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December 8, 1949

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Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Secretary  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

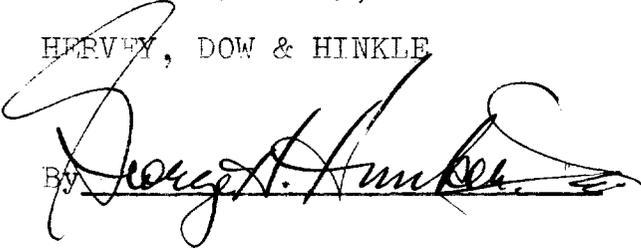
Re: LC 058709(a), Unorthodox Drilling  
Location, Worth Drilling Company, Inc., et al

Dear Mr. Spurrier:

Clarence E. Hinkle has asked me to forward to you a copy of the stipulation filed by Worth Drilling Company, Inc., et al with the Supervisor of the U. S. Geological Survey concerning the above matter, and a copy of this stipulation is enclosed for your files.

Yours very truly,

HERVEY, DOW & HINKLE

BY 

GHH:rh  
Enc.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

IN RE: OIL AND GAS LEASE, LAS  
CRUCES SERIAL NO. 058709(a)

STIPULATION FOR PURPOSE OF SECURING  
APPROVAL OF UNORTHODOX DRILLING LOCATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That the undersigned, Worth Drilling Company, Inc., Whaley Company, Inc., and J. C. Maxwell, being the owners and holders of that certain Oil and Gas Lease bearing Las Cruces Serial No. 058709(a), embracing S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 12 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 13, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., for the privilege of drilling a well at an unorthodox location 1,295 feet from the West line and 25 feet from the South line of Sec. 12, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., embraced in Oil and Gas Lease, Las Cruces Serial No. 058709(a), hereby stipulate and agree that they will not segregate by assignment or otherwise the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 12 or the N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 13, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., until such time as said well, which is to be known as the A. C. Taylor Well No. 7-A, shall have been properly plugged and abandoned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Stipulation is executed by the undersigned on this 26th day of November, 1949.

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

By \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

WHALEY COMPANY, INC.

By \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

\_\_\_\_\_  
J. C. Maxwell

11/22/49 & 12/1/49

Transcript copies mailed to:

Glenn Staley  
Hobbs Office  
Artesia Office

FIELD ADDRESS:

P. O. BOX 667  
KERMIT, TEXAS

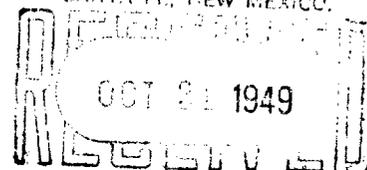
WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

October 28, 1949.

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO.



Re: L.C. 058709-A

State of New Mexico,  
Oil Conservation Commission,  
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

CASE No. 200

Gentlemen:

Herewith copy of Notice of Intention to Drill an unorthodox well located 1320' from the West line and 10' from the South line of Section 12, Twp. 18-S., Rge. 31-E., Eddy County, New Mexico. This is in the North Shugart Field and is in the approximate center between four producing wells, all drilled in the center of 40 acre tracts. This is our first experience in requesting a permit for a well located in this manner and we are under the impression that in order to get an allowable established for the well some kind of a special hearing may be necessary. If such a hearing is necessary please consider this letter and the attached notice as an application from us to have such a hearing called. We will be glad to supply you immediately with any other data required. We are very anxious to get the well started just as promptly as possible.

Since we do not know exactly how to proceed in the matter we will appreciate any help that you or any of the other interested parties can and will give us. We are enclosing a copy of our letter to the U.S.G.S. pertaining to this matter and are also sending the parties at interest, as listed below, a copy of this letter.

Thanking you for your help in the matter, we are

WDM/p  
Encl.

Yours very truly,

CC  
Oil Conservation Commission,  
State of New Mexico, P.O.Box 1545,  
Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. Glenn Staley, Proration Office,  
Lea County Operators Committee,  
Hobbs, New Mexico.

Supervisor,  
U.S. Geological Survey,  
Roswell, New Mexico.

Mr. John A. Frost, District Engineer,  
Department of Interior, U.S.G.S.,  
P. O. Box 187, Artesia, New Mexico.

Mr. Roy Charlesworth,  
P. O. Box 667,  
Kermit, Texas.

William D. Morris,  
Secretary.

FIELD ADDRESS:  
P. O. BOX 667  
KERMIT, TEXAS

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

FORT WORTH 2, TEXAS

October 23, 1949.

Re: L.C. 058709-A

Mr. Glenn Staley,  
Lea County Operators Committee,  
Hobbs, New Mexico.

Dear Sir:

Herewith please find copy of Notice of Intention to Drill our A. C. Taylor well No. 7-A, which is an unorthodox location and is located 1320' from the West line and 10' from the South line of Sec. 12, Twp. 18-S., Rge. 31-E., Eddy County, New Mexico. This is the North Shugart Field.

We are under the impression that in order to get an allowable established for this well that it is probably necessary to have some kind of a special hearing on it and we have therefore sent copies of the Notice and of the enclosed letters to all of the parties listed below, who we think may be interested in the matter.

We will appreciate it if you will advise us, assuming the permit is granted, what kind of an allowable will be given on the well and how will it be figured.

We are very anxious to get the well started and will appreciate hearing from you on this at your very earliest convenience. If you could send our Mr. Roy Charlesworth a copy of your letter on the matter it would certainly be appreciated.

Thanking you for such help as you can give us in the matter, we are

WDM/p  
Encl.

Yours very truly,

CC  
Supervisor,  
U.S. Geological Survey,  
Roswell, New Mexico.

State of New Mexico,  
Oil Conservation Commission,  
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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State of New Mexico, P.O.Box 1545,  
Hobbs, New Mexico.

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WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

FORT WORTH 2, TEXAS

October 28, 1949.

Re: L.C. 058709-A

Supervisor,  
U.S. Geological Survey,  
Roswell, New Mexico.

Dear Sir:

Herewith please find Notice of Intention to Drill our A. C. Taylor well No. 7-A, said location being an unorthodox location and located 1320' from the West line and 10' from the South line of Section 12, Twp. 18-S., Rge. 31-E., Eddy County, New Mexico. This is, as you can see, approximately a center location between four other producing wells, each drilled in the center of 40 acre tracts.

I believe our Mr. Roy Charlesworth has either talked to you on the telephone about this or else has talked to Mr. Frost at Artesia. We are directing a single copy of the notice to the parties listed at the bottom of this letter.

We are under the impression that some kind of a special permit is necessary from the U.S.G.S. on this proposed location and that we should also take the matter up and possibly have a hearing on it before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission so as to be sure of getting an allowable on said well after it is drilled. We are not exactly sure of the procedure in the matter so are directing copies to all parties we think may be interested in the matter and request that each of you give us such advice as may be necessary to carry out this project. We are anxious to get the well started immediately.

Thanking you for your help, we are

WDM/p  
Encl.

Yours very truly,

CC  
Oil Conservation Commission,  
State of New Mexico, P.O.Box 1545,  
Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. Glenn Staley, Proration Office,  
Lee County Operators Committee,  
Hobbs, New Mexico.

State of New Mexico,  
Oil Conservation Commission,  
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Mr. John A. Frost, District Engineer,  
Department of Interior, U.S.G.S.,  
P. O. Box 187, Artesia, New Mexico.

Mr. Roy Charlesworth,  
P. O. Box 667,  
Kermit, Texas.



William D. Morris,  
Secretary.

November 7, 1949

CARLSBAD CURRENT ARGUS

Carlsbad, New Mexico

Re: Case 200 and 201  
- Notice of Publication

Gentlemen:

Please publish the enclosed notice once, immediately. Please proof read the notice carefully and send a copy of the paper carrying such notice to this office.

UPON COMPLETION OF THE PUBLICATION SEND PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT IN DUPLICATE.

For payment, please submit statement in duplicate, and sign and return the enclosed voucher.

Very truly yours,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

R. E. Spurrier  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
encl.

FIELD ADDRESS:  
P. O. BOX 667  
KERMIT, TEXAS

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
FORT WORTH 2, TEXAS

November 17, 1949

Re: A. C. Taylor "A" Lease  
L.C. 058709-A - Well No. 7-A

Mr. Foster Morrell  
Oil and Gas Supervisor  
Southwestern Region  
Department of The Interior  
Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 997  
Roswell, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Morrell:

Accept our thanks for your letter of November 4, 1949, with reference to our proposed unorthodox location for well No. 7-A on the A. C. Taylor lease being in Section 12, Twp. 18 S., Rge. 31 E., Eddy County, New Mexico.

We enclose you herewith in quadruplicate Form No. 9-331 A giving Notice of Intention to Drill this well at a location 25 feet from the South line and 1295 feet from the West line of Section 12 (in SW/4 of Section), Twp. 18 S., Rge. 31 E., N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. This is the North Shugart Field. A proper plat is attached to this notice.

We also requested and are obtaining a hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on this unorthodox location. We are enclosing you a copy of our letter to the Commission and also a copy of the New Mexico State Form C-101 which we have filed with them. We are likewise requesting our attorney, Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle of Roswell, New Mexico, to prepare the stipulation in triplicate agreeing that the four 40 acre units composing the SW/4 of Section 12, Twp. 18 S., Rge. 31 E., Eddy County, New Mexico, will not be segregated by assignment until such time as said well has been properly plugged and abandoned.

Just as soon as he prepares and forwards us these Forms, we will execute them and send them to your office. You may be sure that we readily agree to this stipulation and realize that it is necessary under the circumstances. If you can do so, we would like to have you approve this location subject to our filing the stipulation and also subject to the approval of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

Thanking you for your consideration in this matter, we are

WDM:m  
Encls.-

Yours respectfully,

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William D. Morris  
Secretary

Mr. Foster Morrell  
Page No. 2

November 17, 1949

- cc: Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director, ✓  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission,  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico
- cc: Mr. Roy Charlesworth  
P. O. Box 667  
Kermit, Texas
- cc: Mr. Justin Newman, Artesia Representative  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Room 205, Booker Building  
Artesia, New Mexico
- cc: Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle  
c/o Hervey, Dow & Hinkle  
Roswell, New Mexico
- cc: U. S. Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 187  
Artesia, New Mexico

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NEW MEXICO

Oil Conservation Commission

Room 205, Booker Building

Artesia, New Mexico

November 4, 1949.

Mr. William D. Morris  
Worth Drilling Company, Inc.  
Fort Worth National Bank Building  
Fort Worth 2, Texas

Dear Mr. Morris:

Your letter concerning your lease No. LC 058709-A has come to my attention. In order to sell oil from an unorthodox location, it will be necessary to have the location approved by the Commission in an open hearing.

The proper place to address your request for a hearing is to Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director, Oil Conservation Commission, Box 871, Santa Fe, New Mexico. The request should contain all the details concerning the location. I would like to suggest that the well be located not more than 1310' from the West line. If the well is to be farther from the West line than 1310', I would suggest that it be 1330' since the proposed location, 1320' from the West line, falls directly on the quarter-quarter line.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

By Justin Newman (signed)

Justin Newman  
Artesia Representative

JH:da

cc: Mr. R.R. Spurrier, Director  
Oil Conservation Commission

FIELD ADDRESS:  
P. O. BOX 667  
KERMIT, TEXAS

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
FORT WORTH 2, TEXAS

November 17, 1949

Re: A.C. Taylor - L.C. 058709-A  
Proposed Location - Well No. 7-A

U. S. Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 187  
Artesia, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

At the instruction of Mr. Foster Morrell of Roswell, New Mexico, we enclose you herewith in triplicate Notice of Intention to Drill our A.C. Taylor Well No. 7-A, which is an unorthodox "five spot" location.

We likewise enclose you a copy of the letter we have written to Mr. Morrell in the same matter, and also a copy of the application we have filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission for approval of this location.

Since it was not clear to us whether or not Mr. Morrell wished this application to be filed with your office or with his office, we are sending triplicate copies to each place. Should these prove surplus in either case they may simply be returned to our office.

Thanking you for your consideration in this matter, we are

Yours very truly,

William D. Morris  
Secretary

WDM:m  
Encls.-

cc: Mr. Foster Morrell  
Oil & Gas Supervisor - Southwestern Region  
Department of The Interior  
Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 997  
Roswell, New Mexico

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November 17, 1949

- cc: Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director,  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission,  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico
- cc: Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle  
c/o Hervey, Dow & Hinkle, Attorneys  
Roswell, New Mexico
- cc: Mr. Roy Charlesworth  
P. O. Box 667  
Kermit, Texas
- cc: Mr. Justin Newman, Artesia Representative  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Room 205  
Booker Building  
Artesia, New Mexico

November 7, 1949

Mr. E. E. Greeson  
P. O. Box 153  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Gene:

We are having a hearing on November 22, 1949, at 10:00 o'clock A.M.  
in the Senate Chambers.

Will you let us know as soon as possible, whether you will be able to  
take the record for us?

Very truly yours,

R. R. Spurrier  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw

November 7, 1949

Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 1545  
Hobbs, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

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Very truly yours,

R. R. Spurrier  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
encl.

FIELD ADDRESS:  
P. O. BOX 667  
KERMIT, TEXAS

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.  
FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
FORT WORTH 2. TEXAS

November 25, 1949

RE: LC 058709 (a)  
Location - Well No. 7

Mr. John A. Frost  
District Engineer  
The Department of The Interior  
Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 187  
Artesia, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Frost:

As suggested in your letter of November 22, we enclose you herewith Surveyor's Plat, showing certified well location on our A. C. Taylor "A" Lease, Well No. 7. This survey had not been received at the time our request for permit on this well was forwarded to you. We do not yet have the elevation on this well, but we will furnish it to you as soon as we get it; however, it will not be much different from the other wells in the immediate vicinity. We also enclose you a copy of letter we have written to Mr. R. R. Spurrier, which we think will fix this matter up.

Our attorney, Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle, has talked to his office and I am sure the permit will be granted promptly upon receipt of this letter.

Yours respectfully,

William D. Morris  
Secretary

WDM:lc  
cc:  
Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
cc:  
Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle  
c/o Hervey, Dow & Hinkle  
Attorneys  
Roswell, New Mexico  
cc:  
Mr. Roy Charlesworth  
Worth Drilling Company, Inc.  
P. O. Box 667  
Kermit, Texas



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
P. O. Box 187  
Artesia, New Mexico



November 22, 1949

Worth Drilling Company  
Ft. Worth National Bank Bldg.  
Ft. Worth, Texas

Re: L. C. 058709 (a)

Gentlemen:

We are in receipt of your "Notice of Intention to Drill" your Taylor "A" well No. 7, located 25 feet from south and 1295 feet from west lines of section 12, T. 18S., R. 31E., N. Shugart Field, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Just as soon as we are advised that approval has been obtained through the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission for this unorthodox location, this office will approve said drilling operations. We did not find the usual certified well location plat among the several papers received in this office, and it is suggested that you furnish us with a plat in triplicate at an early date to avoid further delay in approving the drilling of said well.

Very truly yours

(Sgd.) JOHN A. FROST

John A. Frost  
District Engineer

cc: Roy Charlesworth  
Box 667  
Kermit, Texas

R. R. Spurrier  
Box 871  
Santa Fe, N. M.

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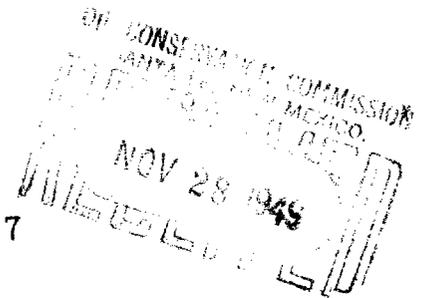
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WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
FORT WORTH, TEXAS

November 25, 1949

RE: LC 058709 (a)  
Location - Well No. 7



*Case # 200*

Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Spurrier:

Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle advises me that our application for an unorthodox location for our Well No. 7 on the A. C. Taylor Lease, was apparently in order except he states that we did not furnish your office with a formal application on this well. Our records indicate that we forwarded you an application in triplicate on your Form C-101, with our letter of November 17, 1949. I believe if you will refer to the file that you will very likely find it. We are enclosing you herewith another signed copy of the application and in the event you did not find the other copies, will send you such additional copies as you may wish. We are quite anxious to get started on this well, but, of course, will do nothing until the location is formally approved by your department.

Our reasons for desiring to drill this well are set out as follows:

<u>Well Number</u>	<u>Date of Completion</u>	<u>Present Allowable</u>
1-A	12-3-38	12 Barrels
3-A	6-22-47	28 Barrels
4-A	4-10-48	28 Barrels
5-A	6-2-48	28 Barrels

In view of the fact that Well No. 1-A has been in more than 10 years and is still a good well and also the way the other wells are holding up, as indicated above, our geologists are doubtful whether or not one well to a 40 acre tract will get the oil from under this land. We desire to drill this well to determine the extent of drainage and to find out whether or not we are correct in the above assumption. We also

We also contemplate either gas or water flooding at a later date and a "five-spot" well will be, in our opinion, the most efficient for gas or water flooding at some later date.

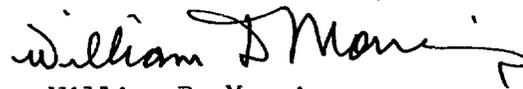
You will also note that this is an inside location on our own leases and will not cause drilling in the area unless they simply desire to drill as we have elected to do. If there is any further information we can give you on this matter, you may be sure that we will be glad to do so.

If upon receipt of this letter you could find your way clear to do so, wire Mr. Charlesworth collect, at the address shown below and mail us a copy of same, authorizing this well, it will be a considerable favor to us.

We do not yet have the elevation on this well, but it will not be much different from the other wells in the area, and it will be furnished to you just as soon as it has been furnished to us.

Thanking you for your careful consideration in this matter, we are

Yours respectfully,



William D. Morris,  
Secretary

WDM:lc  
Encls.

cc:  
Mr. John A. Frost  
District Engineer  
The Department of the Interior  
Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 187  
Artesia, New Mexico

cc:  
Mr. Clarence E. Hinkle  
c/o Hervy, Dow & Hinkle  
Attorneys  
Roswell, New Mexico

cc:  
Mr. Roy Charlesworth  
Worth Drilling Company, Inc.  
P. O. Box 667  
Kermit, Texas



November 7, 1949

Oil Conservation Commission  
205 Booker Building  
Artesia, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

We are enclosing herewith, copy of Notice of Publication, covering the hearing to be held on November 22, 1949, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., in Santa Fe, at the Hall of Representatives.

Very truly yours,

R. R. Spurrier  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
encl.

November 7, 1949

Mr. Glenn Staley  
Lea County Operators Committee  
Drawer I  
Hobbs, New Mexico

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation Commission hereby gives public notice pursuant to law of a public hearing to be held November 22, 1949, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A.M. of that day in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, in the Hall of Representatives.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

All named parties in the following cases, and notices to the public:

Case 200

In the matter of the Application of Worth Drilling Company, Inc. for an order approving an unorthodox location for A. C. Taylor well No. 7-A, 10 ft. from the south line and 1320 ft. east of

the west line (SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) of Section 12 in Township 18 south, Range 31, east, N.M.P.M., in North Shugart pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Case 201

In the matter of the Application of Danciger Oil and Refining Company for an order granting permission to drill twelve unorthodox ("five spot") locations on its Turner "A" and Turner "E" leases in Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20, in Township 17 south, Range 31 east, N.M.P.M., in the Premier pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Given under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on November 7, 1949.

(SEAL)

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

NEW MEXICO CLIPPING BUREAU  
Albuquerque, N. M.

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Santa Fe New Mexican  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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Case 202

In the matter of the Application of Rowan Oil Company for an order reducing the daily allowable of the Brunson pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to 90 barrels per day per well for a period of six months, within which period of time through surveys and studies information may be had for the purpose of determining the maximum efficient rate of production of reservoir.

Case 203

In the matter of the Application of Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company and Oil Development Company of Texas, for an order allowing an exception from Commission Order No. 778, of July 27, 1948, providing an 80 acre spacing pattern for wells in the Crossroads pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

Pub: Nov. 9, 1949.

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Pub: Nov. 9, 1949.

(SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE)

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Land Office Las Cruces, N.M.  
Lease No. 058709-A  
Unit M

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF WATER SHUT-OFF.....	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CHANGE PLANS.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF SHOOTING OR ACIDIZING.....	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TEST WATER SHUT-OFF.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF ALTERING CASING.....	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RE-DRILL OR REPAIR WELL.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF REDRILLING OR REPAIR.....	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SHOOT OR ACIDIZE.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF ABANDONMENT.....	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PULL OR ALTER CASING.....		SUPPLEMENTARY WELL HISTORY.....	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ABANDON WELL.....			

(INDICATE ABOVE BY CHECK MARK NATURE OF REPORT, NOTICE, OR OTHER DATA)

Fort Worth, Texas - October 28, 1949

Well No. 7-A is located 25 ft. from N line and 1295 ft. from W line of sec. 12

SW/4 Sec. 12 18-S R-31E N.M.P.M.  
(1/4 Sec. and Sec. No.) (Twp.) (Range) (Meridian)  
North Shugart Eddy New Mexico  
(Field) (County or Subdivision) (State or Territory)

The elevation of the derrick floor above sea level is 3741 ft. (Estimated)

DETAILS OF WORK

(State names of and expected depths to objective sands; show sizes, weights, and lengths of proposed casings; indicate mudding jobs, cementing points, and all other important proposed work)

Will drill well with cable tools, using No. 3 National drilling machine with Waukesha Drilling Engine for power and use natural gas for fuel. Will set approximately 1100' of 8-5/8 O.D. 24# lapweld casing with Texas Pattern Casing Shoe on top of salt and cement with 50 sacks cement by Halliburton method. Will also run oil string of approximately 3475' of 7" O.D. 20# API seamless casing in top of lime, circulate with mud and cement with 100 sacks oil well cement by Halliburton method. Will allow to set for 72 hours, test for water shut off, and drill producing horizon with cable tools. If productive will shoot with nitroglycerine (after giving due notice), clean out, run 2" 4.70# API external upset seamless tubing with pump and rods and place on pump with National Supply Company pumping unit.

Will save formation samples from base of salt to total depth and furnish sample log upon completion. Proper notice will be given on operations as work progresses.

I understand that this plan of work must receive approval in writing by the Geological Survey before operations may be commenced.

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

Company 2005-7 Fort Worth National Bank Bldg.,

Main Office: Ft. Worth 2, Texas. Phone 2-8374

Address Field Address:

c/o Roy Charlesworth

P. O. Box 667

Kermit, Texas - Telephone #3

By William D. Morris  
William D. Morris

Title Secretary-Treasurer

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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

P. O. Box 997  
Roswell, New Mexico

November 4, 1949

Worth Drilling Company  
Fort Worth National Bank Building  
Fort Worth, Texas

Attention: Mr. William D. Morris

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter of October 28, enclosing a Notice of Intention to Drill your A. C. Taylor well No. 7-A at an unorthodox location 1320 feet from the west line and 10 feet from the south line sec. 12, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., lease Las Cruces 058709(a).

This office offers no objection to the drilling of "five-spot" wells at unorthodox locations. However, we request in all such cases that the locations be no closer than 25 feet from any 40-acre subdivision line. Our approval of such location will be contingent upon approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission and to secure such approval it will be necessary to file a petition for a hearing the matter before the Commission. The Commission will no doubt advise you as to the proper procedure.

Inasmuch as the proposed well is to be within 200 feet of legal subdivision lines, this office will require a stipulation in triplicate wherein the lessee agrees that the four 40-acre tracts involved will not be segregated by assignment until such time as the well has been properly plugged and abandoned.

Your Notice of Intention to Drill is being returned herewith for change of location as recommended above and for resubmission, after approval of the unorthodox location by the State Oil Conservation Commission, to the U. S. Geological Survey, P. O. Box 187, Artesia, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

Foster Morrell (signed)

Foster Morrell  
Oil and Gas Supervisor  
Southwestern Region

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Nov. 22 - hearing

FIELD ADDRESS:

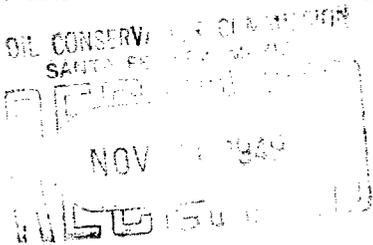
P. O. BOX 667  
KERMIT, TEXAS

**WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.**

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

November 17, 1949



Re: Case No. 200 - Worth Drilling Co.  
A.C. Taylor Lse. - Proposed Location  
Well No. 7-A

Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director,  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission,  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Spurrier:

Recently, we applied to the U.S.G.S. for a permit to drill our A. C. Taylor Well No. 7-A to be located 25 feet from the South line and 1295 feet from the West line of Section 12, Twp. 18 S., Rge. 31 E., Eddy County, New Mexico. This is the SW/4 of the Section and the Unit is "M". The field is North Shugart, Eddy County, New Mexico. We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. Foster Morrell of the U.S.G.S. advising that since this was an unorthodox location, we would need your approval before they would grant the permit, but that otherwise they had no objection.

In our original request to him we ask that the location be approved 10 feet from the South line and 1320 feet from the West line of Section 12 above described, but he has suggested or rather directed the change to that set out above, to which we have readily agreed. We also wrote your office at the same time requesting that you advise us just what was necessary to obtain the approval of your Commission and also to be sure that if productive the well would have an allowable. We likewise requested a hearing on the matter if same was necessary. Mr. Justin Newman of your Artesia Office advised us to communicate with you in the matter and also sent us a copy of the notice issued by your Commission in the matter.

Your notice states that this matter will be heard in Santa Fe, New Mexico, beginning at 10:00 A.M., November 22, 1949, and is Case No. 200.

We are now enclosing your application in triplicate with plat attached on your Form C-101 requesting permission to drill this well at the revised location. You will note that this is a "five spot" location. Our reason for desiring to drill this well is that we wish to determine the extent of drainage on regular 40 acre locations and also with the idea of later using the well (assuming your office approves) for repressuring the field either by gas or water.

Since this is a new thing to us, we trust that we have complied with your rules and regulations and hope that you will find it possible to grant this permit promptly. We can have a representative come to Santa Fe if absolutely

Mr. R. R. Spurrier, Director,  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
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November 17, 1949

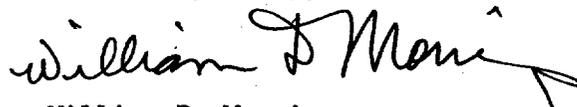
necessary, but wish to avoid it if possible. The writer will call your office tomorrow, Friday, November 18th, and discuss the matter over the telephone and if you can do so will appreciate your telling us whether or not it will be necessary for us to be there.

We are sending you also a copy of the application filed with the U.S.G.S. for this permit and we are also enclosing you a copy of letter from the U.S.G.S. and a copy of the letter from your Artesia Office in the matter. We are, of course, prepared to meet the requirements of the U.S.G.S. and your office in connection with this application.

We will appreciate you giving prompt consideration and would like for someone in your office to have the file available when we call you tomorrow afternoon regarding the matter.

Thanking you for such consideration that you can and will give us in this matter.

Yours very truly,



William D. Morris,  
Secretary

WDM:m  
Encls.-

- cc: Mr. Foster Morrell  
Oil and Gas Supervisor  
Southwestern Region  
Department of Interior-Geological Survey  
P. O. Box 997  
Roswell, New Mexico
- cc: Mr. Roy Charlesworth  
P. O. Box 667  
Kermit, Texas
- cc: Mr. Justin Newman, Artesia Representative  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
Room 205, Booker Building  
Artesia, New Mexico

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Santa Fe, New Mexico

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL

Notice must be given to the Oil Conservation Commission or its proper agent and approval obtained before drilling begins. If changes in the proposed plan are considered advisable, a copy of this notice showing such changes will be returned to the sender. Submit this notice in triplicate. One copy will be returned following approval. See additional instructions in Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

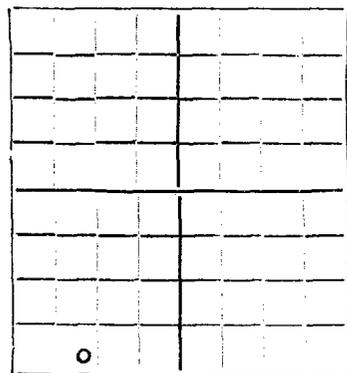
Fort Worth 2, Texas October 28, 1949  
 2006 Ft. Worth National Bk. Bldg. Date

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION,  
 Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that it is our intention to commence the drilling of a well to be known as Worth Drilling Company, Inc. A.C. Taylor "A" Lease Well No. 7 in SW/4

of Sec. 12, T. 18-S, R. 31-E, N. M. P. M., North Shugart Field, Eddy County.  
 N. The well is 25 feet (N.) (~~S~~) of the South line and 1295 feet



(E.) (~~W~~) of the West line of said Section 12 above described  
 (Give location from section or other legal subdivision lines. Cross out wrong directions.)

If state land the oil and gas lease is No. X Assignment No. X

If patented land the owner is X

Address X

If government land the permittee is A. C. Taylor - L.C. 058709-A

Address Lovington, N.M.

The lessee is Worth Drilling Company, Inc.

Address 2006 Ft. Worth National Bank Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas

AREA 640 ACRES  
 LOCATE WELL CORRECTLY

We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows: Cable Tools No. 3  
National Drilling Machine Powered with Waukesha Drilling Engine.

The status of a bond for this well in conformance with Rule 39 of the General Rules and Regulations of the Commission is as follows: No. bond filed - we have operations only on Federal Lands - Have all Federal Bonds in good standing and Permit to do business in New Mexico

We propose to use the following strings of casing and to land or cement them as indicated:

Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	New or Second Hand	Depth	Landed or Cemented	Sacks Cement
10"	8-5/8" OD	24#	New	1100'	Cemented	50 sacks by Halliburton
8-1/4"	7" OD	20#	New API Seamless	3475'	Cemented	100 sacks by Halliburton

If changes in the above plan become advisable we will notify you before cementing or landing casing. We estimate that the first productive oil or gas sand should occur at a depth of about 3550 feet.

Additional information: Plat attached showing proposed location circled in red. Lease outlined in Red. Our Field address is c/o Roy Charlesworth, P. O. Box 667, Kermit, Texas, Telephone #3. Fort Worth Office Telephone 2-8374.

Approved November, 1949  
 except as follows:

Sincerely yours,

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

By William D. Morris  
 Company or Operator

Position Secretary-Treasurer

Send communication regarding well to

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION,  
 By \_\_\_\_\_  
 Title \_\_\_\_\_

Name Worth Drilling Company, Inc.  
 Address 2006 Fort Worth National Bank Bldg., Fort Worth 2, Texas.



NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
 STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
 OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
 The State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation Commission hereby gives public notice pursuant to law of a public hearing to be held November 22, 1949, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, in the Hall of Representatives.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:  
 All named parties in the following cases, and notice to the public:

Case 200  
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 Pub: Nov. 9, 1949.

# Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico }  
 County of Santa Fe } ss.

I, Will Harrison, being first duly sworn, declare and say that I am the ~~(Business Manager)~~ (Editor) of the Santa Fe New Mexican, a daily newspaper, published in the English Language, and having a general circulation in the City and County of Santa Fe, State of New Mexico, and being a newspaper duly qualified to publish legal notices and advertisements under the provisions of Chapter 167 of the Session Laws of 1937; that the publication, a copy which is hereto attached, was published in said paper ~~one time~~ ~~once each week~~ for one time ~~once each week~~ ~~on the same day of each week in~~ the regular issue of the paper during the time of publication, and that the notice was published in the newspaper proper, and not in any supplement, ~~once each week~~ for one time ~~once each week~~ publication being on the 9th day of November, 1949, and when said publication ~~was made~~ ~~was made~~ ~~was made~~; that payment for said advertisement has been (duly made), or (assessed as court costs); that the undersigned has personal knowledge of the matters and things set forth in this affidavit.

*Will Harrison*  
 Editor-Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November, A.D., 1949  
*Anna K. Ormsby*  
 Notary Public

My Commission expires June 14, 1953

PUBLISHER'S BILL

52 lines, one time at \$ 5.20  
 \_\_\_\_\_ lines, \_\_\_\_\_ times, \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tax \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total . . . . \$ 5.20

Received payment, \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

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## PUBLISHER'S BILL

73 lines, one time at \$ 7.30  
lines, times, \$  
Tax \$  
Total . . . . \$

Received payment,

By

Will Harrison  
Editor ~~Manager~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st  
day of November, A.D., 1942

Anna K. Ormabee  
Notary Public

My Commission expires

June 14, 1953

# Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico,  
County of Eddy, ss.

F. B. Rigdon, being first duly sworn,  
on oath says:

That he is publisher of the Daily Current-Argus, a newspaper published daily at the City of Carlsbad, in said county of Eddy, State of New Mexico and of general paid circulation in said county; that the same is a duly qualified newspaper under the laws of this state wherein legal notices and advertisements may be published; that the printed notice attached hereto was published in the regular and entire edition of said newspaper and not in a supplement thereof on the dates as follows, to-wit:

November 9....., 1949  
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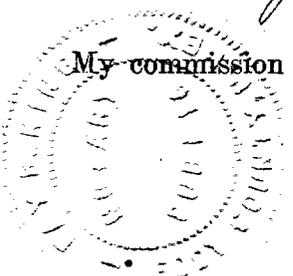
that the cost of publication is \$4.50,  
and that payment therefor has been made  
and will be assessed as court costs.

F. B. Rigdon  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
21.....day of November....., 1949

Fay B. King  
.....  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 1, 1950



<p>Nov 9</p> <p><b>NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION</b> <b>STATE OF NEW MEXICO</b> <b>OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b></p> <p>The State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation Commission hereby gives public notice pursuant to law of a public hearing to be held November 22, 1949, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A.M. of that day in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, in the Hall of Representatives.</p> <p><b>STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:</b> All named parties in the following cases, and notices to the public:</p> <p><b>Case 288</b> In the matter of the Application of Worth Drilling Company, Inc. for an order approving an unorthodox location for A. C. Taylor well No. 7-A, 10 ft. from the south line and 1320 ft. east of</p>	<p>the west line (SW 1/4) of Section 12 Township 18 south, Range 31, East N.M.F.M., in North Shugart pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. <b>Case 201</b></p> <p>In the matter of the Application of Danciger Oil and Refining Company for an order granting permission to drill twelve unorthodox locations on its Turner "F" and Turner "E" leases in Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20 in Township 17 south, Range 31, East N.M.F.M., in the Premier pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.</p> <p>Given under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on November 7, 1949. (SEAL)</p> <p><b>STATE OF NEW MEXICO</b> <b>OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b> R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary</p>
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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Case 204

In the matter of the Application of Amerada Petroleum Corporation for an order establishing proration units and uniform spacing of wells for the common source of supply discovered in the W. W. Hamilton #1 well, NE SW Section 35, Township 16 south, Range 38 east, N.M.P.M., Knowles pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

Given under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on November 7, 1949.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

R. R. SPURRIER, SECRETARY

SEAL

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**Case 204**

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Given under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on November 7, 1949.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL  
CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

R. R. SPURRIER  
R. R. Spurrier, Secretary

SEAL

Pub: Nov. 21, 1949.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
**STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
**OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**  
The State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation Commission hereby gives public notice pursuant to law of a pub-

January 4, 1950

Worth Drilling Company, Inc.  
Fort Worth National Bank Building  
Fort Worth, Texas

Attention: Mr. William D. Morris, Secretary

Gentlemen:

We enclose herewith, signed copy of Case No. 200, Order No. 848, which case was heard by the Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico in Santa Fe, New Mexico on November 22, 1949.

Very truly yours,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

R. R. Spurrer  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
encl.

January 4, 1950

Mr. Foster Merrill  
Oil & Gas Supervisor  
U. S. G. S.  
P. O. Box 997  
Roswell, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Merrill:

We enclose herewith, signed copies of the following:

Case No. 200, Order No. 848  
Case No. 205, Order No. 849  
Case No. 206, Order No. 847.

Very truly yours,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

R. R. Spurrier  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
encls.

January 4, 1950

REGISTERED MAIL

Mr. Glenn Staley  
Lea County Operators Committee  
Drawer I  
Hobbs, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Staley:

We enclose herewith, signed copies of the following:

Case No. 200, Order No. 848  
Case No. 205, Order No. 849  
Case No. 206, Order No. 847

These are for your records and distribution.

Very truly yours,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

R. R. Spurrier  
Secretary-Director

RRS:bw  
encls.



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

IN RE: OIL AND GAS LEASE, LAS  
CRUCES SERIAL NO. 058709(a)

STIPULATION FOR PURPOSE OF SECURING  
APPROVAL OF UNORTHODOX DRILLING LOCATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That the undersigned, Worth Drilling Company, Inc., Whaley Company, Inc., and J. C. Maxwell, being the owners and holders of that certain Oil and Gas Lease bearing Las Cruces Serial No. 058709(a), embracing S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 12 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 13, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., for the privilege of drilling a well at an unorthodox location 1,295 feet from the West line and 25 feet from the South line of Sec. 12, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., embraced in Oil and Gas Lease, Las Cruces Serial No. 058709(a), hereby stipulate and agree that they will not segregate by assignment or otherwise the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 12 and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 13, T. 18 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., until such time as said well, which is to be known as the A. C. Taylor Well No. 7-A, shall have been properly plugged and abandoned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Stipulation is executed by the undersigned on this 26th day of November, 1949.

WORTH DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

By J. C. Maxwell  
PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

William J. Mow  
Secretary

WHALEY COMPANY, INC.

By William J. Mow  
PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

McKae  
Secretary

J. C. Maxwell  
J. C. Maxwell

November 8, 1950

Mr. E. E. Gresson  
P. O. Box 1302  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Gene:

We enclose herewith, copy of transcript covering the hearing held on  
November 22, 1949, which covers Case 200 through 204.

Please return the transcript to us, as soon as you have finished with it.

Sincerely,

E. E. GREESON  
OFFICIAL REPORTER  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
P. O. BOX 1302  
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

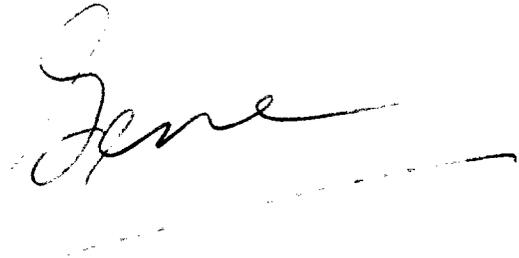
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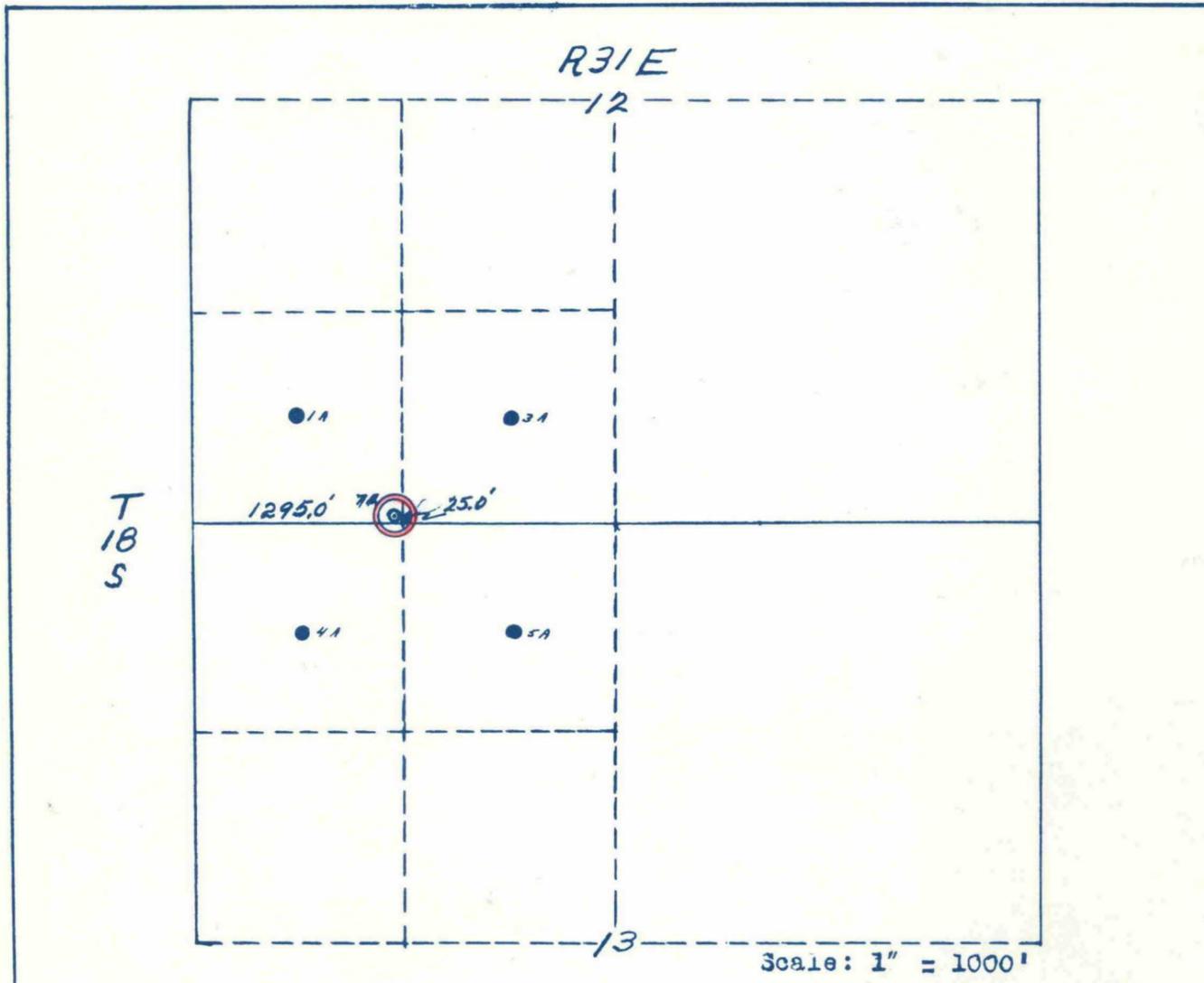
Dear Deek:

I have a request from the Oil Development Company of Texas for a copy of the transcript in Case No. 203. I do not recall taking this, but if you will send down a copy of the transcript I will take care of it. Mrs. Powell asked me if I could take care of it for her if she did it as she is kind of snowed under (please disregard the extra l's, I am not used to this electric typewriter).

The latter part of the season will suit me fine on the elk hunt. Even a little better. Like you, I don't see much point in going up there for a day and a half and not having a chance at anything. I'll coordinate with Coleman about the details, etc. You let us know when you want to take off. The 17th would be fine.

Regards

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gene", with a horizontal line underneath it.



I hereby certify that this plat was made from notes taken in the field in an actual bona fide survey and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

James H. Brown  
N.M.L.S. #542

A PLAT OF THE  
WORTH DRUG CO. - TAYLOR #7A  
LOCATION

25' North of the South line  
1295' East of the West line  
Section 12, T18S, R31E  
Eddy County, New Mexico