

- E. The reserve pit will be fenced on three sides with four strands of barbed wire during drilling and completion operations. The fourth side will be fenced after drilling has been completed. If the well is a producer, the reserve pit fence will be torn down. The reserve pit and those areas of the location not essential to production facilities will be reclaimed and seeded per BLM requirements.

10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF SURFACE

Rehabilitation of the location and reserve pit will start in a timely manner after all drilling operations cease. The type of reclamation will depend on whether the well is a producer or a dry hole.

However, in either event, the reserve pit will be allowed to dry properly, and fluid removed and disposed of in accordance with Article 7.B as previously noted. The pit area will then be leveled and contoured to conform to the original and surrounding area. Drainage systems, if any, will be reshaped to the original configuration with provisions made to alleviate erosion. These may need to be modified in certain circumstances to prevent inundation of the locations pad and surface facilities. After the area has been shaped and contoured, top soil from the spoil pile (if any) will be placed over the disturbed area to the extent possible. Revegetation procedures will comply with BLM standards.

If the well is a dry hole, the pad and road area will be recontoured to match the existing terrain. Topsoil will be spread to the extent possible. Revegetation will comply with BLM standards.

Should the well be a producer, the previously noted procedures will apply to those areas which are not required for production facilities.

11. OTHER INFORMATION

- A. The topography is of mountainous terrain with vegetation of sagebrush and native grasses. The soils are silty and very shallow.
- B. The surface is used to mainly access producing wells in the area and minimal grazing for livestock. It is administered by the BLM and is being leased to Mr. George Michaelis, 2724 Montclair N.E., Albuquerque, NM 87110, (505) 883-3898.
- C. An archeological study was not performed for the location and access road when this location was originally drilled in 1975. The location and roadway will not be expanded and it is not anticipated that a cultural survey will be required.
- D. There are no buildings of any kind in the area.

12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE - Field representative for contact regarding compliance with the Surface Use Plan is:
Before, during & after Construction:

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