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- 1. Map attached.
- 2. Existing roads drawn in black lines. 300 feet of new road to be built with a maximum width of 12' and surfaced with caliche shown on attached map in red. No cattleguards or gates to be installed.
- 3. Map attached.
- 4. Oil will be piped to tank battery 1320' south of this location. Pipe will be laid on top of ground and no roads or change to surface will be necessary to lay the line. Pad will be left for operational needs as will the access road. Pipeline in blue on attached map.
- 5. No water available in area; all drilling water will be trucked to location over entry roads.
- 6. All construction material will be taken from construction of pits if necessary. Surface is caliche so haulage will be unnecessary.
- 7. All cuttings and fluid from drilling operations will be left in pits and covered at completion of well. All garbage and debris from other operations will be stored and covered in separate pits when well is completed.
- 8. None.
- 9. Plat attached.
- 10. Pits will be covered as soon as they are dried; all cuttings and other materials placed in pits before covering. If well is non-productive all constructed roads and pad will be ripped.
- 11. All surface is Federal Ownership. Vegetation is very sparse, consisting of weeds in some areas and nothing in most of total area. Area is fairly flat with almost no topsoil as caliche is surfaced over almost all the area. No water wells, streams, or ponds in lease area. One deserted building from original oil production on the lease is still standing. No evidence of historical or archeological sites on lease area. Lease area is badly eroded and washed because of lack of soil to produce plants for groundcover.
- 12. Operators' representative is B. N. Muncy, Jr., 416 E. Main, Artesia, N.M. Telephone (505) 746-6651
- 13. I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision have inspected the proposed drillsite and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which presently exist; 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 LaRue and Muncy and its contractors and sub-contractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

July 15, 1976