Form 3160-3 (November 1983) (formerly 9-331C)

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DRILL X

22. APPROX. DATE WORK WILL START 8-15-89

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PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	QUANTITY OF CEMENT
12½"	8 5/8"	24#/ft	400'	Sufficient to Circulate.
7 7/8"	512"	15.5#/ft	5200'	500 sx

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See attached for: Supplemental Drilling Data

BOP Sketch

Surface Use and Operations Plan

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IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROFOSED PROGRAM: If proposed is to deepen or plug back, give data on present productive sone 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

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

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1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Azzec, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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SUPPLEMENTAL DRILLING DATA

WELL NO. 3 AMOCO-RED BLUFF-FEDERAL

1. SURFACE FORMATION: Quaternary.

2. ESTIMATED TOPS OF GEOLOGIC MARKERS:

Rustler Anhydrite	300'
Delaware	2870'
Bell Canyon	29001
Cherry Canyon	3700'
Brushy Canyon	5150'

3. ANTICIPATED POSSIBLE HYDROCARBON BEARING ZONES:

Cherry Canyon

Oil

4. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM:

	SETTI	NG DEPTH			
CASING SIZE	FROM	OT	WEIGHT GRA	GRADE	JOINT
8-5/8"	0	400'	24#	K-55	STC
5-1/2"	0	5200'	15.50#	J-55	SIC

8-5/8" casing will be cemented with approximately 250 sacks of Class "C" cement. Cement to circulate.

5-1/2" casing will be cemented with approximately 300 sacks of cement.

Equivalent or adequate grades and weights of casing may be substituted at time casing is run, depending on availability.

5. PRESSURE CONTROL EQUIPMENT:

A 3000 psi working pressure, double ram type preventer will be in use while drilling below the surface casing.

A BOP sketch is attached.

6. CIRCULATING MEDIUM:

Surface to 400 feet: Fresh water with gel or lime as needed for viscosity control.

400 feet to Total Depth: Cut brine conditioned as necessary for

control of viscosity, pH, and

water-loss. Weighted as necessary for

well control.

7. AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT:

Drill string safety valves will be maintained on the rig floor while drilling operations are in progress.

8. TESTING, LOGGING, AND CORING PROGRAMS:

Drill stem tests will be made when samples, drilling time, and other data indiciate a test is warranted.

It is planned that electric logs will include DLI-GR, GR-CNL-FDC logs.

No coring is planned.

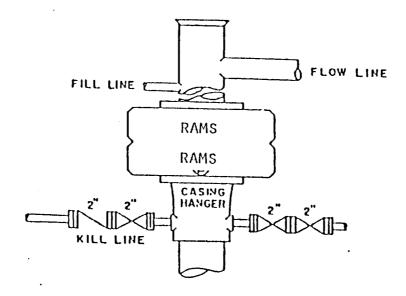
9. ABNORMAL PRESSURES , TEMPERATURES, OR HYDROGEN SULFIDE GAS:

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated.

No hydrogen sulfide is anticipated.

10. ANTICIPATED STARTING DATE:

It is planned that work will commence upon approval of this application, with drilling and completion operations lasting about 30 days.



BOP STACK

3000 PSI WORKING PRESSURE

BOP ARRANGEMENT

SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN

FOR

MALLON OIL COMPANY WELL NO. 3 AMOCO-RED BLUFF-FEDERAL 330' FNL & 1885' FEL SEC. 28, T.26S., R.29E. EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

LOCATED: 16 air miles south-southeast of Malaga, New Mexico.

FEDERAL LEASE NUMBER: NM-38636.

LEASE ISSUED: February 1, 1980, for 10 years.

RECORD LESSEE: Amoco.

ACRES IN LEASE: 1318.02.

SURFACE OWNERSHIP: Federal.

POOL: Brushy Draw Delaware Undesignated.

POOL RULES: Statewide. 40 acre spacing for oil.

EXHIBITS: A. Road Map

- B. Plat Showing Existing Wells and Existing Roads
- C. Drilling Rig Layout
- D. Topo Plat

1. EXISTING ROADS:

A. Exhibit "A" is a portion of a road map showing the location of the proposed well as staked. The well site can be reached from the west or from the east. Point "A" on the plat is on US 285 between mileposts 3 and 4, approximately 13 miles south of Malaga, New Mexico, where a paved road goes east. To go to the proposed well site from this point, exit US 285 to the east onto the paved road and go 4.2 miles, crossing the Pecos River at 3.7 miles, to where a good caliche road goes south. Turn south (on Eddy County 725) and go 3.1 miles to where a caliche road goes westerly. Turn west and go westerly and southeasterly (also see Exhibits "B" and "D") 1.1 miles. Turn west through gate and proceed approximately 200' to well site.

Point "B" is on the El Paso pipeline road approximately 14 road miles north and west of the proposed wellsite. Point "B" can be reached by turning south off of New Mexico Highway 128 at milepost 22.5 which is approximately 32 miles west of Jal, New Mexico, and proceeding southward along a paved road toward Orla, Texas. At a point 10.3 miles from Highway 128, turn west on the El Paso pipeline road and proceed about 6.8 miles to Point "B". From that point continue westward approximately 9.75 miles to county road 725A (a total of 16.5 miles along the pipeline road). Turn south on Highway 725A and proceed south and southwesterly about 4.4 miles as shown on Exhibits "A", "B" and "D".

B. Exhibit "B" is a plat showing existing pertinent roads in the vicinity of the proposed well site. Existing roads are color coded.

2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:

A. The existing road, as shown on Exhibit "B", will be used for access.

3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS:

A. Existing wells in the immediate area of the proposed well site are shown on Exhibit "B".

4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES:

A. This well will produce into the existing tank battery at the Amoco-Red Bluff-Federal well #1 as shown in Exhibit "B". It is proposed that flow line will parallel the existing roads to that site.

5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY:

A. It is not contemplated that a water well will be drilled. Water necessary for drilling operations will be purchased and trucked to the well site, or will be moved to the well site by temporary pipeline laid on the ground alongside existing roads.

6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL:

A. There should be sufficient material on site to construct the well pad. However, if additional material is needed for construction work, it will be taken from the existing pit on Federal land in the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 24, T.26S., R.29E., Eddy County, New Mexico.

7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL:

- A. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the drilling pits.
- B. Drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate in the drilling pits until they are dry.
- C. Water produced during tests will be disposed of in the drilling pits.
- D. Oil produced during tests will be stored in test tanks until sold.
- E. Trash, waste paper, garbage and junk will be buried in a seperate trash pit and covered with a minimum of 24 inches of dirt. All waste materials will be contained to prevent scattering by wind. Location of the trash pit is shown on Exhibit "C".
- F. All trash and debris will be buried or removed from the well site within 30 days after completion of drilling and/or completion operations.

8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES:

A. None required.

9. WELL SITE LAYOUT:

- A. Exhibit "C" shows the relative location and dimensions of the well pad, mud pits, reserve pit, and trash pit, and the location of the major drilling rig components.
- B. The area around the well pad slopes to the west, southwest and southeast. The reserve pit will be built on the north side of the pad. Approximately 6 feet of fill will be required on the southwest side of the pad. A burm will be constructed downslope from the pit of sufficient height to contain reserve pit volume.
 - C. The pad and pit area is staked and flagged.

10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF THE SURFACE:

- A. After completion of drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for operations will be removed from the well site. Pits will be filled and the location will be cleaned of all trash and junk to leave the well site in an as aesthetically pleasing condition as possible.
 - B. Any unguarded pits containing fluids will be fenced.
- C. After abandonment, all equipment, trash, and junk will be removed and the well site will be cleaned. Any special rehabilitation requirements of the surface management agency will be complied with and accomplished as rapidly as possible.

11. OTHER INFORMATION:

- A. <u>Topography</u>: The land surface in the area is gently undulating. In the immediate area of the well site, the land surface slopes to the west, southwest and southeast. Regionally, surface drainage in the area is to the west and southwest to the Pecos River.
 - B. Soil: Top soil in the area is a gravelly loam.
- C. Flora and Fauna: The vegetative cover is moderate and includes mesquite, yucca, creosote bush, catclaw, weeds, and range grasses. Wildlife in the area is that typical of semi-arid desert land and includes coyotes, rabbits, rodents, reptiles, dove and quail.
- D. <u>Ponds and Streams</u>: The Pecos River is approximately 1000' southwest of the proposed well site. There are no other ponds or streams.

- E. Residences and Other Structures: There are no occupied dwellings within a mile of the proposed well site.
- F. Archaeological, Historical, and Cultural Sites: None observed in the area. However, an archaeological reconnaissance will be made.
- G. <u>Land Use</u>: Oil and gas production, grazing, and wildlife habitat.
 - H. Surface Ownership: Federal.

12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE:

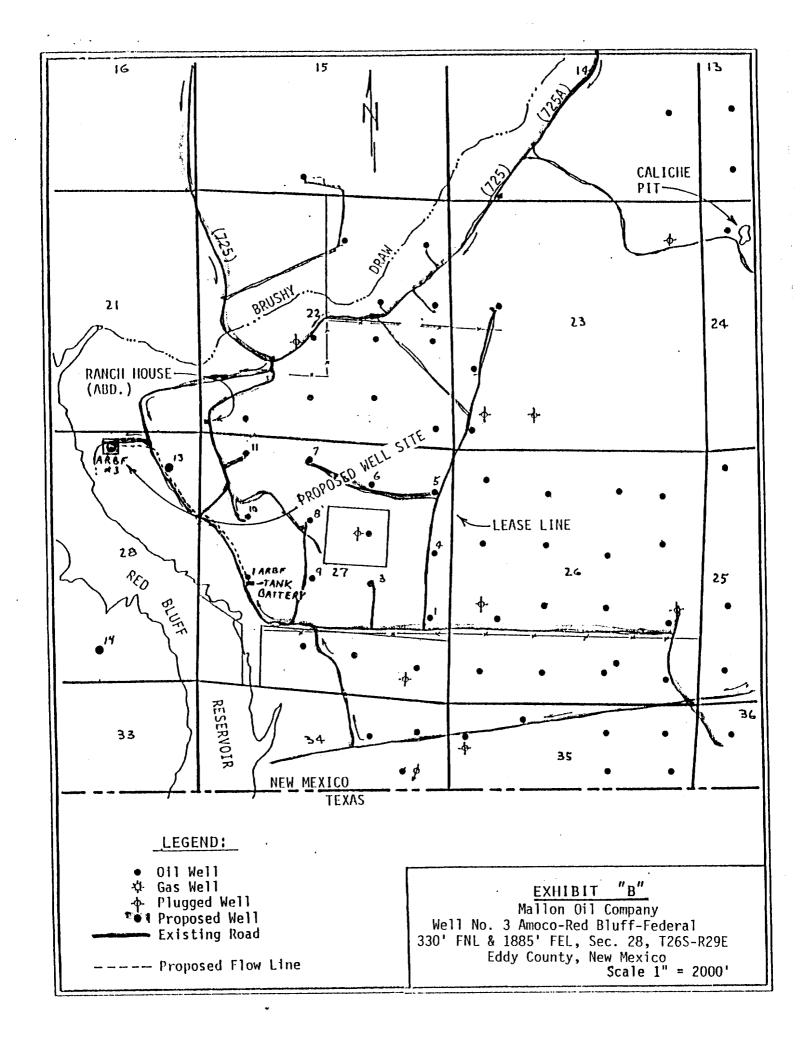
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13. CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently 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 Mallon Oil Company and its contractors and sub-contractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

July 6, 1989
Date:

Joé H. Cox, Jr.
Production Manager
MALLON OIL COMPANY



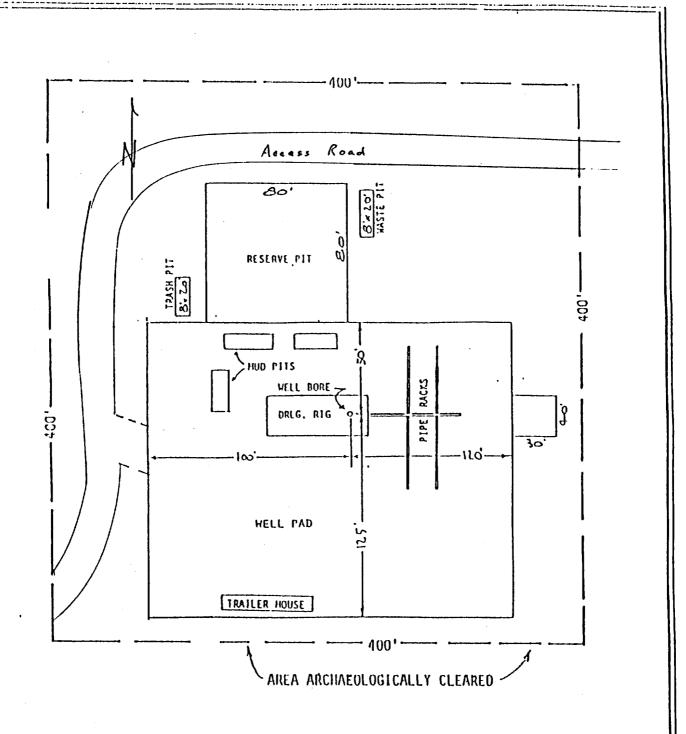


EXHIBIT "C" .

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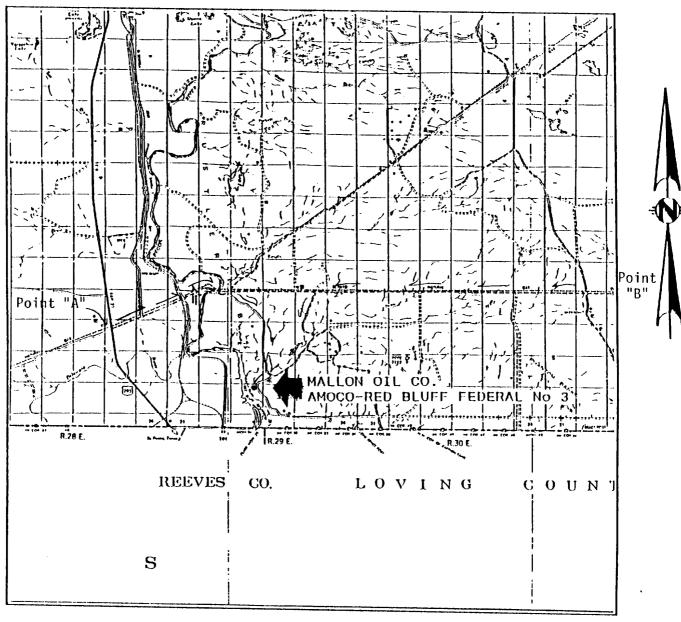
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DRILLING RIG LAYOUT

SCALE: None

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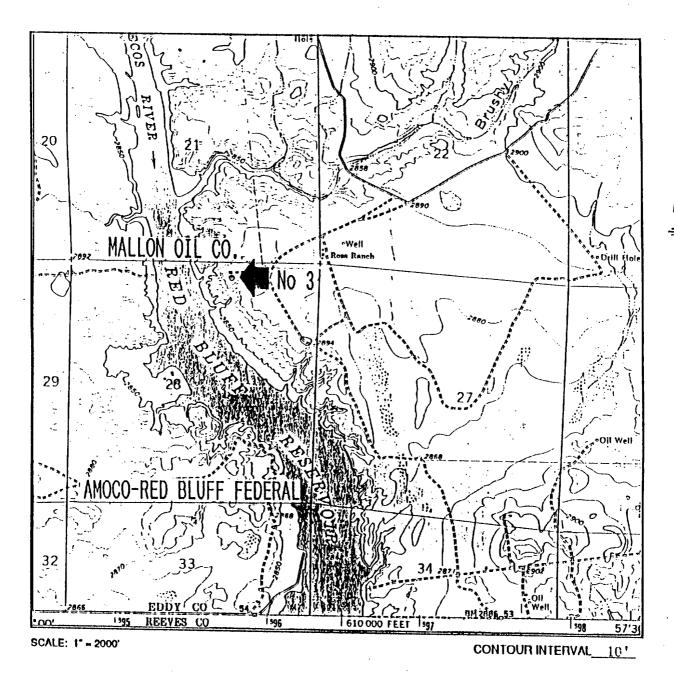
Exhibit "A"



SCALE: 1" - 3 MILES

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DESCRIPTION 330' FNL & 1885' FEL
ELEVATION 2886.7
OPERATOR Mallon Oil Co.
LEASE Amoco Red Bluff Fed. No. 3

LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP



SEC. 28 TWP. 26S NGE. 29E

SURVEY N.M.P.M.

COUNTY Eddy STATE NM

DESCRIPTION 330' FNL & 1885' FEL

ELEVATION 2886.7

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U.S.G.S. TOPOGRAPHIC MAP

Ross Ranch, NM

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