- Blowout prevention equipment is to be installed, tested, and in working order before drilling below the surface casing and shall be maintained ready for use until drilling operations are completed.
- J. All shows of fresh water and minerals will be reported and protected.
- K. Well area and lease premises will be maintained in a workmanlike manner with due regard to safety, conservation, and appearance. All waste associated with the drilling operations will be contained and will be buried in place (in a separate trash pit) or removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. All garbage (metal containers will be crushed) and debris left on site will be buried at least two feet deep. All trash and debris will be buried or removed from the site within one month after removal of the drilling rig and/or completion rig, and the wellsite will be kept clean and in an aesthetically satisfactory condition for the life of the well.
- L. Unless drilling operations are commenced within one year, approval of an Application for Permit to Drill will automatically expire. A written request for extension may be granted if timely submitted.

2. CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES, (ALSO REFER TO SEC. 3, DRILLING PITS):

- A. Prior to commencing construction of road, pad, or other associated developments, operator will provide the dirt contractor with a copy of the Surface Use Plan, the conditions of approval and a copy of sec. 2 and 3 of these General Requirements.
- 3. No caliche, gravel, or other related minerals from new or existing pits on Federal land will be used in construction of roads, well sites, etc., without prior approval from the Bureau of Land Management.
- C. Vegetative materials removed during construction must be disposed of in such manner that it does not detract from the aesthetics of the area and does not accelerate erosion. Vegetation removed during clearing operations should be placed in drainages, washes, gullies, etc., and "walked down" by crawler type tractor. If there are no drainages in the immediate area, the vegetation should be "walked down" in place. All trash resulting from construction activities will be disposed of. Any large rocks resulting from construction activities will not be piled or left in rows but will be left so they do not detract from the natural appearance of the area. Any available topsoil encountered during construction should be stockpiled for use in restoring the pit area after the pits are covered.

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- E. Each existing fence to be crossed by the permittee will be braced and tied off before cutting so as to prevent slacking of the wire. The opening will be protected as necessary during construction to prevent the escape of livestock and upon completion of construction, the fence will be repaired back to the original standard of the existing fence. A cattleguard will be installed in any fence where a road is to be regularly traveled. A twelve foot gate will be installed adjacent to the cattleguard when necessary.
- NOTE: Sec. 2-C and 2-D above apply primarily to Federal Surface. If the land is privately owned, these requirements have be varied to comply with the operator-landowner agreement.