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Case No. 9139

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Land Office Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

** Note: Per my telephone conversation with Mr. Adelphi on or around 1/13/88, whereby I notified him that this request was adequately covered in the Order.
M. E. Stogner*

Attn: Mr. M. E. Stogner

Re: Request for Spacing Requirement Waiver
Elf Aquitaine, Inc.
Chacon Jicarilla Apache D 11 Well
West Lindrith Gallup - Dakota Oil Pool
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Elf Aquitaine, Inc. requests a waiver of the spacing rule for its Chacon Jicarilla Apache D 11 Well in the West Lindrith Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

This well was drilled under Case No. 9139, Order R-8479, approved by the New Mexico Oil Conservation the 21st day of July, 1987.

Attached are plats showing the plan view of the well with its horizontal section across the production units assigned and the vertical section showing certain high lights of the drilling of this well.

The D-11 horizontal section is inside the 833' restriction from the outside of the production unit as required by order R-8479.

However, as shown on the plan view, the horizontal section of the D-11 well is a calculated 582' from the D-2 well.

Elf requests that the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission waiver the spacing requirement to allow the D-11 well to produce from its horizontal section as shown on the plan view.

If additional data is required for this request, please contact me at (713)-739-2076.

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Elf is in the process of testing the horizontal section of the D-11 well now and an early response to our request will be appreciated.

Please regard the attachments as confidential.

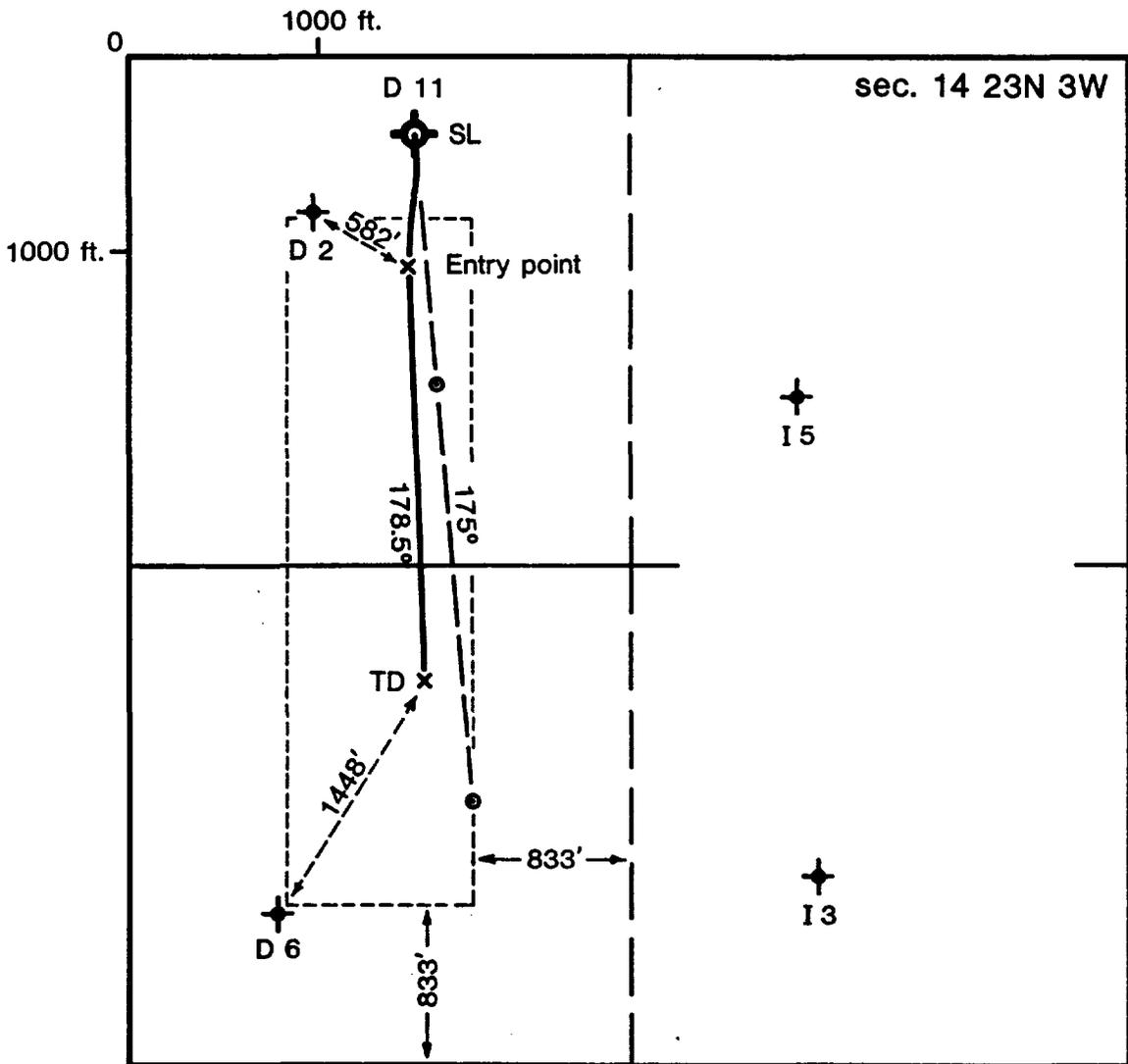
Regards,



Bob Adolph
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Regulatory Affairs

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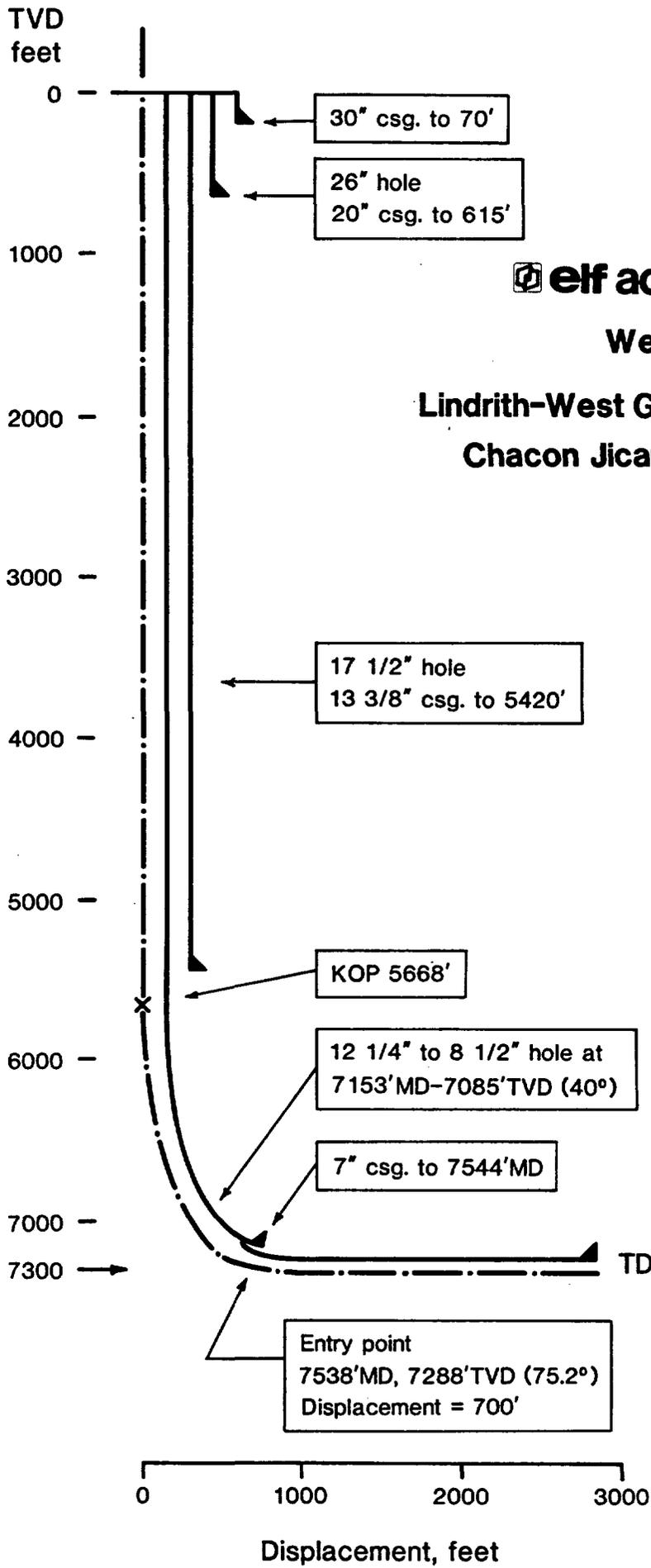
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Plan View

Lindrith-West Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool
Chacon Jicarilla Apache D #11

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Well Sketch

Lindrith-West Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool

Chacon Jicarilla Apache D #11

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