**UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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OMB No. 1004-0136 Expires July 31, 2010

Lease Serial No. NMLC068905

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT	TO DRILL OR REENTER	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
Ia. Type of Work: DRILL REENTER	CONFIDENTIAL	7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.
1b. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Oth  2. Name of Operator Contact: CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. E-Mail: linda.goo	LINDA GOOD	8. Lease Name and Well No. PLU BIG SINKS 11 FEDERAL 1H 3773 9  9. API Well No.
3a. Address OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73154-0496	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 405-935-4275 Fx: 405-849-4275	30-015-37147  10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory  POKER LAKE WILDCAT; Bone Spring
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in according to 100)  At surface SWSE 350FSL 1700FEL  At proposed prod. zone NWNE 350FNL 1700FEL	B. Hunt pu SN death 115-89	Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. and Survey or Area Sec 11 T24S R30E Mer NMP SME: BLM
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post APPROXIMATELY 21 MILES EAST OF MALAG		12. County or Parish 13. State NM
15. Distance from proposed location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	16. No. of Acres in Lease 1960.00	17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 160.00
18. Distance from proposed location to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.	19. Proposed Depth P12.07 H01LS  13060 MD /1450  8652 TVD	20. BLM/BIA Bond No on file NM2634
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KB, RT, GL, etc. 3560 GL 3471	22. Approximate date work will start	23. Estimated duration
	24. Attachments	
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of the following of the second of the following plan.  1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.  2. A Drilling Plan.  3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest Sys SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Of the second of the following plan is a service of the second of the se	4. Bond to cover the operati Item 20 above). 5. Operator certification	o this form:  ons unless covered by an existing bond on file (see  information and/or plans as may be required by the
25. Signature (Electronic Submission)	Name (Printed/Typed) LINDA GOOD Ph: 405-935-4275	Date 12/23/2008
Title SR. REGULATORY COMPLIANCE SPEC		
Approved by (Signature)  Welliam Marke age	Name (Printed/Typed) William Methege	Date 6-23-69
STATE DIRECTOR	NM STATE OFFIC	3
Application approval does not warrant or certify the applicant hoperations thereon Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.	MATA HARderian ucu- all	NAL-FOR-TWO-YEARS
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations.	make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully	to make to any department or agency of the United
Additional Operator Remarks (see next page)	CARLSB	AD CONTROLLED WATER BASIN
For CHESA	sion #65850 verified by the BLM Well Infor NPEAKE OPERATING, INC., sent to the Ca Processing by TESSA CISNEROS on 12/30	risbad

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SEE ATTACHED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO

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## **DESIGNATION OF AGENT**

The undersigned is, on the records of	the Bureau of Land Management,
unit operator under the <u>Po</u> agreement, <u>Eddy</u> County, <u>N</u>	lew Mexico No. 14-08-001-303
approved and effective on <u>March 18</u>	
NAME: Chesapeake B	
ADDRESS: 6100 N Wester	
Oklahoma Cit	
	and on whom the authorized officer or his actions in securing compliance with the oil and gas esting, and completing the Big Sinks 11 Fed. #1H
	signated agent, the unit operator will make full and terms, or orders of the Secretary of the Interior or
The unit operator agrees promptly to r designated agent.	notify the authorized officer of any change in the
This designation of agent is deemed to arrangement, and a designated agent may no	o be temporary and in no manner a permanent of designate another party as agent.
specified unit well. Unless sooner terminated filed in the appropriate office of the Bureau of	le the agent herein designated to drill the above , this designation shall terminate when there is Land Management a completed file of all required It is also understood that this designation of agent lude administrative actions requiring specific
	BEPCO, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership
	By: BEPCO Genpar, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company, general partner
<u>9- 15 -08</u> Date	(Unit Operator) W. Frank McCreight, Vice President

## OCD-ARTESIA

Form 3160-5 (August 2007)

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0135 Expires: July 31, 2010

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Type of Well				8. Well Name and No.			
Oil Well Gas Well Other				PLU BIG SINKS	11 FEDERAL 14H ( )		
Name of Operator CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC	Contact <sup>*</sup> LC. E-Mail: linda.good@	INDA GOOD Behk.com		9. API Well No.			
. Address		3b. Phone No. (include	arca code)	10 Field and Pool, or	Exploratory		
P.O. BOX 18496 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73154-04		Ph: 405-935-4275		WILDCAT-BON			
Location of Well (Footage, Sec. T, R	, M , or Survey Description)			11. County or Parish,	and State		
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12. CHECK APPROI	PRIATE BOX(ES) TO	INDICATE NATUI	RE OF NOTICE	E, REPORT, OR OTHE	R DATA		
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DISTRICT I 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240 DISTRICT II 1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210

State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102 Revised October 12, 2005

Submit to Appropriate District Office

State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

### DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

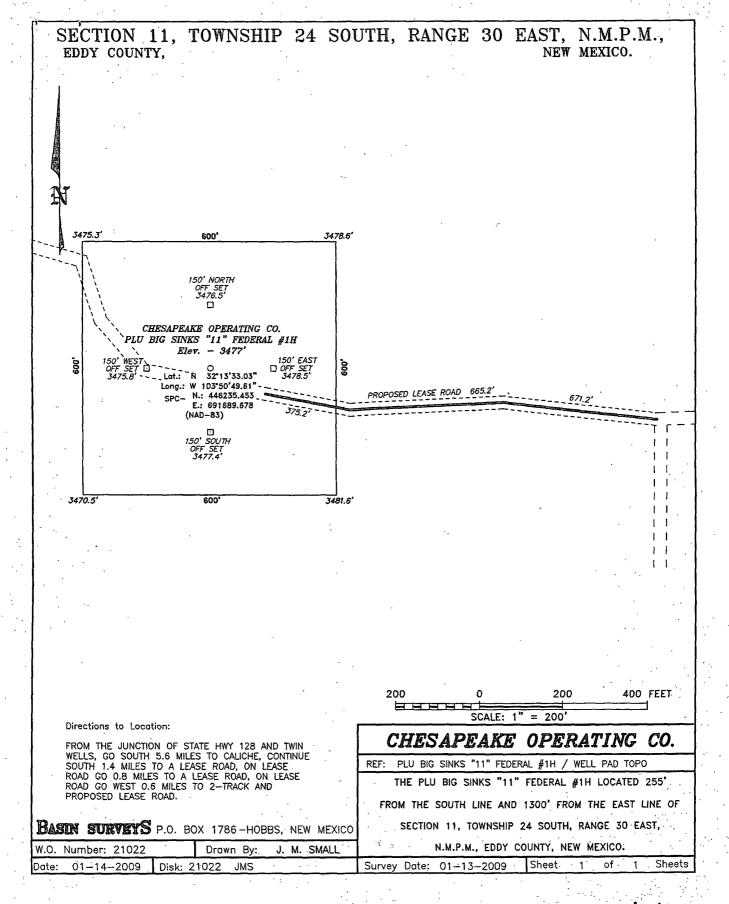
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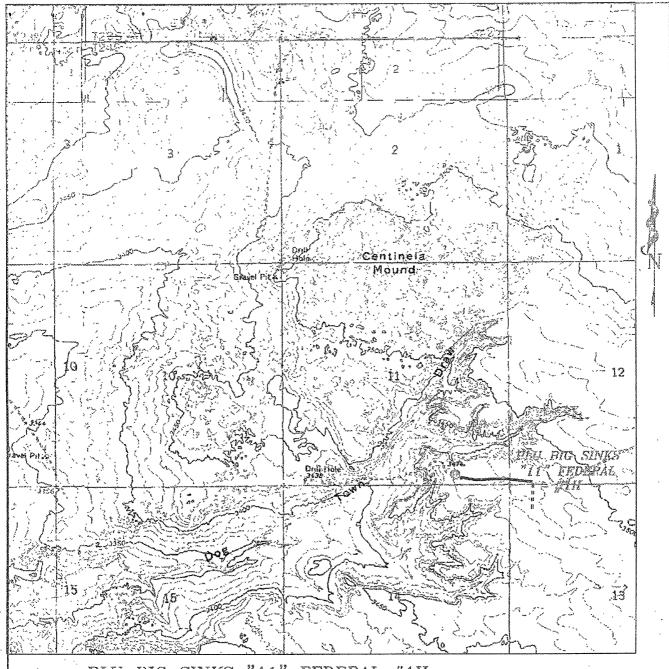
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD HAT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

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	BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION   Lot - N32'14'19.23"   Long - W103'50'54.43"   SPC-N.: 450902.391   SPC-N.: 450902.391   (NAD-83)	1700	OPERATOR CERTIFICATION  I hereby certify that the information contained 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 hale location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.
			Signature Date  Linda Good  Printed Name  SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION
***************************************		4668.3	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 supervison and that the same ts trus and correct to the best of my belief.  JANUARY 2009  Date Surveyors  Signature & Section
	   SURFACE LOCATION   Lat - N32'13'33.03"   Long - W103'50'49.61"   SPC- N.: 446235.453   SPC- E.: 691689.678   (NAD-83)	3475.3'3478.6'	W. S. Certificate No. Gary L. Jones 7977  BASIN SURVEYS





PLU BIG SINKS "11" FEDERAL #1H Located at 255' FSL AND 1300' FEL Section 11, Township 24 South, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.



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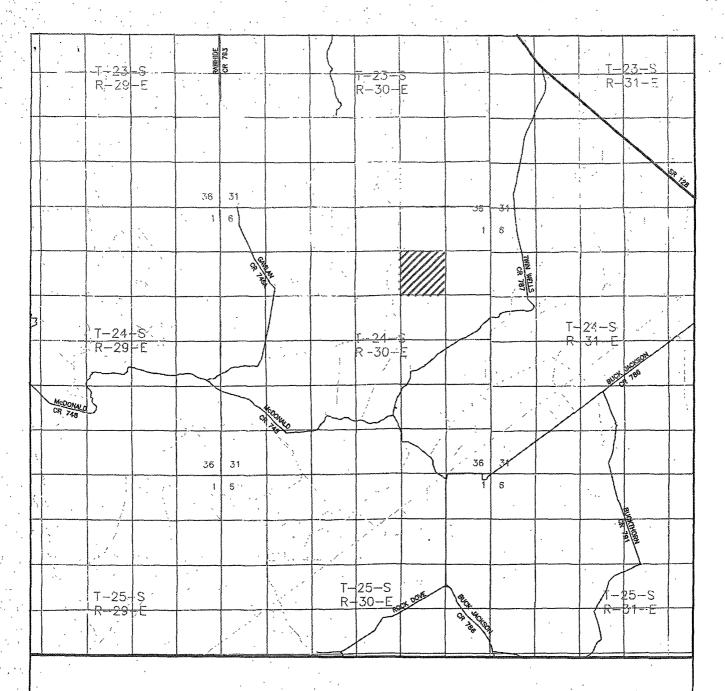
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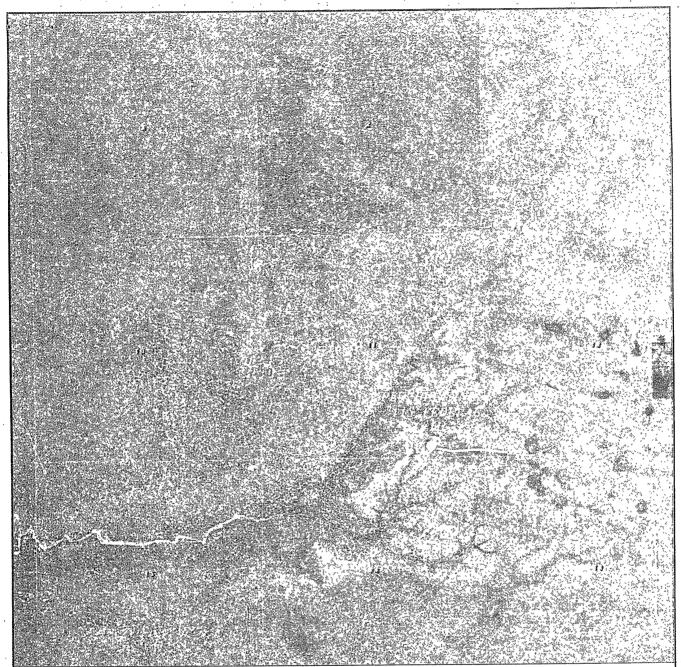
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## **Additional Operator Remarks:**

PILOT HOLE: 11,450' TVD/MD.

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS PERMISSION TO DRILL A WELL TO 13,060? TO TEST THE BONE SPRING FORMATION. IF PRODUCTIVE, CASING WILL BE RUN AND THE WELL COMPLETED. IF DRY, THE WELL WILL BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED AS PER BLM AND NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION REQUIREMENTS.

PLEASE FIND THE SURFACE USE PLAN AND DRILLING PROGRAM AS REQUIRED BY ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1.

ATTACHED ARE THE EXHIBIT A-1 TO A-4 SURVEY PLATS, EXHIBIT B 1 MILE RADIUS PLAT, EXHIBIT C PRODUCTION FACILITY, EXHIBIT D CAPSTAR RIG #32 LAYOUT, EXHIBIT E ARCH. SURVEY, EXHIBIT F-1 TO F-3 BOP & CHOKE MANIFOLD AND EXHIBIT G DIRECTIONAL DRILL PLAN.

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. HAS AN AGREEMENT WITH THE SURFACE OWNER.

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE OPERATOR OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED WELL. CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC. AGREES TO BE RESPONSIBLE UNDER THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LEASE FOR THE OPERATIONS CONDUCTED UPON THE LEASE LANDS.

(CHK PN 623047)

## CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC

## Proposed Well Schematic (drilling)

WELL : PLU BIG SINKS 11 FEDERAL 1H

SHL : Section 11 - 24S - 30E, 255' FSL & 1300' FEL

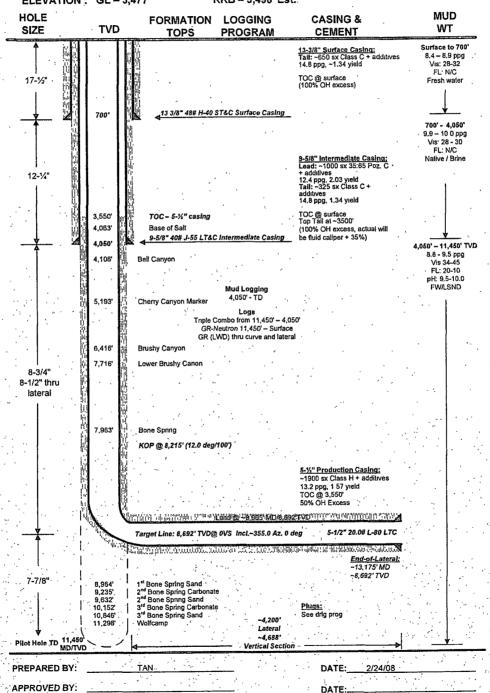
BHL : Section 11 - 24S - 30E, 350' FNL & 1700' FEL

COUNTY : Eddy

STATE : New Mexico

FIELD : Delaware Basin North

ELEVATION: GL - 3,477' RKB - 3,498' Est.



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## ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1 Approval of Operations on Onshore Federal and Indian Oil and Gas Leases

All lease and/or unit operations are to be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with the applicable laws, regulations (CFR 43, Part 3160) and the approved Application for Permit to Drill. The operator is considered fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of the approved APD must be on location during construction, drilling and completion operations.

Approval of this application does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease, which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

## 1. FORMATION TOPS

The estimated tops of important geologic markers are as follows:

Formation	Subsea KBTVD	KBTVD
BASE OF SALT	-540'	4,058'
BELL CANYON	-584'	4,102'
CHERRY CANYON	-1,645'	5,163'
MARKER	,	
BRUSHY CANYON	-3,121'	6,639'
LOWER BRUSHY CANYON	-4,129'	7,647'
BONE SPRING	-4,410'	7,928'
1 <sup>ST</sup> BONE SPRING SAND	-5,414'	8,932'
2 <sup>ND</sup> BONE SPRING	-5,780'	9,298'
CARBONATE		
2 <sup>ND</sup> BONE SPRING SAND	-6,244'	9,762'
3 <sup>RD</sup> BONE SPRING	-6,578'	10,096'
CARBONATE	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
3 <sup>RD</sup> BONE SPRING SAND	-7,350'	10,868'
WOLFCAMP	-7,755'	11,273'
PILOT HOLE	TD ·	-11 <del>,400'</del> - 11,450

## 2. <u>ESTIMATED DEPTH OF WATER, OIL, GAS & OTHER MINERAL BEARING</u> FORMATIONS

The estimated depths at which the top and bottom of the anticipated water, oil, gas or other mineral bearing formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

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SubstanceFormationDepthOil/GasBell Canyon4,102'Oil/GasCherry Canyon5,163'Oil/GasBrushy Canyon6,639'Oil/GasBone Spring7,928'

All shows of fresh water and minerals will be reported and protected.

## 3. BOP EQUIPMENT:

Will have a 3000 psi simplified rental stack (see proposed schematic) for drill out below surface casing; this system will be tested to 2000 psi working pressure.

See  $\swarrow$  Will have a 5000 psi rig stack (see proposed schematic) for drill out below COA intermediate casing; this system will be tested to 3000 psi working pressure.

Chesapeake Operating, Inc.'s minimum specifications for pressure control equipment are as follows:

## 1. BOP, Annular, Choke Manifold, Pressure Test - See Exhibit F-1 and F-3.

## A. Equipme nt

- 1. The equipment to be tested includes all of the following that is installed on the well:
  - (a) Ram-type and annular preventers,
  - (b) Choke manifolds and valves,
  - (c) Kill lines and valves, and
  - (d) Upper and lower kelly cock valves, inside BOP's and safety valves.

## B. Tes t Frequency

- 1. All tests should be performed with clear water,
  - (a) when installed,
  - (b) before drilling out each casing string,
  - (c) at any time that there is a repair requiring a pressure seal to be broken in the assembly, and
  - (d) at least once every 30 days while drilling.

## C. Test Pressure

- 1. In some drilling operations, the pressures to be used for low and high-pressure testing of preventers and casing may be different from those given below due to governmental regulations, or approved local practices.
- 2. If an individual component does not test at the low pressure, **do not**, test to the high pressure and then drop back down to the low pressure.
- 3. All valves located downstream of a valve being tested must be placed in the open position.
- 4. All equipment will be tested with an initial "low pressure" test at 250 psi.

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5. The subsequent "high pressure" test will be conducted at the rated working pressure of the equipment for all equipment except the annular preventer.

- 6. The "high pressure" test for the annular preventer will be conducted at 70% of
- 7. the rated working pressure.
- 8. A record of all pressures will be made on a pressure-recording chart.

## D. Test Duration

In each case, the individual components should be monitored for leaks for <u>10</u> <u>minutes</u>, with no observable pressure decline, once the test pressure as been applied.

## II. Accumulator Performance Test

## A. Scope

1. The purpose of this test is to check the capabilities of the BOP control systems, and to detect deficiencies in the hydraulic oil volume and recharge time.

## B. Tes t Frequency

 The accumulator is to be tested each time the BOP's are tested, or any time a major repair is performed.

## C. Minimum Requirements

- The accumulator should be of sufficient volume to supply 1.5 times the volume to close and hold all BOP equipment in sequence, <u>without recharging</u> and the <u>pump turned off</u>, and have remaining pressures of <u>200 PSI above the</u> <u>precharge pressure</u>.
- 2. Minimum precharge pressures for the various accumulator systems per manufacturers recommended specifications are as follows:

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- Closing times for the Hydril should be less than <u>20 seconds</u>, and for the ramtype preventers less than <u>10 seconds</u>.
- 4. System Recharge time should not exceed 10 minutes.

## D. Test Procedure

1. Shut accumulator pumps off and record accumulator pressure.

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- 2. In sequence, close the annular and one set of properly sized pipe rams, and open the HCR valve.
- 3. Record time to close or open each element and the remaining accumulator pressure after each operation.
- 4. Record the remaining accumulator pressure at the end of the test sequence. Per the previous requirement, this pressure should not be less than the following pressures:

System Pressure	Remaining Pressure At Conclusion of
	Test
1,500 PSI	950 PSI
2,000 PSI	1,200 PSI
3,000 PSI	1,200 PSI

- 5. Turn the accumulator pumps on and record the recharge time. This time should not exceed **10 minutes**:
- 6. Open annular and ram-type preventers. Close HCR valve.
- 7. Place all 4-way control valves in <u>full open</u> or <u>full closed</u> position. <u>Do not leave in neutral position</u>.

## 4. CASING PROGRAM

a. The proposed casing program will be as follows:

Purpose	Interval	Hole Size	Casing Size	Weight	Grade	Thread	Condition
Surface	Surface - 700'	17-1/2"	13-3/8"	48.0#	H-40	STC	New
Intermediate	Surface – 4,050'	12-1/4"	9-5/8"	40.0#	J-55	LTC	New
Production	Surface – 13,060	8-3/4" (4050'-	5-1/2"	20.0#	L-80	LTC	New
	19,000	8965')/ 8-1/2"	^				
		8965'- TD)	. ,	,	-		

- b. Casing design subject to revision based on geologic conditions encountered.
- c. Casing Safety Factors:

13-3/8" Surface Casing: SFb = 1.6, SFc = 3.9 and SFt = 6

9-5/8" Intermediate Casing: SFb = 2.3, SFc = 3.4 and SFt = 3.1

5-1/2" Production Casing: SFb = 1.8, SFc = 2.0 and SFt = 3.4

d. The cementing program will be as follows:



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## See COA > 5. Cementing Program

Interval	Type	Amount	<u>Yield</u>	Top Of Cement	Excess
Surface	Tail: Class C 1% CaCl2 (Accelerator)	650 sks	1.34	Surface	100%
Intermediate	Lead: 35/65 Poz/Class C	1000 sks	2.0	Surface	100%
	Tail: Class C	325 sks	1.34		100%
Production	Class H 0.5% Halad344 (Fluid Loss Control) 0.4% CFR-3 (Dispersant)	1900 sks	1.60	3,550° See COA	50%
	1 lbm/sk Salt 0.3% HR-7 (Retarder) 0.25 lbm D-AIR 3000 (Defoamer)		,		

Final cement volumes will be determined by caliper:

Pilot Hole Plugging Plan:

See

The pilot hole will be plugged back using a plug of at least 210' from  $\pm 11,100$ ' to 11,310' (125 sx, Class H 14.8 ppg 1.35 yld + KCL + Retarder) covering the top of Wolfcamp and base of Bone Spring. Second plug will be the same from  $\pm 9,000$ ' to 9,210'. A third 500' balanced plug will be placed from  $\pm 8,000$ ' to 8,500' (305 sx, 40% Excess, Class H 17.5 ppg 0.96yld + 0.75% CFR-3 + 3% KCL + 0.2% HR-800).

## 6. MUD PROGRAM

a. The proposed circulating mediums to be used in drilling are as follows:

	<u>Interval</u>	Mud Type	Mud Weight	<u>Viscosity</u>	Fluid Loss
-	0' – 700'	FW/Gel	8.4 – 9.0	28-32	NC
1	400' - 4,050'	Native/Brine	9.9 – 10.1	28-30	NC
\	4,050' - TD	FW/LSND	8.8 – 9.5	34-45	20-10

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A closed system will be utilized consisting of above ground steel tanks. All wastes accumulated during drilling operations will be contained in a portable trash cage and removed from location and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill.

A mud test shall be performed every 24 hours after mudding up to determine, as applicable: density viscosity, gel strength, filtration, and pH.

ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1 Chesapeake Operating, Inc. PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H SL: 255' FSL & 1300' FEL BL: 350' FNL & 1700' FEL Section 11-24S-30E Eddy County, New Mexico CONFIDENTIAL – TIGHT HOLE Lease Contract No. NMLC068905

## REVISED DRILLING PLAN

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6. TESTING, LOGGING AND CORING

The anticipated type and amount of testing, logging and coring are as follows:

a. Drill stem tests are not planned.

- b. The logging program will consist of Natural GR, Density-Neutron, PE & Dual Laterolog from TD to surface casing; Neutron-GR surface casing to surface.
- c. Cores samples are not planned.

## 7. ABNORMAL PRESSURES AND HYDROGEN SULFIDE

- a. The estimated bottom hole pressure is 4937 psi. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated.
- b. Hydrogen sulfide gas is not anticipated.

## **Permian District**

NM - Eddy - Morrow Project PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H Well #1 Wellbore #1

Plan: Plan #1

## **Standard Planning Report**

03 March, 2009

## **Chesapeake Energy Corporation**

Planning Report

Local Co-ordinate Reference: Landmark 2003 Well Well #1 Company: Project Permian District TVD Reference: RKB @ 3518 Oft NM - Eddy - Morrow Project MD Reference: RKB @ 3518.0ft North Reference Site: PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H True. Well: Well #1 Minimum Curvature Wellbore: Wellbore # Plan #1 Design:

NM - Eddy - Morrow Project Project

Map System:

US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)

System Datum:

Ground Level

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NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)

User Defined

Map Zone:

New Mexico East 3001

PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H

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Planning Report

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Planning Report

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Well #1 Wellbore #1

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## **Chesapeake Energy Corporation**

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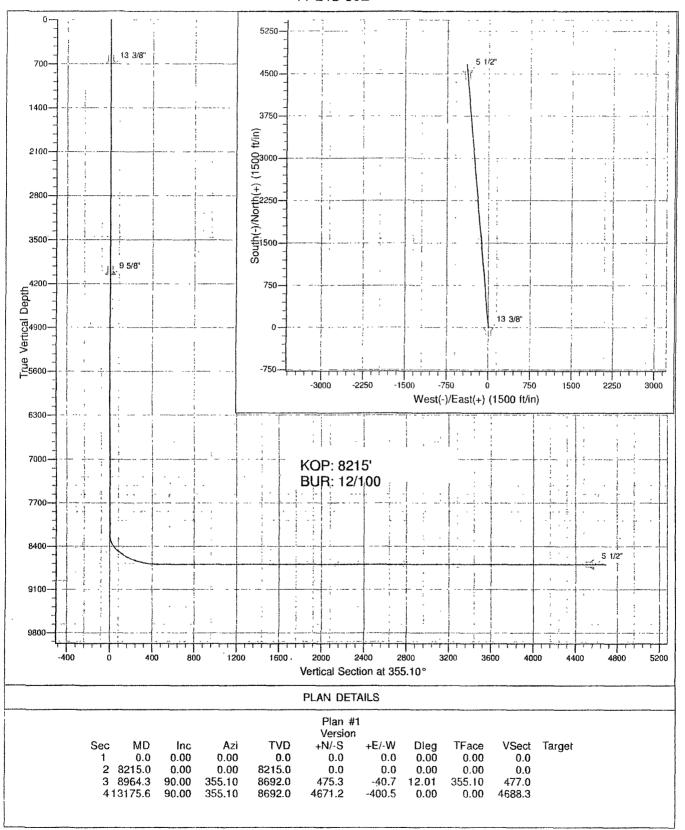
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# Chesapeake Operating Inc. PLU Bing Sinks 11 Federal 1 H Eddy Co., NM 11-24S-30E



## CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC

Proposed Well Schematic (drilling)

WELL : PLU BIG SINKS 11 FEDERAL 1H

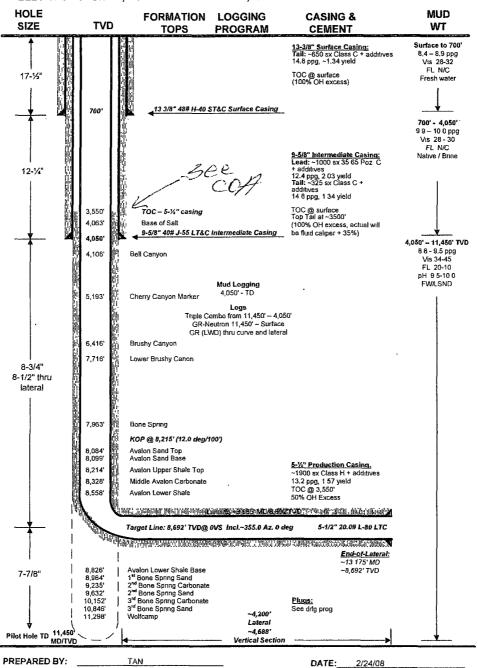
SHL : Section 11 - 24S - 30E, 255' FSL & 1300' FEL BHL : Section 11 - 24S - 30E, 350' FNL & 1700' FEL

COUNTY : Eddy

STATE: New Mexico

FIELD : Delaware Basin North

ELEVATION: GL - 3,477' RKB - 3,498' Est.



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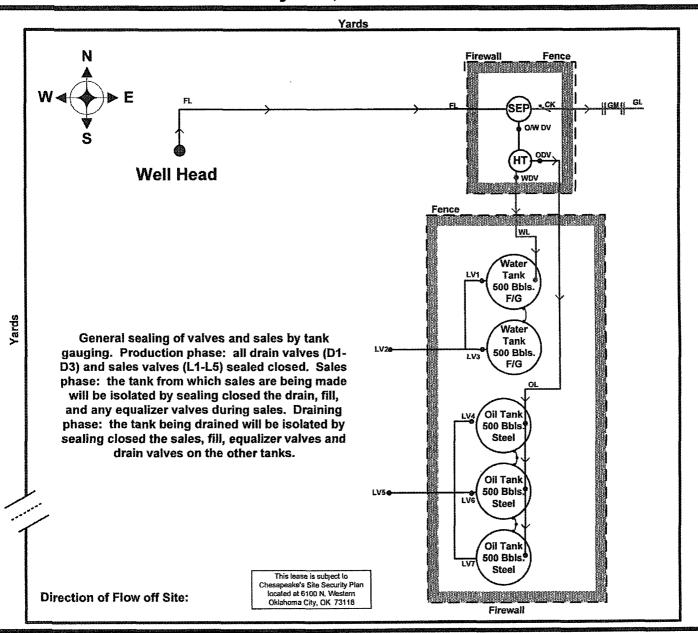
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## CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.



## PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal #1H

Lat: N 32'13'33.99" - Long.: W 103'50'54.26" S11/T24S/R30E - 350 FSL & 1700 FEL Eddy Co., New Mexico



Prepared by: Jackie Reynolds

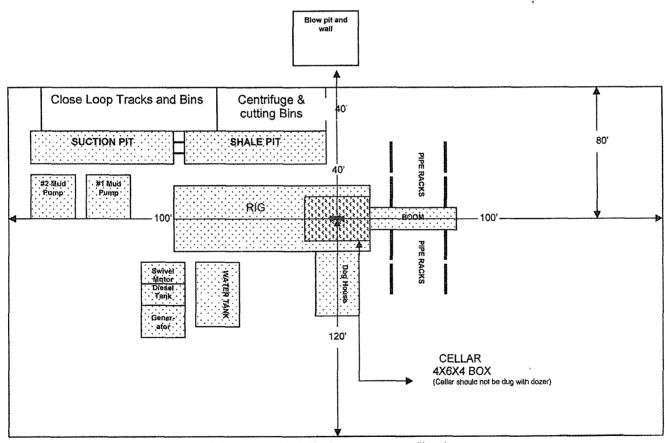
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EXHIBIT C



## LOCATION SPECIFICATION AND RIG LAYOUT FOR STEEL PITS

(PICTURE NOT TO SCALE)



Cellar can be 4X4X4 if using a screw-on wellhead

## **BLOWOUT PREVENTOR SCHEMATIC**

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC

WELL

: PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H

RIG

: Capstar 32

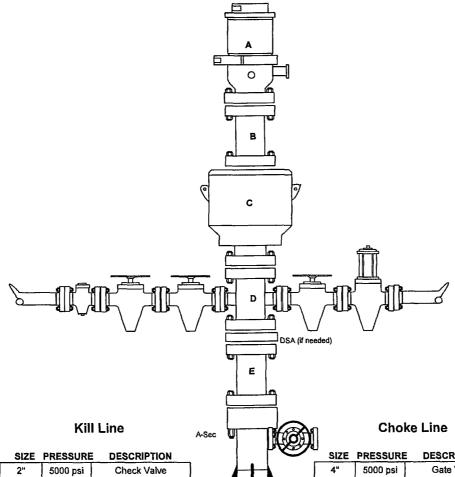
COUNTY

: Eddy

STATE: New Mexico

OPERATION: Drill out below 13-3/8" Casing (12-1/4" hole size)

_	SIZE	PRESSURE	DESCRIPTION				
A	13-5/8"	500 psi	Rot Head				
В	13-5/8"	3000 psi	Spacer Spool				
С	13-5/8"	3000 psi	Annular				
D	13-5/8"	3000 psi	Mud Cross				
E	13-5/8"	3000 psi	Spacer Spool				
DSA		13-5/8" 3M x	x 13-5/8" 3M (if needed)				
	A-Sec	13-3/8" SOW x 13-5/8" 3M					



5000 psi	Check Valve
5000 psi	Gate Valve
5000 psi	Gate Valve
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## **BLOWOUT PREVENTOR SCHEMATIC**

**CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC** 

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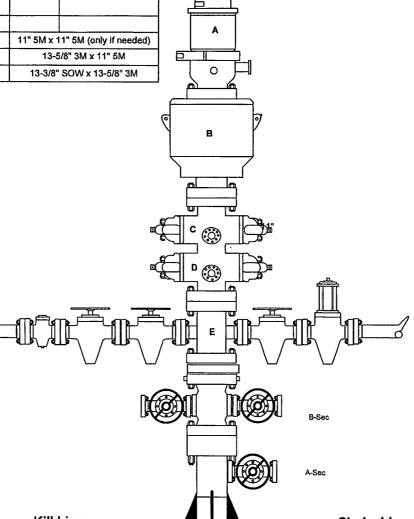
: Eddy

COUNTY

STATE: New Mexico

OPERATION: Drill out below 9-5/8" Casing (8-3/4"/8-1/2" hole size)

	SIZE	PRESSURE	DESCRIPTION				
A	11"	500 psi	Rot Head				
В	11"	5000 psi	Annular				
¢	11"	5000 psi	Pipe Rams				
D	11"	5000 psi	Blind Rams				
E	11"	5000 psi	Mud Cross				
	DSA	11" 5M x 11" 5M (only if needed)					
١	B-sec	13-5/8" 3M x 11" 5M					
,	4-Sec	13-3/8" SOW x 13-5/8" 3M					



Kill Line

**Choke Line** 

SIZE	PRESSURE	DESCRIPTION
2"	5000 psi	Check Valve
2"	5000 psi	Gate Valve
2"	5000 psi	Gate Valve

SIZE	PRESSURE	DESCRIPTION		
4"	5000 psi	Gate Valve		
4"	5000 psi	HCR Valve		
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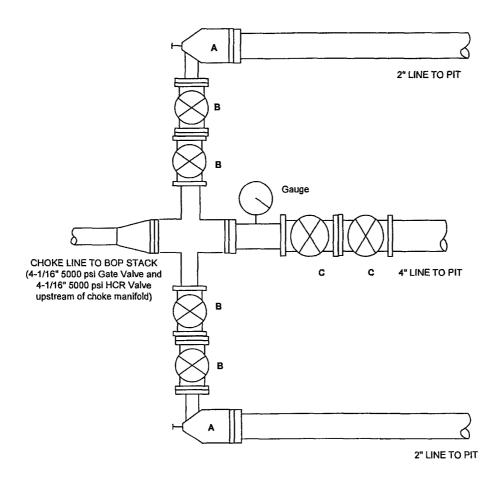


## CHOKE MANIFOLD SCHEMATIC CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.

: PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H WELL

: Capstar 32 RIG

COUNTY : Eddy STATE: New Mexico OPERATION: Drilling below/beyond 13-3/8" surface casing



	SIZE	PRESSURE	DESCRIPTION
A	2-1/16"	5000 psi	Remotely Operated Choke With Manual  Backup
В	2-1/16"	5000 psi	Gate Valve
C	4-1/16"	5000 psi	Gate Valve
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ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1 Chesapeake Operating, Inc. PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal 1H SL: 350' FNL & 1700' FEL BL: 350' FSL & 1700' FEL Section 11-24S-30E

**Eddy County, NM** 

CONFIDENTIAL - TIGHT HOLE

Lease No. NMLC068905

### SURFACE USE PLAN

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ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1
Approval of Operations on Onshore
Federal and Indian Oil and Gas Leases

## 1. EXISTING ROADS

- a. Existing county and lease roads will be used to enter proposed access road.
- b. Location, access, and vicinity plats attached hereto. See Exhibits A-1 to A-4.

## 2. PLANNED ACCESS ROADS

- a. The proposed access road 229.9' in length and 14' in travel way width with a maximum disturbance area of 30' will be used, and in accordance with guidelines set forth in the BLM Onshore Orders. No turnouts are expected.
- b. In order to level the location, cut and fill will be required. Please see attached Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat Exhibits A-1 to A-4.
- c. A locking gate will be installed at the site entrance.
- d. Any fences cut will be repaired. Cattle guards will be installed, if needed.
- e. Surface disturbance and vehicular travel will be limited to the approved location and approved access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance.
- f. Driving directions are from the junction of State Hwy 128 and Mobley Ranch (795), go South 0.5 miles to a "Y", go left 3.2 miles to lease road, on lease road go East 0.3 miles to a 2-tract, on 2-track go South 2.1 miles to proposed lease road.
- 3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS WITHIN A 1-MILE RADIUS OF THE PROPOSED LOCATION see Exhibit B.

## 4. LOCATION OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES

It is anticipated that production facilities will be located on the well pad and oil to be sold at the wellhead and/or tank battery. An allocation meter will be installed on location and CEMI will lay the gas lines from our location to the Southern Union sales meter. – See Exhibit C

## 5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

Water will be obtained from a private water source. Chesapeake Operating, Inc. will ensure all proper notifications and filings are made with the state.

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BL: 350' FSL & 1700' FEL

SURFACE USE PLAN

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Section 11-24S-30E **Eddy County, NM** 

CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

No construction materials will be used from Section 11-24S-30E. All material (i.e. shale) will be acquired from private or commercial sources.

#### 7. METHODS FOR HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL

A closed system will be utilized consisting of above ground steel tanks. All wastes accumulated during drilling operations will be contained in a portable trash cage and removed from location and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill.

#### 8. **ANCILLARY FACILITIES**

None

#### 9. WELLSITE LAYOUT

The proposed site layout plat is attached showing the Capstar Rig orientation and equipment location. See Exhibit D.

#### 10. PLANS FOR RECLAMATION OF THE SURFACE

The location will be restored to as near as original condition as possible. Reclamation of the surface shall be done in strict compliance with the existing New Mexico Oil Conservation Division regulations.

Backfilling leveling, and contouring are planned as soon as the drilling rig and steel tanks are removed. Wastes and spoils materials will be buried immediately after drilling is completed. If production is obtained, the unused area will be restored as soon as possible. The rehabilitation will begin after the drilling rig is removed.

#### 11. SURFACE & MINERAL OWNERSHIP

United States of America Department of Interior Bureau of Land Management

## **GRAZING LESSEE**

Richardson Cattle Co. P.O. Box 487 Carlsbad, NM 88221

(Chesapeake Operating, Inc. has an agreement with the grazing lessee)

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### **SURFACE USE PLAN**

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## 12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

A Class III cultural resource inventory report was prepared by Boone Archaeological Services, Carlsbad, New Mexico for the proposed location. A copy of the report has been sent to the BLM office under separate cover and is also attached for reference. See Exhibit E.

Chesapeake Operating, Inc. agrees to be responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the lease lands.

## 13. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVES

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## **OPERATOR CERTIFICATION**

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## CERTIFICATION

I hereby 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 this APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and, that the work associated with the operations proposed 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 a false statement.

Executed this 33rd day of Occuber, 2008.
Name: Matting Move
William M. Fowler, Ditector - Regulatory Compliance
Address: P.O. Box 18496, Oklahoma City, OK 73154-0496
Telephone: 405-848-8000
Field Representative: <u>Bud Cravey</u>
Telephone: 432-238-7293
E-mail: <u>bud.cravey@chk.com</u>

## PECOS DISTRICT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

OPERATOR'S NAME:

LEASE NO.:

WELL NAME & NO.:

SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE:

BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE

LOCATION:

COUNTY:

Chesapeake Operating

NMLC068905

PLU Big Sinks 11 Federal No 1H

255' FSL & 1300' FEL

350' FNL & 1700' FEL

LOCATION:

Section 11, T. 24 S., R 30 E., NMPM

Eddy County, New Mexico

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Standard Conditions of Approval (COA) apply to this APD. If any deviations to these standards exist or special COAs are required, the section with the deviation or requirement will be checked below.

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## F. 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 thirty (30) 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.

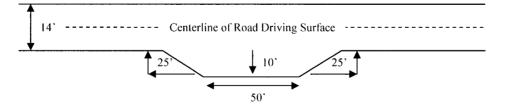
## Ditching

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 be constructed on all blind curves. Turnouts shall conform to the following diagram:

## Standard Turnout - Plan View

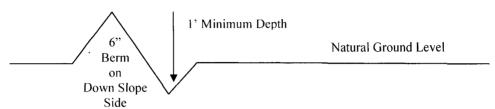


## **Drainage**

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: 
$$\frac{400'}{4\%}$$
 + 100' = 200' lead-off ditch interval

## **Culvert Installations**

Appropriately sized culvert(s) shall be installed at the deep waterway channel flow crossing.

## Cattleguards

An appropriately sized cattleguard(s) sufficient to carry out the project shall be installed and maintained at fence crossing(s).

Any existing cattleguard(s) on the access road 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 cattleguard(s) that are in place and are utilized during lease operations.

A gate shall be constructed and fastened securely to H-braces.

## **Fence Requirement**

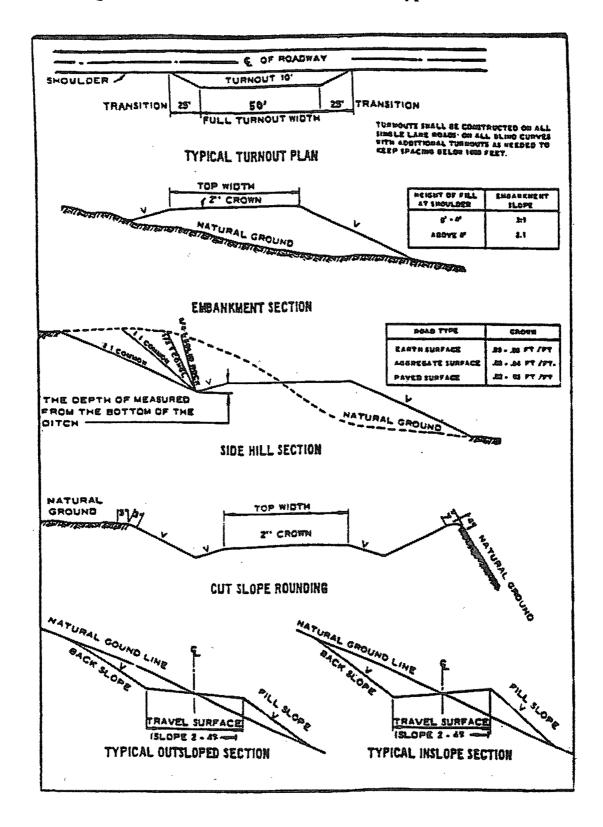
Where entry is required across a fence line, the fence shall be braced and tied off on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting.

The operator shall notify the private surface landowner or the grazing allotment holder prior to crossing any fence(s).

## **Public Access**

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

Figure 1 - Cross Sections and Plans For Typical Road Sections



## VII. DRILLING

## A. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS

The BLM is to be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness:

- a. Spudding well
- b. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings
- c. BOPE tests

## **Eddy County**

Call the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (575) 361-2822

- 1. Although Hydrogen Sulfide has not been reported in this section, it is always a potential hazard. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, please report measured amounts 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.
- 3. Floor controls are required for 3M or Greater systems. These controls will be on the rig floor, unobstructed, readily accessible to the driller and will be operational at all times during drilling and/or completion activities. Rig floor is defined as the area immediately around the rotary table; the area immediately above the substructure on which the draw works are located, this does not include the dog house or stairway area.

## B. CASING

Changes to the approved APD casing and cement program require submitting a sundry and receiving approval prior to work. Failure to obtain approval prior to work will result in an Incident of Non-Compliance being issued.

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

Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job will be a minimum 18 hours for a water basin, 24 hours in the potash area, or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater for all casing strings. Provide compressive strengths including hours to reach required 500 pounds compressive strength prior to cementing each casing string. 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.

## R-111-P Potash.

Medium cave/karst.

Possible lost circulation in the Delaware and Bone Spring formations.

Possible high pressure gas burst in the Wolfcamp formation – applies to pilot hole.

- 1. The 13-3/8 inch surface casing shall be set at approximately 700 feet (a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface.
  - 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 a surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement.
  - b. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry. This will not apply if the proposed surface casing cement program is followed.
  - 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.
- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 9-5/8 inch intermediate casing is:
  - Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a, c-d above.

    Casing to be set a minimum of 100 feet but not more than 600 feet below the salt. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry due to cave/karst and potash concerns.

## **NOTE: Pilot Hole**

Plug required at bottom of pilot hole to a minimum of 50' above the top of the Wolfcamp formation and must be tagged. Second plug is required to be a minimum of 210 feet in length and must be tagged. Tag depth to be recorded and reported on subsequent sundry with casing information. Balanced plug can be set as written.

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

- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5-1/2 inch production casing is:
  - Cement to surface due to R-111-P Potash. If cement does not circulate, contact the appropriate BLM office. Additional cement will be required since cement must come to surface.
- 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 RP 53 Sec. 17.
- 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.
- 3. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the 9-5/8" intermediate casing shoe shall be 5000 (5M) psi. 5M system required due to total vertical depth for Wolfcamp.
- 4. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
  - a. The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
  - b. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
  - c. 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.
  - d. 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.
  - e. BOP/BOPE must be tested by an independent service company within 500 feet of the top of the **Wolfcamp** formation if the time between the setting of the intermediate casing and reaching this depth exceeds 20 days. This test does not exclude the test prior to drilling out the casing shoe as per Onshore Order No. 2. **Statement applies to pilot hole.**

## D. DRILL STEM TEST

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

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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.

## **Containment Structures**

The containment structure shall be constructed to hold the capacity of the entire contents of the largest tank, plus 24 hour production, unless more stringent protective requirements are deemed necessary by the Authorized Officer.

## **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, Munsell Soil Color Chart # 5Y 4/2

## IX. INTERIM RECLAMATION & RESERVE PIT CLOSURE

## A. INTERIM RECLAMATION

If the well is a producer, interim reclamation shall be conducted on the well site in accordance with the orders of the Authorized Officer. The operator shall submit a Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells (Notice of Intent), Form 3160-5, prior to conducting 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.

The operators should work with BLM surface management specialists to devise the best strategies to reduce the size of the location. Any reductions 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 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.

## Seed Mixture 3, for Shallow Sites

The 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 will be done in accordance with State law(s) and within nine (9) months prior to purchase. Commercial seed will be either certified or registered seed. The seed container will 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). The 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. The seeding will be repeated until a satisfactory stand is established as determined by the authorized officer. Evaluation of growth will 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:

Species		lb/acre
Plains Bristlegrass (Setaria magrostachya)	1.0	
Green Spangletop (Leptochloa dubia)		2.0
Side oats Grama (Bouteloua curtipendula)		5.0

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

Pounds of seed x percent purity x percent germination = pounds pure live seed (Insert Seed Mixture Here)

## X. FINAL ABANDONMENT & REHABILITATION REQUIREMENTS

Upon abandonment of the well and/or when the access road is no longer in service the Authorized Officer shall issue instructions and/or orders for surface reclamation and restoration of all disturbed areas.

On private surface/federal mineral estate land the reclamation procedures on the road and well pad shall be accomplished in accordance with the private surface land owner agreement.