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Grace Petroleum Corporation  
Subsidiary of W.R. Grace & Co.

Three Park Central Suite 200  
1515 Arapahoe Street  
Denver, Colorado 80202  
Phone (303) 825-8193

June 25, 1980

Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Exception location  
Connie 28-3  
Escrito Field  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Because the previous request for an exception location was incomplete, GRACE PETROLEUM intends to resubmit the enclosed data for your consideration.

We request an exception location for a Gallup formation oil well in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 28, T24N-R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The location requested is located 200' FNL and 230' FWL in the aforementioned section. This location is the closest location available to the original because of an archeological site and the rough terrain in the area of the originally proposed location @ 330' FNL and 490' FWL.

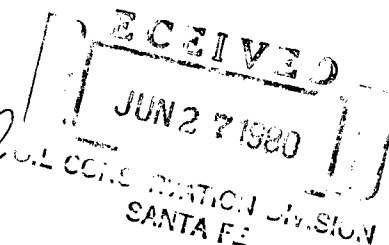
Attached are the letters sent to the offset operators by certified mail, the topographic maps showing the terrain, a plat of offset ownership, and the archeologists' report.

If further documentation or any other problem arises, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION

*Ben Stromberg, Jr.*  
Ben Stromberg, Jr.  
Operations Engineer



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June 25, 1980

Supron Energy Corporation  
Bldg. 5, 5th Floor  
10300 N. Central Expressway  
Dallas, Texas 75231

Attention: Mr. Jerry Lee

Re: Exception location  
NWNW Sec. 28-T24N-R7W  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Lee:

Because the state of New Mexico requires offset operator be sent notification by certified mail for an exception location, we are once again requesting an exception location on the above mentioned location.

The exact location is 200' FNL and 230' FWL NWNW Sec. 28-T24N-R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. As stated in our previous correspondence, the location was moved because of archaeological reasons and to avoid extremely rough terrain in the immediate area.

If you have no objections please sign below and return one copy to GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION, above address and send one copy to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501, attention: Joe D. Ramey.

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Supron Energy Corporation

Should you have additional questions or comments, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION

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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Proposed Well: GRACE PETROLEUM - CONNIE 28 - 3

Land Status: Bureau of Land Management.

Location: The proposed location is in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 7 West, N.M.P.M., Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The well will be 200 feet from the north line and 230 feet from the west line of Section 28. (Figure 2)

U.T.M.: Center - 13; 2,67,700 mE; 40,19,100 mN.

Access: 20 feet wide and 3700 feet long, approaching the location from the north and east.

Area Surveyed: 3.76 acres.

Terrain: Terrace top with easterly drainage, alluvial surface deposits, and sandstone outcrops.

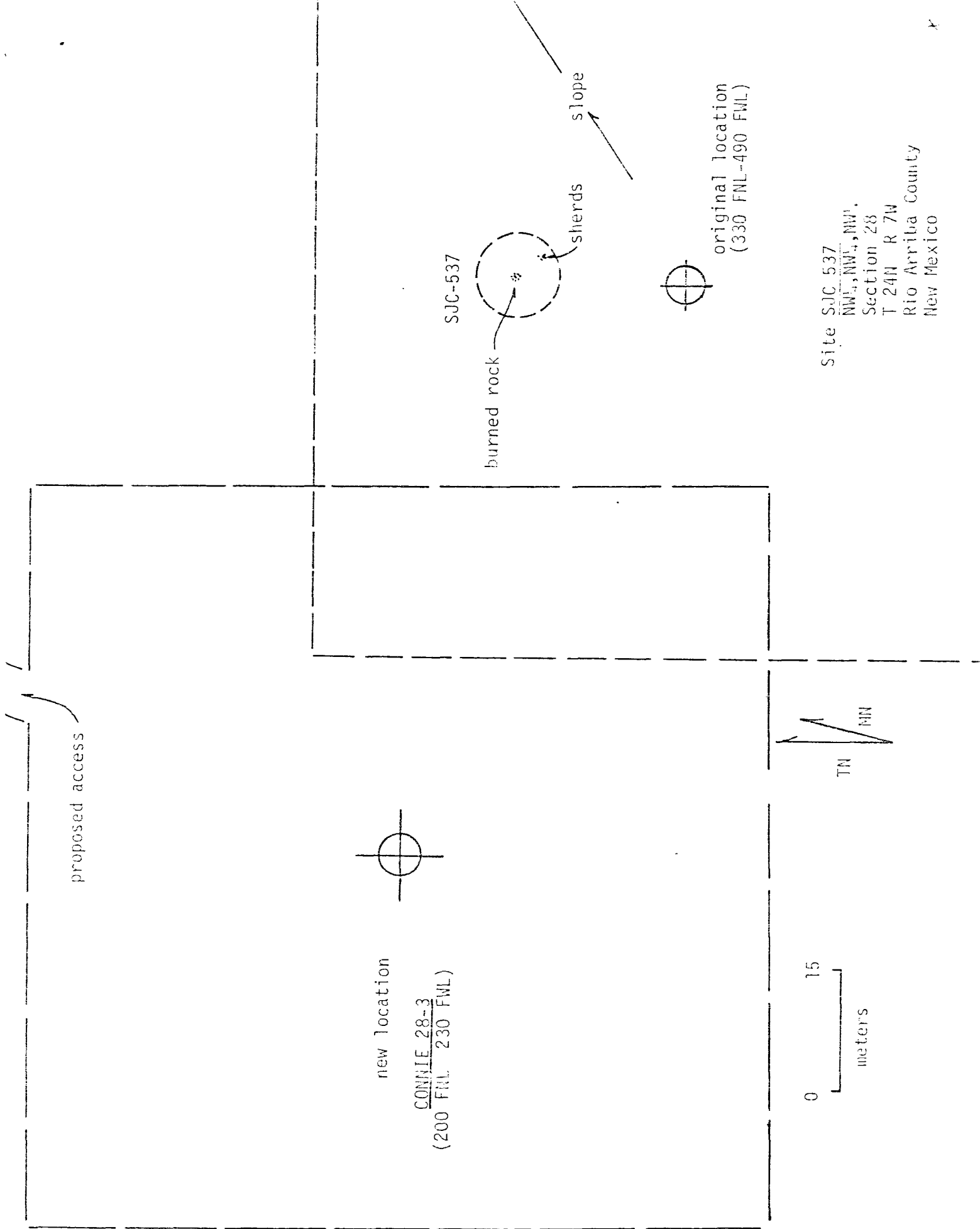
Soil: Sandy clayey loam.

Vegetation: Piñon, juniper, sagebrush, saltbush, snakeweed, indian paintbrush, galleta, grama, prickly pear.

Cultural Resources: Site SJC-537 was found on the original well location. The well stake was moved 130 feet north and 260 feet west to completely avoid the site.

Recommendations: With the relocation of the well stake, archaeological clearance is recommended.

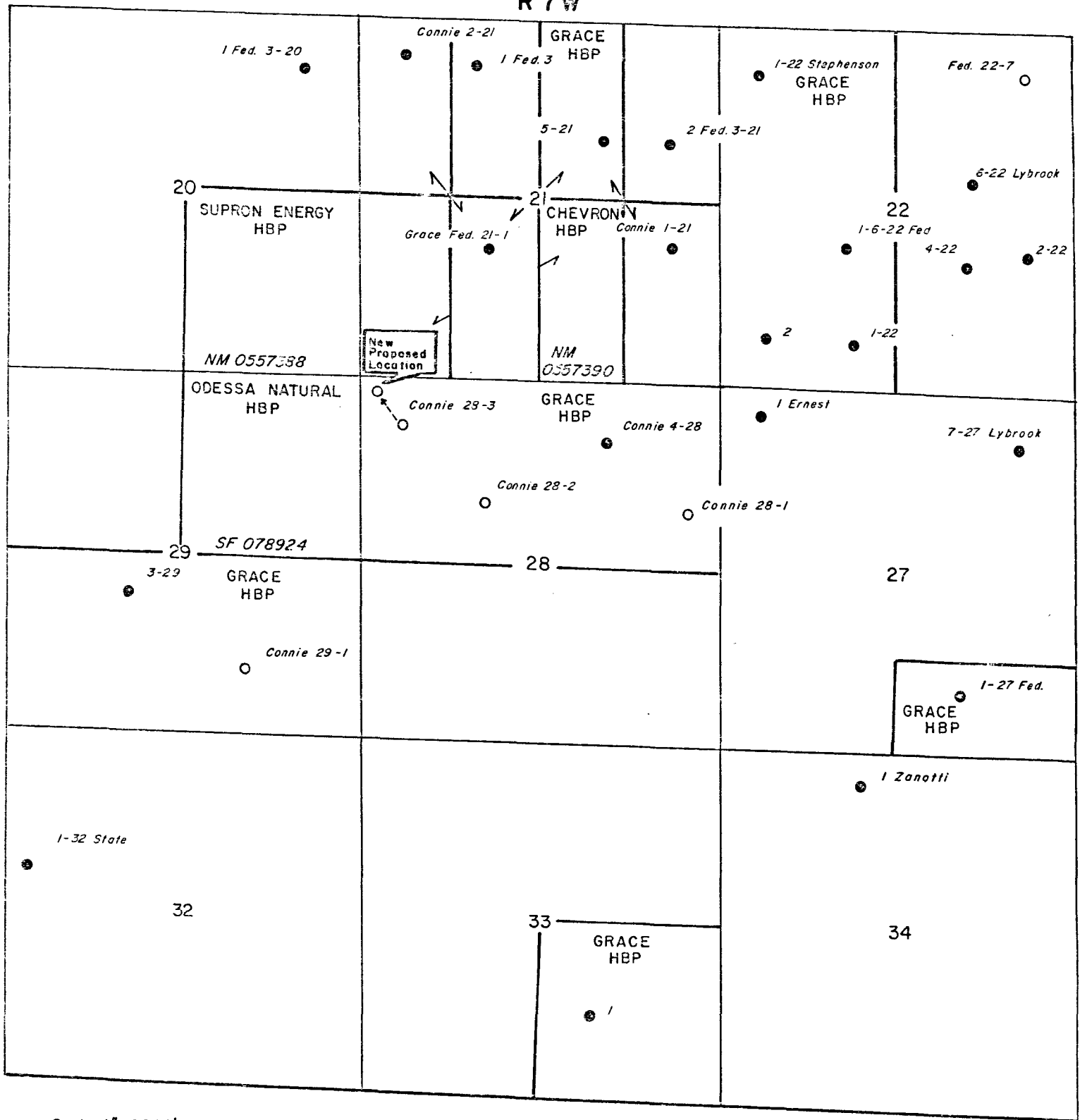
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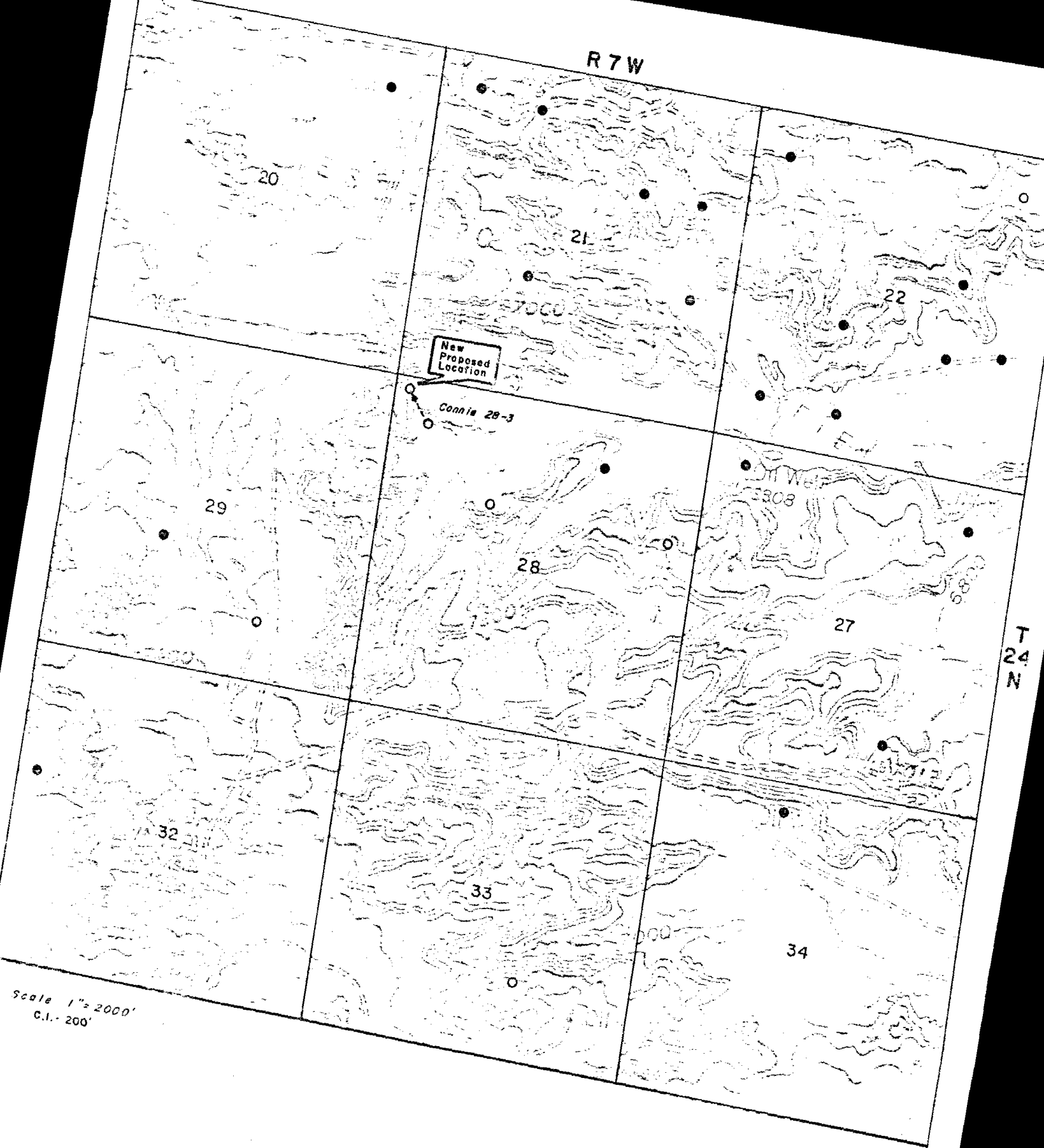
# GRACE FEDERAL 28-3 RIO ARRIBA CO., NEW MEXICO

JUNE 11, 1980



GRACE Petroleum Corp.

Rocky Mountain Region  
11020 Highway 30, Suite 300, Denver, Colorado 80231

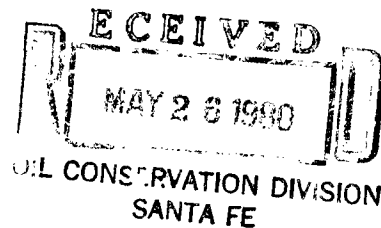


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C.I. = 200'

**GRACE FEDERAL 28-3**  
RIO ARRIBA CO., NEW MEXICO



JUNE 11, 1980  
**GRACE Petroleum Corp.**  
Rocky Mountain Petroleum  
1515 Arapahoe



May 21, 1980

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

ATTENTION: Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Director

Gentlemen:

REFERENCE: LOCATION EXCEPTION - GRACE PETROLEUM  
CORPORATION - NW NW Section 28, T24N,  
R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

With regard to the above referenced matter, this is to advise you  
that Odessa Natural Corporation has no objections to this location  
exception.

Yours very truly,

ODESSA NATURAL CORPORATION

JOHN J. STROJEK

Director - Production Department

JJS/so

cc: Grace Petroleum Corporation  
Three Park Central, Suite 200  
1515 Araphoe Street  
Denver, Colorado 80202



ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

May 21, 1980

BRUCE KING  
GOVERNOR

LARRY KEHOE  
SECRETARY

POST OFFICE BOX 2088  
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501  
(505) 827-2434

Grace Petroleum  
Three Park Central, Suite 200  
1515 Arapahoe Street  
Denver, Colorado 80202

Re: Application for Non-Standard  
Location: Grace Federal 28 No. 3,  
Sec. 28, T-24-N, R-7-W, Rio  
Arriba County

We may not process the subject application for non-standard location until the required information or plats checked below (is) (are) submitted.

- ☒ A plat must be submitted clearly showing the ownership of the offsetting leases. The ownership is not clearly shown on the plat submitted.
- ☒ A statement must be submitted that offset owners have been notified of the application by certified mail.
- ☒ A plat must be submitted fully identifying the topography necessitating the non-standard location. The plat submitted is of such a scale as to be useless for this request. A sketch map on Form C-102 would be appropriate.
- ☒ Other: Please show the pool and/or formation name. A copy of the archeologist's report should be submitted.

Very truly yours

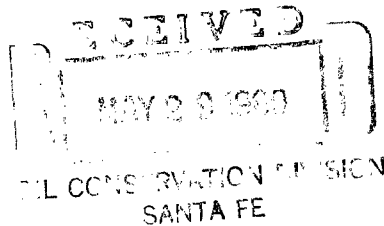
R. L. STAMETS  
Technical Support Chief

RLS/dr



OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Albuquerque DISTRICT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO



DATE May 23, 1980

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL x \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated May 20, 1980  
for the Grace Petroleum Corp. San Juan 128#3 D-25-24N 7W  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve  
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Yours very truly,

Frank J. Day

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
State DISTRICT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

DATE May 23, 1980

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

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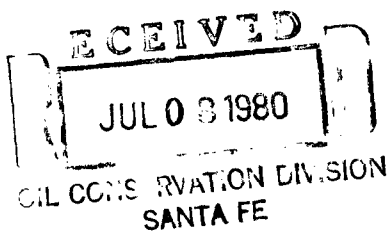
I have examined the application dated May 20, 1980  
for the Shore Petroleum Corp Shore Island 28#3 D-28-2410-7u  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve  
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Yours very truly,

Frank J. Long



Union Oil and Gas Division: Central Region

Union Oil Company of California  
Post Office Box 2620, Casper, Wyoming 82602  
Telephone (307) 234-1563



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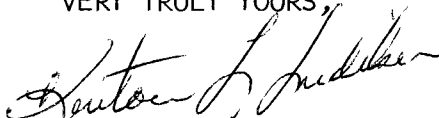
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
P. O. BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

RE: EXCEPTION LOCATION  
NENW SEC. 23, T-24-N, R-7-W  
RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

GENTLEMEN:

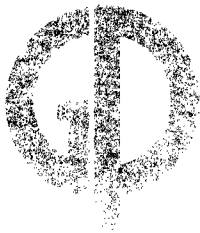
THIS LETTER IS TO ADVISE UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA HAS NO OBJECTION TO  
GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION'S REQUEST FOR THE ABOVE LOCATION.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

  
KENTON L. LUDI KER  
DISTRICT LAND MANAGER

KLL/JW

CC: GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION  
1515 ARAPAHOE STREET  
DENVER, COLORADO 80202



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May 16, 1980



Mr. Joe D. Ramey  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Exception Location  
Lybrook Field  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Grace Petroleum Corporation requests that a location exception be granted for a well in the NWNW of Section 28, T24N-R7W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The well is located 200' FNL and 230' FWL which is the only spot available because of the extremely rough terrain and an archaeological site at the original location. The original location was 330' FNL and 490' FWL.

Attached are letters that were sent to offset operators advising the operators of our proposed location. A topo map is also included as per state regulations.

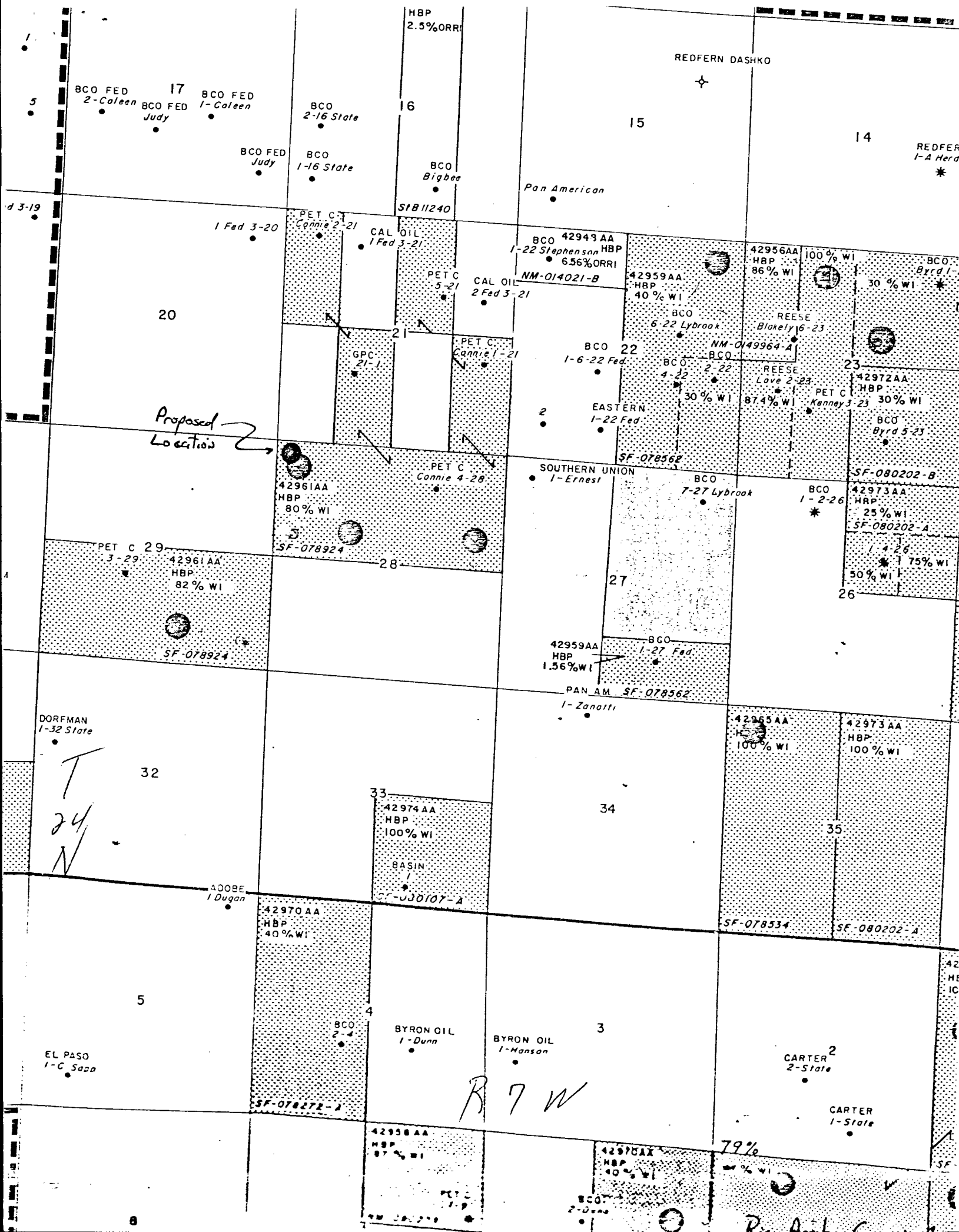
If you would, please examine this request and advise the undersigned of future requirements.

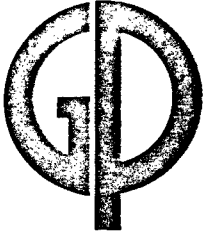
Yours truly,

GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Scotty A. Smith  
Operations Manager  
Southern Division

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May 12, 1980

Supron Energy Corporation  
Bldg. 5, 5th Floor  
10300 N. Central Expressway  
Dallas, TX 75231

Re: Exception location  
NWNW Sec. 28-T24N-R7W  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Grace Petroleum Corporation has staked a location in the above mentioned area of New Mexico. The exact location is 200' FNL, and 230' FWL. The location is an exception location as the spot is too close to a lease line. The well was originally staked approximately 200' SE of the present location, but was moved when an archaeological survey revealed Navajo ruins. The present location had to avoid this site and conform to the rugged terrain of the area.

If you have any objections to this location, please contact the undersigned or the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

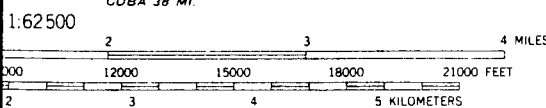
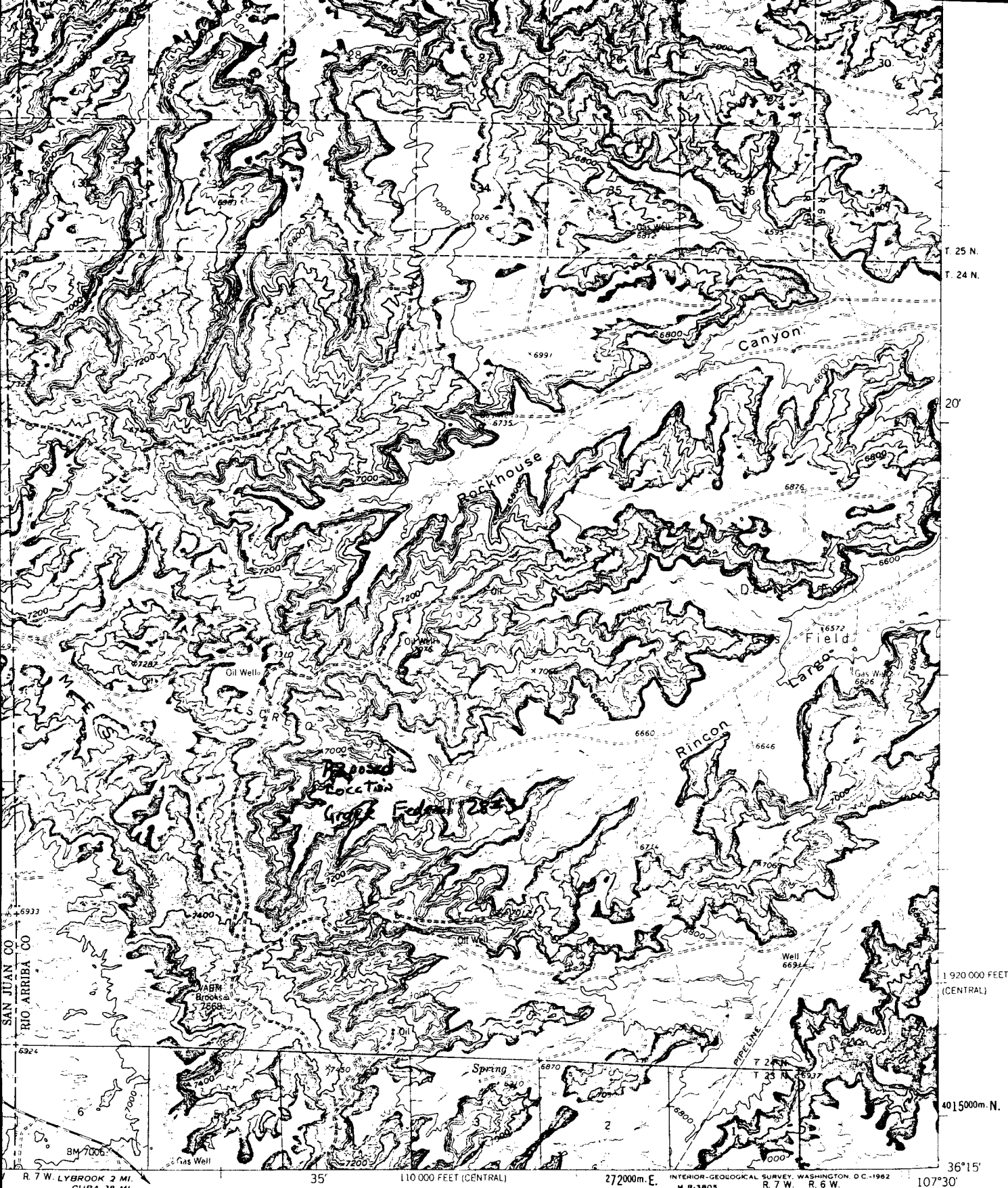
If there are any questions, please advise.

Yours truly,

GRACE PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Scotty A. Smith  
Operations Manager  
Southern District

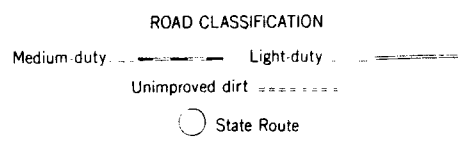
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Attachment



INTERVAL 40 FEET  
MEAN SEA LEVEL



QUADRANGLE LOCATION



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