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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

2040 South Pacheco

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

□ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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SURFACE USE PLAN Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. Ross Federal No.6 1980' FNL & 660' FEL Sec. 4, T21S, R24E Eddy County, New Mexico

- 1. EXISTING ROADS Area map, Exhibit #1, is a reproduction of the U.S.G.S., Foster Ranch N.M. Quadrangle. Existing and proposed roads are shown on the exhibit. All roads shall be maintained in a condition equal to that which existed prior to start of construction.
 - A. Exhibit #1 shows the proposed development well site as staked.
 - B. From Carlsbad, New Mexico, travel North on U.S. Highway 285 for 15 miles. Turn West on White Pine road and go 6 miles. Turn Southeast on calchie road and go ¼ mile to the Yates Mystery AYM Federal No. 1 location, Turn West and go 400', turn South and follow caliche raod 0.7 miles to location.
- PLANNED ACCESS ROADS 1537' of new access road will be constructed and 2546' of existing ranch road will be improved.
- 3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS IN A ONE-MILE RADIUS.
 - A. Water wells None known.

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- B. Disposal wells None Known.
- C. Drilling wells None known.
- D. Producing wells As shown on Exhibit #2

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E. Abandoned wells - As shown on Exhibit #2.

Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd.:	Howell No. 1
Whiting & Grant:	Howell No. 1
Sanders:	Riggs No. 1
N. H. Wills	Wills No. 1
Resler:	McKee No. 1X
Gulf:	Jones Federal No. 1
Trojan:	Grant No. 1

4. If, upon completion, the well is a producer Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. will furnish maps or plats showing "On Well Pad Facilities" and "Off Well Pad Facilities" (if needed) on a Sundry Notice before construction of these facilities starts.

5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

Fresh and Brine water will be purchased locally from a private source and trucked over the access roads.

6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

If needed, construction materials will be obtained from the drill sites excavations or from a local source. These materials will be transported over the access roads as shown on Exhibit #1.

7. METHOD FOR HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL

- A. 1. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the reserve pit.
 - 2. Trash, waste paper, and garbage will be contained in a trash trailer and disposed of in an approved public landfill.
 - 3. All mud materials including salts will be picked up by the mud supplier and transported back to their warehouse facilities.
 - 4. Sewage from trailer houses will drain into hole with a minimum depth of 10'. A "Porta John" will be provided for the rig crews. This will be properly maintained and removed after drilling operations are completed.
 - 5. Chemicals remaining after completion of the well will be stored in the manufacturer containers and picked up by the supplier.
- B. Remaining drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate in the reserve pit until the pit is dry enough for backfilling. In the event drilling fluids will not evaporate in a reasonable period of time, they will be transported by tank truck to a state approved disposal site.

Water produced during testing of the well will be disposed of in the reserve pit. Oil produced during the testing of the well will be stored in test tanks until sold and hauled from the site.

8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES No camps or airstrips will be constructed.

9. WELL SITE LAYOUT

- A. Exhibit #3 is the H₂S Drilling Operations Plan.
- B. Exhibit #4 (Scale 1" = 50') shows the proposed well site layout.
- C. This exhibit indicates the proposed location of reserve pit, trash trailer and living facilities.
- D. Mud pits in the active circulation system will be steel pits.
- E. The reserve pit will be lined with a polyethylene liner. The pit liner will be a minimum of 2' over the reserve pit walls where the liner will be anchored down.
- F. The reserve pit will be fenced on three sides with four strands of barbed wire during drilling and completion operations. The fourth side will be fenced after drilling has been completed. If the well is a producer, the reserve pit fence will be torn down. The reserve pit and those areas of the location not essential to production facilities will be reclaimed and seeded per BLM requirements.

10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF SURFACE

Rehabilitation of the location and reserve pit will start in a timely manner after all drilling operations cease. The type of reclamation will depend on whether the well is a producer or a dry hole.

However, in either event, the reserve pit will be allowed to dry properly, and fluid removed and disposed of in accordance with Article 7.B as previously noted. The pit area will then be leveled and contoured to conform to the original and surrounding area. Drainage systems, if any, will be reshaped to the original configuration with provisions made to alleviate erosion. These may need to be modified in certain circumstances to prevent inundation of the location pad and surface facilities. After the area has been shaped and contoured, top soil from the spoil pile (if any) will be placed over the disturbed area to the extent possible. Revegetation procedures will comply with BLM standards.

If the well is a dry hole, the pad and road area will be recontoured to match the existing terrain. Topsoil will be spread to the extent possible. Revegetation will comply with BLM standards.

Should the well be a producer, the previously noted procedures will apply to those areas which are not required for production facilities.

11. OTHER INFORMATION

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- A. The topography is of hilly terrain with vegetation of sagebrush and native grasses. The soils are silty and very shallow.
- B. The surface is used for livestock grazing. The surface is leased by Richard Howell, P.O. Box 94, Lakewood, NM 88256
- C. An archeological study over this location, road and proposed pipeline has been prepared and is attached herewith.
- D. There are no buildings of any kind in the area.
- 12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE Field representative for contact regarding compliance with the Surface Use Plan is:

Before, during & after Construction:

Tommy E. Taylor 303 W. Wall Ave., Suite 1900 Midland, Texas 79701-5116 (915) 687-1777

13. CERTIFICATION - I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exists; that the statements made in this plan are to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. and its contractors/subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

NAME: Jong (-...)arghn DATE: 3/16/04 TITLE: Drilling and Production Engineer TET (Ross5apd)

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL FASKEN OIL AND RANCH, LTD. Ross Federal No. 6 1980' FNL & 660' FEL SEC. 4, T21S, R24E EDDY COUNTY, NM

In conjunction with Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill, Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. submits the following items of pertinent information in accordance with Onshore Oil & Gas Order Nos. 1 & 2, and with all other applicable federal and state regulations.

1. The geologic surface formation is of Permian age.

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2. Estimate tops of geologic markers are as follows;

San Andres	750'
Glorietta	2450'
Bone Springs	3400'
3 rd Bone Spring Sand	6400'
Wolfcamp	6500'
Cisco	7300'
Canyon	7600'
Strawn	8100'
Atoka	8900'
Morrow	9300'

3. The estimated depths at which water, oil or gas formation are expected to be encountered;

Cisco	7400'	Oil/Gas
Strawn	8100'	Gas
Atoka	8900'	Gas
Morrow	9300'	Gas

* Groundwater to be protected by 13-3/8" surface casing with cement circulated to the surface.
** Potentially productive horizons to be protected by 4-1/2" production casing with cement tied back to 6000'.

4. <u>Proposed Casing Program:</u>

String	Footage	Size	Weight	Grade	Thread
Surface	400'	13-3/8"	48.00#	H-40	ST&C
Intermediate	3,000'	9-5/8"	36.00#	J-55	ST&C
Production	9,850'	4-1/2"	11.60#	N-80	LT&C
Tubing	9,750'	2-3/8"	4.70#	N-80	EUE 8rd

5. Proposed Cementing Program:

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Cement 13-3/8" casing with 400 sx Class "C" cement with 2% CaCl2 (s.w. 14.8 ppg, yield 1.32 cuft/sx).

Cement 9-5/8" casing with 600 sx Class "C" with 4% gel and 2% CaCl₂ (s.w. 13.51 ppg, yield 1.74 ft^3 /sx) plus 200 sx Class "C" with 2% CaCl₂ (s.w. 14.8 ppg, yield 1.34 ft^3 /sx).

Cement 4-1/2" production casing (resin coated and centralized through pay zones) with 1100 sx Super "C" Modified (CSE) with 5% Salt, 0.6% FL-25 and 0.6% FL-52 (s.w. 13.2 ppg, yield 1.58 ft³/sx). Estimate TOC at 6000'.

- 6. <u>Pressure Control Equipment</u>: See exhibit #5. Operator request variance and proposes to pressure test BOP stack with rig pump to 1500 psig prior to drilling out the 9-5/8" casing shoe. BOP hydrotest will be conducted on first bit trip or prior to drilling the Wolfcamp formation. Operator requests variance and proposes to use only one ram type or annular type preventor to drill the intermediate hole to 3000'.
- 7. <u>Mud Program</u>:

Depth	Туре	<u>Weight</u>	Viscosity	<u>Waterloss</u>
0-400'	Fresh Water	8.5	40	N.C.
400'-5000'	Fresh Water	8.5	28	N.C.
5000'-8400'	Cut Brine	9.0	29	N.C.
8400'-9850'	Gel/Starch/PAC	9.5-10.0	36	10 cc

- 8. <u>Auxiliary Equipment</u>: Upper Kelly Cock, Full Opening Stabbing Valve, PVT.
- 9. Testing Logging and Coring Programs:
 - DST's: DST any mudlog shows.
 - Logging: 2-man Mudlogging unit from 5000' to T.D.
 - Electric Logs: Platform Express with CNL-LDT, DLL-MSFL, GR and Caliper.
 - Coring: None anticipated
- 10. <u>Abnormal Pressure, Temperatures or Other Hazards</u>: Lost circulation is anticipated in the surface. Maximum bottomhole pressure is estimated to be 4875 psig.
- 11. Anticipated Starting Date: May 1, 2004.



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ROSS FEDERAL #6 1980' FNL & 660' FEL Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 24 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

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March 17, 2004

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Mr. Bryan Arrant New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1301 West Grand Avenue Artesia, NM 88210

Dear Mr. Arrant,

Re: Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. Hydrogen Sulfide Contingency Plan, Rule 118 Ross Federal No. 6 Section 4, T21S, R24E Eddy County, New Mexico

Please be advised that we do not anticipate encountering a Potentially Hazardous Volume of Hydrogen Sulfide Gas as defined in Rule 118 while drilling the subject well.

However, Fasken will conduct drilling operations with the knowledge that H2S may be encountered, and will utilize the Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operations Plan found in this federal application to drill dated March 17, 2004, should any H2S gas be found.

Yours truly,

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Jimmy D. Carlile Regulatory Affairs Coordinator

HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN

EXHIBIT #3 FASKEN OIL AND RANCH, LTD. ROSS FEDERAL NO. 6 1980' FNL & 660' FEL SEC.4, T21S, R24E EDDY COUNTY, NM

I. Hydrogen sulfide Training.

All personnel, whether regularly assigned, contracted or employed on an unscheduled basis, will receive training from a qualified instructor in the following areas prior to commencing drilling operations on this well:

1. The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H2S).

2. The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.

3. The proper use of H2S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing areas, evacuation procedures, and prevailing winds.

4. The proper techniques of first aid and rescue procedures.

In addition the supervisory personnel will be trained in the following areas:

1. The effects of H2S on metal components. If high tensile tubulars are to be used, personnel will be trained in their special maintenance requirements.

2. Corrective action and shut-in procedures when drilling or reworking a well and blowout prevention and well control procedures.

3. The contents and requirements of the H2S Drilling Operations Plan.

There will be an initial training session just prior to encountering a known or probable H2S zone (within 3 days or 500 feet) and weekly H2S and well control drills for all personnel in each crew. The initial training session shall include a review of the site specific H2S Drilling Operations Plan. This plan shall be available at the will site. All personnel will be required to carry documentation that they have received the proper training.

II. H2S Safety Equipment and Systems.

NOTE: All H2S safety equipment and systems will be installed, tested, and operational when drilling reaches a depth of 500 feet above or three days prior to penetration the first zone containing or reasonable expected to contain H2S.

- 1. Well Control Equipment:
 - A. Flare line.
 - B. Choke manifold.

C. Blind rams and pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes with properly sized closing unit.

D. Auxiliary equipment to include: annular preventer, mud-gas separator (if necessary) and rotating head.

2. Protective equipment for essential personnel:

A. 5-minute escape units located in the dog house and 30-minute air units at briefing areas, as indicated on well site diagram.

3. H2S detection and monitoring equipment:

A. 3 - portable H2S monitors positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H2S levels of 20 PPM are reached.

B. 1 - portable SO2 monitor positioned near flare line during H2S flaring operations.

4. Visual warning systems:

A. Wind direction indicators as shown on well site diagram.

B. Caution/Danger signs shall be posted on roads providing direct access to location. Signs will be painted a high visibility yellow with black lettering of sufficient size to be a readable distance from the immediate location.

5. Mud program:

A. The mud program has been designed to minimize the volume of H2S circulated to the surface. Proper mud weight safe drilling practices and the use of H2S scavengers when necessary will minimize hazards when penetrating H2S bearing zones.

B. A Mud-gas separator will be utilized.

6. Metallurgy:

A. All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventors, drilling spools kill lines, choke manifold and lines valves shall be suitable for H2S service.

B. All elastomers used for packing and seals shall be H2S trimmed.

7. Communications:

A. Radio communications will be available in company vehicles and rig dog house.

8. Well testing:

A. Drill stem testing will be performed with a minimum number of personnel in the immediate vicinity which are necessary to safely and adequately conduct the test. The drill stem testing of any known formation that contains H2S will be conducted during daylight hours.



