

THE NEW OIL CORPORATION FOR AN
UNLAWFUL AND REPUTABLE
INDUSTRY, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case No.

6953

Application

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EXAMINER HEARING

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

File
1/1/80
Case No. 6953

Hearing Date

JULY 9, 1980

Time: 9:00 A.M.

NAME	REPRESENTING	LOCATION
GOODRICH BURKE	SUPRON ENERGY CORP.	DALLAS
JERRY L. Lee	SUPRON ENERGY CORP.	DALLAS
SC. Buel	Jasper & Buel	Santa Fe
Tom Kellakin	Kellakin & Kellakin	Santa Fe
William L. Van	Campbell & Black	Santa Fe
Amador Lopez	U.S.G.	Albuquerque
John Loboski	Krona O. & Gas Inc	Midland
Charles DeLaur	Low Carbon District	Antenna
C. J. Kalliger	Gulf Oil Corp.	Midland
K.M. Mallon	Gulf Oil Corp	Holbrook NM
Bill Lathan	Gulf Oil Corp	Houston, Tex.
Curtis Little	Self	Farmington
B.S. Strawser	Gulf Oil Corp.	Midland
Bob Hines	Capital Resources	Santa Fe
Steve Bateman	BTA Oil Prods.	Midland
Steve Patten	BTA Oil Producers	Midland
Don & Ar. Ficklin	El Paso Natural Gas Co.	El Paso, TX
Paul A. Parrish	El Paso Natural Gas Co.	El Paso, TX
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

August 6, 1980

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Mr. Bill Kastler, Attorney
Gulf Oil Corporation
Box 2100
Houston, Texas 77001

Re: CASE NO. 6953
ORDER NO. R-6410

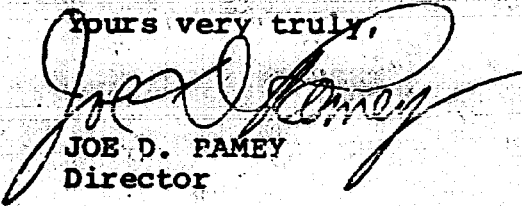
Applicant:

Gulf Oil Corporation

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced
Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Yours very truly,


JOE D. FAMEY
Director

JDR/fd

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCD ☒ x

Artesia OCD ☒ x

Aztec OCD ☐

Other ☐

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 6953
Order No. R-6410

APPLICATION OF GULF OIL CORPORATION
FOR AN UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION AND
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on July 9, 1980,
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 5th day of August, 1980, the Division
Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the
recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the
premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required
by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the
subject matter thereof.

(2) That the applicant, Gulf Oil Corporation, seeks approval
of an unorthodox gas well location for its Theodore Anderson Well
No. 7 located 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the
East line of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPN,
Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant further seeks to simultaneously
dedicate the NE/4 and E/2 NW/4 of said Section 17 to the above-
described well and to its Theodore Anderson Well No. 4 located
in Unit B of said Section 17.

(4) That a well at said Unorthodox location will better
enable applicant to produce the gas underlying the proration unit.

(5) That no offset operator objected to the proposed
unorthodox location and simultaneous dedication.

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Case No. 6953

Order No. R-6410

(6) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the subject pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Gulf Oil Corporation is hereby authorized to drill its Theodore Anderson Well No. 7 at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Eumom Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(2) That the NE/4 and E/2 NW/4 of said Section 17 shall be simultaneously dedicated to the above-described well and to applicant's Theodore Anderson Well No. 4 located in Unit B of said Section 17.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Joe D. Hanly
JOE D. HANLY
Director

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Dockets Nos. 22-80 and 23-80 are tentatively set for July 23 and August 6, 1980. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 27 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JULY 9, 1980

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CONFERENCE ROOM,
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner, or Richard L. Stamets, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 6953: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for an unorthodox location and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the simultaneous dedication of a previously approved 240-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the NE/4 and E/2 NW/4 of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, Summit Gas Pool, to its Theodore Anderson Well No. 4 located in Unit B, and its No. 7, at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 17.

CASE 6954: Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for amendment of Order No. R-6303, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-6303 which authorized the directional drilling of a well, the surface location of which is 660 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 32, Township 13 South, Range 36 East. Applicant seeks approval for the bottom hole location of the well at a point 654 feet from the North line and 2158 feet from the West line of said Section 32.

CASE 6921: (Readvertised)

Application of Harvey E. Yates Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp-Mississippian formations underlying the S/2 of Section 33, Township 13 South, Range 36 East, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the East line of Section 33. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6932: (Continued from June 25, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its State "JM" Well No. 2, a Morrow test to be drilled 660 feet from the South and East lines of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 24 East, the S/2 of said Section 25 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6934: (Continued from June 25, 1980, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Coronado Exploration Corporation for three compulsory poolings, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the San Andres formation underlying three 40-acre proration units, being the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 6, the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 28, and the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 33, all in Township 11 South, Range 25 East, each to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the wells, and a charge for risk involved in drilling said wells.

CASE 6955: Application of El Paso Natural Gas Company for downhole commingling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the downhole commingling of Tarapito-Piedra Blanca and Dismo reservoirs production in the wellbore of its San Juan 27-5 Unit Well No. 42 located in Unit M of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 5 West.

CASE 6956: Application of Amoco Production Company for an NGPA determination, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its State "CH" Well No. 1 located in Unit F of Section 21, Township 16 South, Range 25 East.

CASE 6957: Application of Amoco Production Company for an NGPA determination, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks a new onshore reservoir determination in the Morrow formation for its State HK Com Well No. 1 located in Unit L of Section 6, Township 24 South, Range 25 East.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P. O. BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

Case 6958

June 19, 1980

Mr. R. C. Anderson
Gulf Oil Corporation
P. O. Box 670
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Dear Mr. Anderson:

Your application dated June 12, 1980, requesting an amendment to NSP-129 for a 240-acre non-standard proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool to be simultaneously dedicated to your Theodore Anderson Wells Nos. 4 and 7, cannot be administratively approved.

We are setting this application for hearing before an examiner on July 9, 1980. If this date is not satisfactory with you, please let me know.

Yours very truly,

Florene Davidson
Administrative Secretary

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BEFORE EXAMINER MUTTER

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

PRODUCTION & ALLOWABLE DATA

EUMONT KATES 7 RIVERS QUEEN GAS POOL
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

EXHIBIT NO. 2

CASE NO. 6953

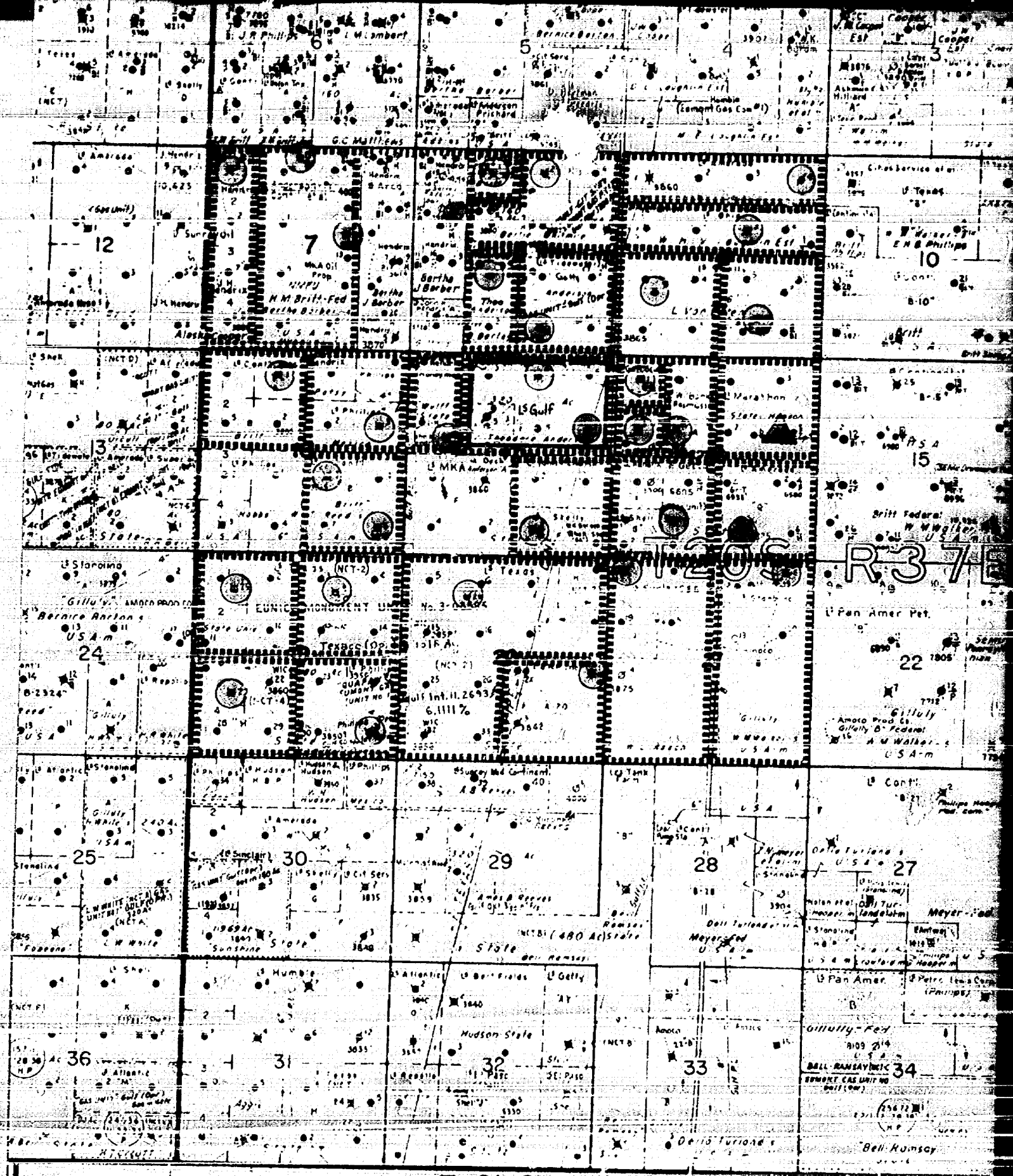
SECTION OPERATOR LEASE	WELL NUMBER AND UNIT	STATUS	GAS PRODUCTION APRIL, 1980 (MCF)	GAS ALLOWABLE JUNE, 1980 (MCF)
<u>Section 7, T-20-S, R-37-E</u>				
Sun Oil Company Alaska Cooper	3 D	N 1.00	24,366	22,244
Union Tex Petro Corp. 22111	3 G	(MWU)	49,274	—
	12 C	(MWU)	9,198	—
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Amerada Hess Corp. T. Anderson	1 K	N .50	200	11,122
ARCO Oil & Gas Co. Barber Gas Com.	1 E	M 2.00 (1/2 in Sec. 7)	33,920	33,920
Conoco, Inc. Britt B 8	1 C	N .25	1,332	5,561
Gulf Oil Corp. Bertie Whitmire Theodore Anderson	2 B	N 1.25	12,666	27,805
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Marathon Oil Co. W. H. Laughlin	3 G	N 1.00	298	22,244
Getty Oil Co. L. Van Etten	9 L	M 1.00	306	306
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<u>Section 16, T-20-S, R 37 E</u>				
Mobil Prod. TX & NM General G. State	1 D	M .25	906	906
Conoco, Inc. State C 16	1 E	N .25	3,485	5,561
John H. Hendrix Corp. Wood State A	2 F	N .50	35,182	11,122

PRODUCTION & ALLOWABLE DATA
EUMONT YATES 7 RIVERS QUEEN GAS POOL
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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Texaco Inc. N. Mexico H St. NCT 3	25 D	M 1.00	7,602	7,602
N. Mexico C St. NCT 2	9 B	M 1.00	3,607	3,607
N. Mexico H St. NCT 4	27 L	M 1.00	3,241	8,241
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GULF OIL CORPORATION
Southwest Division Midland, Texas

THEODORE ANDERSON LEASE
EUMONT GAS POOL
Lee County, New Mexico
Scale: 1" = 3000'

-  Eumont Gas Completion
-  Proposed Gas Completion
-  Eumont Oil Completion

REPORT OF JAMES NUTTER
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
EXHIBIT NO. 1
CASE NO. 6953
EXHIBIT I
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7-9-80

BEFORE EXAMINER BUTLER
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BEFORE EXAMINER NUTTER

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Gulf Oil Exploration and Production Company

R. C. Anderson
PRODUCTION MANAGER, HOBBS AREA

June 12, 1980

RECEIVED
JUN 18 1980
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE

Case 6959

P. O. Box 670
HOBBS, NM 88240

Mr. Joe D. Ramey
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Dear Sir:

Gulf Oil Corporation requests your administrative approval for an amendment to NSP-129, for a 240-acre non-standard proration unit in the Eumont Gas Pool, consisting of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and the E $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17-T20S-R37E, Lea County, New Mexico to be dedicated simultaneously to our Theodore Anderson Well #7, located 1980' FNL and 660' FEL, Section 17-T20S-R37E and the Theodore Anderson Well #4, located 1980' FEL and 660' FNL, Section 17-T20S-R37E, which had been previously dedicated to the aforementioned 240-acre non-standard proration unit.

Theodore Anderson #7 had previously been producing from the Eunice-Monument Pool.

In support of this application the following facts are submitted:

- (1) There are no other wells producing from the Eumont Gas Pool in this non-standard proration unit.
- (2) The attached plat shows the 240-acre unit and the well outlined.
- (3) All offset operators have been furnished a copy of this application.

Your early consideration will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

R. C. Anderson
R. C. Anderson

Attachment

KML:ctw

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 1980
Hobbs, NM 88240

Amerada Hess
2207 Industrial
Midland, TX 79701

Gulf Oil Exploration & Production Co.
Mr. R. H. Peacock
P.O. Box 1150
Midland, TX 79701

Mr. R. B. Honeyman, Jr.
P.O. Box 1683
Hobbs, NM 88240



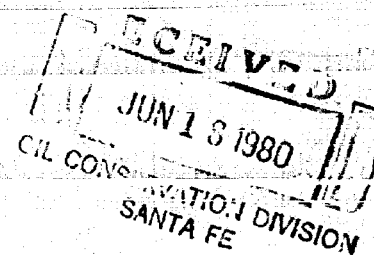
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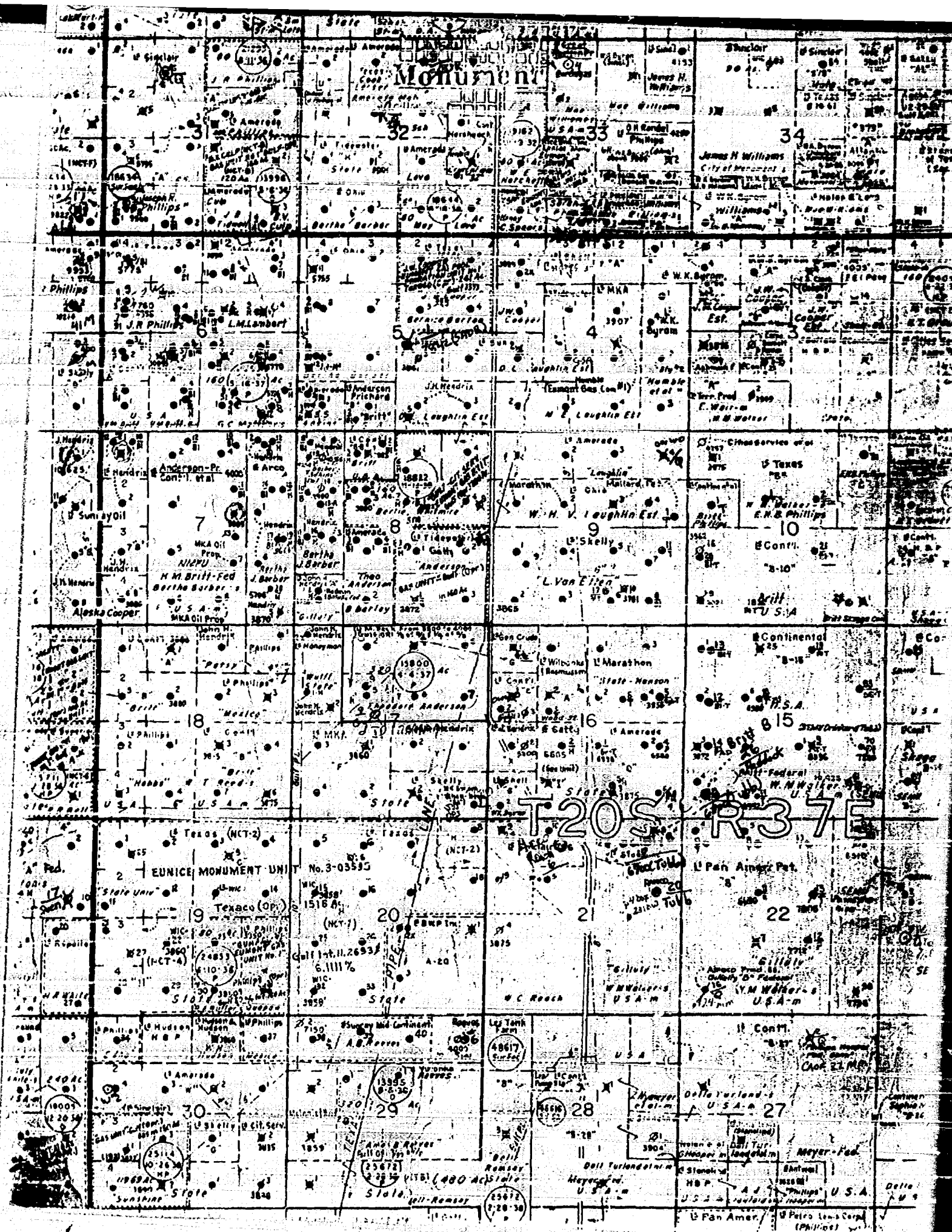
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All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

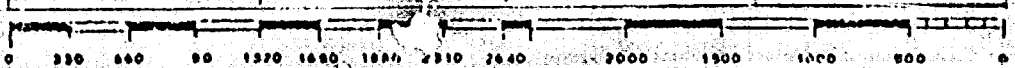
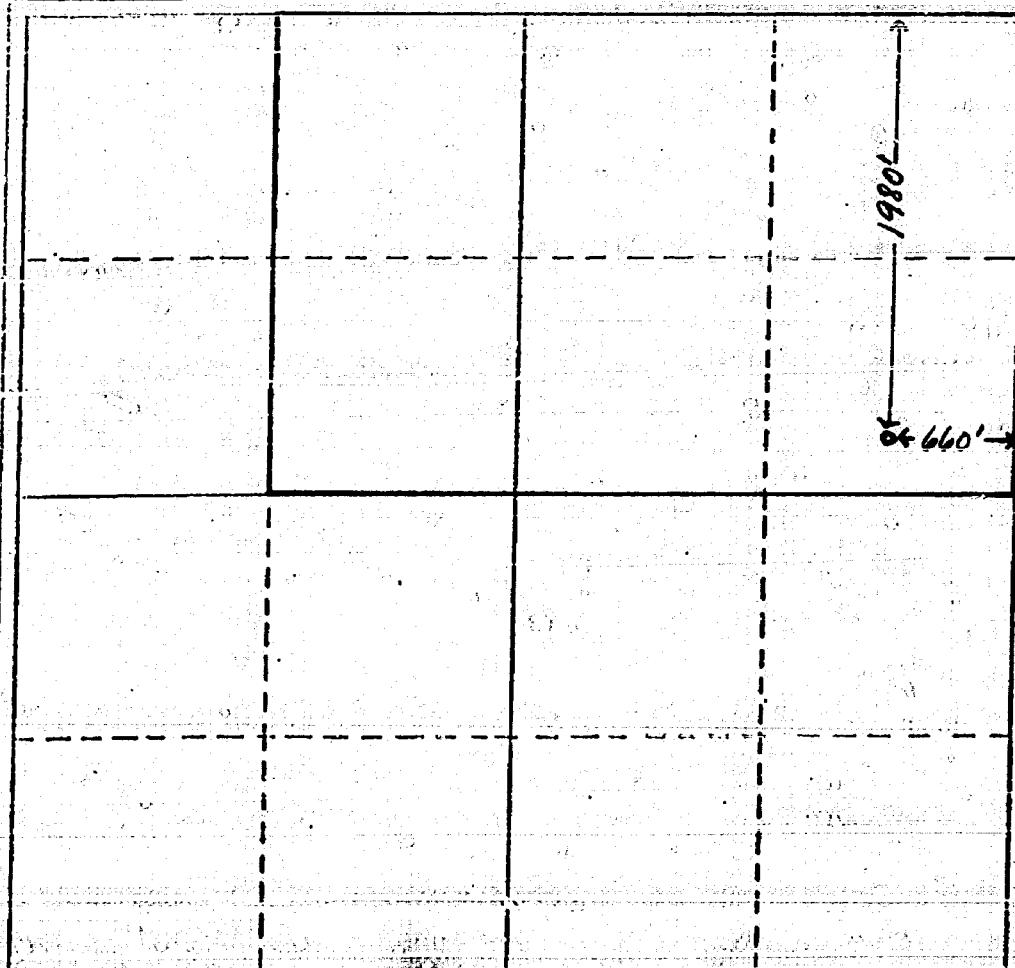
Operator GULF OIL CORPORATION			Licensee Theodore Anderson		
Unit Letter H	Section 17	Township 20S	Range 37E	County Lea	
Actual Postage Location of Well:					
1080 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev. 3544'	Producing Formation Queen	Pool Eumont	Dedicated Acres 240		

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Division.



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name **H. G. Liles, Jr.**

Position **Area Engineer**

Company **GULF OIL CORPORATION**

Date **6-13-80**

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 knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed _____

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor _____

Certificate No. _____

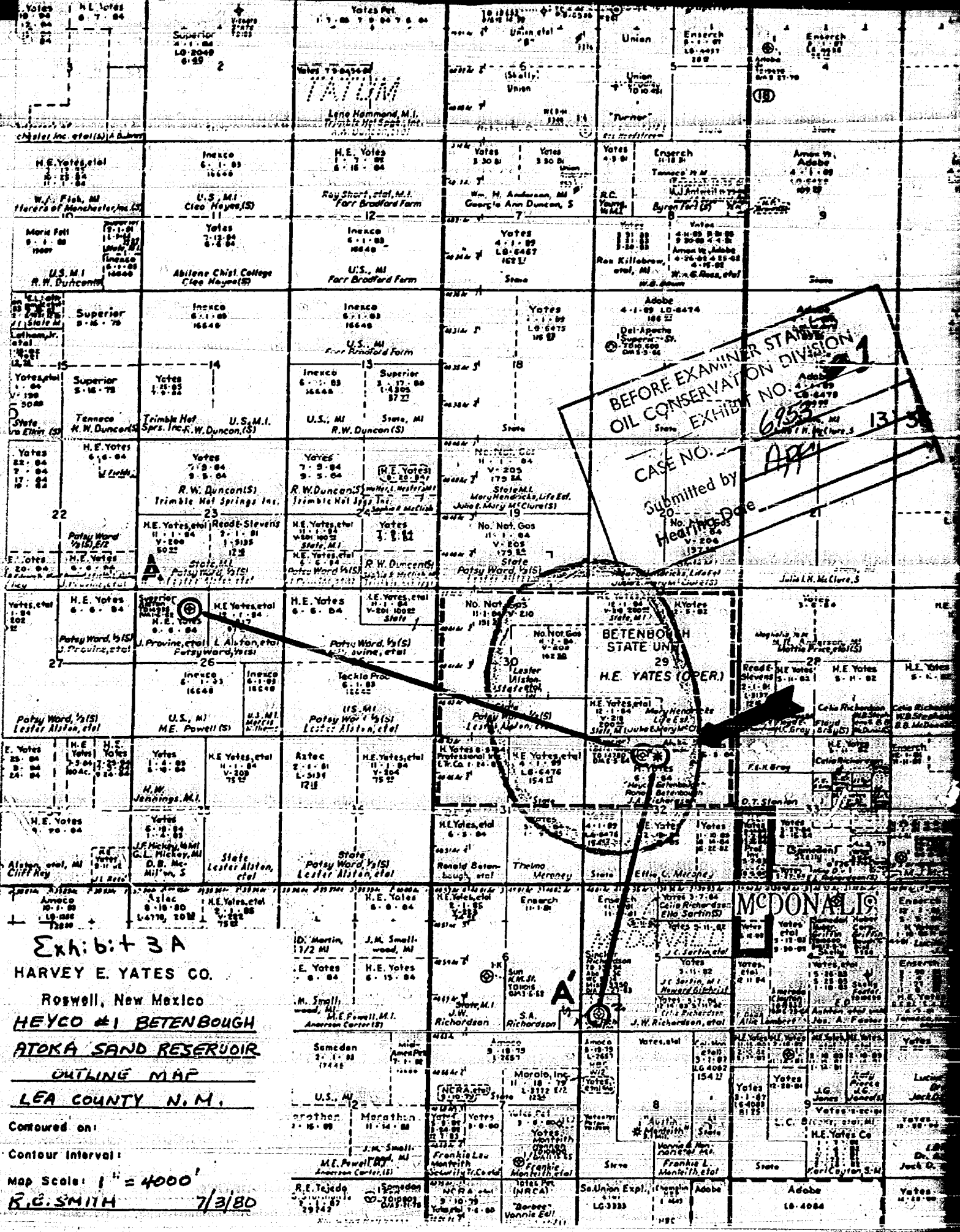


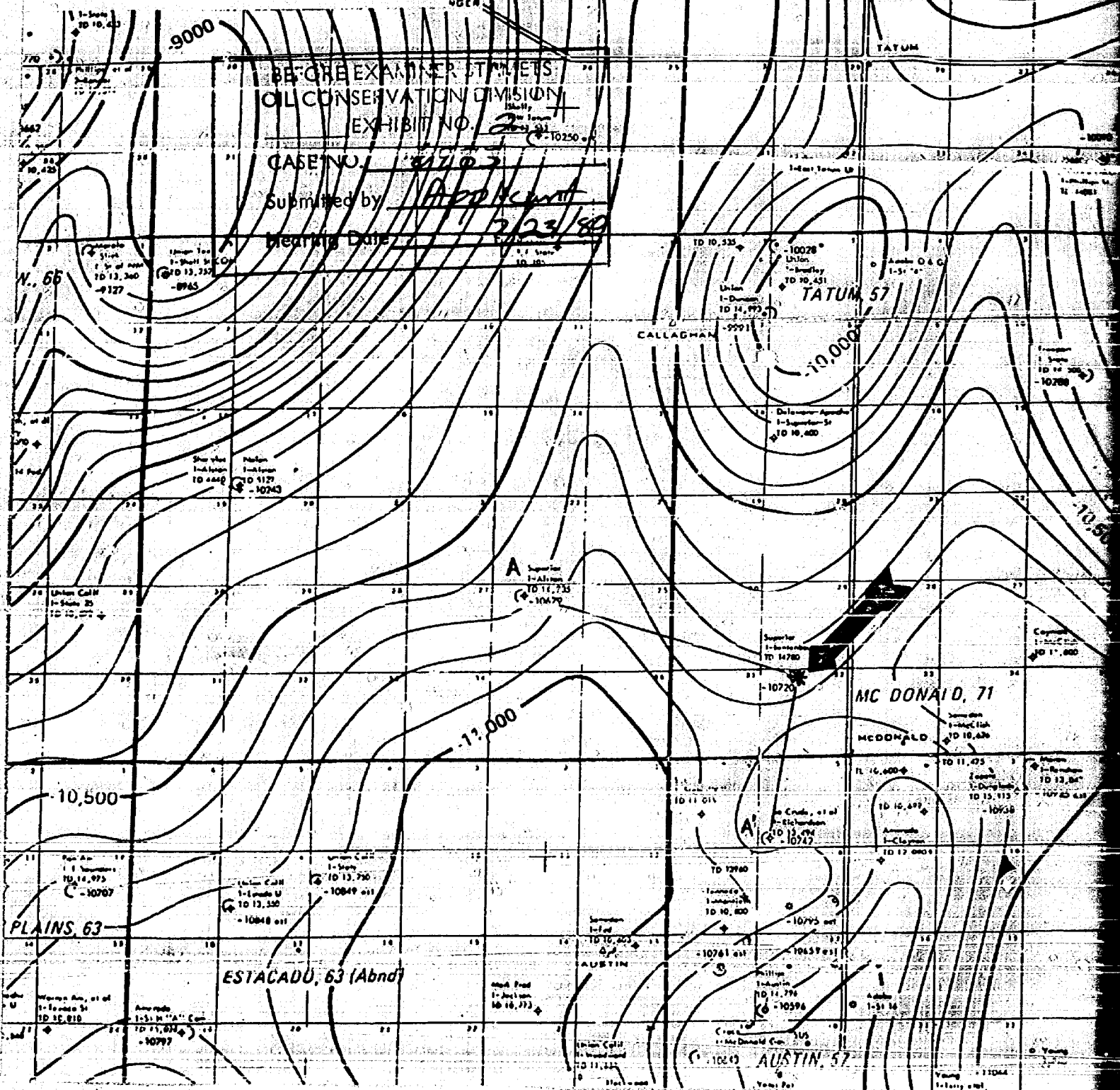
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ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO
HEYCO #1 BETENBOUGH
ATOKA SAND RESERVOIR
OUTLINE MAP
LEA COUNTY N.M.
Contoured on:
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Map Scale: 1" = 4000'
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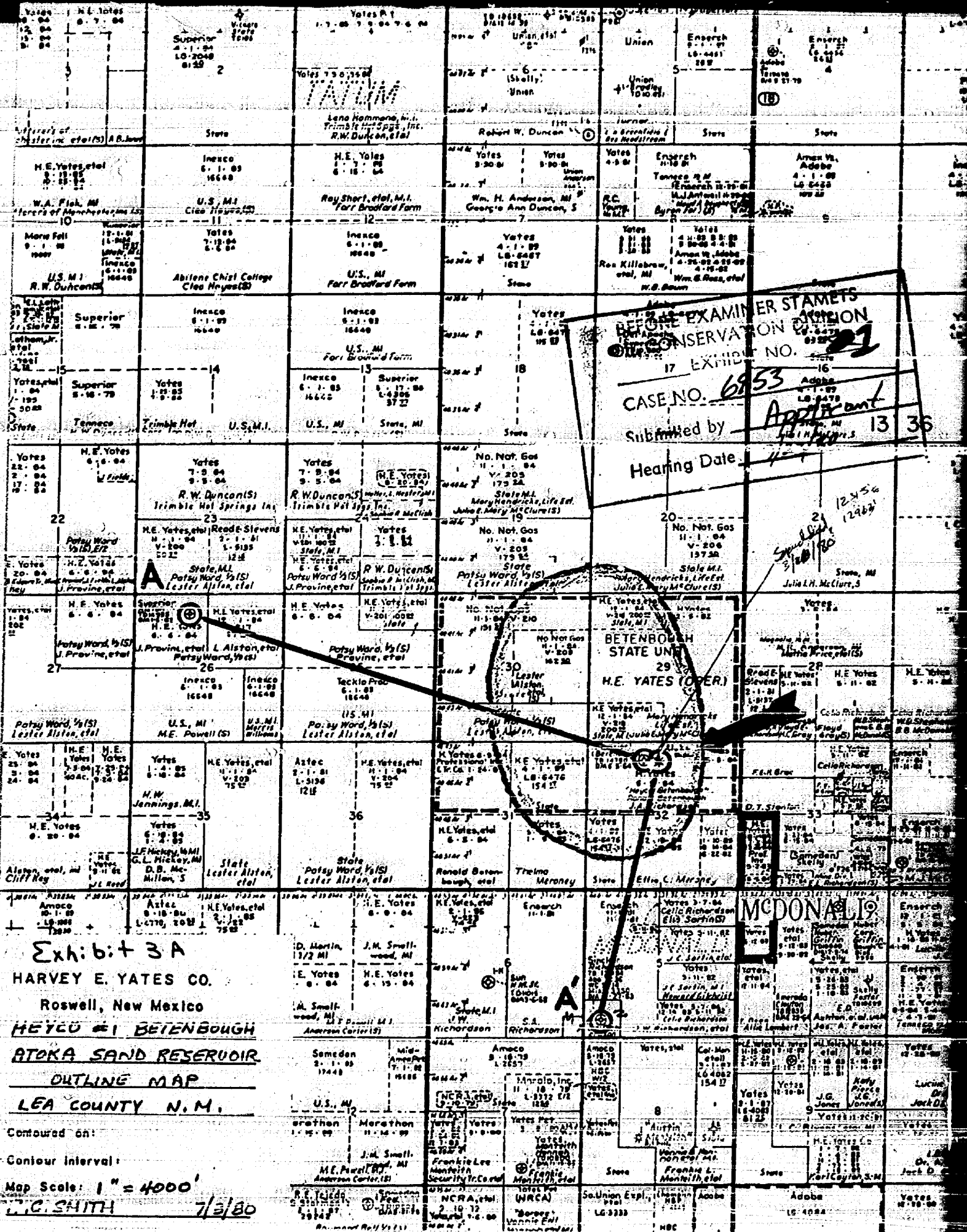
BEFORE EXAMINER STATION
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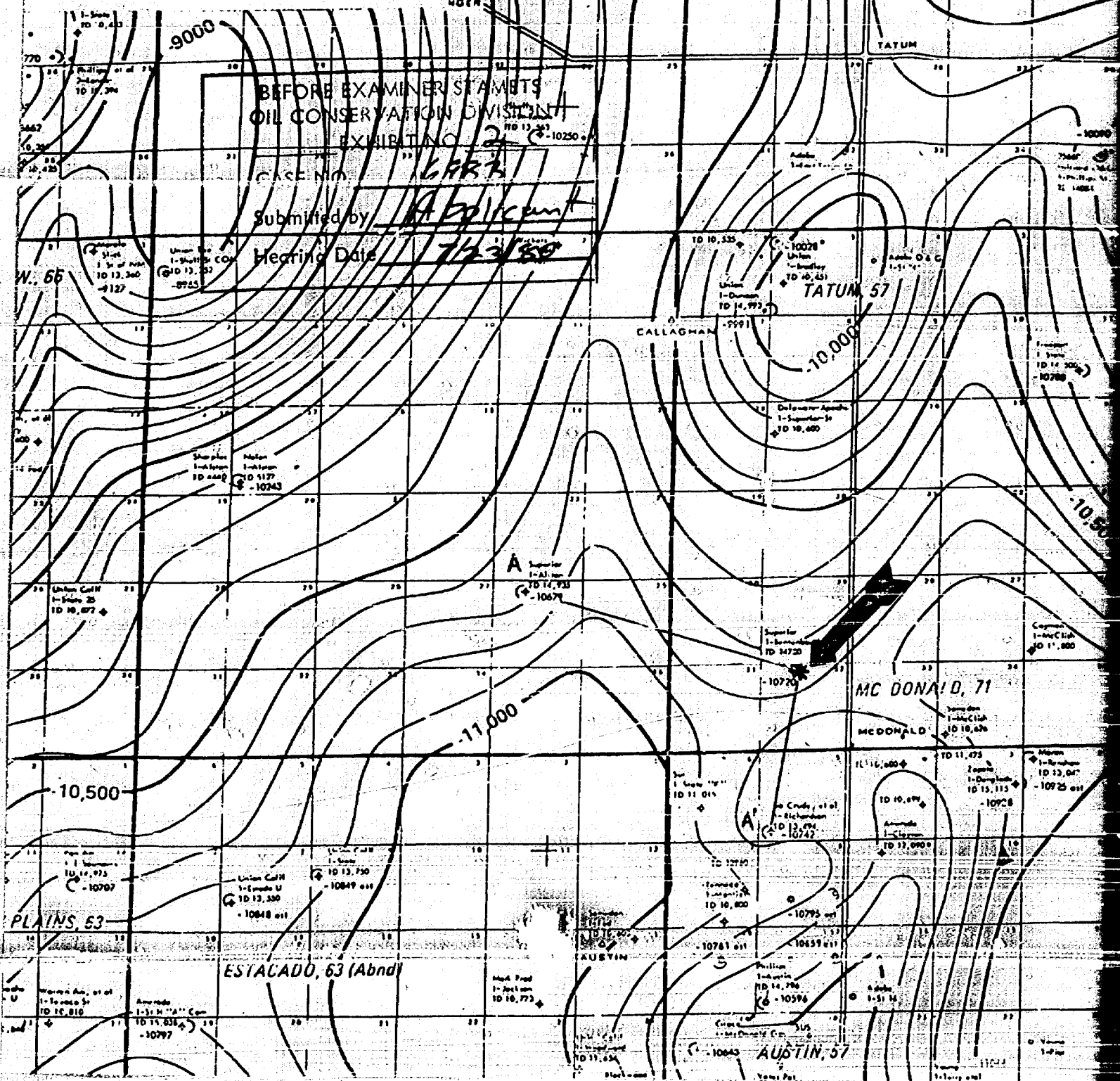
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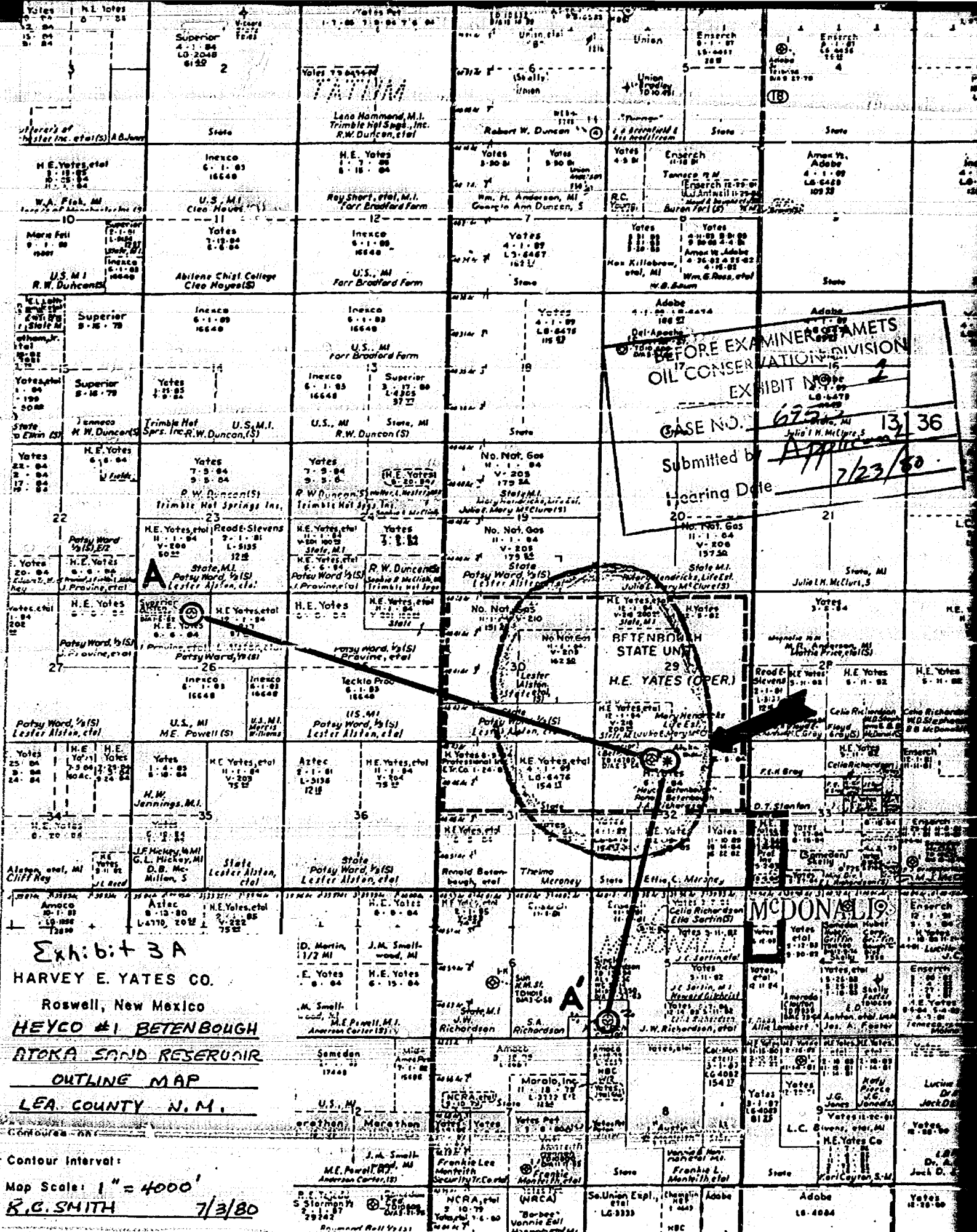
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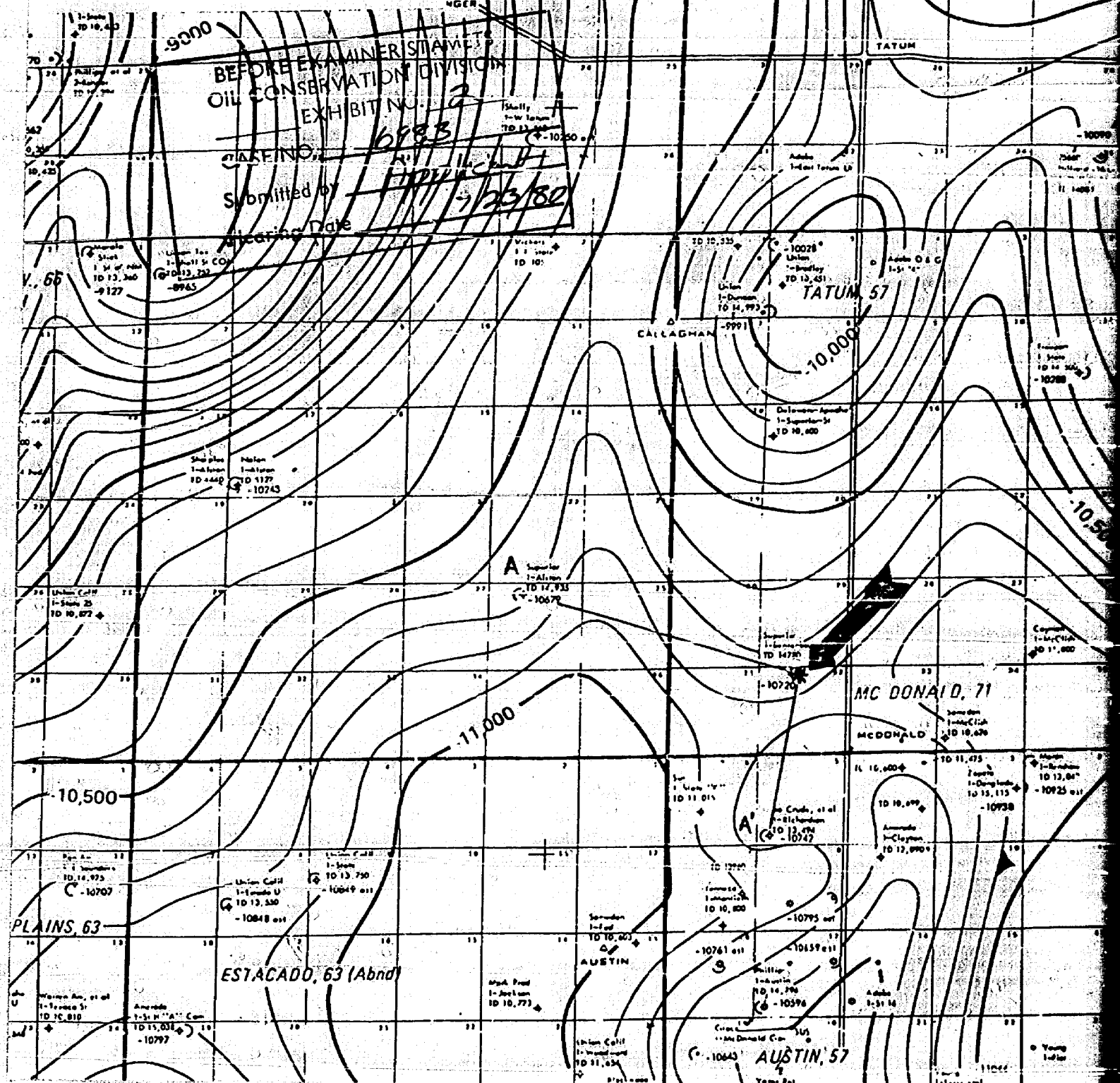


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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 6953

ORDER NO. R- 6410

APPLICATION OF GULF OIL CORPORATION
FOR AN UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION AND
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on July 9,
19 80, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S.
Nutter.

NOW, on this _____ day of July, 19 80, the
Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record,
and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised
in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by
law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject
matter thereof.

(2) That the applicant, Gulf Oil Corporation,
seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location for its
Theodore Anderson Well No. 7 located 1980 feet from the
North line and 660 feet from the East line of
Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM,
Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the applicant further seeks to simultaneously dedicate the NE/4 and E/2/^{NW/4} of said Section 17 to the above-described well and to its Theodore Anderson Well No. 4 located in Unit B of said Section 17.

(4) That a well at said unorthodox location will better enable applicant to produce the gas underlying the proration unit.

(5) That no offset operator objected to the proposed unorthodox location and simultaneous dedication.

(6) That approval of the subject application will afford the applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the gas in the subject pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Gulf Oil Corporation is hereby authorized to drill its Theodore Anderson Well No. 7 at an unorthodox location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, XXXX Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

(2) That the NE/4 and/^{E/2 NW/4} of said Section 17 shall be simultaneously dedicated to the above-described well and to applicant's Theodore Anderson Well No. 4 located in Unit B of said Section 17.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.