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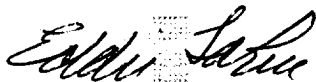
RE: Hawk 9J Federal #16
1630' FSL & 1650' FEL
Sec. 9, T18S, R27E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

The following is a Deviation Survey for the above captioned well.

DEPTH	DEVIATION
173'	1/4°
356'	1/2°
554'	3/4°
732'	1 1/4°
914'	1 1/2°
1067'	1 3/4°
1147'	1 3/4°
1457'	3/4°
1705'	1°
2171'	1°
2209'	1°
2650'	1 3/4°

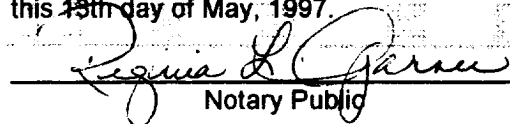
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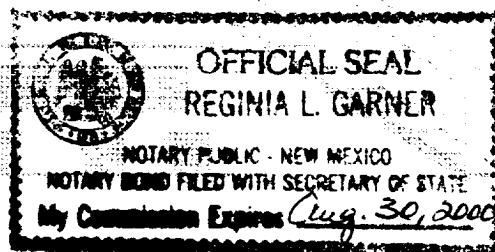


Eddie C. LaRue
Vice President

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF EDDY

The foregoing was acknowledged before me
this 13th day of May, 1997.


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