

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE*

(Other instructions on reverse side)

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Budget Bureau No. 1004-0136
Expires: December 31, 1991

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR DEEPEN

1a. TYPE OF WORK

DRILL ☒

DEEPEN ☐

b. TYPE OF WELL

OIL WELL ☒

GAS WELL ☐

OTHER

SINGLE ZONE ☐

MULTIPLE ZONE ☐

2. NAME OF OPERATOR

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada)

3. ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NO.

(405) 235-3611

20 N. Broadway, Suite 1500, Oklahoma City, OK 73102-8260

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)*

At surface

1800' FSL & 900' FEL

At proposed prod. zone

same

14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE*

35 miles west-northwest of Jal, NM

10. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED*

LOCATION TO NEAREST PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT.

(Also to nearest drlg. unit line, if any)

900

16. NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE

1320

17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED TO THIS WELL

40

18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION*

TO NEAREST WELL, DRILLING COMPLETED, OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT.

771'

19. PROPOSED DEPTH

8350

20. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS

rotary

21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)

3470.7 GR 3471' GR

22. APPROX. DATE WORK WILL START*

1-20-92

PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

Secretary's Potash / 3-11-P Potash

SIZE OF HOLE	GRADE SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	QUANTITY OF CEMENT
17 1/2"	13 3/8"	48#	CIRCULATE 600'	300 sx Lite + 200 sx Class C
11" or 12 1/4"	8 5/8"	32#	CIRCULATE 4400'	1600 sx Lite + 200 sx Class C
7 7/8"	5 1/2"	15.5 & 17#	8350'	1st stage: 360 sx Poz H + 100 sx H
(SJS) as per telecon w/C. Horsman.		stage collar at +6100'		2nd stage: 300 sx Poz H + 100 sx H

Devon Energy proposes to drill to approximately 8350' to test the Delaware for commercial quantities of oil. If the Delaware is deemed non-commercial, the wellbore will be plugged and abandoned as per Federal regulations. Programs to adhere to onshore oil and gas regulations are outlined in the following exhibits and attachments.

Drilling Program

Surface use and operating plan

Exhibit #1 and #1-A= Blowout Prevention Equipment

Exhibit #2= Location and Elevation Plat

Exhibit #3= Planned access roads

Exhibit #4= Wells within one mile radius

Exhibit #5= Production Facilities Plat

Exhibit #6= Rotary rig layout

Evidence of Bond Coverage

Post ID-1
1-31-92

New Loc & API

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND
SPECIAL STIPULATIONS
ATTACHED

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: If proposal is to deepen, give data on present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. If proposal is to drill or deepen directionally, give pertinent data on subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths. Give blowout preventer program, if any.

24.

SIGNED Charles W. Horsman

Charles W. Horsman
TITLE District Engineer

DATE 12-17-91

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(This space for Federal or State office use)

PERMIT NO.

APPROVAL DATE

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED BY

TITLE

DATE

1-21-92

*See Instructions On Reverse Side

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

DISTRICT I

P.O. Box 1988, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II

P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III

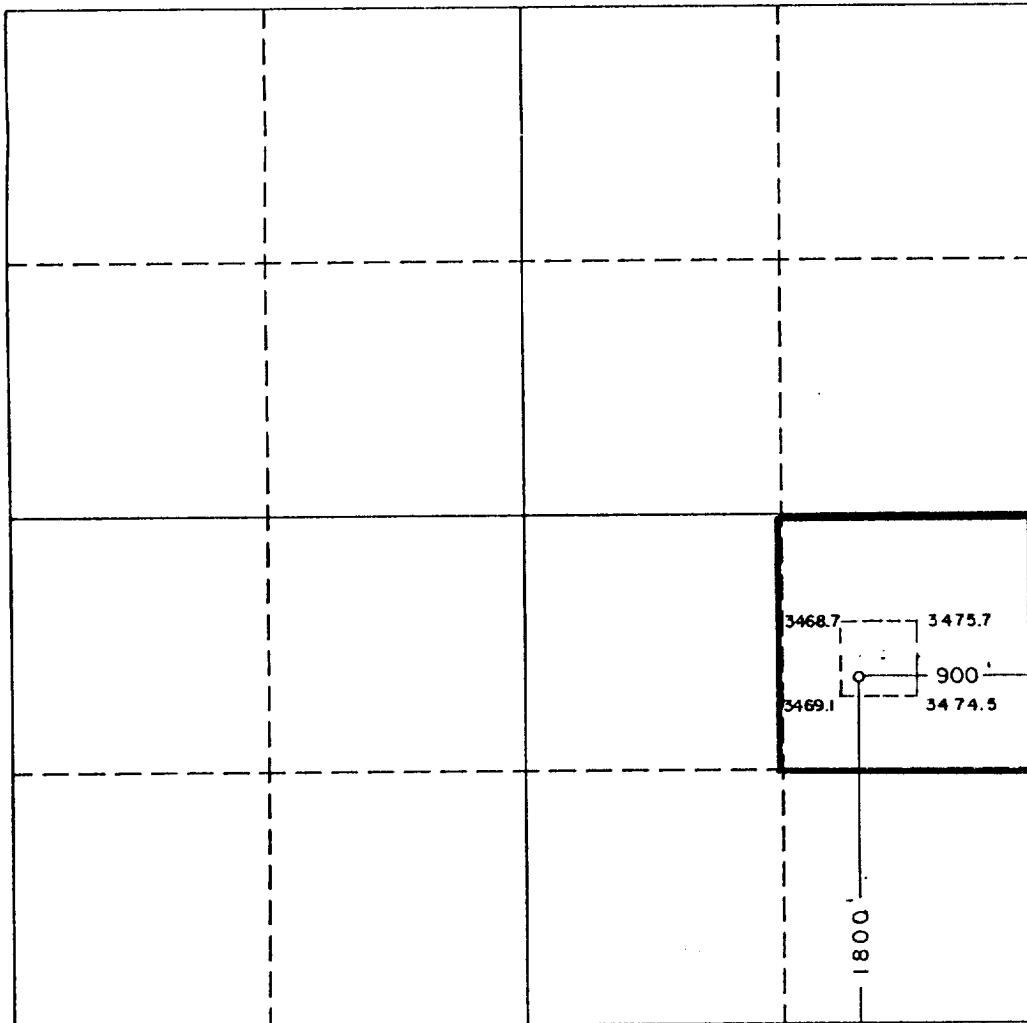
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Artec, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

Operator DEVON ENERGY			Lease TODD 23 FEDERAL		Well No. 4
Unit Letter I	Section 23	Township 23 SOUTH	Range 31 EAST	County EDDY	NMPM
Actual Footage Location of Well: 900 feet from the EAST line and 1800 feet from the SOUTH line					
Ground Level Elev. 3470.7	Producing Formation Delaware	Pool Sand Dunes		Dedicated Acreage: 40 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure marks on the plat below.
 2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
 3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interest of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc.?
☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes" type of consolidation _____
- If answer is "no" list of owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form necessary. _____)
- No allowable will be assigned to the well unit all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interest, has been approved by the Division.



OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the the information
contained herein is true and complete to the
best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature
Charles W. Horsman
Printed Name
Charles W. Horsman
Position
District Engineer
Company
Devon Energy Corporation
Date
December 17, 1991

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown
on this plat was plotted from field notes of
actual surveys made by me or under my
supervision, and that the same is true and
correct to the best of my knowledge and
belief.

Date Surveyed
DEC. 4, 1991

Signature & Seal of
Professional Surveyor
Ronald J. Eidsen
Certificate No. JOHN W. WEST 678
RONALD J. EIDSON 3239
GARY L. JONES 7877

W.O. 91-11-0460

DRILLING PROGRAM

Attached to Form 3160-3
Devon Energy Corporation
Todd "23" Federal #4
1800' FSL & 900' FEL
Section 23-T23S-R31E
Eddy County, New Mexico

1. Geologic Name of Surface Formation:

Permian

2. Estimated Tops of Important Geologic Markers:

Permian	Surface
Base of Salt	3650'
Base of Castile/	
Top of Delaware	4370'
Ramsey Sand	4410'
Cherry Canyon Sand	6010'
Brushy Canyon Sand	8025'
First Bone Spring Lime	8230'
Total Depth	8350'

3. Estimated Depths of Anticipated Fresh Water, Oil or Gas:

Upper Permian Sands		Fresh Water
Delaware	4370'	Oil
Delaware (Cherry Canyon)	6010'	Oil
Delaware (Brushy Canyon)	8025'	Oil

No other formations are expected to yield oil, gas or fresh water in measurable volumes. The surface fresh water sands will be protected by setting 13-3/8" casing at 600' and circulating cement back to surface. Potash and Salt will be protected by setting 8-5/8" casing at 4400' and circulating cement to surface. The Delaware intervals will be isolated by setting 5-1/2" casing to total depth and circulating cement above the base of the 8-5/8" casing.

4. Casing Program:

<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Csg OD</u>	<u>Weight, Grade, Type</u>
25"	0-40'	20"	Conductor, 0.30" wall
17-1/2"	0-600'	13-3/8"	48#, H-40, ST&C, New, R-3
12-1/4"	0-4400'	8-5/8"	32#, K-55, S-80, ST&C, New, R-3
7-7/8"	0-TD	5-1/2"	15.5 & 17#, K-55, LT&C, New, R-3

Casing Program:

20" Conductor Casing: Cemented with ready-mix to surface.

13-3/8" Surface Casing: Cemented to surface using 300 sx Poz "C" (35:65) + 6% Gel + 1/4# sx Flocele followed by 200 sx Class "C" + 2% CC.

8-5/8" Intermediate Casing: Cemented to surface with 1600 sx Poz "C" (35:65) + 6% Gel + 10% Salt + 1/4# sx Flocele followed by 200 sx Class "C" + 1% CC.

5-1/2" Production Casing: Cemented with 360 sx Class "H" (50:50) Poz + 2% Gel + 5% Salt + 1/4# sx Flocele followed by 100 sx Class "H".

Stage Tool at $\pm 6100'$. Cemented with 300 sx Poz "H" (35:65) + 6% Gel + 5% Salt + 1/4# sx Flocele followed by 100 sx Class "H".

The above cement volumes could be revised pending the caliper measurement from the open hole logs. The top of cement is designed to reach above the 8-5/8" casing at 4400'.

5. Minimum Specifications for Pressure Control:

The blowout preventer equipment (BOP) shown in exhibit #1 will consist of a double ram type (3000 psi WP) preventer and a bag-type (Hydril) preventer (3000 psi WP). Both units will be hydraulically operated and the ram type preventer will be equipped with blind rams on top and 4-1/2" drill pipe rams on

bottom. Both BOP's will be installed on the 13-3/8" surface casing and utilized continuously until total depth is reached. All BOP's and associated equipment will be tested to 1000 psi before drilling out the 13-3/8" casing shoe. Prior to drilling out the 8-5/8" casing shoe the BOP's will be tested to 3000 psi and the Hydril tested to 2100 psi (70% of rated working pressure).

Pipe rams will be operated and checked each 24 hour period and each time the drill pipe is out of the hole. These functional tests will be documented on the daily drillers log. A 2" kill line and 3" choke line will be incorporated in the drilling spool below the ram-type BOP. Other accessory BOP equipment will include a kelly cock, floor safety valve, choke lines and choke manifold having 3000 psi WP rating.

6. Types and Characteristics of the Proposed Mud System:

The well will be drilled to total depth using brine, cut brine and polymer mud systems. Depths of systems are as follows:

<u>Depth</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Weight (ppg)</u>	<u>Viscosity (1/sec)</u>	<u>Waterloss (cc)</u>
0-600'	Fresh Water	8.8	34-36	No Control
600-4400'	Brine Water	10.0	28	No Control
4400-TD	Fresh Water Polymer	8.8	32-36	15-20

The necessary mud products for weight addition and fluid loss control will be on location at all times.

7. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment:

- A. A kelly cock will be in the drill string at all times.
- B. A full opening drill pipe stabbing valve having the appropriate connections will be on the rig floor at all times.
- C. A mud logging unit having Hydrogen Sulfide detection equipment will be in operation after drilling out the 8-5/8" casing shoe until total depth is reached.

8. Logging, Testing and Coring Program:

- A. Drillstem tests will be based on geological sample shows.
- B. The open hole electrical logging program will be:
 - Total Depth to Intermediate Casing - Dual Laterolog-Micro Laterolog with Sp and Gamma Ray.
 - Compensated Neutron - Z-Density Log with Gamma Ray and Caliper.
 - Total Depth to Surface - Compensated Neutron with Gamma Ray.
- C. No coring program is planned.
- D. Additional testing will be initiated subsequent to setting the 5-1/2" production casing. Specific intervals will be targeted based on log evaluation, geological sample shows and drill stem tests.

9. Abnormal Pressures, Temperatures and Potential Hazards:

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are foreseen. The anticipated bottom hole temperature at total depth is 125 degrees and maximum bottom hole pressure is 2900 psig. No Hydrogen Sulfide gas have been reported or known to exist at these depths in this area. No major loss circulation intervals have been encountered in adjacent wells.

10. Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations:

Notice of Staking (NOS) has been sent to the Carlsbad, New Mexico BLM office and Barry Hunt of that office was present for staking. The pad site and access road have been flagged by John West Engineering Company. A Cultural Resources Examination has been completed by Pecos Archeological Consultants and a copy forwarded to the Carlsbad, New Mexico BLM office.

Road and location preparation will not be undertaken until approval has been received from the BLM. The anticipated spud date is approximately January 20, 1991. The drilling operation should require approximately 20 days. If the well is deemed productive, completion operations will require an additional 30 days of testing to ascertain whether permanent production facilities will be constructed.

MINIMUM BLOWOUT PREVENTER REQUIREMENTS

3,000 psi Working Pressure

3 MWP

TODD "23" FEDERAL #4
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
EXHIBIT #1

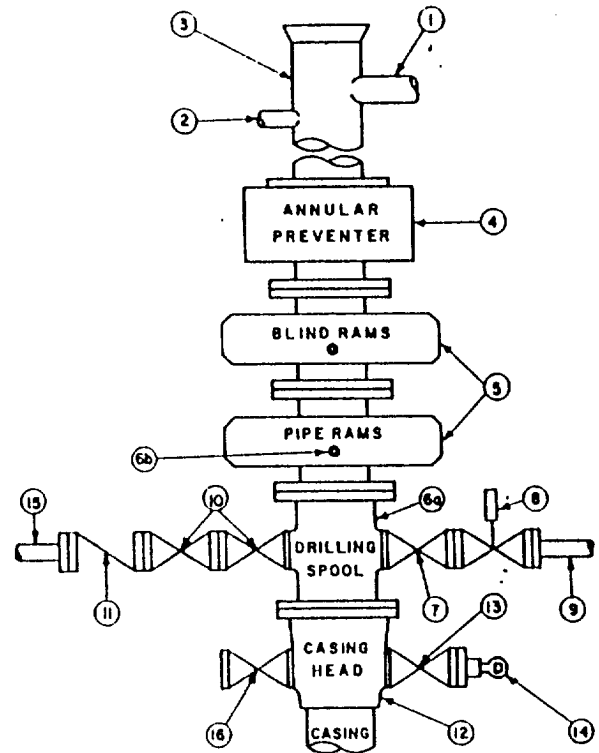
STACK REQUIREMENTS

No.	Item	Min. I.D.	Min. Nominal
1	Flowline		
2	Fill up line		2"
3	Drilling nipple		
4	Annular preventer		
5	Two single or one dual hydraulically operated rams		
6a	Drilling spool with 2" min. kill line and 3" min choke line outlets		
6b	2" min. kill line and 3" min. choke line outlets in ram. (Alternate to 6a above.)		
7	Valve Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/>	3-1/8"	
8	Gate valve—power operated	3-1/8"	
9	Line to choke manifold		3"
10	Valves Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/>	2-1/16"	
11	Check valve	2-1/16"	
12	Casing head		
13	Valve Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/>	1-13/16"	
14	Pressure gauge with needle valve		
15	Kill line to rig mud pump manifold		2"

OPTIONAL

16	Flanged valve	1-13/16"	
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CONFIGURATION A



CONTRACTOR'S OPTION TO FURNISH:

1. All equipment and connections above bradenhead or casinghead. Working pressure of preventers to be 3,000 psi, minimum.
2. Automatic accumulator (80 gallon, minimum) capable of closing BOP in 30 seconds or less and, holding them closed against full rated working pressure.
3. BOP controls, to be located near drillers position.
4. Kelly equipped with Kelly cock.
5. Inside blowout preventer or its equivalent on derrick floor at all times with proper threads to fit pipe being used.
6. Kelly saver-sub equipped with rubber casing protector at all times.
7. Plug type blowout preventer tester.
8. Extra set pipe rams to fit drill pipe in use on location at all times.
9. Type RX ring gaskets in place of Type R.

MEC TO FURNISH:

1. Bradenhead or casinghead and side valves.
2. Wear bushing, if required.

GENERAL NOTES:

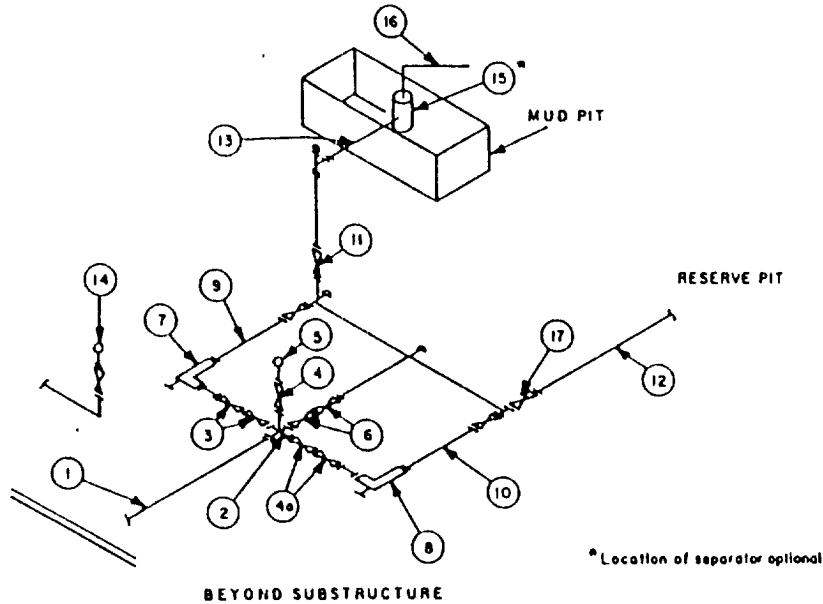
1. Deviations from this drawing may be made only with the express permission of MEC's Drilling Manager.
2. All connections, valves, fittings, piping, etc., subject to well or pump pressure must be flanged (suitable clamp connections acceptable) and have minimum working pressure equal to rated working pressure of preventers up through choke. Valves must be full opening and suitable for high pressure mud service.
3. Controls to be of standard design and each marked, showing opening and closing position.
4. Chokes will be positioned so as not to hamper or delay changing of choke beans. Replaceable parts for adjustable choke, other bean sizes, retainers, and choke wrenches to be conveniently located for immediate use.
5. All valves to be equipped with handwheels or handles ready for immediate use.
6. Choke lines must be suitably anchored.

7. Handwheels and extensions to be connected and ready for use.
8. Valves adjacent to drilling spool to be kept open. Use outside valves except for emergency.
9. All seamless steel control piping (3000 psi working pressure) to have flexible joints to avoid stress. Hoses will be permitted.
10. Casinghead connections shall not be used except in case of emergency.
11. Do not use kill line for routine fill-up operations.

MINIMUM CHOKE MANIFOLD
3,000, 5,000 and 10,000 PSI Working Pressure

3 MWP - 5 MWP - 10 MWP

TODD "23" FEDERAL #4
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
EXHIBIT #1-A



MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS										
No		3,000 MWP			5,000 MWP			10,000 MWP		
		I D	NOMINAL	RATING	I.D.	NOMINAL	RATING	I D.	NOMINAL	RATING
1	Line from drilling spool		3"	3,000		3"	5,000		3"	10,000
2	Cross 3"x3"x3"x2"			3,000			5,000			
	Cross 3"x3"x3"x3"									10,000
3	Valves(1) Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/> (2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000
4	Valve Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/> (2)	1-13/16"		3,000	1-13/16"		5,000	1-13/16"		10,000
4a	Valves(1)	2-1/16"		3,000	2-1/16"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000
5	Pressure Gauge			3,000			5,000			10,000
6	Valves Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/> (2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000
7	Adjustable Choke(3)	2"		3,000	2"		5,000	2"		10,000
8	Adjustable Choke	1"		3,000	1"		5,000	2"		10,000
9	Line		3"	3,000		3"	5,000		3"	10,000
10	Line		2"	3,000		2"	5,000		3"	10,000
11	Valves Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/> (2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000
12	Lines		3"	1,000		3"	1,000		3"	2,000
13	Lines		3"	1,000		3"	1,000		3"	2,000
14	Remote reading compound standpipe pressure gauge			3,000			5,000			10,000
15	Gas Separator		2'x5'			2'x5'			2'x5'	
16	Line		4"	1,000		4"	1,000		4"	2,000
17	Valves Gate <input type="checkbox"/> Plug <input type="checkbox"/> (2)	3-1/8"		3,000	3-1/8"		5,000	3-1/8"		10,000

(1) Only one required in Class 3M.

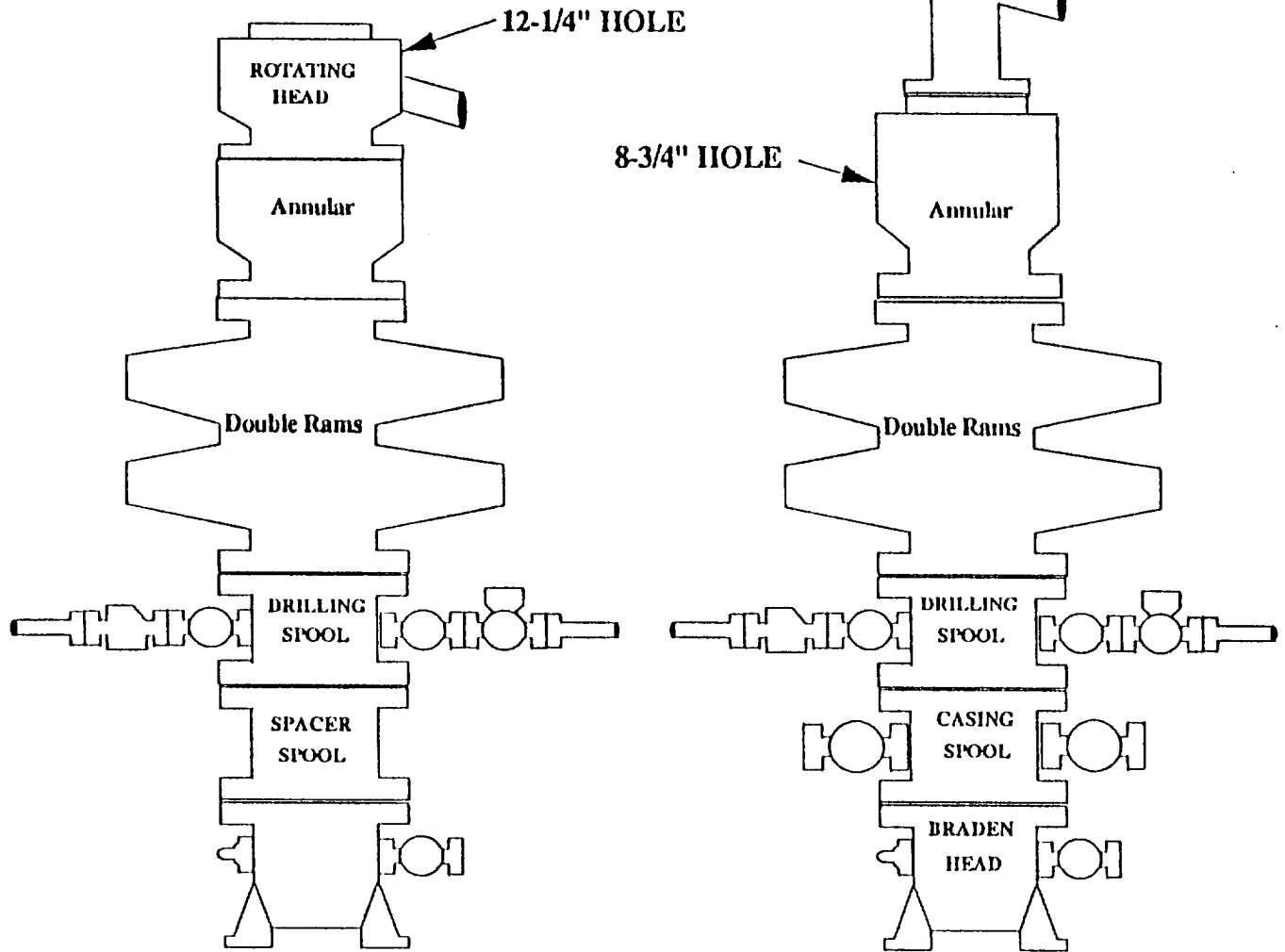
(2) Gate valves only shall be used for Class 10M.

(3) Remote operated hydraulic choke required on 5,000 psi and 10,000 psi for drilling.

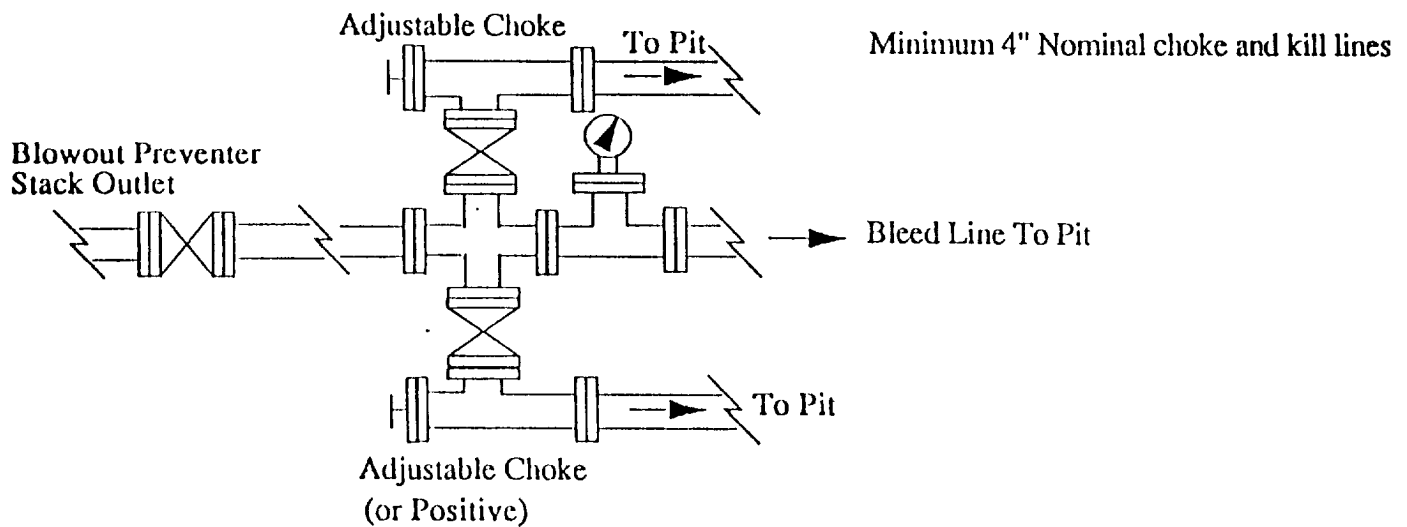
EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS AND INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

- All connections in choke manifold shall be welded, studded, flanged or Cameron clamp of comparable rating.
- All flanges shall be API 6B or 6BX and ring gaskets shall be API RX or BX. Use only BX for 10 MWP.
- All lines shall be securely anchored.
- Chokes shall be equipped with tungsten carbide seats and needles, and replacements shall be available.
- Choke manifold pressure and standpipe pressure gauges shall be available at the choke manifold to assist in regulating chokes. As an alternate with automatic chokes, a choke manifold pressure gauge shall be located on the rig floor in conjunction with the standpipe pressure gauge.
- Line from drilling spool to choke manifold should be as straight as possible. Lines downstream from chokes shall make turns by large bends or 90° bends using bull plugged tees.
- Discharge lines from chokes, choke bypass and from top of gas separator should vent as far as practical from the well.

BOPE SCHEMATIC



Choke Manifold Requirement (3000 psi WP)



Attachment to Exhibit #1
NOTES REGARDING BLOWOUT PREVENTORS
Todd "23" Federal #4
Eddy County, New Mexico

1. Drilling nipple will be constructed so it can be removed mechanically without the aid of a welder. The minimum internal diameter will equal BOPE bore.
2. Wear ring will be properly installed in head.
3. Blowout preventor and all associated fittings will be in operable condition to withstand a minimum 3000 psi working pressure.
4. All fittings will be flanged.
5. A full bore safety valve tested to a minimum 3000 psi W.P. with proper thread connections will be available on the rotary rig floor at all times.
6. All choke lines will be anchored to prevent movement.
7. All BOP equipment will be equal to or larger in bore than the internal diameter of the last casing string.
8. Will maintain a kelly cock attached to the kelly.
9. Hand wheels and wrenches will be properly installed and tested for safe operation.
10. Hydraulic floor control for blowout preventor will be located as near in proximity to driller's controls as possible.
11. All BOP equipment will meet API standards and include a minimum 40 gallon accumulator having two independent means of power to initiate closing operation.

Attachment to Exhibit #4

STATUS OF WELLS WITHIN ONE MILE RADIUS

Todd "23" Federal #4
Section 23-T23S-R31E
Eddy County, New Mexico
December 1991

Sec. 23-T23S-R31E

Devon Energy Corp

Todd "23" Federal #1	660' FSL & 1650' FEL	Delaware Oil Well
Todd "23" Federal #2	1980' FSL & 1650' FEL	Delaware Oil Well
Todd "23" Federal #3	1980' FSL & 1800' FEL	Atoka Gas Well

Sec. 24-T23S-R31E

Amax Petroleum

Federal 24-1	3300' FSL & 4813' FEL	Delaware Oil Well
Federal 24-2	2310' FSL & 4950' FEL	Delaware Oil Well
Federal 24-3	4290' FSL & 4290' FEL	Delaware Oil Well

Sec. 25-T23S-R31E

Texaco Inc.

Todd "25" Federal 1-X	3300' FSL & 3310' FEL	Morrow Gas Well
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Sec. 26-T23S-R31E

Devon Energy Corp

Todd "26" Federal #1	3300' FSL & 3300' FEL	Atoka Gas Well
Todd "26" Federal #2	3300' FSL & 1650' FEL	Delw Oil Well-TA
Todd "26" Federal #3	3300' FSL & 1980' FEL	Delw Wtr Inj Well
Todd "26" Federal #4	4620' FSL & 1980' FEL	Delaware Oil Well
Todd "26" Federal #5	2310' FSL & 1980' FEL	Delaware Oil Well
Todd "26" Federal #6	4620' FSL & 990' FEL	Delw Oil Well-TA

SURFACE USE AND OPERATING PLAN

Attachment to Form 3160-3
Devon Energy Corporation
Todd "23" Federal #4
1800' FSL & 900' FEL
Section 23-T23S-R31E
Eddy County, New Mexico

1. Existing Roads:

- A. The well site and elevation plat for the proposed Todd "23" Federal #4 is reflected on Exhibit #2. It was staked by John West Engineering Company, Hobbs, New Mexico.
- B. All roads into the location are depicted in Exhibit #3. County road #798 will be used to access the location. No upgrades to roads other than the access into location from the county road will be necessary.
- C. Directions to location: Travel west-northwest from Jal, N.M. approximately 33 miles on state highway #128 to county road #798, just into Eddy county from Lea county. Turn north (right) on road #798 and go roughly 2.5 miles to the wellsite access road. Turn west (left) and travel about 600 feet into the well.

2. Proposed Access Road:

Exhibit #3 shows the 600' of new access road to be constructed. It will be constructed as follows:

- A. The maximum width of the road will be fifteen (15) feet. Sufficient width (approximately 80') will be provided at the point of entry from county road #798 to allow for trucks to turn.
- B. It will be crowned and made of 6 inches of rolled and compacted caliche and will reside in a east to west direction. Water will be deflected, as necessary, to avoid accumulation and prevent surface erosion.
- C. A culvert will be required at the point of entry. It will be of sufficient size (12-18") to not result in ponding of water and allow for adequate drainage.

- D. Surface material will be native caliche. This material will be obtained from a BLM approved pit nearest in proximity to the location.
- E. The average grade will be approximately 1%.
- F. No cattleguards, grates or fence cuts are necessary.
- G. No turnouts are planned.
- H. The proposed access road as seen on exhibit #3 has been center line flagged by John West Engineering Company, Hobbs, New Mexico.

3. Location of Existing Wells:

Exhibit #4 shows all existing wells within a one-mile radius of the proposed Todd "23" Federal #4. There are six producing Delaware oil wells, two inactive Delaware oil wells, two producing Morrow-Atoka gas wells, one active Atoka gas well and one Delaware injection well. A list of the wells is depicted on exhibit #4 attachment.

4. Location of Existing and/or Proposed Facilities:

- A. Devon Energy Corporation operates one production facility on this lease. It is as follows:

(Cherry Canyon) Field - Section 23 Tank Battery
Wells #1 & #2
- B. In the event the well is found productive, the probable production equipment will be as follows:
 - a. Production facilities as outlined on exhibit #5 will be positioned on the drilling pad. The area of the production site will be roughly 200' x 250'.
 - b. The tank battery, all connections and all lines will adhere to API standards.
 - c. The well will be operated by means of a gas driven prime mover. No power will be required.

- d. Any caliche required to build the firewall around the battery will be obtained from a BLM approved caliche pit.
 - D. If the well is productive, rehabilitation plans are as follows:
 - a. The reserve pit will be back-filled after the contents of the pit are dry (within 120 days after completion, weather permitting).
 - b. Caliche from unused portions of the drill pad will be removed. The original topsoil from the wellsite will be returned to the location. The drill site will then be contoured to the original natural state. Reseeding will be to BLM specifications.
- 5. Location and Type of Water Supply:

The Todd "23" Federal #4 will be drilled using a combination of brine and fresh water mud systems (outlined in drilling program). The water will be obtained from commercial water stations in the area and hauled to location by transport truck using the existing and proposed roads shown in exhibit #3. No water well will be drilled on the location.
- 6. Source of Construction Materials:

All caliche utilized for the drilling pad and proposed access road will be obtained from a existing BLM approved pit. All roads will be constructed of 6" rolled and compacted caliche.
- 7. Methods of Handling Water Disposal:
 - A. Drill cuttings will be disposed into the reserve pit.
 - B. Drilling fluids will be contained in steel mud tanks. The reserve pit will contain excess drilling fluid or fluid from the well during drilling, cementing, and completion operations. The reserve pit will be an earthen pit roughly 125' x 125' x 6' in size.

- C. The reserve pit will be fenced on three sides throughout drilling operations and will be totally isolated upon removal of the rotary rig. The pit will be lined using a 5-7 mil plastic to minimize loss of drilling fluids and saturation of the ground with brine water used to drill from 600' to 4400'.
- D. Water produced from the well during completion operations will be disposed into a steel tank or reserve pit, if volumes prove excessive. After placing the well on production through the production facilities, all water will be collected in tanks and injected into the Todd "23" Federal #3 disposal well. Produced oil will be separated into steel stock tanks until sold.
- E. A portable chemical toilet will be available on the location for human waste during the drilling and completion operations.
- F. Garbage, trash and waste paper produced during drilling and completion operations will be buried in a separate "trash" pit covered with a minimum of 24 inches of dirt. All waste material will be contained to prevent scattering by the wind. All water, fluids, salt or other chemicals will be disposed in the reserve pit. No toxic waste or hazardous chemicals will be generated by this operation.
- G. All waste material will be removed or buried within 30 days after the well is either completed or abandoned. The reserve pit will be completed fenced and netted until it has dried. At the point the reserve pit is found sufficiently dry, it will be backfilled and reclaimed as outlined by BLM specifications. Only the portion of the drilling pad used by the production equipment (pumping unit) will remain in use. If the well is deemed non-commercial, only a dry hole marker will remain.

8. Ancillary Facilities:

No campsite or other facilities will be constructed as a result of this well.

9. Well Site Layout:

- A. The drill pad is shown on exhibit #6. Approximate dimensions of the pad, pits and general location of the rig equipment is displayed. Top soil will be stored adjacent to the pad until reclamation efforts are undertaken. Only modest cuts will be necessary to build the pad which will be covered with 6" of compacted caliche. Mr. Barry Hunt of the Carlsbad, New Mexico BLM office has observed the proposed pad construction area.
- B. No permanent living facilities are planned, but temporary trailers for the toolpusher, drilling foreman and mud logger may be on location throughout drilling operations.
- C. The reserve pit will be lined using plastic sheeting of 5-7 mil thickness.

10. Plans for Restoration of Surface:

- A. After concluding the drilling and/or completion operations, if the well is found non-commercial, the caliche will be removed from the pad and road and transported to the original caliche pit. The reserve pit area will be broken out and leveled after drying to a condition where these efforts are feasible. The original top soil will again be returned to the pad and road and contoured, as close as possible, to the original topography.
- B. All trash, garbage and pit lining will be buried or hauled away in order to return the location and road to their pristine nature. All pits will be filled and location leveled within 120 days after abandonment.
- C. The location and road will be rehabilitated and reseeded during the growing season as recommended by the BLM.
- D. The reserve pit will be fenced on three sides throughout drilling operations. After the rotary rig is removed, the reserve pit will be fenced on the fourth side and netted to preclude endangering wildlife. The fencing and netting will be in place until the pit is reclaimed.

- E. If the well is deemed commercially productive, the reserve pit will be restored as documented in 10 (A) within 120 days subsequent to the completion date. Caliche from areas of the pad site not required for operations will be reclaimed and utilized in building the firewall at the tank battery site. If any additional caliche is needed at the new battery, it will be obtained from the nearest BLM approved cliche pit. The original top soil will be returned to the area of the drill pad not necessary to operate the well. These unused areas of the drill pad will be contoured, as close as possible, to match the original topography.

11. Surface Ownership:

The lease and wellsite are located on Federal surface.

12. Other Information:

- A. The area surrounding the well site is grassland. The top soil is very sandy in nature. The vegetation is moderately sparse with native prairie grass, sagebrush, yucca and miscellaneous weeds.
- B. There is no permanent or live water in the general proximity of the location.
- C. A Cultural Resources Examination has been completed by Pecos Archeological Consultants and forwarded to the Carlsbad, New Mexico BLM office. The report references no cultural areas on either the access road or drilling pad.

13. Lessees's and Operator's Representative:

The Devon Energy Corporation representative responsible for assuring compliance of the surface use plan is:

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Certification:

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drillsite and access road; that I am familiar with the conditions that presently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Devon Energy Corporation and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

Date: 12-17-91

Signed: Charles W. Horsman

Charles W. Horsman
District Engineer

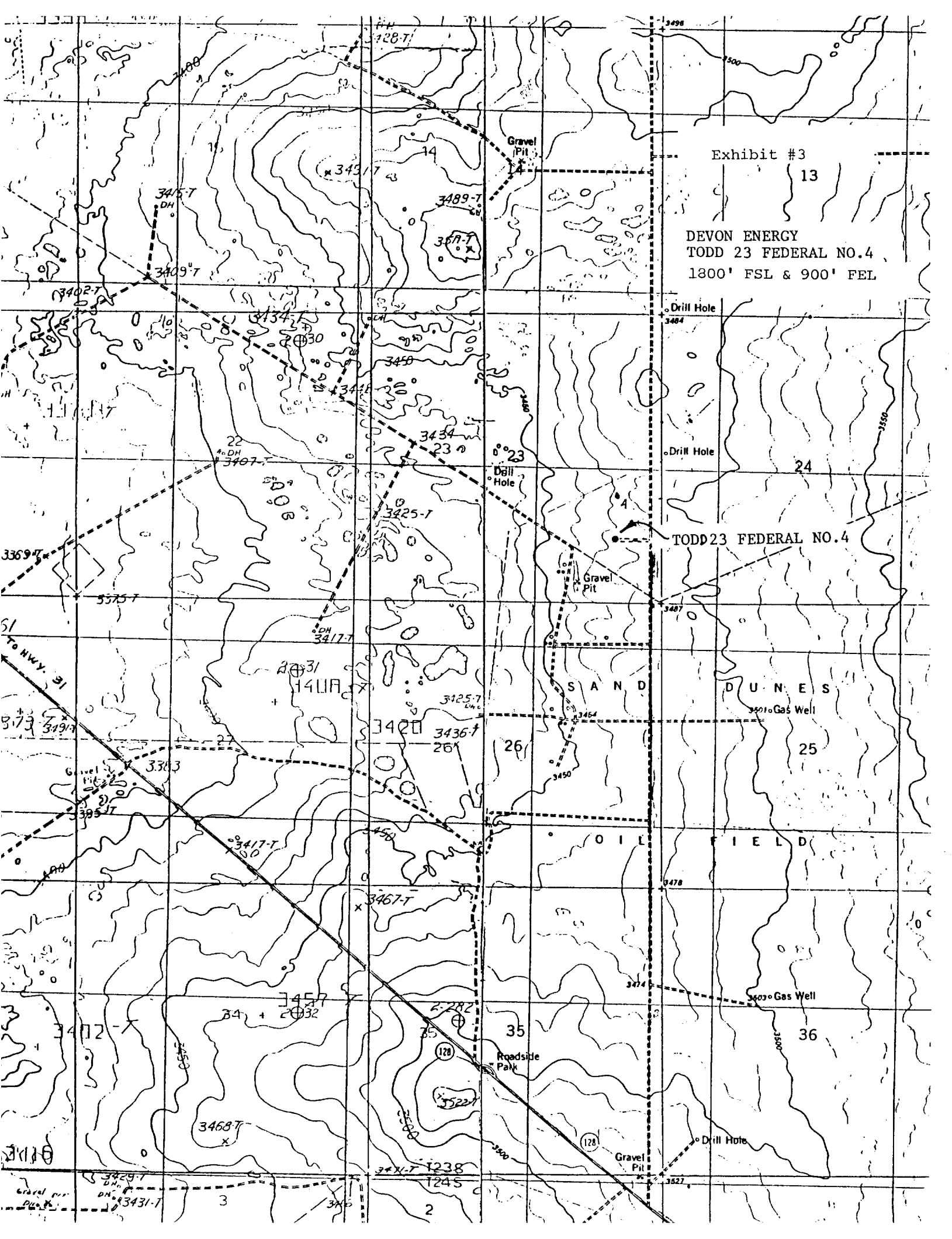


Exhibit #3
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DEVON ENERGY
TODD 23 FEDERAL NO.4
1800' FSL & 900' FEL

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SAND DUNES

OIL FIELD

Roadside Park

Drill Hole

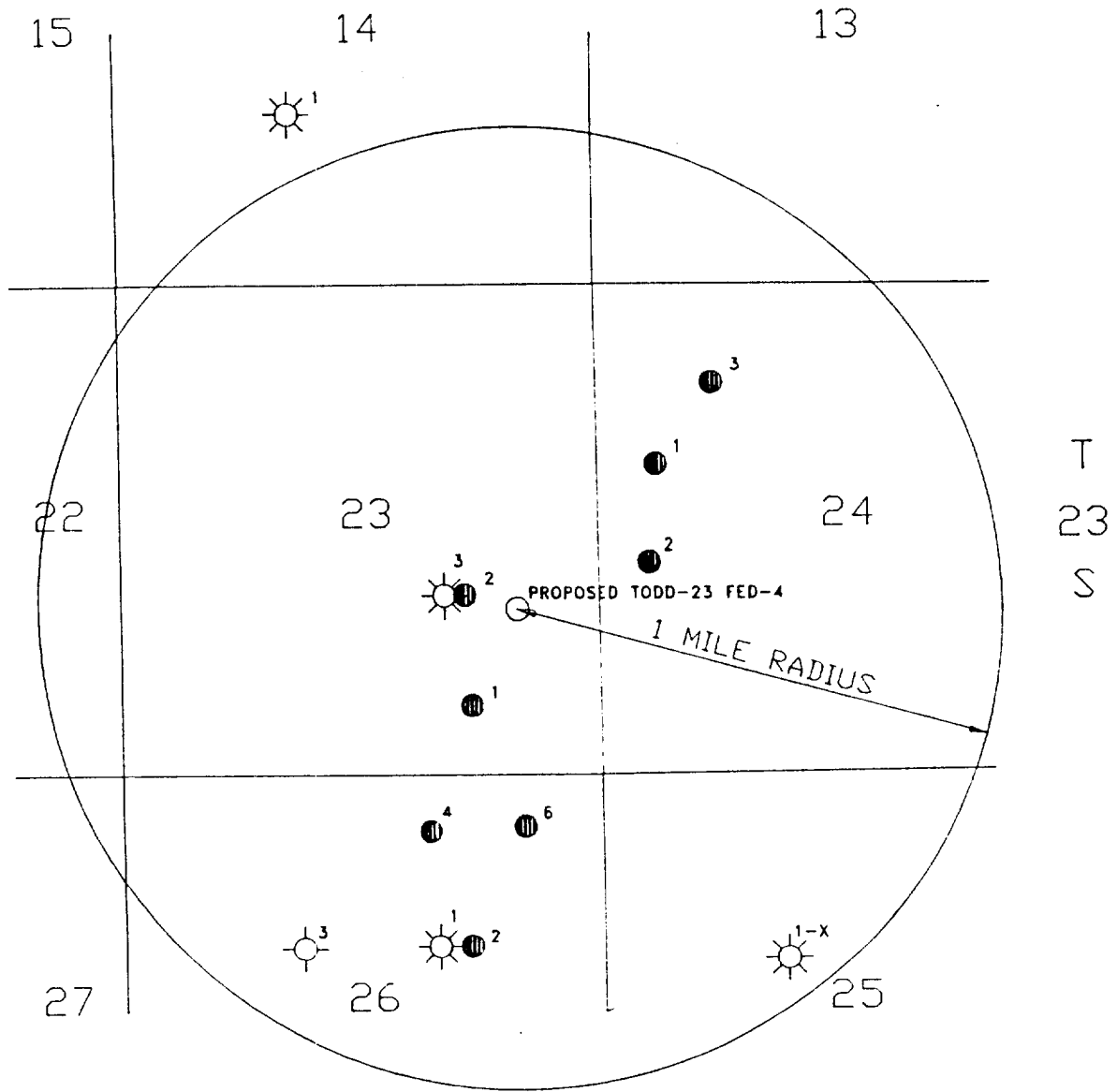
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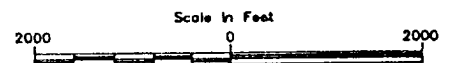
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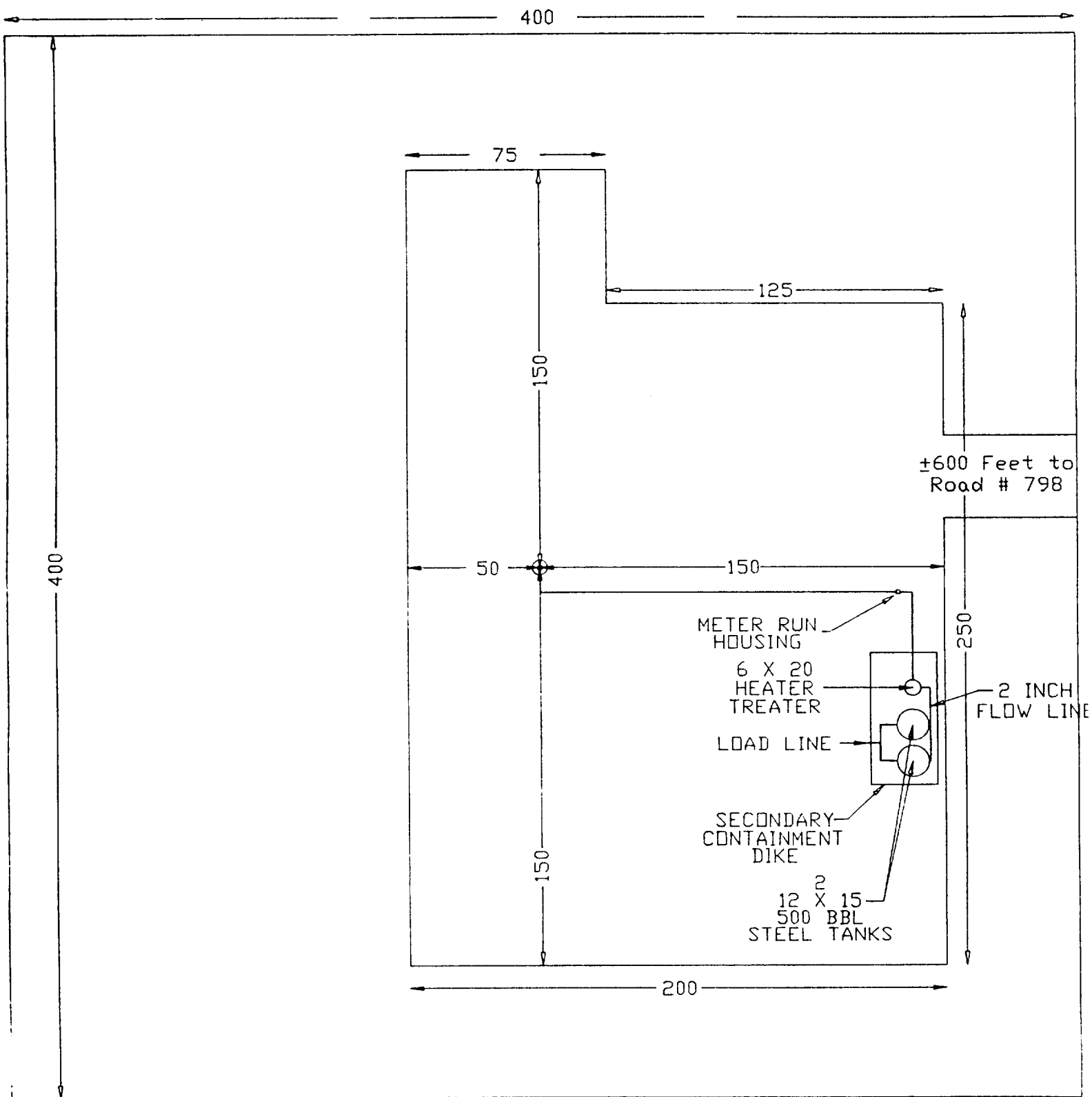
SAND DUNES FIELD

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WELLS WITHIN 1 MILE RADIUS
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Exhibit #4





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SAND DUNES FIELD

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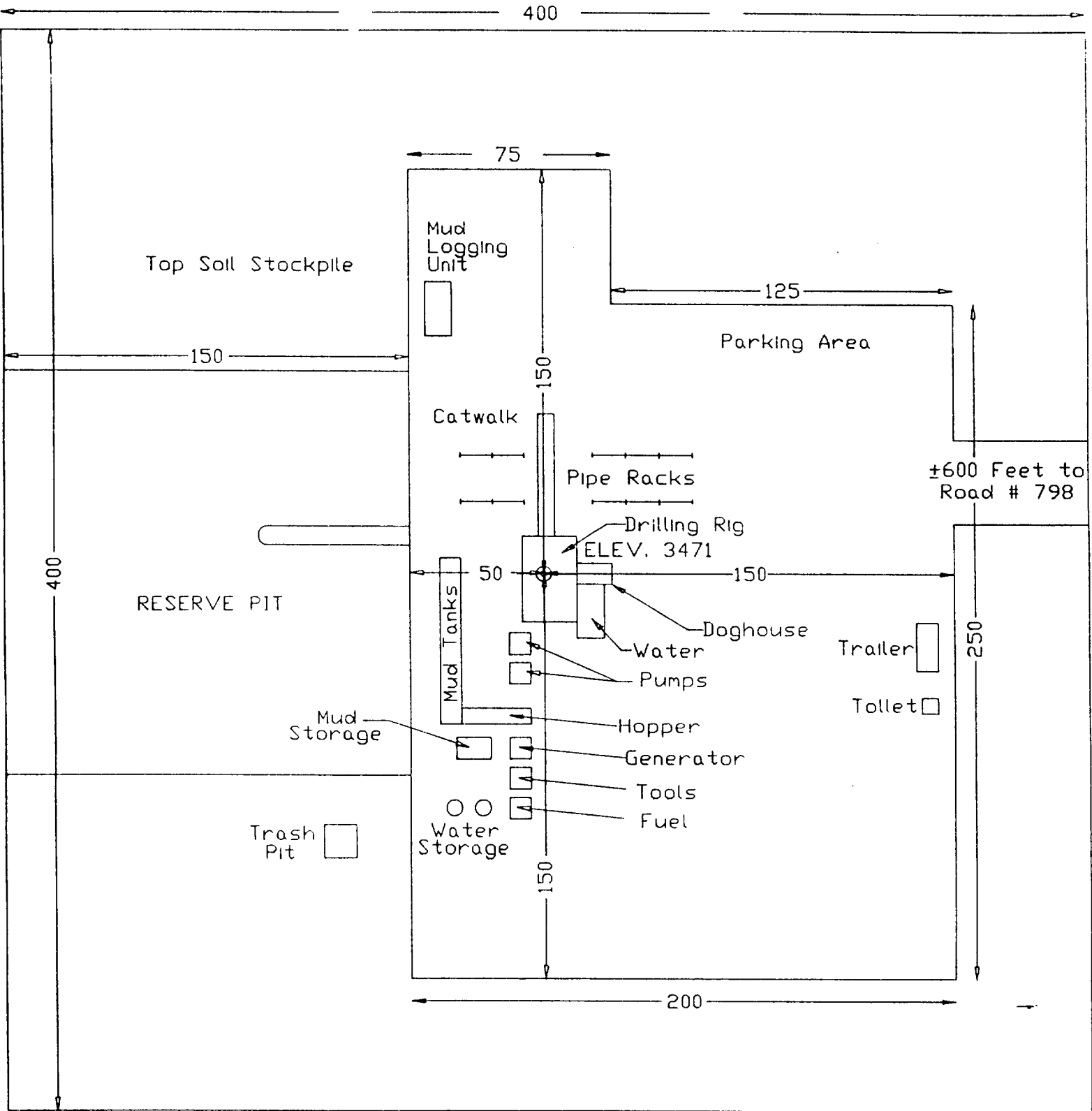
PRODUCTION FACILITIES LAYOUT AT DRILLING PAD FOR


TODD-23 FED-4

EXHIBIT 5

Scale In Feet

25 0 25 50 75 100





SAND DUNES FIELD
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

DRILLING RIG LAYOUT AND ELEVATIONS
TODD-23 FED-4

EXHIBIT 6

Scale in Feet
25 0 25 50 75 100