

**4. Examination Procedure:**

Straight and zig-zag line transects, spaced not greater than 15 meters apart.

Area Delineation: Staked by the client

Visibility: 70%

Weather: cool, overcast and calm

Lighting Conditions: good

Work Hours on the Ground: 3 ½ hours total

Crew Size: 1

**5. Findings:**

David Wilcox performed an Arms and BLM prefield check on 10-22-1998. According to these records, there are five previously recorded sites that lie within a ¼ mile radius of the proposed project LA 117337, LA 117345, LA 122306, LA 117349 and LA 117350). Only LA 117349 was encountered by this project due to its perimeter being located within a 500' radius of the project, and the proposed well pad's southeastern corner being place within this site's boundary.

**Isolated Manifestations:**

I.M. #1 (Section 26 – ne/4, ne/4, se/4, ne/4) Consists of quartzite decortification flake with a platform remnant, a successful termination, 80% cortex, and the following dimensions: 42 x 42 x 15 mm.

**LA 117349**

Site Update

Section 25, T18S, R29E, NMPM, Eddy County, NM (se/4, sw/4, nw/4)

USGS 7.5' Series: Illinois Camp NE, NM (Provisional Edition 1985 [32104-F1]).

State Ownership

Site will be avoided, provided that the stipulations are followed

Site Dimensions: 105 x 148 meters

Cultural Affiliation: Archaic

Site/Component Type: Artifact Scatter

**6. Recommendations:**

Archaeological clearance for Enron Oil and Gas Company's proposed STW "25" Federal Corn. Well No. 1 and access road is recommended provided that a temporary fence be erected prior to the well pad's construction and an archaeological monitor be present to insure that this fence is place just outside of the site's perimeter and that no subsurface information be lost to the archaeological record.