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Lease # NM-492
Operator W.A. Moncrief, Jr.
Well Name 5 Lechuguilla
Location Sec. 15-24-24

"STANDARD STIPULATIONS FOR ALL DRILLING
IN RELATION TO OIL AND GAS ACTIVITIES
IN THE ROSWELL DISTRICT"

(The following list of 14 stipulations are some of the more commonly used stipulations for oil and gas drilling operations in southeastern New Mexico. The blocks checkmarked in red designate the stipulations applicable to the particular drilling permit listed above. Special or additional stipulations (if any) are written in under #15.)

- ☒ 1. If, during operations, the operator or any person working in his behalf, discover any historic or prehistoric ruin, monument or site, or any object of antiquity subject to the Antiquities Act of June 8, 1906, (34 Stat. 225, 16 U.S.C. Secs. 431-433), and 43 CFR Part 3, then work will be suspended and the discovery promptly reported to the District Manager. The Bureau will then take such action as required under the Act and regulations thereunder. When directed by the District Manager, the operator will obtain, at his expense, a qualified archaeologist to examine and, if necessary, excavate or gather such ruins or objects.
- ☒ 2. All access roads constructed in conjunction with the drilling permit should be limited to 12 feet in width, along with turnouts. If well is a producer, all roads will be adequately drained to control runoff and soil erosion. Drainage facilities may include ditches, water bars, culverts and/or any other measure deemed necessary by the responsible BLM representative.
- ☒ 3. Each existing fence to be crossed by the permittee will be braced and tied off before cutting so as to prevent slacking of the wire. The opening will be protected as necessary during construction to prevent the escape of livestock and upon completion of construction, the fence will be repaired to BLM specifications. A cattleguard with an adjacent 12 foot gate will be installed in any fence where a road is to be regularly traveled.