

Tenneco Oil Exploration and Production

A Tenneco Company

Western Rocky Mountain Division

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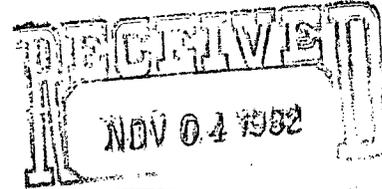


NSL 1620
Rule 3 R1670
11-24-82

November 1, 1982

CERTIFIED MAIL
Return Receipt Requested

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



New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, NM 87401
Attn: Frank Chavez

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE

Application for Unorthodox Location
Tenneco Bolack 3E
790' FSL, 2045' FEL
Sec. 20, T28N, R8W
San Juan County, New Mexico
Basin Dakota

Gentlemen:

Attached in duplicate (to each office) are a well location plat (C-102) with an ownership plat for the above referenced well.

Due to the Canon Largo flood plain on the east, this well was placed where it does not conform to state spacing requirements. This is the only geologic and topographic site available

A copy of this application is being submitted to all offset operators by certified mail with a request that they furnish your Santa Fe office with a waiver of objection.

Pursuant to the authority of Rule 104-F we respectfully request your approval of an exemption to the standard well location requirements.

Yours very truly,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY

Ken Russell
Ken Russell
Senior Production Analyst

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Enclosures

W A I V E R

_____ hereby waives objection to Tenneco Oil Company's application for unorthodox location for their Tenneco Bolack 3E, proposed above.

BY: _____

DATE: _____

OFFSET OPERATOR
Tenneco Bolack 3E
790' FSL, 2045' FEL
Sec. 20, T28N, R8W
San Juan County, New Mexico

El Paso Natural Gas
Box 990
Farmington, NM. 87401

Attention: Carl E. Matthews

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

P. O. BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

Form C-107
Revised 10-1-78

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

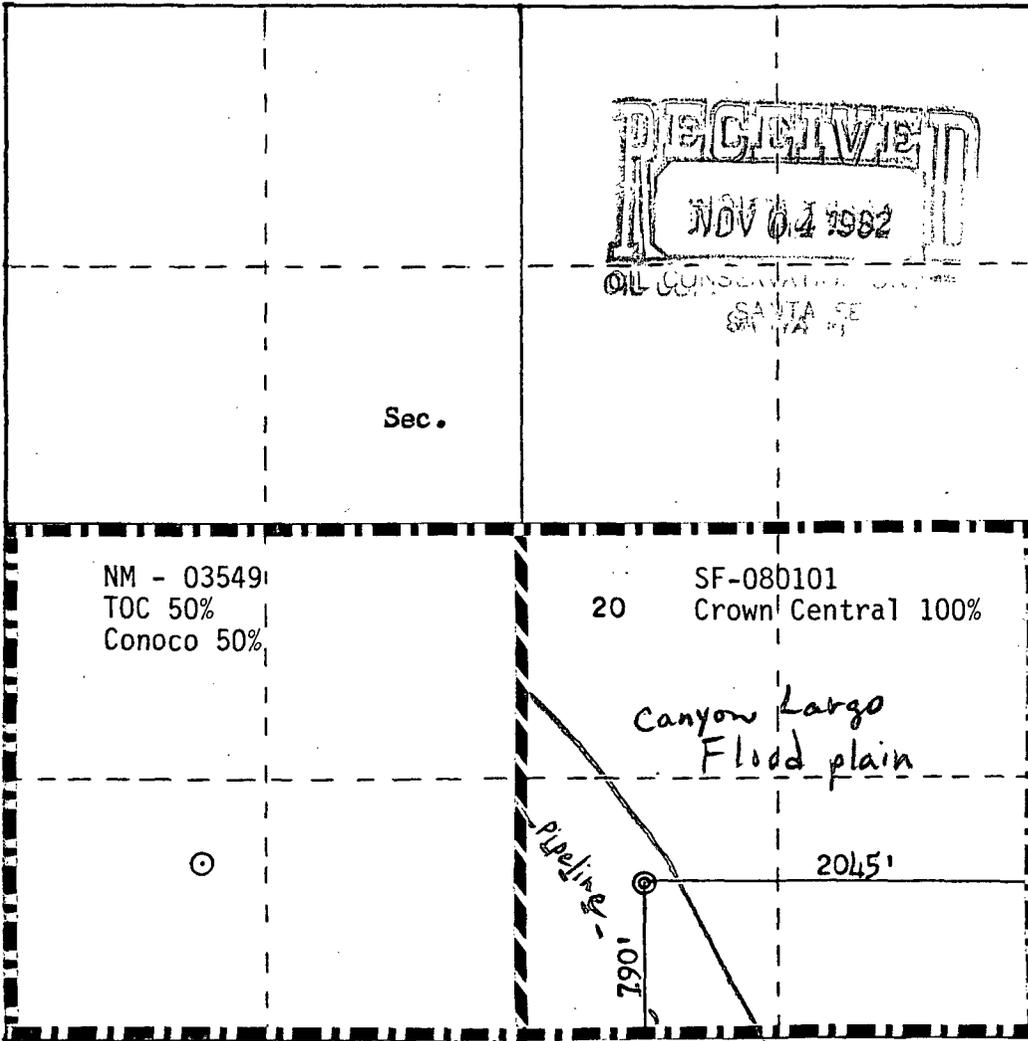
Operator TENNECO OIL COMPANY		Lease BOLACK			Well No. 3E
Unit Letter 0	Section 20	Township 28N	Range 8W	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 790 feet from the South line and 2045 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev. 5749	Producing Formation Dakota		Pool Basin Dakota	Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure 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 Communitization

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 Commission.



CERTIFICATION

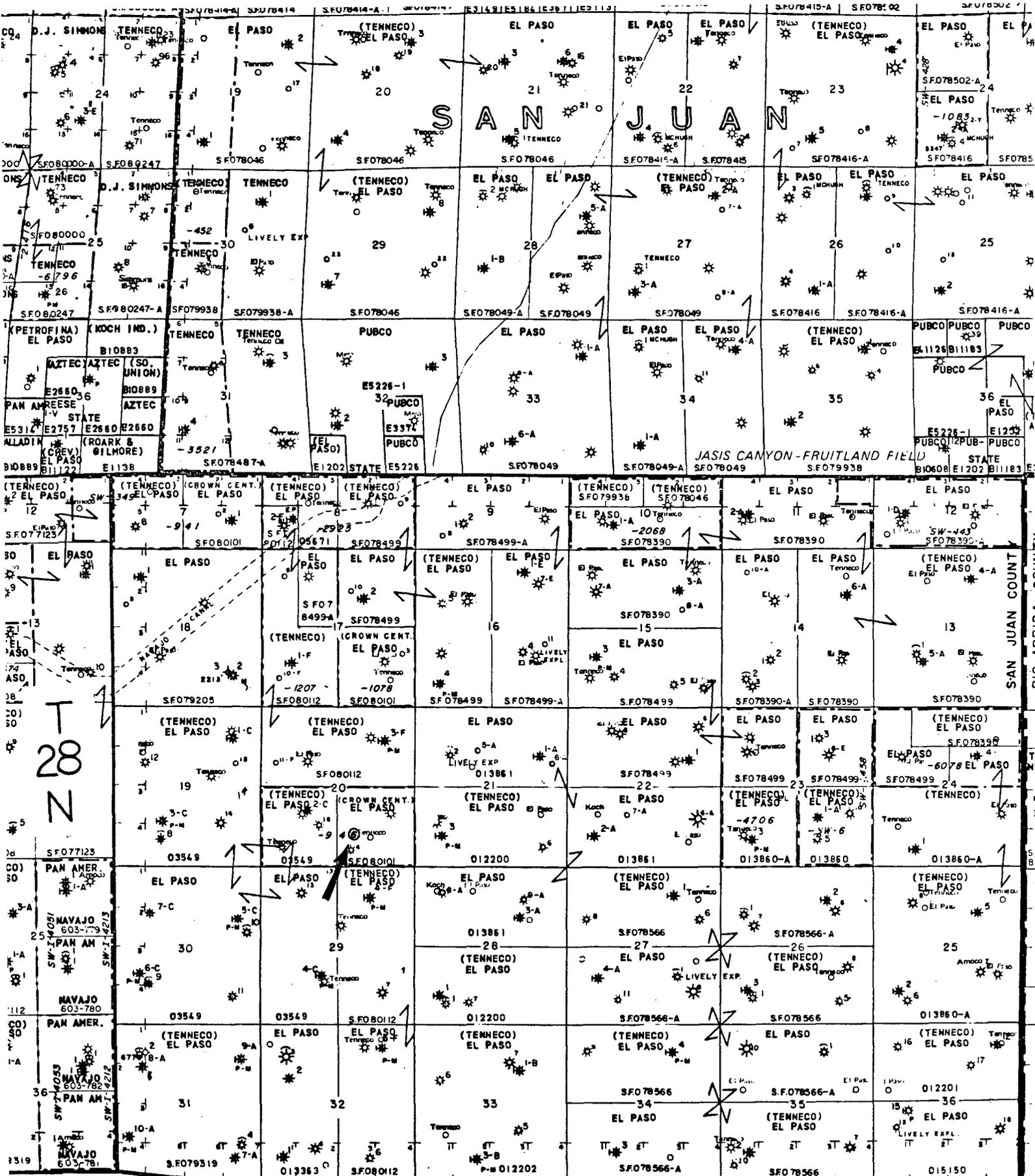
I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ken Russell

Name Ken Russell
Position Sr. Production Analyst
Company Tenneco Oil Company
Date November 1, 1982

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 September 8, 1982
Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor <i>Fred B. Kerr Jr.</i> Fred B. Kerr Jr.
Certificate No. 3950



R 8 W

WELL SYMBOLS SHOWING PRODUCING ZONES

- ★ Farmington
- ★ Dakota
- ★ Fruitland
- ★ Morrison
- ★ Pictured Cliffs
- ★ Entrada

SCALE - MILES



MAP HAS BEEN VERY CAREFULLY PREPARED FROM OFFICIAL RECORDS, HOWEVER WE DO NOT

MINERALS HAVE LEASE NUMBERS AT BOTTOM. OTHER MINERALS AT BOTTOM.



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
(505) 334-6178

1620

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

DATE 12-9-82

RE: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL _____ ✓
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 11-4-82
for the Tenneco Bolack #3E O-20-28N-8W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve

Yours truly,

Jeff A. Edmister