinent information for the plugged well. For more installation details, contact the Carlsbad Field Office at 575-234-5972.

This authorization is subject to your Certificate of Participation and/or Certificate of Inclusion under the New Mexico Candidate Conservation Agreement. Because it involves surface disturbing activities covered under your Certificate, your Habitat Conservation Fund Account with the Center of Excellence for Hazardous Materials Management (CEHMM) will be debited according to Exhibit B Part 2 of the Certificate of Participation.

Power lines shall be constructed and designed in accordance to standards outlined in "Suggested Practices for Avian Protection on Power lines: The State of the Art in 2006" Edison Electric Institute, APLIC, and the California Energy Commission 2006. The holder shall assume the burden and expense of proving that pole designs not shown in the above publication deter raptor perching, roosting, and nesting. Such proof shall be provided by a raptor expert approved by the Authorized Officer. The BLM reserves the right to require modification or additions to all power line structures placed on this right-of-way, should they be necessary to ensure the safety of large perching birds. The holder without liability or expense shall make such modifications and/or additions to the United States.

# **Dunes Sagebrush Lizard Monitor Trenching Stipulation**

- > Pre-construction contact with a BLM wildlife biologist is required before any ground disturbing activities associated with the project occurs.
- > Successful completion of the BLM Trench Stipulation Workshop is required for a non-agency person to be approved as a monitor.
- Any trench left open for (8) hours or less is not required to have escape ramps; however, before the trench is backfilled, an agency approved monitor shall walk the entire length of the open trench and remove all trapped vertebrates. The bottom surface of the trench will be disturbed a minimum of 2 inches in order to arouse any buried vertebrates. All vertebrates will be released a minimum of 100 yards from the trench.
- For trenches left open for eight (8) hours or more the following requirements apply:
  - Earthen escape ramps and/or structures (built at no more than a 30.degree slope and spaced no more than 500 feet apart) shall be placed in the trench. Metal structures will <u>not</u> be authorized. Options will be discussed in detail at the required Trench Stipulation Workshop.
  - One approved monitor shall be required to survey up to three miles of trench between the hours of 11 AM-2 PM. A daily report (consolidate if there is more than one monitor) on the vertebrates found and removed from the trench shall be provided to the BLM (email/fax is acceptable) the following morning.
  - o Prior to backfilling of the trench all structures used as escape ramps will be removed and the bottom surface of the trench will be disturbed a minimum of 2 inches in order to arouse any buried vertebrates. All vertebrates will be released a minimum of 100 yards from the trench.
- ➤ This stipulation shall apply to the entire length of the project in the DSL habitat polygon regardless of land ownership or CCA/CCAA enrollment status.
- A project closeout will be required within three business days of the completion of the project.

# VI. CONSTRUCTION

### A. NOTIFICATION

The BLM shall administer compliance and monitor construction of the access road and well pad. Notify the Carlsbad Field Office at (575) 234-5909 at least 3 working days prior to commencing construction of the access road and/or well pad.

When construction operations are being conducted on this well, the operator shall have the approved APD and Conditions of Approval (COA) on the well site and they shall be made available upon request by the Authorized Officer.

#### B. TOPSOIL

The operator shall strip the top portion of the soil (root zone) from the entire well pad area and stockpile the topsoil along the edge of the well pad as depicted in the APD. The root zone is typically six (6) inches in depth. All the stockpiled topsoil will be redistributed over the interim reclamation areas. Topsoil shall not be used for berming the pad or facilities. For final reclamation, the topsoil shall be spread over the entire pad area for seeding preparation.

Other subsoil (below six inches) stockpiles must be completely segregated from the topsoil stockpile. Large rocks or subsoil clods (not evident in the surrounding terrain) must be buried within the approved area for interim and final reclamation.

## C. CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM

Tanks are required for drilling operations: No Pits.

The operator shall properly dispose of drilling contents at an authorized disposal site.

### D. FEDERAL MINERAL MATERIALS PIT

Payment shall be made to the BLM prior to removal of any federal mineral materials. Call the Carlsbad Field Office at (575) 234-5972.

### E. WELL PAD SURFACING

Surfacing of the well pad is not required.

If the operator elects to surface the well pad, the surfacing material may be required to be removed at the time of reclamation. The well pad shall be constructed in a manner which creates the smallest possible surface disturbance, consistent with safety and operational needs.

## F. EXCLOSURE FENCING (CELLARS & PITS)

### **Exclosure Fencing**

The operator will install and maintain exclosure fencing for all open well cellars to prevent access to public, livestock, and large forms of wildlife before and after drilling operations until the pit is free of fluids and the operator initiates backfilling. (For examples of exclosure fencing design, refer to BLM's Oil and Gas Gold Book, Exclosure Fence Illustrations, Figure 1, Page 18.)

### G. ON LEASE ACCESS ROADS

#### Road Width

The access road shall have a driving surface that creates the smallest possible surface disturbance and does not exceed fourteen (14) feet in width. The maximum width of surface disturbance, when constructing the access road, shall not exceed twenty-five (25) feet.

## Surfacing

Surfacing material is not required on the new access road driving surface. If the operator elects to surface the new access road or pad, the surfacing material may be required to be removed at the time of reclamation.

Where possible, no improvements should be made on the unsurfaced access road other than to remove vegetation as necessary, road irregularities, safety issues, or to fill low areas that may sustain standing water.

The Authorized Officer reserves the right to require surfacing of any portion of the access road at any time deemed necessary. Surfacing may be required in the event the road deteriorates, erodes, road traffic increases, or it is determined to be beneficial for future field development. The surfacing depth and type of material will be determined at the time of notification.

#### Crowning

Crowning shall be done on the access road driving surface. The road crown shall have a grade of approximately 2% (i.e., a 1" crown on a 14' wide road). The road shall conform to Figure 1; cross section and plans for typical road construction.

### Ditching

Ditching shall be required on both sides of the road.

## **Turnouts**

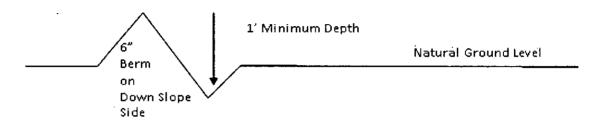
Vehicle turnouts shall be constructed on the road. Turnouts shall be intervisible with interval spacing distance less than 1000 feet. Turnouts shall conform to Figure 1; cross section and plans for typical road construction.

#### Drainage

Drainage control systems shall be constructed on the entire length of road (e.g. ditches, sidehill outsloping and insloping, lead-off ditches, culvert installation, and low water crossings).

A typical lead-off ditch has a minimum depth of 1 foot below and a berm of 6 inches above natural ground level. The berm shall be on the down-slope side of the lead-off ditch.

# Cross Section of a Typical Lead-off Ditch



All lead-off ditches shall be graded to drain water with a 1 percent minimum to 3 percent maximum ditch slope. The spacing interval are variable for lead-off ditches and shall be determined according to the formula for spacing intervals of lead-off ditches, but may be amended depending upon existing soil types and centerline road slope (in %);

### Formula for Spacing Interval of Lead-off Ditches

Example - On a 4% road slope that is 400 feet long, the water flow shall drain water into a lead-off ditch. Spacing interval shall be determined by the following formula:

400 foot road with 4% road slope: 
$$\frac{400'}{49\%} + 100' = 200'$$
 lead-off ditch interval

### Cattleguards

An appropriately sized cattleguard sufficient to carry out the project shall be installed and maintained at fence/road crossings. Any existing cattleguards on the access road route shall be repaired or replaced if they are damaged or have deteriorated beyond practical use. The operator shall be responsible for the condition of the existing cattleguards that are in place and are utilized during lease operations.

### Fence Requirement

Where entry is granted across a fence line, the fence shall be braced and tied off on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting. The operator shall notify the private surface landowner or the grazing allotment holder prior to crossing any fences.

#### **Public Access**

Public access on this road shall not be restricted by the operator without specific written approval granted by the Authorized Officer.

# **Construction Steps**

- 1. Salvage topsoil
- 3. Redistribute topsoil
- 2. Construct road
- 4. Revegetate slopes

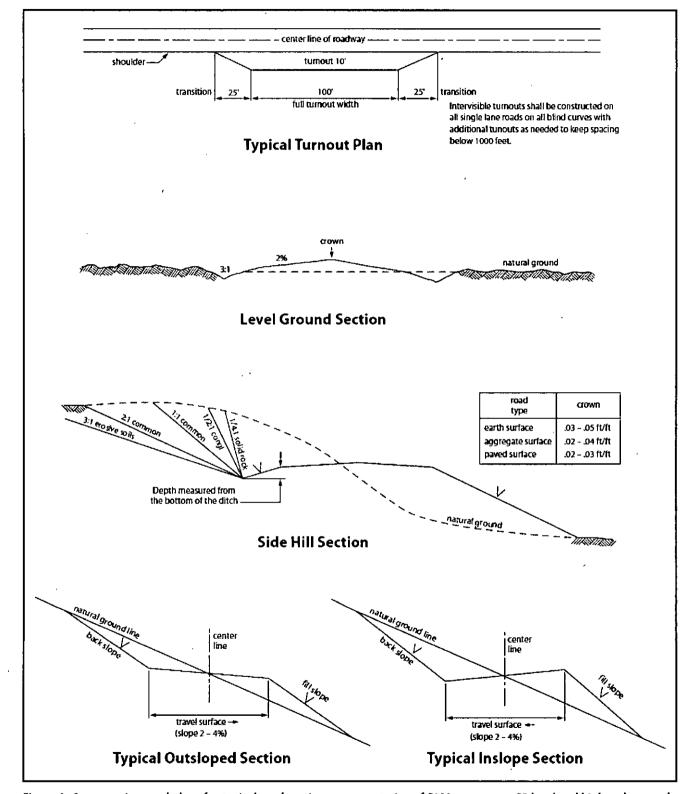


Figure 1. Cross-sections and plans for typical road sections representative of BLM resource or FS local and higher-class roads.

## VII. DRILLING

# A. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS

The BLM is to be notified in advance for a representative to witness:

- a. Spudding well (minimum of 24 hours)
- b. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings (minimum of 4 hours)
- c. BOPE tests (minimum of 4 hours)
  - Eddy County
    Call the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (575) 361-2822
- 1. A Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) Drilling Plan shall be activated 500 feet prior to drilling into the Grayburg formation. As a result, the Hydrogen Sulfide area must meet Onshore Order 6 requirements, which includes equipment and personnel/public protection items. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, please provide measured values and formations to the BLM.
- 2. Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval. If the drilling rig is removed without approval an Incident of Non-Compliance will be written and will be a "Major" violation.
- 3. The record of the drilling rate along with the GR/N well log run from TD to surface (horizontal well vertical portion of hole) shall be submitted to the BLM office as well as all other logs run on the borehole 30 days from completion. If available, a digital copy of the logs is to be submitted in addition to the paper copies. The Rustler top and top and bottom of Salt are to be recorded on the Completion Report.

#### B. CASING

Changes to the approved APD casing program need prior approval if the items substituted are of lesser grade or different casing size or are Non-API. The Operator can exchange the components of the proposal with that of superior strength (i.e. changing from J-55 to N-80, or from 36# to 40#). Changes to the approved cement program need prior approval if the altered cement plan has less volume or strength or if the changes are substantial (i.e. Multistage tool, ECP, etc.). The initial wellhead installed on the well will remain on the well with spools used as needed.

Centralizers required on surface casing per Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.f.

### Wait on cement (WOC) for Water Basin:

After cementing but before commencing any tests, the casing string shall stand cemented under pressure until both of the following conditions have been met: 1)

cement reaches a minimum compressive strength of 500 psi at the shoe, 2) until cement has been in place at least <u>8 hours</u>. WOC time will be recorded in the driller's log. See individual casing strings for details regarding lead cement slurry requirements.

No pea gravel permitted for remedial or fall back remedial without prior authorization from the BLM engineer.

Possibility for water flows in the Artesia Group, Salado, and Queen.

Possibility of lost circulation in the Artesia Group, Rustler, Grayburg, and San Andres.

- 1. The 13-3/8 inch surface casing shall be set at approximately 800 feet (a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface. If salt is encountered, set casing at least 25 feet above the salt. Excess calculates to 15% Additional cement may be required.
  - a. If cement does not circulate to the surface, the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey utilizing an electronic type temperature survey with surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Temperature survey will be run a minimum of six hours after pumping cement and ideally between 8-10 hours after completing the cement job.
  - b. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry.
  - c. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a remedial job will be a minimum of 4 hours after bringing cement to surface or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater.
  - d. If cement falls back, remedial cementing will be done prior to drilling out that string.

Intermediate casing shall be kept fluid filled while running into hole to meet BLM minimum collapse requirements.

2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 9-5/8 inch intermediate casir	ıg	is
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Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a, c-d above. Excess calculates to 19% - Additional cement may be required.

Operator has proposed a contingency DV tool at 1800'. If operator circulates cement on the first stage, operator is approved to run the DV tool cancellation plug and cancel the second stage of the proposed cement plan. If cement does not circulate, operator will proceed with the second stage.

a. Second stage above DV tool:

Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate, contact the appropriate BLM office. Excess calculates to negative 27% - Additional cement will be required.

Centralizers required on horizontal leg, must be type for horizontal service and a minimum of one every other joint.

- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 7 X 5-1/2 inch production casing is:

  ☐ Cement as proposed by operator. Operator shall provide method of verification. Excess calculates to 1% Additional cement may be required.
- 4. If hardband drill pipe is rotated inside casing, returns will be monitored for metal. If metal is found in samples, drill pipe will be pulled and rubber protectors which have a larger diameter than the tool joints of the drill pipe will be installed prior to continuing drilling operations.

## C. PRESSURE CONTROL

- 1. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 and API 53.
- 2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be 2000 (2M) psi (Installing 3M and testing to 2,000 psi).
  - a. For surface casing only: If the BOP/BOPE is to be tested against casing, the wait on cement (WOC) time for that casing is to be met (see WOC statement at start of casing section). Independent service company required.
- 3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
  - a. In a water basin, for all casing strings utilizing slips, these are to be set as soon as the crew and rig are ready and any fallback cement remediation has been done. The casing cut-off and BOP installation can be initiated four hours after installing the slips, which will be approximately six hours after bumping the plug. For those casing strings not using slips, the minimum wait time before cut-off is eight hours after bumping the plug. BOP/BOPE testing can begin after cut-off or once cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified), whichever is greater. However, if the float does not hold, cut-off cannot be initiated until cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified).

- b. The tests shall be done by an independent service company utilizing a test plug **not** a **cup** or **J-packer**. The operator also has the option of utilizing an independent tester to test without a plug (i.e. against the casing) pursuant to Onshore Order 2 with the pressure not to exceed 70% of the burst rating for the casing. Any test against the casing must meet the WOC time for water basin (8 hours) or potash (24 hours) or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater, prior to initiating the test (see casing segment as lead cement may be critical item).
- c. The test shall be run on a 5000 psi chart for a 2-3M BOP/BOP, on a 10000 psi chart for a 5M BOP/BOPE and on a 15000 psi chart for a 10M BOP/BOPE. If a linear chart is used, it shall be a one hour chart. A circular chart shall have a maximum 2 hour clock. If a twelve hour or twenty-four hour chart is used, tester shall make a notation that it is run with a two hour clock.
- d. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- e. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.
- f. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug. This test shall be performed prior to the test at full stack pressure.

## D. DRILL STEM TEST

If drill stem tests are performed, Onshore Order 2.III.D shall be followed.

# E. WASTE MATERIAL AND FLUIDS

All waste (i.e. drilling fluids, trash, salts, chemicals, sewage, gray water, etc.) created as a result of drilling operations and completion operations shall be safely contained and disposed of properly at a waste disposal facility. No waste material or fluid shall be disposed of on the well location or surrounding area.

Porto-johns and trash containers will be on-location during fracturing operations or any other crew-intensive operations.

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# VIII. PRODUCTION (POST DRILLING)

A. WELL STRUCTURES & FACILITIES

**Placement of Production Facilities** 

Production facilities should be placed on the well pad to allow for maximum interim recontouring and revegetation of the well location.

# **Exclosure Netting (Open-top Tanks)**

Immediately following active drilling or completion operations, the operator will take actions necessary to prevent wildlife and livestock access, including avian wildlife, to all open-topped tanks that contain or have the potential to contain salinity sufficient to cause harm to wildlife or livestock, hydrocarbons, or Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976-exempt hazardous substances. At a minimum, the operator will net, screen, or cover open-topped tanks to exclude wildlife and livestock and prevent mortality. If the operator uses netting, the operator will cover and secure the open portion of the tank to prevent wildlife entry. The operator will net, screen, or cover the tanks until the operator removes the tanks from the location or the tanks no longer contain substances that could be harmful to wildlife or livestock. Use a maximum netting mesh size of 1 ½ inches. The netting must not be in contact with fluids and must not have holes or gaps.

## Chemical and Fuel Secondary Containment and Exclosure Screening

The operator will prevent all hazardous, poisonous, flammable, and toxic substances from coming into contact with soil and water. At a minimum, the operator will install and maintain an impervious secondary containment system for any tank or barrel containing hazardous, poisonous, flammable, or toxic substances sufficient to contain the contents of the tank or barrel and any drips, leaks, and anticipated precipitation. The operator will dispose of fluids within the containment system that do not meet applicable state or U. S. Environmental Protection Agency livestock water standards in accordance with state law; the operator must not drain the fluids to the soil or ground. The operator will design, construct, and maintain all secondary containment systems to prevent wildlife and livestock exposure to harmful substances. At a minimum, the operator will install effective wildlife and livestock exclosure systems such as fencing, netting, expanded metal mesh, lids, and grate covers. Use a maximum netting mesh size of 1 ½ inches.

### **Open-Vent Exhaust Stack Exclosures**

The operator will construct, modify, equip, and maintain all open-vent exhaust stacks on production equipment to prevent birds and bats from entering, and to discourage perching, roosting, and nesting. (Recommended exclosure structures on open-vent exhaust stacks are in the shape of a cone.) Production equipment includes, but may not be limited to, tanks, heater-treaters, separators, dehydrators, flare stacks, in-line units, and compressor mufflers.

### **Containment Structures**

Proposed production facilities such as storage tanks and other vessels will have a secondary containment structure that is constructed to hold the capacity of 1.5 times the largest tank, plus freeboard to account for precipitation, unless more stringent protective requirements are deemed necessary.

## **Painting Requirement**

All above-ground structures including meter housing that are not subject to safety requirements shall be painted a flat non-reflective paint color, **Shale Green** from the BLM Standard Environmental Color Chart (CC-001: June 2008).

#### B. PIPELINES

STANDARD STIPULATIONS FOR SURFACE INSTALLED PIPELINES

A copy of the Grant and attachments, including stipulations, survey plat(s) and/or map(s), shall be on location during construction. BLM personnel may request to review a copy of your permit during construction to ensure compliance with all stipulations.

Holder agrees to comply with the following stipulations to the satisfaction of the Authorized Officer:

- 1. Holder shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damage to life or property arising from the occupancy or use of public lands under this grant.
- 2. Holder shall comply with all applicable Federal laws and regulations existing or hereafter enacted or promulgated. In any event, Holder shall comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976 as amended, 15 USC § 2601 et seq. (1982) with regard to any toxic substances that are used, generated by or stored on the right-of-way or on facilities authorized under this right-of-way grant (see 40 CFR, Part 702-799 and in particular, provisions on polychlorinated biphenyls, 40 CFR 761.1-761.193). Additionally, any release of toxic substances (leaks, spills, etc.) in excess of the reportable quantity established by 40 CFR, Part 117 shall be reported as required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, section 102b. A copy of any report required or requested by any Federal agency or State government as a result of a reportable release or spill of any toxic substances shall be furnished to the Authorized Officer concurrent with the filing of the reports to the involved Federal agency or State government.
- 3. Holder agrees to indemnify the United States against any liability arising from the release of any hazardous substance or hazardous waste (as these terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. § 9601, et seq. or the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. 6901, et seq.) on the Right-of-Way (unless the release or threatened release is wholly unrelated to activity of the Right-of-Way Holder's activity on the Right-of-Way), or resulting from the activity of the Right-of-Way Holder on the Right-of-Way. This provision applies without regard to whether a release is caused by Holder, its agent, or unrelated third parties.
- 4. Holder shall be liable for damage or injury to the United States to the extent provided by 43 CFR Sec. 2883.1-4. Holder shall be held to a standard of strict liability for damage or injury to the United States resulting from pipe rupture, fire, or spills caused or substantially aggravated by any of the following within the right-of-way or permit

area:

- a. Activities of Holder including, but not limited to: construction, operation, maintenance, and termination of the facility;
- b. Activities of other parties including, but not limited to:
  - (1) Land clearing
  - (2) Earth-disturbing and earth-moving work
  - (3) Blasting
  - (4) Vandalism and sabotage;
- c. Acts of God.

The maximum limitation for such strict liability damages shall not exceed one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for any one event, and any liability in excess of such amount shall be determined by the ordinary rules of negligence of the jurisdiction in which the damage or injury occurred.

This section shall not impose strict liability for damage or injury resulting primarily from an act of war or from the negligent acts or omissions of the United States.

- 5. If, during any phase of the construction, operation, maintenance, or termination of the pipeline, any oil, salt water, or other pollutant should be discharged from the pipeline system, impacting Federal lands, the control and total removal, disposal, and cleaning up of such oil, salt water, or other pollutant, wherever found, shall be the responsibility of Holder, regardless of fault. Upon failure of Holder to control, dispose of, or clean up such discharge on or affecting Federal lands, or to repair all damages resulting therefrom, on the Federal lands, the Authorized Officer may take such measures as he/she deems necessary to control and clean up the discharge and restore the area, including, where appropriate, the aquatic environment and fish and wildlife habitats, at the full expense of Holder. Such action by the Authorized Officer shall not relieve Holder of any responsibility as provided herein.
- 6. All construction and maintenance activity shall be confined to the authorized right-of-way width of <u>20</u> feet. If the pipeline route follows an existing road or buried pipeline right-of-way, the surface pipeline shall be installed no farther than 10 feet from the edge of the road or buried pipeline right-of-way. If existing surface pipelines prevent this distance, the proposed surface pipeline shall be installed immediately adjacent to the outer surface pipeline. All construction and maintenance activity shall be confined to existing roads or right-of-ways.
- 7. No blading or clearing of any vegetation shall be allowed unless approved in writing by the Authorized Officer.
- 8. Holder shall install the pipeline on the surface in such a manner that will minimize suspension of the pipeline across low areas in the terrain. In hummocky of duney areas, the pipeline shall be "snaked" around hummocks and dunes rather than

suspended across these features.

- 9. The pipeline shall be buried with a minimum of <u>24</u> inches under all roads, "two-tracks," and trails. Burial of the pipe will continue for 20 feet on each side of each crossing. The condition of the road, upon completion of construction, shall be returned to at least its former state with no bumps or dips remaining in the road surface.
- 10. The holder shall minimize disturbance to existing fences and other improvements on public lands. The holder is required to promptly repair improvements to at least their former state. Functional use of these improvements will be maintained at all times. The holder will contact the owner of any improvements prior to disturbing them. When necessary to pass through a fence line, the fence shall be braced on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting of the fence. No permanent gates will be allowed unless approved by the Authorized Officer.
- 11. In those areas where erosion control structures are required to stabilize soil conditions, the holder will install such structures as are suitable for the specific soil conditions being encountered and which are in accordance with sound resource management practices.
- 12. Excluding the pipe, all above-ground structures not subject to safety requirement shall be painted by the holder to blend with the natural color of the landscape. The paint used shall be a color which simulates "Standard Environmental Colors" **Shale Green**, Munsell Soil Color No. 5Y 4/2; designated by the Rocky Mountain Five State Interagency Committee.
- 13. The pipeline will be identified by signs at the point of origin and completion of the right-of-way and at all road crossings. At a minimum, signs will state the holder's name, BLM serial number, and the product being transported. Signs will be maintained in a legible condition for the life of the pipeline.
- 14. The holder shall not use the pipeline route as a road for purposes other than routine maintenance as determined necessary by the Authorized Officer in consultation with the holder. The holder will take whatever steps are necessary to ensure that the pipeline route is not used as a roadway.
- 15. Any cultural and/or paleontological resource (historic or prehistoric site or object) discovered by the holder, or any person working on his behalf, on public or Federal land shall be immediately reported to the authorized officer. Holder shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the authorized officer. An evaluation of the discovery will be made by the authorized officer to determine appropriate cultural or scientific values. The holder will be responsible for the cost of evaluation and any decision as to proper mitigation measures will be made by the authorized officer after consulting with the holder.
- 16. The operator shall be held responsible if noxious weeds become established within

the areas of operations. Weed control shall be required on the disturbed land where noxious weeds exist, which includes the roads, powerline corridor, and adjacent land affected by the establishment of weeds due to this action. The operator shall consult with the Authorized Officer for acceptable weed control methods, which include following EPA and BLM requirements and policies.

- 17. Surface pipelines shall be less than or equal to 4 inches and a working pressure below 125 psi.
- 18. Special Stipulations:
  - a. Lesser Prairie-Chicken: Oil and gas activities will not be allowed in lesser prairie-chicken habitat during the period from March 1st through June 15th annually. During that period, other activities that produce noise or involve human activity, such as the maintenance of oil and gas facilities and pipeline, road, and well pad construction, will be allowed except between 3:00 am and 9:00 am. The 3:00 am to 9:00 am restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during this period. Normal vehicle use on existing roads will not be restricted.
  - b. This authorization is subject to your Certificate of Participation and/or Certificate of Inclusion under the New Mexico Candidate Conservation Agreement. Because it involves surface disturbing activities covered under your Certificate, your Habitat Conservation Fund Account with the Center of Excellence for Hazardous Materials Management (CEHMM) will be debited according to Exhibit B Part 2 of the Certificate of Participation.

### **BURIED PIPELINE STIPULATIONS**

A copy of the application (Grant, APD, or Sundry Notice) and attachments, including conditions of approval, survey plat and/or map, will be on location during construction. BLM personnel may request to you a copy of your permit during construction to ensure compliance with all stipulations.

Holder agrees to comply with the following stipulations to the satisfaction of the Authorized Officer:

- 1. The Holder shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damage to life or property arising from the occupancy or use of public lands under this grant.
- 2. The Holder shall comply with all applicable Federal laws and regulations existing or hereafter enacted or promulgated. In any event, the holder shall comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976 as amended, 15 USC 2601 et seq. (1982) with regards to any toxic substances that are used, generated by or stored on the right-of-way or on facilities authorized under this right-of-way grant. (See 40 CFR Part 702-799 and especially, provisions on polychlorinated biphenyls, 40 CFR 761.1-761.193.) Additionally, any release of toxic substances (leaks, spills, etc.) in excess of the reportable quantity established by 40 CFR Part 117 shall be reported as required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, section 102b. A

copy of any report required or requested by any Federal agency or State government as a result of a reportable release or spill of any toxic substances shall be furnished to the authorized officer concurrent with the filing of the reports to the involved Federal agency or State government.

- 3. The holder agrees to indemnify the United States against any liability arising from the release of any hazardous substance or hazardous waste (as these terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9601, et seq. or the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C.6901, et seq.) on the Right-of-Way (unless the release or threatened release is wholly unrelated to the Right-of-Way holder's activity on the Right-of-Way), or resulting from the activity of the Right-of-Way holder on the Right-of-Way. This agreement applies without regard to whether a release is caused by the holder, its agent, or unrelated third parties.
- 4. If, during any phase of the construction, operation, maintenance, or termination of the pipeline, any oil or other pollutant should be discharged from the pipeline system, impacting Federal lands, the control and total removal, disposal, and cleaning up of such oil or other pollutant, wherever found, shall be the responsibility of holder, regardless of fault. Upon failure of holder to control, dispose of, or clean up such discharge on or affecting Federal lands, or to repair all damages resulting therefrom, on the Federal lands, the Authorized Officer may take such measures as he deems necessary to control and clean up the discharge and restore the area, including where appropriate, the aquatic environment and fish and wildlife habitats, at the full expense of the holder. Such action by the Authorized Officer shall not relieve holder of any responsibility as provided herein.
- 5. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to the authorized right-of-way.
- 6. The pipeline will be buried with a minimum cover of 36 inches between the top of the pipe and ground level.
- 7. The maximum allowable disturbance for construction in this right-of-way will be 30 feet:
  - Blading of vegetation within the right-of-way will be allowed: maximum width of blading operations will not exceed **20** feet. The trench is included in this area. (Blading is defined as the complete removal of brush and ground vegetation.)
  - Clearing of brush species within the right-of-way will be allowed: maximum width of clearing operations will not exceed 30 feet. The trench and bladed area are included in this area. (Clearing is defined as the removal of brush while leaving ground vegetation (grasses, weeds, etc.) intact. Clearing is best accomplished by holding the blade 4 to 6 inches above the ground surface.)
  - The remaining area of the right-of-way (if any) shall only be disturbed by compressing the vegetation. (Compressing can be caused by vehicle tires, placement of equipment, etc.)
- 8. The holder shall stockpile an adequate amount of topsoil where blading is allowed. The topsoil to be stripped is approximately \_\_\_6\_\_ inches in depth. The topsoil will be segregated from other spoil piles from trench construction. The topsoil will be evenly distributed over the bladed area for the preparation of seeding.

- 9. The holder shall minimize disturbance to existing fences and other improvements on public lands. The holder is required to promptly repair improvements to at least their former state. Functional use of these improvements will be maintained at all times. The holder will contact the owner of any improvements prior to disturbing them. When necessary to pass through a fence line, the fence shall be braced on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting of the fence. No permanent gates will be allowed unless approved by the Authorized Officer.
- 10. Vegetation, soil, and rocks left as a result of construction or maintenance activity will be randomly scattered on this right-of-way and will not be left in rows, piles, or berms, unless otherwise approved by the Authorized Officer. The entire right-of-way shall be recontoured to match the surrounding landscape. The backfilled soil shall be compacted and a 6 inch berm will be left over the ditch line to allow for settling back to grade.
- 11. In those areas where erosion control structures are required to stabilize soil conditions, the holder will install such structures as are suitable for the specific soil conditions being encountered and which are in accordance with sound resource management practices.

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seedi	ing requirements, using the following seed	l mix.
12. T	The holder will reseed all disturbed areas.	Seeding will be done according to the attache

( ) seed mixture 1	( ) seed mixture 3
( ) seed mixture 2	( ) seed mixture 4
(X) seed mixture 2/LPC	( ) Aplomado Falcon Mixture

- 13. All above-ground structures not subject to safety requirements shall be painted by the holder to blend with the natural color of the landscape. The paint used shall be color which simulates "Standard Environmental Colors" **Shale Green**, Munsell Soil Color No. 5Y 4/2.
- 14. The pipeline will be identified by signs at the point of origin and completion of the right-of-way and at all road crossings. At a minimum, signs will state the holder's name, BLM serial number, and the product being transported. All signs and information thereon will be posted in a permanent, conspicuous manner, and will be maintained in a legible condition for the life of the pipeline.
- 15. The holder shall not use the pipeline route as a road for purposes other than routine maintenance as determined necessary by the Authorized Officer in consultation with the holder before maintenance begins. The holder will take whatever steps are necessary to ensure that the pipeline route is not used as a roadway. As determined necessary during the life of the pipeline, the Authorized Officer may ask the holder to construct temporary deterrence structures.
- 16. Any cultural and/or paleontological resources (historic or prehistoric site or object) discovered by the holder, or any person working on his behalf, on public or Federal land shall be immediately reported to the Authorized Officer. Holder shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the

Authorized Officer. An evaluation of the discovery will be made by the Authorized Officer to determine appropriate actions to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values. The holder will be responsible for the cost of evaluation and any decision as to proper mitigation measures will be made by the Authorized Officer after consulting with the holder.

- 17. The operator shall be held responsible if noxious weeds become established within the areas of operations. Weed control shall be required on the disturbed land where noxious weeds exist, which includes associated roads, pipeline corridor and adjacent land affected by the establishment of weeds due to this action. The operator shall consult with the Authorized Officer for acceptable weed control methods, which include following EPA and BLM requirements and policies.
- 18. <u>Escape Ramps</u> The operator will construct and maintain pipeline/utility trenches [that are not otherwise fenced, screened, or netted] to prevent livestock, wildlife, and humans from becoming entrapped. At a minimum, the operator will construct and maintain escape ramps, ladders, or other methods of avian and terrestrial wildlife escape in the trenches according to the following criteria:
  - a. Any trench left open for eight (8) hours or less is not required to have escape ramps; however, before the trench is backfilled, the contractor/operator shall inspect the trench for wildlife, remove all trapped wildlife, and release them at least 100 yards from the trench.
  - b. For trenches left open for eight (8) hours or more, earthen escape ramps (built at no more than a 30 degree slope and spaced no more than 500 feet apart) shall be placed in the trench.

# 19. Special Stipulations:

#### Lesser Prairie-Chicken

Oil and gas activities will not be allowed in lesser prairie-chicken habitat during the period from March 1st through June 15th annually. During that period, other activities that produce noise or involve human activity, such as the maintenance of oil and gas facilities, geophysical exploration other than 3-D operations, and pipeline, road, and well pad construction, will be allowed except between 3:00 am and 9:00 am. The 3:00 am to 9:00 am restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during this period. Normal vehicle use on existing roads will not be restricted. Exhaust noise from pump jack engines must be muffled or otherwise controlled so as not to exceed 75 db measured at 30 ft. from the source of the noise.

This authorization is subject to your Certificate of Participation and/or Certificate of Inclusion under the New Mexico Candidate Conservation Agreement. Because it involves surface disturbing activities covered under your Certificate, your Habitat Conservation Fund Account with the Center of Excellence for Hazardous Materials Management (CEHMM) will be debited according to Exhibit B Part 2 of the Certificate of Participation.

### C. ELECTRIC LINES

STANDARD STIPULATIONS FOR OVERHEAD ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION LINES

A copy of the grant and attachments, including stipulations, survey plat and/or map, will be on location during construction. BLM personnel may request to you a copy of your permit during construction to ensure compliance with all stipulations.

Holder agrees to comply with the following stipulations to the satisfaction of the Authorized Officer:

- 1. The holder shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damage to life or property arising from the occupancy or use of public lands under this grant.
- 2. The holder shall comply with all applicable Federal laws and regulations existing or hereafter enacted or promulgated. In any event, the holder shall comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976 as amended, 15 USC 2601 et seq. (1982) with regards to any toxic substances that are used, generated by or stored on the right-of-way or on facilities authorized under this right-of-way grant. (See 40 CFR, Part 702-799 and especially, provisions on polychlorinated biphenyls, 40 CFR 761.1-761.193.) Additionally, any release of toxic substances (leaks, spills, etc.) in excess of the reportable quantity established by 40 CFR, Part 117 shall be reported as required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, section 102b. A copy of any report required or requested by any Federal agency or State government as a result of a reportable release or spill of any toxic substances shall be furnished to the authorized officer concurrent with the filing of the reports to the involved Federal agency or State government.
- 3. The holder agrees to indemnify the United States against any liability arising from the release of any hazardous substance or hazardous waste (as these terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9601, et seq. or the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. 6901, et seq.) on the Right-of-Way (unless the release or threatened release is wholly unrelated to the Right-of-Way holder's activity on the Right-of-Way), or resulting from the activity of the Right-of-Way holder on the Right-of-Way. This agreement applies without regard to whether a release is caused by the holder, its agent, or unrelated third parties.
- 4. There will be no clearing or blading of the right-of-way unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Authorized Officer.
- 5. Power lines shall be constructed and designed in accordance to standards outlined in "Suggested Practices for Avian Protection on Power lines: The State of the Art in 2006" Edison Electric Institute, APLIC, and the California Energy Commission 2006. The holder shall assume the burden and expense of proving that pole designs not shown in the above publication deter raptor perching, roosting, and nesting. Such proof shall be provided by a raptor expert approved by the Authorized Officer. The BLM reserves the right to require modification or additions to all powerline structures placed on this right-of-way, should they be necessary to ensure the safety of large perching birds. Such modifications and/or additions shall be made by the holder without liability or expense to the United States.

Raptor deterrence will consist of but not limited to the following: triangle perch discouragers shall be placed on each side of the cross arms and a nonconductive perching deterrence shall be placed on all vertical poles that extend past the cross arms.

- 6. The holder shall minimize disturbance to existing fences and other improvements on public lands. The holder is required to promptly repair improvements to at least their former state. Functional use of these improvements will be maintained at all times. The holder will contact the owner of any improvements prior to disturbing them. When necessary to pass through a fence line, the fence shall be braced on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting the fence. No permanent gates will be allowed unless approved by the Authorized Officer.
- 7. The BLM serial number assigned to this authorization shall be posted in a permanent, conspicuous manner where the power line crosses roads and at all serviced facilities. Numbers will be at least two inches high and will be affixed to the pole nearest the road crossing and at the facilities served.
- 8. Upon cancellation, relinquishment, or expiration of this grant, the holder shall comply with those abandonment procedures as prescribed by the Authorized Officer.
- 9. All surface structures (poles, lines, transformers, etc.) shall be removed within 180 days of abandonment, relinquishment, or termination of use of the serviced facility or facilities or within 180 days of abandonment, relinquishment, cancellation, or expiration of this grant, whichever comes first. This will not apply where the power line extends service to an active, adjoining facility or facilities.
- 10. Any cultural and/or paleontological resource (historic or prehistoric site or object) discovered by the holder, or any person working on his behalf, on public or Federal land shall be immediately reported to the Authorized Officer. Holder shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the Authorized Officer. An evaluation of the discovery will be made by the Authorized Officer to determine appropriate actions to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values. The holder will be responsible for the cost of evaluation and any decision as to proper mitigation measures will be made by the Authorized Officer after consulting with the holder.

## 11. Special Stipulations:

- For reclamation remove poles, lines, transformer, etc. and dispose of properly.
- Fill in any holes from the poles removed.

### Timing Limitation Stipulation/Condition of Approval for Lesser Prairie-Chicken:

Oil and gas activities including 3-D geophysical exploration, and drilling will not be allowed in lesser prairie-chicken habitat during the period from March 1st through June 15th annually. During that period, other activities that produce noise or involve human activity, such as the maintenance of oil and gas facilities, geophysical exploration other

than 3-D operations, and pipeline, road, and well pad construction, will be allowed except between 3:00 am and 9:00 am. The 3:00 am to 9:00 am restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during this period. Additionally, no new drilling will be allowed within up to 200 meters of leks known at the time of permitting. Normal vehicle use on existing roads will not be restricted. Exhaust noise from pump jack engines must be muffled or otherwise controlled so as not to exceed 75 db measured at 30 ft. from the source of the noise.

This authorization is subject to your Certificate of Participation and/or Certificate of Inclusion under the New Mexico Candidate Conservation Agreement. Because it involves surface disturbing activities covered under your Certificate, your Habitat Conservation Fund Account with the Center of Excellence for Hazardous Materials Management (CEHMM) will be debited according to Exhibit B Part 2 of the Certificate of Participation

## IX. INTERIM RECLAMATION

During the life of the development, all disturbed areas not needed for active support of production operations should undergo interim reclamation in order to minimize the environmental impacts of development on other resources and uses.

Within six (6) months of well completion, operators should work with BLM surface management specialists (Jim Amos: 575-234-5909) to devise the best strategies to reduce the size of the location. Interim reclamation should allow for remedial well operations, as well as safe and efficient removal of oil and gas.

During reclamation, the removal of caliche is important to increasing the success of revegetating the site. Removed caliche that is free of contaminants may be used for road repairs, fire walls or for building other roads and locations. In order to operate the well or complete workover operations, it may be necessary to drive, park and operate on restored interim vegetation within the previously disturbed area. Disturbing revegetated areas for production or workover operations will be allowed. If there is significant disturbance and loss of vegetation, the area will need to be revegetated. Communicate with the appropriate BLM office for any exceptions/exemptions if needed.

All disturbed areas after they have been satisfactorily prepared need to be reseeded with the seed mixture provided below.

Upon completion of interim reclamation, the operator shall submit a Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells, Subsequent Report of Reclamation (Form 3160-5).

# X. FINAL ABANDONMENT & RECLAMATION

At final abandonment, well locations, production facilities, and access roads must undergo "final" reclamation so that the character and productivity of the land are restored.

Earthwork for final reclamation must be completed within six (6) months of well plugging. All pads, pits, facility locations and roads must be reclaimed to a satisfactory revegetated, safe, and stable condition, unless an agreement is made with the landowner or BLM to keep the road and/or pad intact.

After all disturbed areas have been satisfactorily prepared, these areas need to be revegetated with the seed mixture provided below. Seeding should be accomplished by drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other approved methods. Seeding may need to be repeated until revegetation is successful, as determined by the BLM.

Operators shall contact a BLM surface protection specialist prior to surface abandonment operations for site specific objectives (Jim Amos: 575-234-5909).

Below Ground-level Abandoned Well Marker to avoid raptor perching: Upon the plugging and subsequent abandonment of the well, the well marker will be installed at ground level on a plate containing the pertinent information for the plugged well.

Seed Mixture for LPC Sand/Shinnery Sites

Holder shall seed all disturbed areas with the seed mixture listed below. The seed mixture shall be planted in the amounts specified in pounds of pure live seed (PLS)\* per acre. There shall be <u>no</u> primary or secondary noxious weeds in the seed mixture. Seed will be tested and the viability testing of seed shall be done in accordance with State law(s) and within nine (9) months prior to purchase. Commercial seed shall be either certified or registered seed. The seed container shall be tagged in accordance with State law(s) and available for inspection by the Authorized Officer.

Seed will be planted using a drill equipped with a depth regulator to ensure proper depth of planting where drilling is possible. The seed mixture will be evenly and uniformly planted over the disturbed area (smaller/heavier seeds have a tendency to drop the bottom of the drill and are planted first). Holder shall take appropriate measures to ensure this does not occur. Where drilling is not possible, seed will be broadcast and the area shall be raked or chained to cover the seed. When broadcasting the seed, the pounds per acre are to be doubled. Seeding shall be repeated until a satisfactory stand is established as determined by the Authorized Officer. Evaluation of growth may not be made before completion of at least one full growing season after seeding.

Species to be planted in pounds of pure live seed\* per acre:

<u>Species</u>		<u>lb/acre</u>
Plains Bristlegrass		5lbs/A
Sand Bluestem	*	5lbs/A
Little Bluestem		3lbs/A
Big Bluestem		6lbs/A
Plains Coreopsis		2lbs/A
Sand Dropseed		1lbs/A

<sup>\*</sup>Pounds of pure live seed:

Pounds of seed x percent purity x percent germination = pounds pure live seed