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Form 3160-3 (July 1992)

Artesia, Niving **UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0136 Expires: February 28, 1995

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO.

LC-029395B

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR DEEPEN

1a. TYPE OF WORK

b. TYPE OF WELL WELL X

GAS

DRILL X

OTHER

2. NAME OF OPERATOR

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

3. ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NO.

PO BOX 227, ARTESIA, NM 88211-0227

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. 2310 FSL 330 FWL, UNIT L

At proposed prod. zone

SAME

14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE

330

SEE SURFACE USE PLAN

15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION TO NEAREST PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT (Also to nearest drig, unit line, if any)

18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION* TO NEAREST WELL, DRILLING, COMPLETED, OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT.

21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)

DEEPEN

505

16, NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE

1800

60001

19. PROPOSED DEPTH

SINGLE

0

INGLE 789107 POLITIPE

7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME

23000 8. FARM OR LEASE NAME, WELL NO.

LEE FEDERAL #31 9. API WELL NO.

30-015-32297 10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT

CEDAR LAKE; YESO 11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND SURVEY OR AREA

SEC. 17-T17S-R31E 12. COUNTY OR PARISH 13. STATE

EDDY

MM

17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED TO THIS WELL

40 20. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS

ROTARY

22. APPROX. DATE WORK WILL START

QUANTITY OF CEMENT

3701' GR 23

SIZE OF HOLE

PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

SETTING DEPTH WEIGHT PER FOOT GRADE, SIZE OF CASING 450**'** 13 3/8" H40 48#

17 1/2" 5/8" 24# 1320 12 1/4" J55 8 1/2" 60001 17# 7 7/8"

300 SX, CIRC 1100 SX, CIRC

PAY ZONE WILL BE SELECTIVELY PERFORATED AND STIMULATED AS NEEDED FOR OPTIMUM PRODUCTION.

ATTACHED ARE:

- ACREAGE LOCATION AND DEDICATION PLAT
- SUPPLEMENTAL DRILLING DATA 2.
- SURFACE USE PLAN 3.

Approval Subject to **General Requirement** Coortal Sticule Sons

Reswell Controlled Water Busin

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROGRAM: If proposal is to deepen, give data on present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. If proposal is to drill or हांonally, give perţiπছ্nt data φο subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths. Give blowout preventer program, if any. deepen dir

SIGNED

PRODUCTION ANALYST TITLE

DATE 4/8/02

(This space for Federal or State dice use)

PERMIT NO

APPROVAL DATE

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon. CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED BY

/S/ JOE G. LARA



MAY 0 9 2002

*See Instructions On Reverse Side

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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SURE SECENTED

State of New Mexico

DISTRICT I P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 86241-1980

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102 Revised February 10, 1994

DISTRICT II P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88211-0719

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Submit to Appropriate District Office

Certificate No. RONALD J. EIDSON GARY EIDSON

DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088 State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

DISTRICT IV WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT P.O. BOX 2088, SANTA FE, N.M. 87504-2088 □ AMENDED REPORT API Number Pool Code Pool Name 96831 CEDAR LAKE: YESO Property Code Property Name Well Number LEE FEDERAL 31 23300 Operator Name OGRID No. Elevation MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION 3701 14049 Surface Location UL or lot No. Section Range Lot Idn Feet from the Township North/South line Feet from the East/West line County 17 17-S 31 - E2310 SOUTH 330 WEST **EDDY** Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface UL or lot No. Section Lot Idn Feet from the Township Range North/South line Feet from the East/West line County Dedicated Acres Consolidation Code Joint or Infill Order No. 40 NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify the the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Signature DIANA J. CANNON Printed Name PRODUCTION ANALYST APRIL 8, 2002 Date SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown DETAIL on this plat was plotted from field notes of SEE DETAIL actual surveys made by me or under my 3699.3 supervison, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief. MARCH 05, 2002 3691.0 3700.7 Date Surveyed William Control of the Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor.

DRILLING PROGRAM

Attached to Form 3160-3 Marbob Energy Corporation Lee Federal No. 31 2310' FSL and 330' FWL Section 17-17S-31E Eddy County, New Mexico

1. Geologic Name of Surface Formation:

Permian

2. Estimated Tops of Important Geologic Markers:

Permian	Surface	Seven Rivers	1730'
Salt	530'	Queen	2340'
Base of Salt	1280'	Grayburg	2715'
Yates	1420'	San Andres	3040'

3. <u>Estimated Depths of Anticipated Fresh Water, Oil or Gas:</u>

Upper Permian Sands	180'	Fresh Water
Yates	1420'	Oil
Seven Rivers	1730'	Oil
Queen	2340'	Oil
Grayburg	2715'	Oil
San Andres	3040'	Oil

No other formations are expected to give up oil, gas, or fresh water in measurable quantities. The surface fresh water sands will be protected by setting 8 5/8 casing at 450' and circulating cement back to surface. Any shallower zones above TD which contain commercial quantities of oil and/or gas will have cement circulated across them by inserting a float shoe joint into the 5 1/2" production casing which will be run at TD.

DRILLING PROGRAM PAGE 2

4. Casing Program:

Hole Size	<u>Interval</u>	OD csg	Weight, Grade, Jt. Cond. Type
17 ½"	0 – 450'	13 3/8"	48# H-40 LTC NEW
12 1/4"	450-1320'	8 5/8"	24# J-55 LTC NEW R-3
7 7/8"	1320'-TD	5 1/2"	17# J-55 LTC NEW R-3

Cement Program:

8 5/8" Surface Casing:

Cemented to surface with 300sx of Class C w/2% cc.

5 1/2" Production Casing:

Cemented with 1100sx Class C. Will attempt to circulate

to surface.

5. Minimum Specifications for Pressure Control:

The blowout preventer equipment (BOP) shown in Exhibit #1 will consist of a double ram-type (3000 psi wp) preventer. This unit will by hydraulically operated and the ram-type preventer will be equipped with blind rams on top and 4-1/2" drill pipe rams on bottom. This BOP will be nippled up on the 8 5/8" surface csg and used continuously until TD is reached. All BOP's and accessory equipment will be tested to 1000 psi before drilling out of surface casing.

Pipe rams will be operationally checked each 24 hour period. Blind rams will be operationally checked on each trip out of the hole. These checks will be noted on the daily tour sheets. A 2" kill line and a 3" choke line will be included in the drilling spool located below the ram-type BOP. Other accessories to the BOP equipment will include a kelly cock and floor safety valve (inside BOP) and choke lines and choke manifold with 3000 psi WP rating.

DRILLING PROGRAM PAGE 3

6. Types and Characteristics of the Proposed Mud System:

The well will be drilled to TD with cut brine. The applicable depths and properties of this system are as follows:

Depth Type		Weight <u>(ppg)</u>	Viscosity <u>(sec)</u>	Waterloss <u>(cc)</u>
0 - 450'	Fresh Water	8.5	28	N.C.
450'-6000'	Brine	9.8 - 10.2	40 - 45	N.C.

7. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment:

- (A) A kelly cock will be kept in the drill string at all times.
- (B) A full opening drill pipe stabbing valve (inside BOP) with proper drill pipe connections will be on the rig floor at all times.

8. <u>Logging, Testing, and Coring Program:</u>

- (A) No Drillstem tests are anticipated.
- (B) The electric logging program will consist of Dual Laterolog Micro SFL, Spectral Density Dual Spaced Neutron Csng Log, and Depth Control Log.
- (C) No conventional coring is anticipated.
- (D) Further testing procedures will be determined after the 5 1/2" production casing has been cemented at TD based on drill shows, and log evaluation, and drill stem test results.

9. <u>Abnormal Conditions, Pressures, Temperatures, & Potential Hazards:</u> No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated. The estimated bottom hole temperature (BHT) at TD is 104' and estimated bottom hole pressure (BHP) is 2250 psig.

10. Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations:

Location and road work will not begin until approval has been received from the BLM. The anticipated spud date is May 5, 2002. Once commenced, the drilling operation should be finished in approximately 21 days. If the well is productive, an additional 30 to 60 days will be required for completion and testing before a decision is made to install permanent facilities.

Attached to Form 3160-3 Marbob Energy Corporation Lee Federal No. 31 2310' FSL and 330' FWL Section 17-17S-31E Eddy County, New Mexico

1. Existing Roads:

- A. The well site and elevation plat for the proposed well is attached. It was staked by John West Engineering.
- B. All roads to the location are shown in Exhibit #3. The existing roads are illustrated in red and are adequate for travel during drilling and production operations. Upgrading of the road prior to drilling will be done where necessary as determined during the onsite inspection.
- C. Directions to location: From Loco Hills, proceed east on US82 for 5 miles to mile marker 137. Turn north on lease road and proceed .8 mile. Turn west on lease road and proceed 100 feet. Turn north on lease road and proceed .6 mile. Access road to location is northeast corner of well pad.
- D. Routine grading and maintenance of existing roads will be conducted as necessary to maintain their condition as long as any operations continue on this lease.

2. <u>Proposed Access Road:</u>

No new road will be built for this well. Existing roads will be used to access the proposed well.

- A. The average grade will be less than 1%.
- B. No turnouts are planned.
- C. No culverts, cattleguard, gates, low-water crossings, or fence cuts are necessary.

- D. Surfacing material will consist of native caliche. Caliche will be obtained from the nearest BLM-approved caliche pit. Any additional materials that are required will be purchased from the dirt contractor.
- E. The proposed access road as shown in Exhibit #3 has been centerline flagged by John West Engineering.

3. <u>Location of Existing Wells:</u>

Exhibit #2 shows all existing wells within a one-half mile radius of this well.

4. Location of Existing and/or Proposed Facilities:

- A. Marbob Energy Corporation has a collection facility established on the Lee Federal #2 well pad.
- B. If the well is productive, a 3" plastic flowline (grade SDR 7 @ 265 psi) will be laid on the surface following the existing lease road and/or pipeline Right-of-Way to the tank battery. The flowline is shown in blue on Exhibit #3. Anticipated pressures in the flowline should not exceed 75 psi.
- C. If the well is productive, power will be obtained from Central Valley Electric. Central Valley Electric will apply for ROW for their power lines.
- D. If the well is productive, rehabilitation plans are as follows:
 - (1) The reserve pit will be back-filled after the contents of the pit are dry (within 10 months after the well is completed).
 - (2) Topsoil removed from the drill site will be used to recontour the pit area and any unused portions of the drill pad to the original natural level, as nearly as possible, and reseeded as per BLM specifications.

5. <u>Location and Type of Water Supply:</u>

The well will be drilled with a combination brine and fresh water mud system as outlined in the drilling program. The water will be obtained from commercial water stations in the area and hauled to the location by transport truck over the existing and proposed access roads shown in Exhibit #3. If a commercial fresh water source is nearby, fasline may be laid along existing road

ROW's and fresh water pumped to the well. No water well will be drilled on the location.

6. Source of Construction Materials:

All caliche required for construction of the drill pad and the proposed new access road (approximately 1500 cubic yards) will be obtained from a BLM - approved caliche pit. All roads and pads will be constructed of 6" of rolled and compacted caliche.

7. Methods of Handling Water Disposal:

- A. Drill cuttings not retained for evaluation purposes will be disposed into the reserve pit.
- B. Drilling fluids will be contained in lined working pits. The reserve pit will contain any excess drilling fluid or flow from the well during drilling, cementing, and completion operations. The reserve pit will be an earthen pit, approximately 100' X 150' X 6' deep. A dike will be built across the pit, dividing it in half. One-half of the reserve pit will be plastic-lined to minimize loss of drilling fluids and saturation of the ground with brine water. The other half of the reserve pit will be lined with plastic and used only if we encounter a waterflow during drilling operations and find that we need additional space. This portion of the pit is a precautionary measure only. The portion of the pit that will be lined with plastic should be more than adequate for normal drilling operations. If a water flow in encountered, we should have ample time to line the other half of the pit with plastic before the water encroaches.
- C. Water produced from the well during completion may be disposed into the reserve pit.
- D. Garbage and trash produced during drilling or completion operations will be hauled off. All waste material will be contained to prevent scattering by the wind. All water and fluids will be disposed of into the reserve pit. Salts and other chemicals produced during drilling or testing will be disposed into the reserve pit. No toxic waste or hazardous chemicals will be produced by this operation.

E. After the rig is moved out and the well is either completed or abandoned, all waste materials will be cleaned-up within 30 days. No adverse materials will be left on location.

The reserve pit will be completely fenced until it has dried. When the reserve pit is dry enough to breakout and fill, the reserve pit will be leveled and reseeded as per BLM specifications. In the event of a dry hole, the location will be ripped and seeded, as per BLM Specifications, and a dry hole marker will remain.

8. Ancillary Facilities:

No airstrip, campsite, or other facilities will be built as a result of the operations on this well.

9. Well Site Layout:

- A. The drill pad layout is shown in Exhibit #4 Dimensions of the pad and pits are shown. Top soil, if available, will be stockpiled per BLM specifications as determined at the on-site inspection.
- B. The reserve pit will be lined with a high-quality plastic sheeting.

10. Plans for Restoration of the Surface:

A. Upon finishing drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for operations will be removed.

All trash, garbage, and pit lining will be hauled away in order to leave the location in an aesthetically pleasing condition. All pits will be filled and the location leveled within 10 months after abandonment.

- B. Three sides of the reserve pit will be fenced prior to and during drilling operations. At the time that the rig is removed, the reserve pit will be fenced on the rig (fourth) side. The fencing will remain in place until the pit area is cleaned-up and leveled. No oil will be left on the surface of the fluid in the pit.
- C. Upon completion of the proposed operations, if the well is completed, the reserve pit area will be treated as outlined above within the same prescribed time. Any additional caliche required for facilities will be obtained from a BLM approved caliche pit. Topsoil removed from the drill site will be used to recontour the pit area to the original natural level and reseeded as per BLM specifications.

11. Surface Ownership:

The wellsite and lease is located on Federal Surface.

- A. The area around the well site is grassland and the top soil is sandy. The vegetation is native scrub grasses with abundant oakbrush, sagebrush, yucca, and prickly pear.
- B. A Cultural Resources Examination has been requested and will be forwarded to your office in the near future.

12. Lessee's and Operator's Representative:

The Marbob Energy Corporation representative responsible for assuring compliance with the surface use plan is as follows:

Johnny C. Gray
Marbob Energy Corporation
324 W. Main, Suite 103
P. O. Drawer 227
Artesia, New Mexico 88211
Phone: 505/748-3303 (office)
505/885-3879 (home)

Certification:

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 currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Marbob Energy Corporation and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Date: 4-8-2003 Signed: Monthly Dean Chumbley

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN

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 for first aid and rescue procedures.

In addition, 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 and the Public Protection 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 and the Public Protection Plan. This plan shall be available at the well 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 penetrating the first zone containing or reasonably 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, rotating head.
- 2. Protective equipment for essential personnel:
 - A. Mark II Surviveair 30-minute units located in the dog house and at briefing areas, as indicated on well site diagram.
- 3. H₂S detection and monitoring equipment:
 - A. 2 portable H₂S monitor positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H₂S levels of 20 ppm are reached.
- 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 readable at a reasonable distance from the immediate location. Bilingual signs will be used, when appropriate. See example attached.
- 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

will minimize hazards when penetrating $H_2\$ S bearing zones.

B. A mud-gas separator will be utilized.

6. Metallurgy:

- A. All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventers, drilling spool, kill lines, choke manifold and lines, and valves shall be suitable for H₂S service.
- B. All elastomers used for packing and seals shall be H₂S trim.

7. Communication:

- A. Radio communications in company vehicles including cellular telephone and 2-way radio.
- B. Land line (telephone) communications at field office.

8. Well testing:

A. No drill stem testing is planned.

WARNING

YOU ARE ENTERING AN H₂s AREA AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY

- 1. BEARDS OR CONTACT LENSES NOT ALLOWED
- 2. HARD HATS REQUIRED
- 3. SMOKING IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY
- 4. BE WIND CONSCIOUS AT ALL TIMES
- 5. CK WITH MARBOB FOREMAN AT MAIN OFFICE

MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

1-505-748-3303

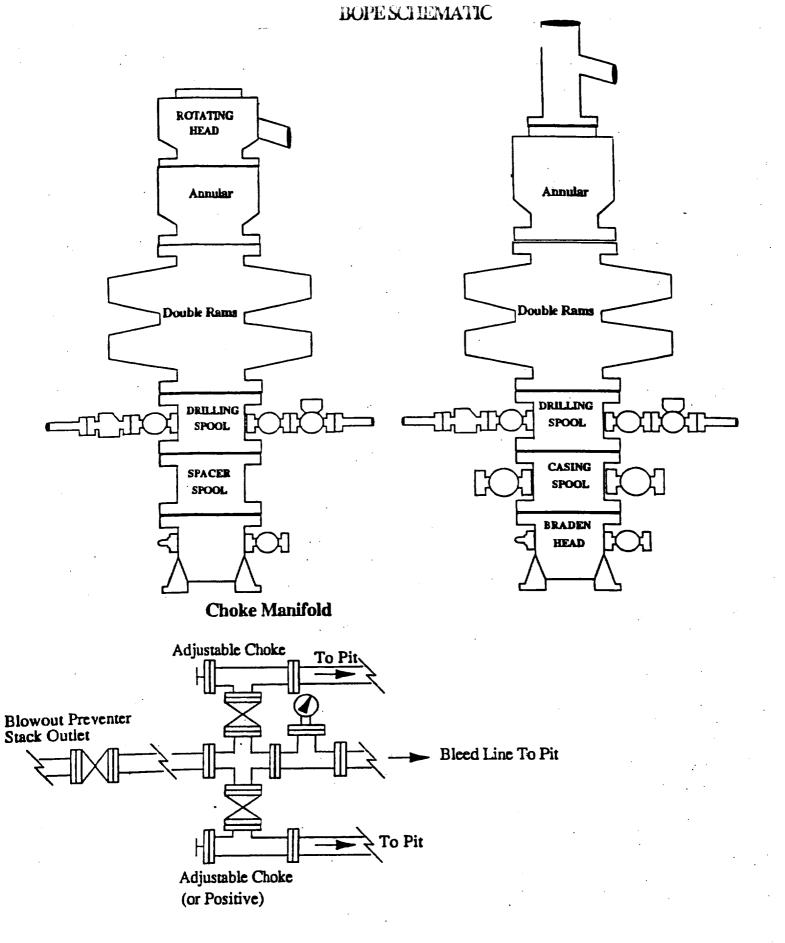
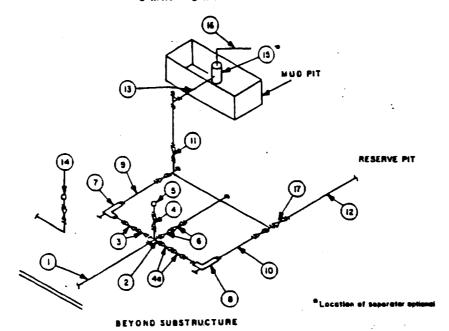


Exhibit One

MINIMUM CHOKE MANIFOLD 3,000, 5,000 and 10,000 PSI Working Pressure

3 MWP - 5 MWP - 10 MWP



			MINI	MUM REQU	IREMENTS	<u> </u>				
			3,000 MWP			5,000 MWP			10,000 MWF	•
No.		I.D.	NOMINAL	RATING	I.D.	NOMINAL	RATING	I.D.	NOMINAL	RATING
_	Line from drilling spool		3-	3,000		3*	5,000		3.	10,000
	Cross 3"x3"x3"x2"			3,000			5,000			
2	Cross 3"x3"x3"x3"									10,000
<u>·</u>	Valves(1) Gate □ Plug □(2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/6"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000
4	Valve Gale C Plug C(2)	1-13/16"		3,000	1-13/16*		5,000	1-13/16*		10,000
	Valves(1)	2-1/16"		3.000	2-1/16"		5,000	3-1/8"	<u> </u>	10,000
49	Pressure Gauge			3,000		<u> </u>	5,000			10,000
	Valves Gale □ Plug □(2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8"		5,000	3-1/0*		10,000
_	Adjustable Choke(3)	2.		3,000	5.		5,000	5.		10,000
7	Adjustable Choke	1.		3,000	1"	J	5,000	2"		10,000
8		1	3*	3,000		3*	5,000		3*	10,000
9	Line		2-	3.000		2*	5,000		3*	10,000
10	Valves Gate C Plug (2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000
15	Lines		3*	1,000		3*	1,000		3-	2,000
12		1	3*	1,000		3"	1,000		3.	2,000
13	Remote reading compound standpipe pressure gauge			3,000			5,000	·		10,000
 	Gas Separator	1	2'x5'			2'x5'			2'x5'	
15			4.	1,000		4"	1,000		4°	2,000
16	Gate 🗆	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8*		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000

- (1) Only one required in Class 3M.
- (2) Gate valves only shall be used for Class 10M.
- (3) Remote operated hydraulic choke required on 5,000 psi and 10,000 psi for drilling.

EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS AND INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. All connections in choke manifold shall be welded, studded, flanged or Cameron clamp of comparable rating.
- 2. All flanges shall be API 6B or 6BX and ring gaskets shall be API RX or BX. Use only BX for 10 MWP.
- 3. All lines shall be securely anchored.
- 4. Chokes shall be equipped with tungsten carbide seats and needles, and reptacements shall be available.
- 5. Choke manifold pressure and standpipe pressure gauges shall be available at the choke manifold to assist in regulating chokes. As an atternate with automatic chokes, a choke manifold pressure gauge shall be located on the rig floor in conjunction with the standpipe pressure gauge.
- 6. Line from drilling spool to choke manifold should be as straight as possible. Lines downstream from chokes shall make turns by large bends or 90° bends using bull plugged tees.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135

BUREAU (Expires: March 31, 1993		
BUREAU	5. Lease Designation and Senal No.		
SUNDRY NOTIC Do not use this form for proposals to Use "APPLICATION	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name		
SUBM	IIT IN TRIPLICATE	7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation	
1. Type of Well Oil Gas Well Well Other 2. Name of Operator		8. Well Name and No.	
MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION		9. API Well No.	
3. Address and Telephone No. P.O. BOX 227, ARTESIA, NM 88210 50		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area	
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey T17S-R29E T17S-R30E T17S-R31E	Description)	11. County or Parish, State EDDY CO., NM	
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX	((s) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, O		
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
Notice of Intent Subsequent Report	Abandonment Recompletion Plugging Back	Change of Plans New Construction Non-Routine Fracturing	
Final Abandonment Notice	☐ Casing Repair ☐ Attering Casing ☐ Other _ TEST BOPS	Water Shut-Off Conversion to Injection Dispose Water (Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)	
directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and me	y state all pertinet details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of passured and true vertical depths for all markders and zones pertinent to this was SSURE OF FORMATIONS ABOVE 6000', WE ARE REQUIS TO TEST BOPS ON SURFACE CASING TO 1000#	vork.)*	

THIS SUNDRY IS APPROVED FOR MARBOB TO HAVE A BLANKET APPROVAL FOR TESTING BOPS.

HOWEVER, THE OPERATOR WILL STATE ON EACH APD THIS APPLIES TO IN ORDER TO

REMIND AND/OR BRING NOTICE TO THE BLM OFFICE AND ENGINEER REVIEWING THE APD

THAT THE WELL'S BOPE TESTING IS COVERED BY A BLANKET APPROVAL FOR THESE LOCATIONS

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct		PRODUCTION ANALYST		05/25/99
Signed 0700 COULD	Title	FRODUCTIONAINALTOT	Date	05/25/99
(This space for Federal or State office (use) Approved by	Title	PETROLEUM ENGINEER	Date .	JUN 1 6 1999
Conditions of approval, if any:				



IN REPLY REFER TO: NMNM-88525X 3180 (06200)

United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Roswell Field Office 2909 West Second St. Roswell, New Mexico 88201 www.nm.blm.gov



Marbob Energy Corporation Attention: Johnny Gray P. O. Box 227 Artesia, NM 88210

SEP 07 1999

Gentlemen:

With regard to our telephone conversation of September 2, 1999, a review of our records has found discrepancies in the casing requirements section of the conditions of approval for your APD's. As per our meeting on July 7, 1999, our office had agreed with your recommended casing procedures for shallow wells of 6000 ft. or less in T. 17 S, Rgs. 29, 30 and 31 E., NMPM. In order to correct the discrepancies, this letter states the language to be used for the conditions of approval casing requirements for all your existing APD's

Conditions of Approval-Drilling amended as follows:

- II. Casing requirements in T. 17 S., Rgs. 29, 30 and 31 E. for shallow wells less than 6,000 ft.
- 1. 8-5/8 inch surface casing should be set at approximately ____ ft. in the Rustler Anhydrite or in the case the salt occurs at a shallower depth above the top of the salt. The surface casing shoe shall be set in the anhydrite to ensure adequate sealing. The operator is required to use an excess of 100% cement volume to fill annulus. If cement does not circulate to surface the operator may then use ready mix cement to fill the remaining annulus.
- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5½ inch production casing is to place the top of the cement 200 ft. above the top of the uppermost hydrocarbon bearing interval or to the base of the salt.

These requirements supercede those issued in your existing, approved APD's for the shallow wells located in T. 17 S., Rgs. 29, 30 and 31 E., NMPM. If you have any question regarding this matter please call John S. Simitz at (505) 627-0288 or Armando A. Lopez at (505) 627-0248.

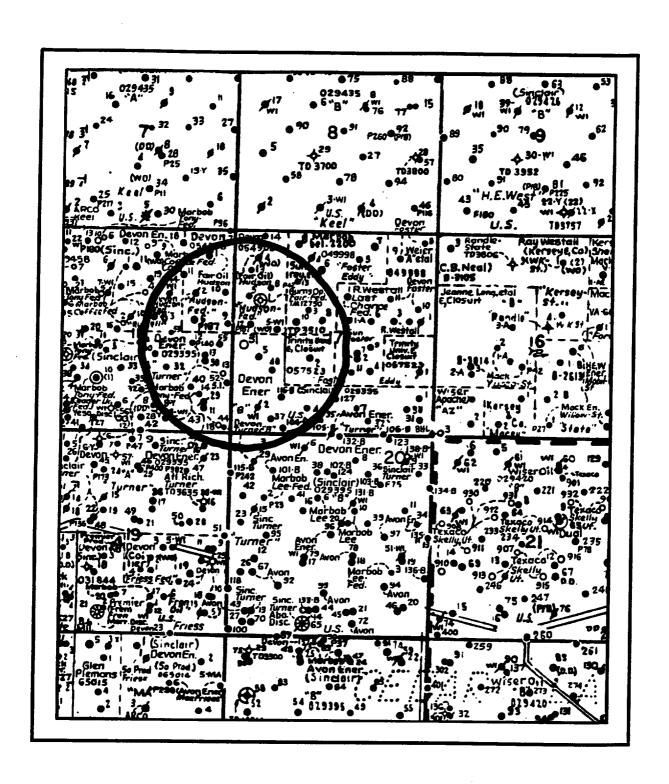
Sincerely,

Larry D. Bray

Acting Assistant Field Office Manager,

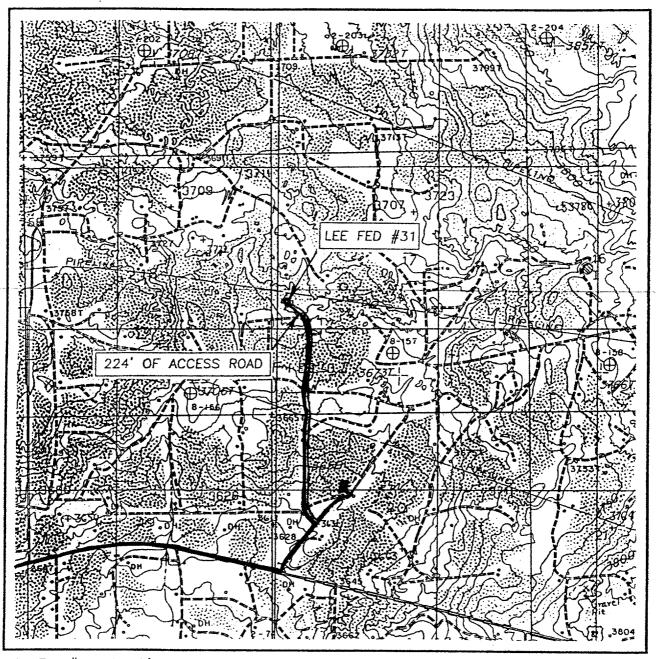
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LUCATION VERIFICATION MAP



SCALE: 1'' = 2000'

SEC. <u>17</u> TWP. <u>17-S</u> RGE. <u>31-E</u>

SURVEY N.M.P.M.

COUNTY____EDDY

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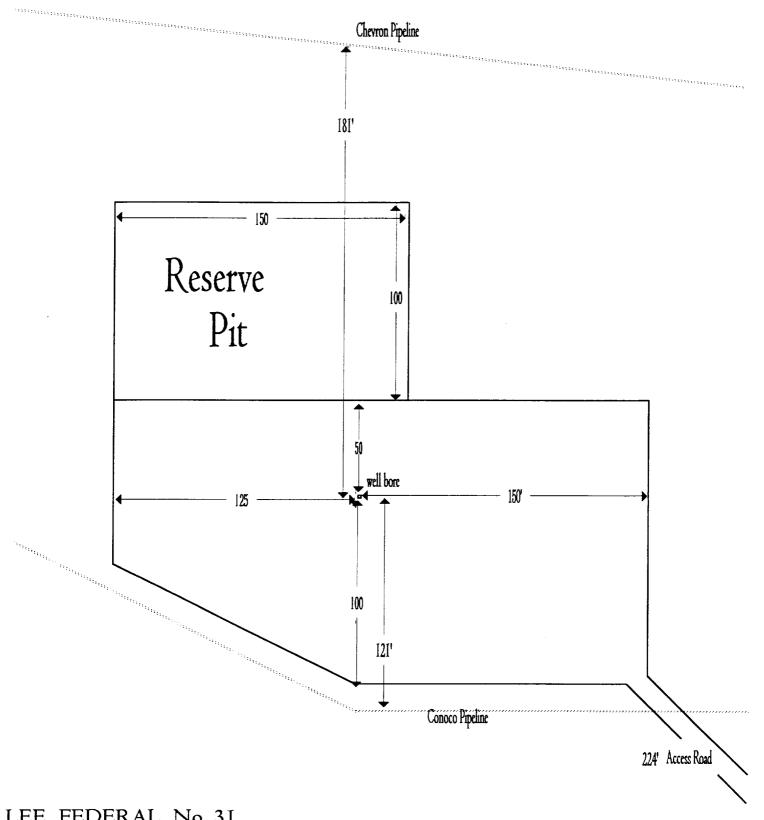
ELEVATION 3701'

OPERATOR MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION

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U.S.G.S. TOPOGRAPHIC MAP LOCO HILLS, N.M.

CONTOUR INTERVAL: 10' LOCO HILLS, N.M.



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Exhibit Four