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ENERGY CORPORATION

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September 8, 1998

CERTIFIED MAIL No. Z 076 700 775

United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management Roswell District Office 2909 West Second Street Roswell, NM 88201



RE:

NM-LC063246 Name and location change of a new drill SWD Winston #4 SWD (was Martha Creek #4 SWD) Section 31-21S-24E Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Concerning the referenced, enclosed please find Form 3160-5 Sundry Notice of Intent (with attachments) to change the location and rename the Martha Creek #4 SWD to the Winston #4 SWD and a copy of the data submitted to the NMOCD for drilling this salt water disposal well.

Please direct inquiries concerning this matter to Wally Frank at (405) 235-3611, X4595.

Yours truly,

DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION (NEVADA)

Candace R. Draham

Ms. Candace R. Graham Engineering Tech.

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 Enclosure
 copy: NMOCD in Santa Fe and Artesia
 file, engineer, foreman, offset operators, area interest owners

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Form 3160-5 UN' (June 1990) DEPARTMEN	D STATES	
	LAND MANAGEMENT	FORM APPROVED Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135 Expires March 31, 1993
Do not use this form for proposals to drill o	AND REPORTS ON WELLS or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir. OR PERMIT—" for such proposals	 Lease Designation and Serial No. NM- LC063246 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
	IN TRIPLICATE	N/A 7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation
Type of Well Gas Other proposed S Well Well	WD well	N/A 8. Well Name and No.
2. Name of Operator DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION (NEV)	ADA)	WINSTON #4 SWD
 Address and Telephone No. 20 NORTH BROADWAY, SUITE 1500, OF 	KLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73102 (405) 235-3611	9. API Well No. 30-015-30337
 Location of Well (Footage. Sec., T., R., M., or Survey 1 1535' FNL & 660' FWL, Lot 2, Section 31 		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area SWD (Devonian) 11. County or Parish, State
		Eddy Cnty, NM
CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(s) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REI	PORT, OR OTHER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTIO	N
Notice of Intent	Abandonment Recompletion	Change of Plans New Construction
Subsequent Report	Plugging Back Casing Repair	Non-Routine Fracturing Water Shut-Off
Final Abandonment Notice	Altering Casing Otheramend_APD	Conversion to Injection Dispose Water (Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*

At this time we wish to change the Martha Creek #4 SWD well name to the WINSTON #4 SWD and move the location from 225' FSL and 1650' FWL, Lot 18, Section 30-T21S-R24E to 1535' FNL and 660' FWL, Lot 2, Section 31-T21S-R24E. GL elevation is 3810'. The proposed Winston #4 SWD is located approximately 12 miles NW of Carlsbad, NM. From the junction of US Hwy 285 and State Hwy 137 go SW approx 11.7 miles on State Hwy 137 to Winston Gas Com. #1, thence north 0.3 mile on lease road, west 0.3 mile on pipeline road, south approx .05 mile to location.

Please see the following attachments.

- 1. Well location plat, vicinity map, location verification map, lease road plat.
- 2. Copy of archaeological clearance report.
- 3. Copy of our letter to the NM Oil Conservation Division with advertisement.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct		Candace R. Graham		
Signed Candace R. Draham	Title	Engineering Technician	Date	September 8, 1998
(This space for Federal or State office use)				
Approved by Conditions of approval, if any:	Title		Date _	
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DISTRICT I P. O. Box 1980 Hobbs, NM 88241-1980

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DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brozos Rd. Aztec, NM 87410 Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P. O. Box 2088

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

State of New Mexico

Form C-102 Revised 02-10-94

Instructions on back

Submit to the Appropriate District Office State Lease — 4 copies Fee Lease — 3 copies

AMENDED REPORT

DISTRICT IV P. O. Box 2088

Santa Fe, NM 87507-2088 WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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VICINITY MAP



SECTION	31	. TWP	21-5	_ RGE	24-E
SURVEY	NEW M	EXICO PI	RINCIPAL M	ERIDIAN	
COUNTY	E	DDY	STAT	E <u>NN</u>	Λ
DESCRIPTION		1535	'FNL & 6	60' FWL	

OPERATOR _____ DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION (NEVADA), LEASE ______ WINSTON X005XC2014 #4 SWD

DISTANCE & DIRECTION FROM TH JCT. OF U.S. HWY. 285 & STATE HWY. 137, ±12 MILES NORTHWEST OF CARLSBAD, GO SOUTHWEST 11.7 MILES ON STATE HWY. 137, THENCE NORTH 0.3 MILE ON LEASE ROAD, THENCE WEST 0.3 MILE ON PIPELINE ROAD TO A POINT ±110' NORTH OF THE LOCATION.



This location has been very carefully staked on the ground according to the best official survey records, maps, and other data available to us. Review this plat and notify us immediately of any possible discrepancy.

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ARCHAEOLOGICAL SERVICES

August 23, 1998

Mr. Wally Frank DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION 20 North Broadway, Suite 1500 Oklahoma City, OK 73102

Dear Mr. Frank:

Enclosed please find your copy of Desert West Archaeological Clearance Report for DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION's proposed Winston Gas Com. Well No. 6 and Winston Well No. 4 SWD in Section 31, T21S, R24E, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. No cultural resources were encountered during this survey; therefore, archaeological clearance is recommended for DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION's proposed Winston Gas Com. Well No. 6 and Winston Well No. 4 SWD as presently staked. No further archaeological work should be required.

The Bureau of Land Management will review this report and make the final decision on archaeological clearance for your projects.

If you have any questions, please call our office.

Sincerely,

Vrita Slate

Enclosure

xc: Mr. Daryl Lowder, DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION, Artesia, NM (2) Bureau of Land Management, Carlsbad Field Office, Carlsbad, NM (2)

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APPENDIX B.

BLM/ RDO 1/95	NEGATIVE SITE REPORT CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE			
1. BLM Report No.	2. (ACCEPTED) (REJECTED)	3. NMCRIS No. 61857		
4. Title of Report (Project Title): Archaeological survey of Devon Energy	5. Project Date(s) 8-20-1998			
Com Well No. 6 and Winston Well No. 4 Eddy County, NM.	6. Report Date - 8-20-1998			
7. Consultant Name & Address: Direct Charge: David Wilcox Name: Desert West Archaeological Ser		8. Permit No. 123-2920-98-P NM98-077		
Address: 102 N. Main, Carlsbad, NM 88 Authors Name: David Wilcox Field personnel names - David Wilcox Phone (505) 887-7646	9. Consultant Report No. DWAS 98-23AU			
10. Sponsor Name and Address: Indiv. Responsible: Mr. Wally Frank	11. For BLM Use only.			
Name: Devon Energy Corporation Address: 20 North Broadway, Suite 1500 Phone (405)552-4595	12 ACREAGE: Total No. of acres surveyed - 5.05 Per Surface -			
		Ownership: Federal		
13. Location & Area: (Maps Attached if	negative survey)			
 a. State - NM b. County - Eddy c. BLM Field Office: Carlsbad d. Nearest City or town: Carlsbad, NM e. Location: Section 31, T21S, R24E Well Pad footages: Winston Well No. 4 SWD - 1535' FNL; 660' FWL; and Winston Gas Com Well No. 6 - 1650' FNL; 710' FWL. Both these locations are within the same 550' x 400' staked well location. f. 7.5 ' Map Name(s) and Code Numbers(s): Martha Creek, NM (1978 [32104-D5]). g. Area: Block: Impact: within the staked area Surveyed: 400' x 550' Linear: Impact: Surveyed: 				

TITLE PAGE/ABSTRACT/

14. a. Records Search:
Location: BLM and ARMS Date: 8-18-1998 Conducted by: ARMS, Arita Slate, BLM, Saundra Daras List by LA# All sites within .25 miles of the project: (Those sites within 500' are to be shown on the project map)
 b. Description of undertaking: Class III pedestrian survey of Devon Energy Corporation's proposed Winston Gas Com Well No. And associated access road in Section 31, T21S, R24E, NMPM, Eddy County, NM. This proposed access road connects to the Queens Highway. c. Environmental Setting (NRCS soil designation; vegetative community; etc.) Vegetation - assorted grasses, acacia, snakeweed, creosote, yucca, mesquite, rainbow cactus, prickly pear
 cactus, pencil cholla, littleleaf horsebrush, sumac, tree cholla, sotol, desert holly, eagle claw cactus and cat claw. Topography - This project lies on a loamy rich micro-valley/an alluvial fan. An un-named drainage bisects the study area, and flows northward towards Dunnaway Draw. A road bisects the northern half of this staked rectangular location. Some limestone cobbles and outcrops are evident on the southern and eastern extent of this area. Soils - Reagan-Upton association: Loamy, deep soils and soils that are shallow to caliche; from old alluvium; and Limestone rock land-Ector association: Rock land and very shallow, stony and rocky, loamy soils over limestone; on hills and mountains. d. Field Methods: Transect Intervals: straight and zig-zag transects, spaced not greater than 15 meters apart Crew Size: 1 Time in Field: 1 hour Collections: no
15. Cultural Resource Findings: n/a
16. Management Summary (Recommendations): Archaeological clearance for Devon Energy Corporation's proposed Winston Gas Com Well No. 6 and Winston Well No. 4 in Section 31, T21S, R24E, NMPM, Eddy County, NM is recommended as staked.
I maintain that the information provided above is correct and accurate and meets all appreciable BLM standards. Responsible Archaeologist

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Figure 1. Topographic map of USGS 7.5' Series Martha Creek, NM (1978) showing the project area in Section 31, T21S, R24E.

