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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT



AJS-07-125

Form approved.  
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0136  
Expires August 31, 1985

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK

1a. TYPE OF WORK  
 DRILL  DEEPEN  PLUG BACK   
 b. TYPE OF WELL  
 OIL WELL  GAS WELL  OTHER  SINGLE ZONE  MULTIPLE ZONE

2. NAME OF OPERATOR  
 BURNETT OIL CO., INC (817/332-5108) 3080

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR  
 801 CHERRY STREET, SUITE 1500, FORT WORTH, TEXAS 76102

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)  
 At surface UNIT F, 1820' FNL, 2310' FWL  
 At proposed prod. zone SAME AS SURFACE ROSWELL CONTROLLED WATER BASIN

14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE\*  
 APPROXIMATELY 6 MILES EAST OF LOCO HILLS, NEW MEXICO

15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED\* LOCATION TO NEAREST PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 330'  
 16. NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE 240

18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION\* TO NEAREST WELL, DRILLING, COMPLETED, OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT. 330'  
 19. PROPOSED DEPTH 5400'

21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)  
 3733' GR NMB000197

23. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	QUANTITY OF CEMENT
14 7/8"	9 5/8"	32.30#	+/- 400'	+/-400 Sks(Circ. to Surface)
8 3/4"	7"	23#	5400'	+/-1500 Sks in 2 stages

(If water flows are encountered cementing program may vary.)

A 14 7/8" hole will be drilled to Rustler Anhydrite. We will set 9 5/8" casing @ this depth & cement to surface After an 18 hour cement wait, casing & BOP will be tested before drill out of the shoe. An 8 3/4" hole will be drilled to approx. 5400' to effectively test the Cedar Lake Yeso interval. The 7" casing will be run and set @ TD and cemented to 600' above highest potential producing horizon. We will perforate and treat the productive intervals of the well will be drilled as recommended by our service company and we will perforate and treat productiv ase recommended by service company.

If earthen pits are used in association with the drilling of this well, an OCD pit permit must be obtained prior to pit construction.

SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: If proposal is to deepen or plug back, give data on present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. If proposal is to drill or deepen directionally, give pertinent data on subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths. Give blowout preventer program, if any.

24. SIGNED Marka Jacoby TITLE Engineering Manager DATE 11/21/2006  
 (This space for Federal or State office use)

PERMIT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVAL DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 APPROVED BY Is/ James A. Amos ACTING FIELD MANAGER DATE DEC 22 2006

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS

\*See Instructions On Reverse Side

APPROVAL FOR 1 YEAR

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

DISTRICT I  
1626 N. FRENCH DR., ROSBS, NM 86240

DISTRICT II  
1361 W. GRAND AVENUE, ARTESIA, NM 86210

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Ed., Artec, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV  
1220 S. ST. FRANCIS DR., SANTA FE, NM 87506

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Form C-102  
Revised October 12, 2005  
Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

AMENDED REPORT

API Number 30.015.	Pool Code 96831	Pool Name Cedar Lake 'Glorieta - Yeso
Property Code 020145	Property Name STEVENS A	Well Number 15
OGRID No. 003080	Operator Name BURNETT OIL COMPANY	Elevation 3733'

Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
F	13	17-S	30-E		1820	NORTH	2310	WEST	EDDY

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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

Dedicated Acres 40	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

<p>1820'</p> <p>2310'</p> <p>3735.2'</p> <p>3734.4'</p> <p>600'</p> <p>600'</p> <p>3739.0'</p> <p>3724.5'</p>	<p><b>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that the information herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.</p> <p><i>Mark A. Jacoby</i> 11/14/06 Signature Date</p> <p>Mark A. Jacoby Printed Name</p>
	<p><b>SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.</p> <p>OCTOBER 25, 2006</p> <p>Date Surveyed JR</p> <p>Signature <i>Gary Edson</i> Professional Surveyor</p> <p><i>GARY EDSON</i> NEW MEXICO REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR 06.11.1662</p>
	<p>GEODETIC COORDINATES NAD 27 NME</p> <p>Y=668314.9 N X=625135.6 E</p> <p>LAT.=32.836620° N LONG.=103.925922° W</p>
	<p>Certificate No. GARY EDSON 12641</p>



DRILLING PLAN

BURNETT OIL CO., INC.  
LEASE NO. NMLC 030570A  
STEVENS A LEASE, WELL NO. 15  
UNIT LETTER F 1820' FNL, 2310' FWL  
SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

(A) DRILLING PROGRAM

(1) Estimated tops of geologic markers:

Alluvium.....Surface  
Anhydrite.....363'  
Salt.....489'  
Base Salt.....1307'  
Seven Rivers.....1719'  
Queen.....2320'  
Grayburg.....2710'  
San Andres.....3048'  
Glorieta.....4482'  
Yeso.....4578'

(2) Estimated depths of producing formations:

Fresh water.....None  
Saltwater flows..(?)\*  
Oil and Gas.....1719'\*\*, 2320'\*\*

\* As waterflows, if any, are encountered, their depth will be recorded, and drilling will continue to total depth. Multiple stage cementers will be placed in the production casing string to enable us to confine the waterflows to their respective depths by cementing.

\*\* Oil and gas bearing zones, if any, will be determined by log analysis, and will be confined by cementing; subsequently perforated, stimulated and produced in a conventional manner.

(3) Blowout Preventer Specifications:

A 2000 PSI Hydril unit with hydraulic closing equipment. (See Exhibit E schematic). The preventer will be tested before drilling out below surface pipe setting depth. The exact description of the preventer and related equipment will depend on the successful contractor, who has not yet been selected. No high pressure hydrocarbon zones are anticipated.

(4) Supplementary drilling equipment information:

Not available at this time.

(5) Supplementary casing program information:

- a. Surface casing: Surface casing will consist of new 9-5/8" OD 32.30# H40 OR 36# J-55 ST&C R3 pipe and will be run into a 14-7/8" hole with notched Texas Pattern shoe on bottom, insert float valve in first collar, Two (2) centralizers around shoe joint and first collar. Bottom three (3) joints will be thread locked. Setting depth will be +/- 415' in the Rustler Anhydrite, depending on where a suitable casing seat can be found. Cement will be circulated back to the surface. Initial cement volume will be calculated to be 100% excess of the calculated annular volume between the 9-5/8" casing and the hole. **If circulation of cement to the surface is not achieved due to lost circulation, we would like permission (without having to call BLM) to fill this annular space using sufficient rat hole mix to bring cement to surface per BLM specification.** Eighteen (18) hours WOC will be allowed as per NMOCD. Casing will be tested to 1000 PSI before drilling out.
  - b. Production casing: Production casing will consist of new 7" OD 23# J55 R3 8rd LT&C pipe being run to total depth with float shoe on bottom, float collar in first collar, centralizers throughout intervals and above and below any multiple stage cementers, and be cemented with sufficient volume to bring top of cement 600' above the top of the highest potential producing horizon. If water flow is encountered, we will cement from TD back to the stage cementer, open stage cementer, cement from stage cementer with sufficient volume of Class C or equivalent to bring cement up to at least 600' above the highest potential producing horizon, then balancing hydrostatic weight of the cement by adjusting the flow of water to surface through the 7" casing, enabling the 2nd stage of cement to set up. Casing will be shut in after twelve (12) hours. If there is no flow of water to surface around the 7" casing, we will cement the water flow proper through the stage cementer with +/- 900 sacks. In case the 2nd stage is not successful in shutting off any annular flow, we will repeat the 2nd stage until successful. After drilling out and testing the casing to 2000 PSI, a cement bond log will be run to evaluate the cement job.
- (6) Mud program: Native mud (red beds and shale) will be used to total depth. The surface hole will be drilled with fresh water and lost circulation materials as needed. The remaining hole will be drilled with brine water with necessary additives.
- (7) Logging program: If no water flow(s) are encountered, we will run Neutron Litho density-DLL logs. If water flow(s) are encountered, no open hole logging will be attempted, and after casing is set, cased hole GR/CN logs will be run. No other testing or coring is anticipated.

- (8) Abnormal pressures or hazards: No abnormal pressures or potential hazards are anticipated. The maximum anticipated bottom hole pressure is 1000#. The maximum anticipated bottom hole temperature is 91°F.
- (9) Other facets of the operation to be pointed out:  
None.

#### **(B) HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING PROGRAM**

- (1) Hydrogen Sulfide Training  
All personnel, whether regularly assigned, contracted, or employed on an unscheduled basis, will receive training from a qualified instructor in the following areas prior to commencing drilling operations on this well:
- a. The hazards and characteristics of Hydrogen Sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S).
  - b. The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.
  - c. The proper use of H<sub>2</sub>S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing areas, evacuation procedures and prevailing wind.
  - d. The proper techniques for first aid and rescue procedures.

In addition, supervisory personnel will be trained in the following areas:

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

There will be an initial training session just prior to encountering a known or probable H<sub>2</sub>S zone (within 3 days or 500 feet) and weekly H<sub>2</sub>S and well control drills for all personnel in each crew. The initial training session shall include a review of the site specific H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan and the Public Protection Plan (if applicable). This plan shall be available at the wellsite. All personnel will be required to carry documentation that they have received the proper training.

(2) H2S SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS

Note: all H2S safety equipment and systems will be installed, tested and operational when drilling reaches a depth of 500 feet above, or three days prior to penetrating the first zone containing or reasonably expected to contain H2S.

a. Well Control Equipment:

1. Choke manifold with a minimum of one remote-controlled choke.
2. The Hydril BOP will accommodate all pipe sizes with a properly sized closing unit.

b. Protective equipment for essential personnel:

1. Mark II Surviveair (or equivalent) 30 minute units located in the dog house and at the primary briefing area (to be determined.)

c. H2S detection and monitoring equipment:

1. Three (3) portable H2S monitors positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H2S levels of 20 PPM are reached.

d. Visual warning systems:

1. Wind direction indicators will be positioned for maximum visibility.
2. 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 reasonable distance from the immediate location. Bilingual signs will be used when appropriate.

e. Mud program:

1. The mud program has been designed to minimize the volume of H2S circulated to the surface. Proper mud weight, safe drilling practices and the use of H2S scavengers will minimize hazards when penetrating H2S bearing zones.

f. Metallurgy:

1. All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellheads, Hydril BOPS, drilling spools, kill lines, choke manifold, valves and lines will be suitable for H2S service.
2. All elastomers used for packing and seals shall be H2S trim.

g. Communication:

1. Cellular Telephone and/or 2-way radio will be provided at wellsite.
2. Landline telephone is located in field office.

h. Well testing:

1. No Drill stem testing or coring is planned for this well bore. Completion testing, if required, will be conducted under the same applicable H2S guidelines that were used in drilling.

(C) SURFACE USE PROGRAM

- (1) Existing roads: Exhibits A, B and C show maps of the general area. From Loco Hills, New Mexico east on US Hwy #82, to Co. Rd. #220, north on Co. Rd. #220 to intersection of Co.Rd. #221 (Skelly Rd.) and Co.Rd. #220 (Square Lake Rd.) go east on Co. Rd. #221 approx. 2/10 mile, turn right and go south approx. 2/10 mile then east approx. 305' feet to the Stevens A #15 location.
- (2) Access roads to be constructed: This location will require approx. 159' of new road into the well pad.
- (3) Location of existing wells: See Exhibit A.
- (4) Location of existing proposed production facilities:  
See Exhibit A for location of existing approved Stevens A Commingled Tank Battery facility on the lease. We propose to lay approx. 2000' of new flowline from this Cedar Lake, Yeso well to the existing Grayburg and Yeso Stevens A commingled Tank Battery on the Stevens A6 well pad. All production is allocated based on periodic individual well test.
- (5) Location and type of water supply: All water to be used in drilling the well will be brine or fresh water trucked from Loco Hills, New Mexico or fresh or produced water furnished by our waterflood facilities.

- (6) Construction materials: Construction material will be caliche which may be available at the proposed location. If not available on location or road, caliche will be hauled from nearest approved caliche pit.
- (7) Methods of handling waste disposal: Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the lined reserve drilling pit. Auxiliary emergency water containment pits may be necessitated by large volume water flows and these pits, which will hold only water, will not be lined. All drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate after drilling is completed, at which time pits will be back filled, leveled and reseeded. Trash, waste paper, garbage and junk will be placed in a portable screened trash container on location. All trash and debris will be transported to an authorized disposal station within 30 days following completion activities. Oil and/or water produced during testing operations will be stored in steel tanks until either sold or disposed of through one of our approved disposal methods.
- (8) Ancillary Facilities: There are no planned ancillary facilities.
- (9) Well site layout: Exhibit D shows the relative location and dimensions of the drilling pad and related components. Only minor differences, if any, in length and/or width of the drilling pad are anticipated, depending on which drilling contractor is selected to drill the well. Only minor leveling of the drilling site is anticipated.
- (10) Plans for restoration of the surface:
  - (a) After drilling and successful completion operations are finished, all equipment and other materials not required for normal production operations will be removed. Pits will be backfilled, leveled and re-seeded. Well site will be left in a neat condition.
  - (b) Any unguarded pits containing fluid will be fenced until backfilled.
  - (c) After abandonment of the well, surface restoration will be in accordance with regulations of the SMA. Pits will be backfilled and location will be cleaned. The pit area, well pad and all unneeded access roads will be ripped to promote revegetation. Rehabilitation should be accomplished within 90 days after abandonment.
- (11) Surface ownership: All lands are Federal.



- (12) Other information: The topography of the area is relatively flat, with small hills and sand dunes. The soil is fine, deep sand underlain by caliche. Vegetation cover is generally sparse and consists of mesquite, yucca, oak shinnery and sparse native grasses. Wildlife in the area is typical of that of semi-arid lands and includes coyotes, rabbits, rodents, reptiles, dove and quail. There are no ponds, streams or residences in the area. There is intermittent cattle grazing and hunting in the area; however, the principal land use is for oil and gas production. An archaeological clearance report will be sent to you by a BLM approved archaeological service.
- (13) Operator's representative: Our field representative responsible for compliance with the approved surface use and operations plan is:

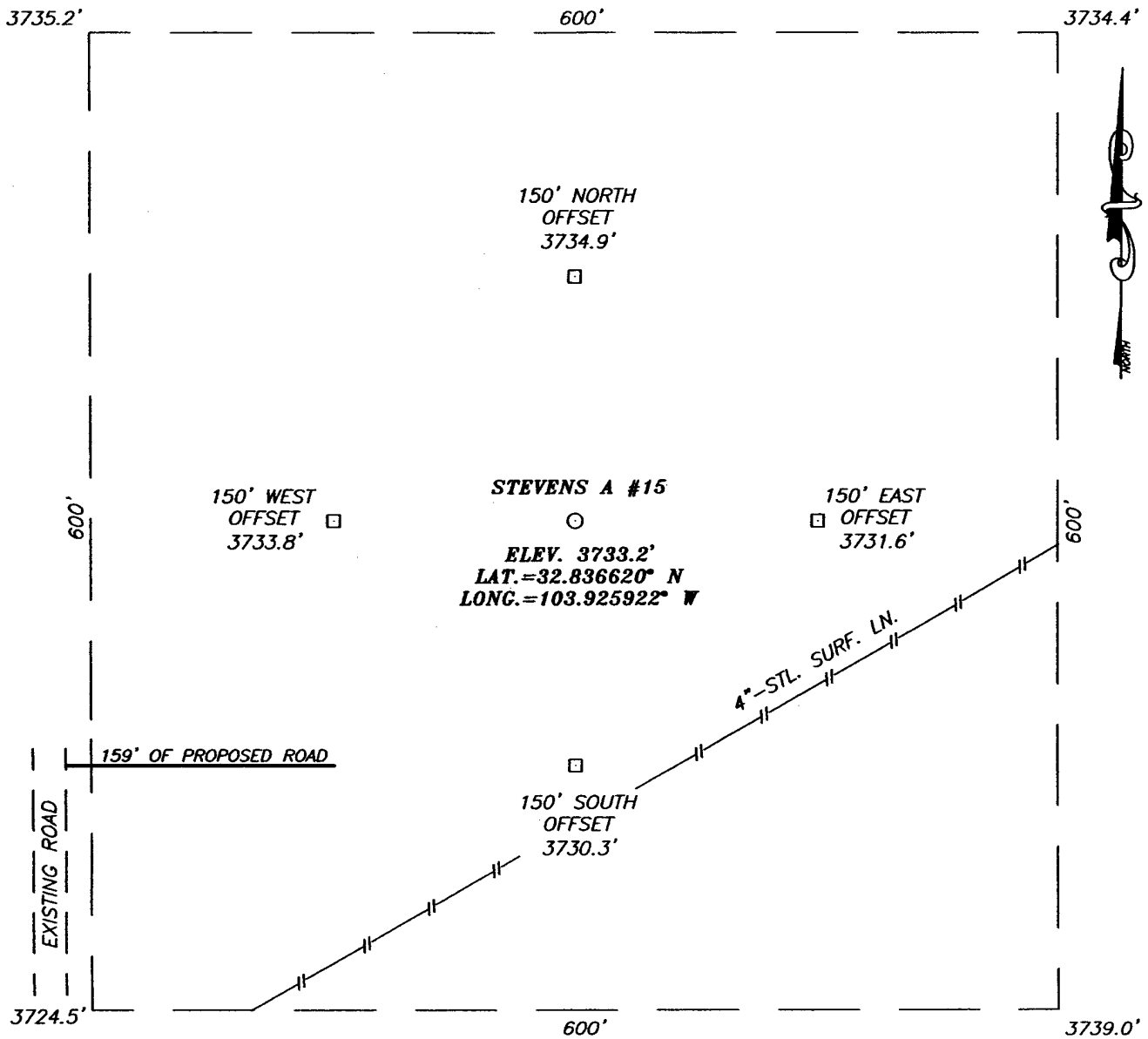
Mr. Belton Mathews, District Supt.  
P.O. Box 188  
Loco Hills, New Mexico 88255  
Office phone: 505-677-2313  
Home phone: 505-746-8647  
Cellular phone: 505-746-7979

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision have inspected the drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions that currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with operations proposed herein will be performed by Burnett Oil Co., Inc. and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Date: 11/21/2006

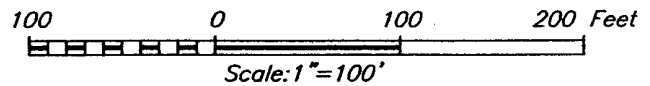
By: Mark A. Jacoby  
Mark A. Jacoby  
Engineering Manager

**SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, N.M.P.M.,**  
 EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO



**DIRECTIONS TO LOCATION**

FROM THE INTERSECTION OF CO. RD. #221 (SKELLY RD.) AND CO. RD. #220 (SQUARE LAKE RD.), GO EAST ON CO. RD. #221 APPROX. 0.2 MILES. TURN RIGHT AND GO SOUTH APPROX. 0.2 MILES. THIS LOCATION IS APPROX. 305 FEET EAST.



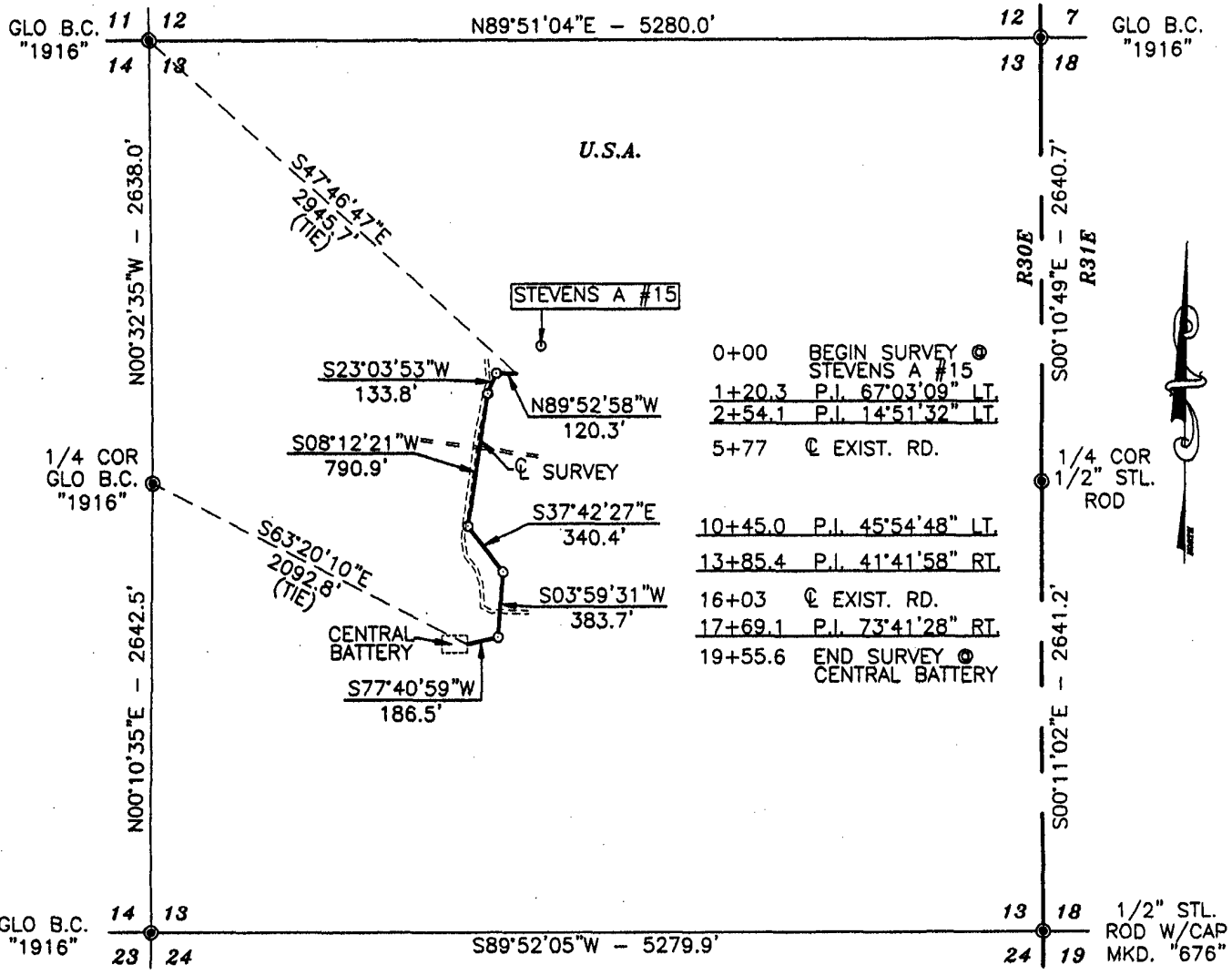
**BURNETT OIL COMPANY**

STEVENS A #15 WELL  
 LOCATED 1820 FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE  
 AND 2310 FEET FROM THE WEST LINE OF SECTION 13,  
 TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, N.M.P.M.,  
 EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Survey Date: 10/25/06	Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets
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Date: 11/02/06	Disk: CD#6 06111662 Scale: 1"=100'

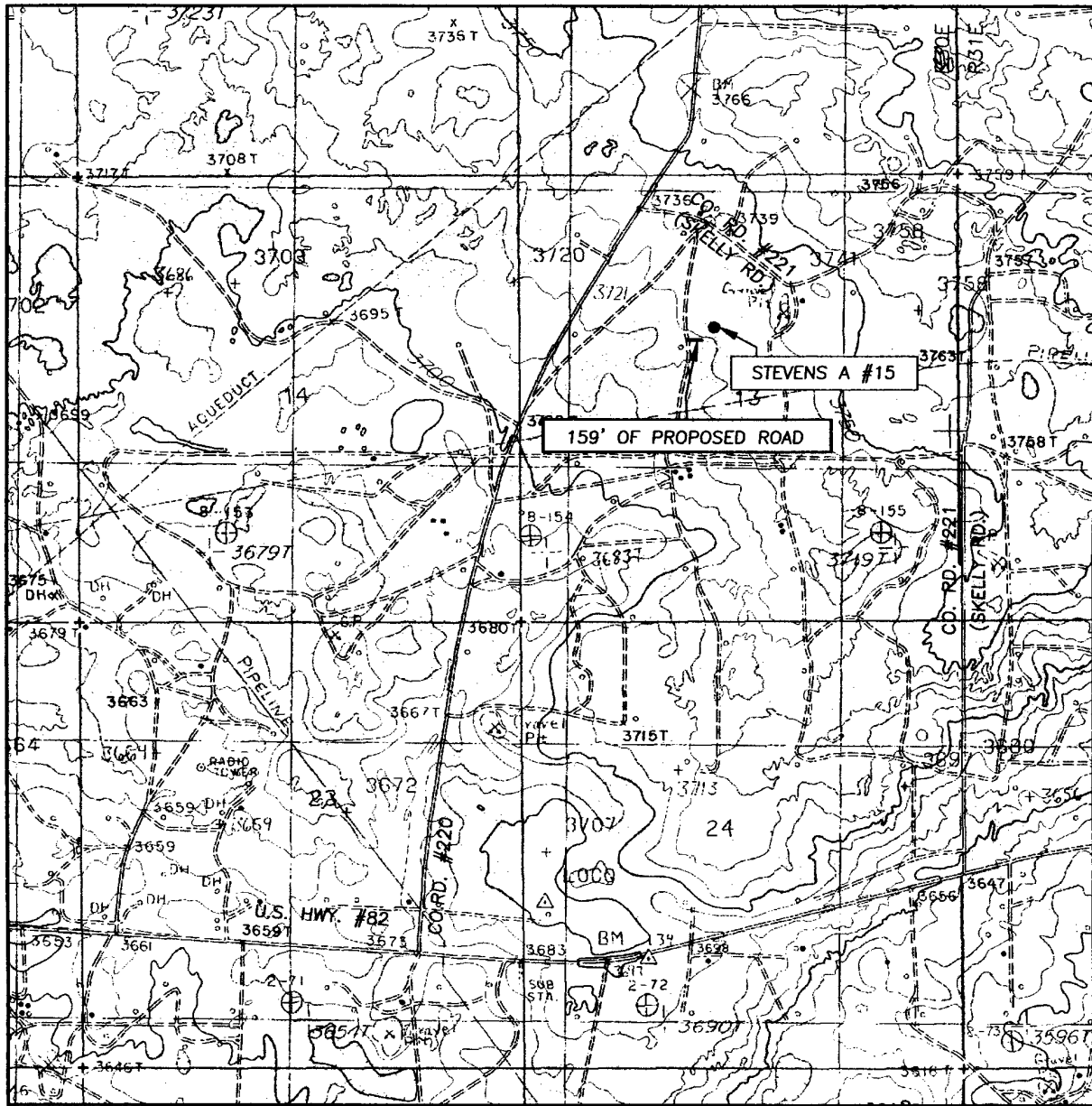
PROVIDING SURVEYING SERVICES  
 SINCE 1946  
**JOHN WEST SURVEYING COMPANY**  
 412 N. DAL PASO  
 HOBBS, N.M. 88240  
 (505) 393-3117

SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, N.M.P.M.,  
 EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.





# LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP



SCALE: 1" = 2000'

CONTOUR INTERVAL:  
LOCO HILLS, N.M. - 10'

SEC. 13 TWP. 17-S RGE. 30-E

SURVEY N.M.P.M.

COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW MEXICO


DESCRIPTION 1820' FNL & 2310' FWL

ELEVATION 3733'

OPERATOR BURNETT OIL COMPANY

LEASE STEVENS A

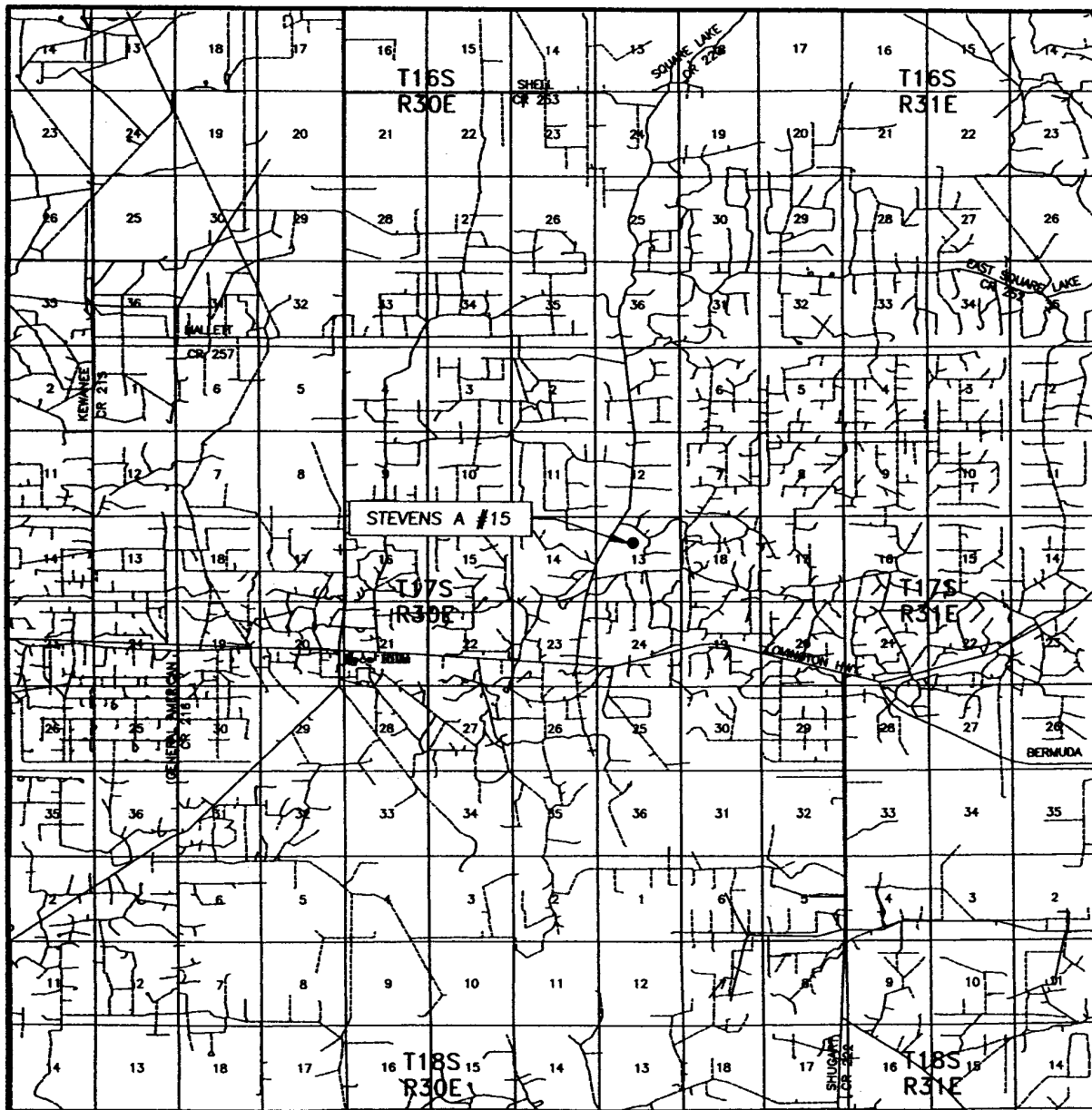
U.S.G.S. TOPOGRAPHIC MAP  
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STEVENS A #15  
EXHIBIT "B"

# VICINITY MAP



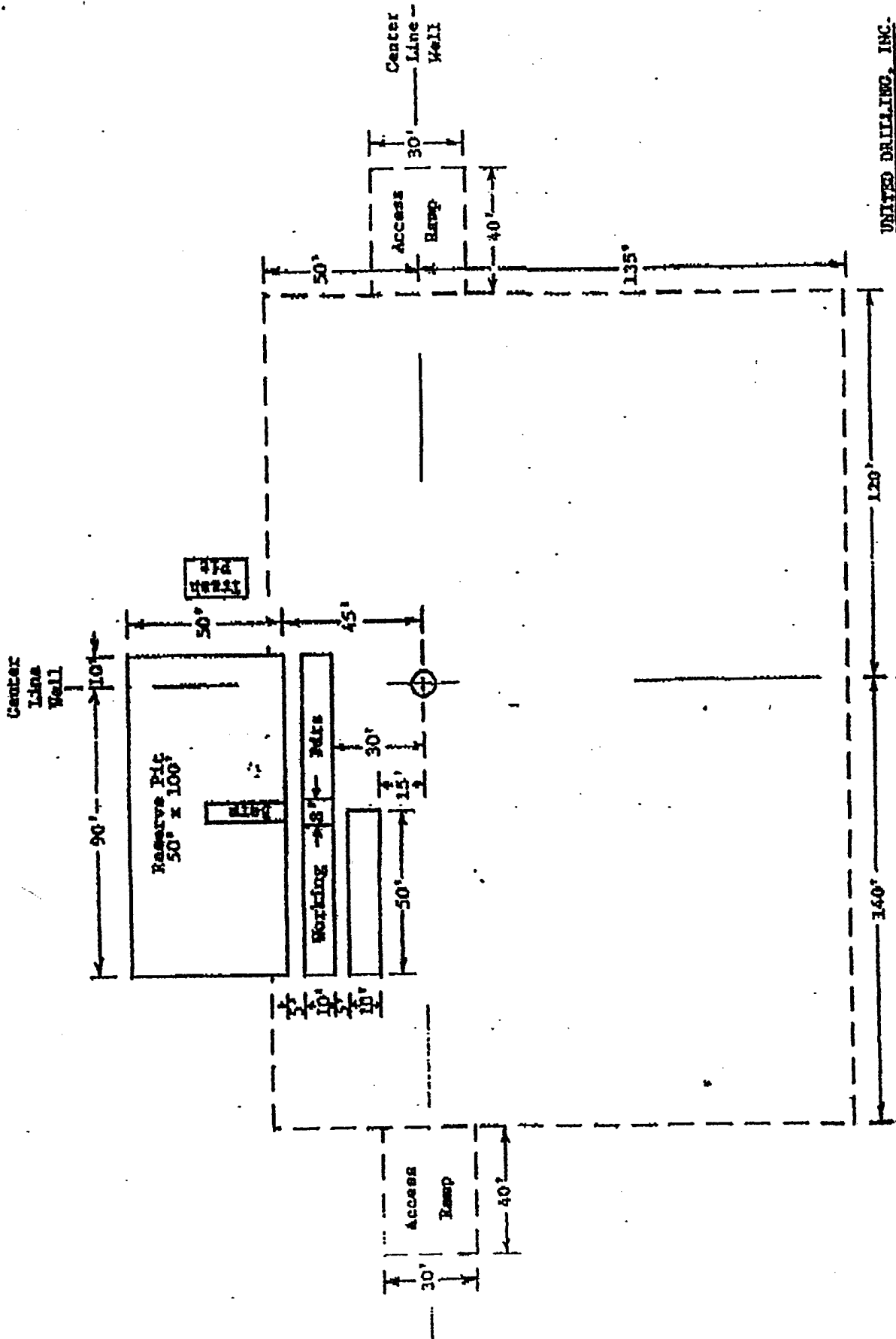
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SEC. 13 TWP. 17-S RGE. 30-E  
 SURVEY \_\_\_\_\_ N.M.P.M. \_\_\_\_\_  
 COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW MEXICO  
 DESCRIPTION 1820' FNL & 2310' FWL  
 ELEVATION 3733'  
 OPERATOR BURNETT OIL COMPANY  
 LEASE STEVENS A



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STEVENS A #15  
 EXHIBIT "C"



UNITED DRILLING, INC.

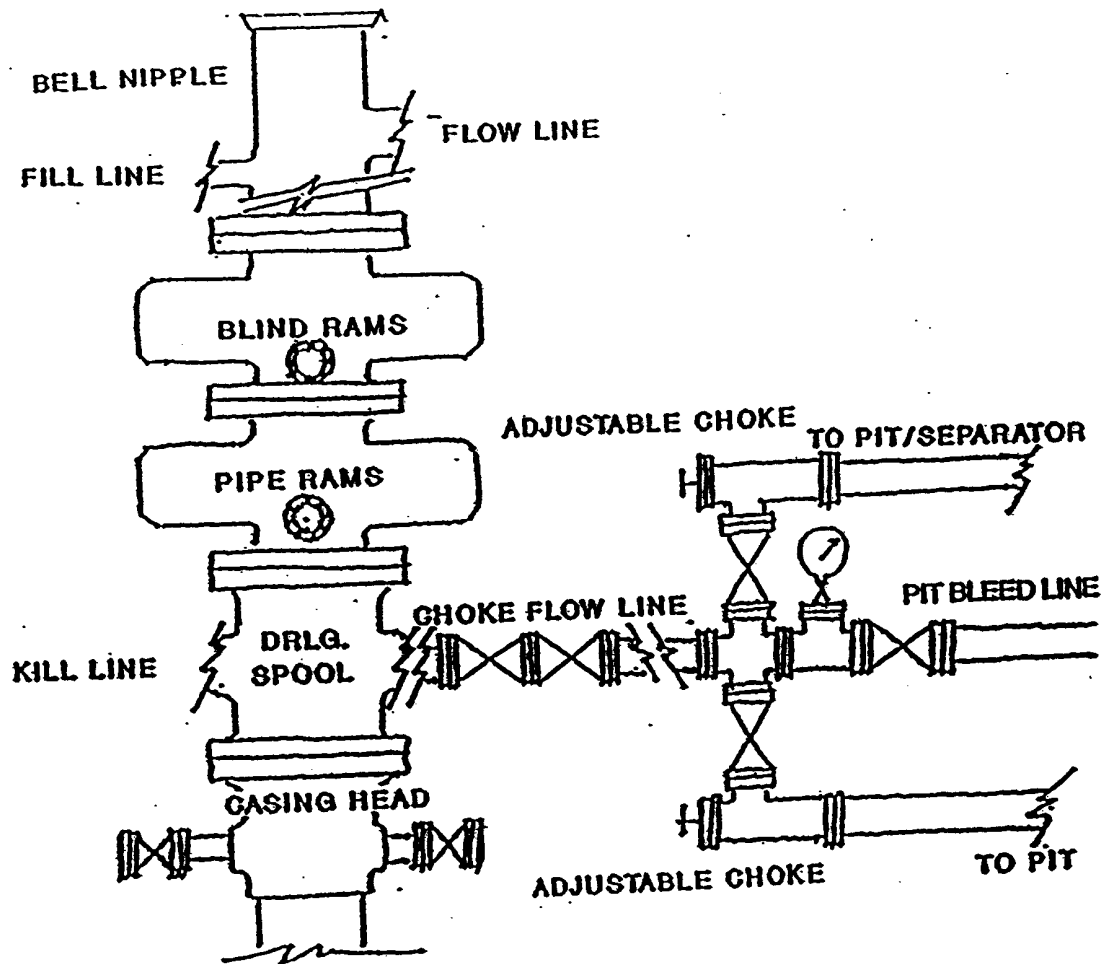
LOCATION FLAT

RIG

Scale: 1"=40'

STEVENS A #15  
EXHIBIT "D"

BURNETT OIL CO., INC.  
PROPOSED DRILL SITE LAYOUT



**BURNETT OIL CO., INC.**

**BLOWOUT PREVENTER &  
 CHOKE MANIFOLD DIAGRAM  
 2000 PSI WORKING PRESSURE  
 SERIES 600 FLANGES**

STEVENS A #15  
 EXHIBIT "E"



SPECIAL DRILLING STIPULATIONS

THE FOLLOWING DATA IS REQUIRED ON THE WELL SIGN

Operator's Name: Burnett Oil Company, Inc. Well Name & #: Stevens A Fed. #15  
Location 1820 F N L & 2310 F W L; Sec. 13, T. 17 S., R. 30 E.  
Lease #: LC-030570A County: Eddy State: New Mexico

The Special stipulations check marked below are applicable to the above described well and approval of this application to drill is conditioned upon compliance with such stipulations in addition to the General Requirements. The permittee should be familiar with the General Requirements, a copy of which is available from a Bureau of Land Management office. EACH PERMITTEE HAS THE RIGHT OF ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL TO THESE STIPULATIONS PURSUANT TO TITLE 43 CFR 3165.3 AND 3165.4.

This permit is valid for a period of one year from the date of approval or until lease expiration or termination whichever is shorter.

I. SPECIAL ENVIRONMENT REQUIREMENTS

- Lesser Prairie Chicken (stips attached)                       Flood plain (stips attached)  
 San Simon Swale (stips attached)                               Other

II. ON LEASE - SURFACE REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO DRILLING

The BLM will monitor construction of this drill site. Notify the  Carlsbad Field Office at (505) 234-5972  Hobbs Office (505) 393-3612, at least 3 working days prior to commencing construction.

Roads and the drill pad for this well must be surfaced with 6 inches of compacted caliche upon completion of well and it is determined to be a producer.

All topsoil and vegetation encountered during the construction of the drill site area will be stockpiled and made available for resurfacing of the disturbed area after completion of the drilling operation. Topsoil on the subject location is approximately \_\_\_\_\_ inches in depth. Approximately \_\_\_\_\_ cubic yards of topsoil material will be stockpiled for reclamation.

Other. **V-Door East (Reserve pits to the North). Redirect drainage around the well pad to the south.**

III. WELL COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

A Communitization Agreement covering the acreage dedicated to the well must be filed for approval with the BLM. The effective date of the agreement must be prior to any sales.

Surface Restoration: If the well is a producer, the reserve pit(s) will be backfilled when dry, and cut-and-fill slopes will be reduced to a slope of 3:1 or less. All areas of the pad not necessary for production must be re-contoured to resemble the original contours of the surrounding terrain, and topsoil must be re-distributed and re-seeded with a drill equipped with a depth indicator (set at depth of 1/2 inch) with the following seed mixture, in pounds of Pure Live Seed (PLS), per acre. If broadcasting, the seeding rate must be doubled.

- A. Seed Mixture 1 (Loamy Sites)  
Side Oats Grama (*Bouteloua curtipendula*) 5.0  
Sand Dropseed (*Sporobolus cryptandrus*) 1.0  
Plains lovegrass (*Eragrostis intermedia*) 0.5

- B. Seed Mixture 2 (Sandy Sites)  
Sand Dropseed (*Sporobolus crptandrus*) 1.0  
Sand Lovegrass (*Eragrostis trichodes*) 1.0  
Plains Bristlegrass (*Setaria magrostachya*) 2.0

- C. Seed Mixture 3 (Shallow Sites)  
Side oats Grama (*Bouteloua curtipendula*) 5.0  
Green Spangletop (*Leptochloa dubia*) 2.0  
Plains Bristlegrass (*Setaria magrostachya*) 1.0

- D. Seed Mixture 4 (Gypsum Sites)  
Alkali Sacaton (*Sporobolus airoides*) 1.0  
Four-Wing Saltbush (*Atriplex canescens*) 5.0

OTHER SEE ATTACHED SEED MIXTURE

Seeding should be done either late in the fall (September 15 - November 15, before freeze up, or early as possible the following spring to take advantage of available ground moisture.

Other

#### RESERVE PIT CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS

The reserve pit shall be constructed entirely in cut material and lined with 6-mil plastic. Mineral material extracted from within the boundary of the APD during construction of the well pad and reserve pits and be used for the construction of this well pad and its immediate access road only, as long as that portion of the access road it is use on remains on-lease. Removal of any additional material from this location for construction or improvement of other well pads and other access or lease roads must first be purchased from BLM.

Reclamation: Reclamation of this type of deep pit will consist of pushing the pit walls into the pit when sufficiently dry to support track equipment. The pit liner is NOT TO BE RUPTURED to facilitate drying; a ten month period after completion of the well is allowed for drying of the pit contents.

The pit area must be contoured to the natural terrain with all contaminated drilling mud buried with at least 3 feet of clean soil. The reclaimed area will then be seeded as specified in this permit.

#### CULTURAL

Whether or not an archaeological survey has been completed and notwithstanding that operations are being conducted as approved, the lessee/operator/grantee shall notify the BLM immediately if previously unidentified cultural resources are observed during surface disturbing operations. From the time of the observation, the lessee/operator/grantee shall avoid operations that will result in disturbance to these cultural resources until directed to process by BLM.

#### TRASH PIT STIPS

All trash, junk, and other waste material shall be contained in trash cages or bins to prevent scattering and will be removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. Burial on site is not permitted.

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No surface use is allowed during the following time periods; unless otherwise specified, this stipulation does not apply to operation and maintenance of production facilities.

On the lands described below:

T. 17 S., R. 30 E  
Section 13: ALL

For the purpose of: Protecting Prairie Chickens:

Drilling for oil and gas, and 3-D geophysical exploration operations will not be allowed in Lesser Prairie Chicken Habitat during the period of March 15 through June 15, each year. 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 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. The 3:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during the 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.

## CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - DRILLING

Well Name & No.      Stevens A # 15  
Operator's Name:     Burnett Oil Co Inc  
Location:              1820' FNL, 2310' FWL, SEC13, T17S, R30E, Eddy County, NM  
Lease:                  LC-030570A

### I. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified at the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822 for wells in Eddy County; and the Hobbs Field Station, 414 West Taylor, Hobbs NM 88240, (505) 393-3612 for wells in Lea County, in sufficient time for a representative to witness:

A. Spudding

B. Cementing casing: 9.625 inch 7 inch

C. BOP tests

2. A Hydrogen Sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S) Drilling Plan should be activated prior to drilling into the Grayburg Formation. A copy of the plan shall be posted at the drilling site.

3. 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.

4. Submit a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5, one original and five copies) for each casing string, describing the casing and cementing operations. Include pertinent information such as; spud date, hole size, casing ( size, weight, grade and thread type), cement (type, quantity and top), water zones and problems or hazards encountered. The Sundry shall be submitted within 15 days of completion of each casing string. The reports may be combined into the same Sundry if they fall within the same 15 day time frame.

5. The API No. assigned to the well by NMOCD shall be included on the subsequent report of setting the first casing string.

6. 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.

7. Gamma-Ray/Neutron logs shall be run from the base of the Salado Formation to the surface; cable speed not to exceed 30 feet per minute.

### II. CASING:

1. The 9.625 inch surface casing shall be set ABOVE THE SALT, AT LEAST 25 feet INTO THE RUSTLER ANHYDRITE @ APPROXIMATELY 400 FEET, below usable water and cement circulated to the surface. If cement does not circulate to the surface the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey or cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Remedial cementing shall be completed prior to drilling out that string.

2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 7 inch production casing is cement shall CIRCULATE TO THE SURFACE.

5. Whenever a casing string is cemented in the R-111-P Potash Area, cement shall be allowed to stand a minimum of twelve (12) hours under pressure and a total of twenty-four (24) hours before drilling the plug or initiating tests.

### **III. PRESSURE CONTROL:**

1. All BOP systems and related equipment shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2. The BOP and related equipment shall be installed and operational before drilling below the 9.625 inch casing shoe and shall be tested as described in Onshore Order No. 2. Any equipment failing to test satisfactorily shall be repaired or replaced.

2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) is 2000 psi.

3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness the tests.

- A variance to test the \_\_\_\_\_ to the reduced pressure of \_\_\_\_psi with the rig pumps is approved.
- The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
- The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- Testing fluid must be water or an appropriate clear liquid suitable for sub-freezing temperatures. Use of drilling mud for testing is not permitted since it can mask small leaks.
- Testing must be done in a safe workman-like manner. Hard line connections shall be required.

**4. Minimum size for the lines and valves for the kill line, choke line and choke manifold is 2 inches.**

### **IV. MUD**

1. **The minimum mud weight for drilling this well is 8.4 ppg.**

**Engineers can be reached at 505-706-2779 for any variances that might be necessary.**

F Wright 12/21/06