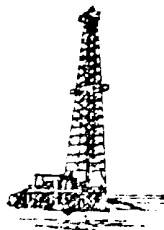


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Gentlemen

Re No. 1 Exxon Federal, 1980; FNL and 660' FWL, Section 24-T10S, R29E, this will certify that an agreement has been reached between DEPCO, Inc. and Mr. Carleton Davis concerning the work to be conducted in connection with this project.

Mr. Davis is the surface owner at the proposed drillsite location and he has been advised as to the extent of the work to be performed and the effect upon the surface, and has consented to the performance of this work.

Sincerely,

D. R. Mason
Chief Clerk
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Topographic map showing a proposed access road (solid line) and existing access roads (dashed lines). The map includes various landmarks such as Glenn Ranch, Ranch House, Water Tank, and several stock tanks (e.g., Meadow Tanks, Sand Ranch, Bundle Tank, Claypit Tanks). The map is divided into numbered sections (1-31). A legend in the bottom right corner defines symbols for existing access roads, proposed access roads, stock tanks, and occupied dwellings. The map also shows contour lines and a grid system.

EXISTING ACCESS ROAD
PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
STOCK TANKS
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