



PATTERSON-UTI DRILLING COMPANY

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This is to certify that Patterson UTI Drilling, did run deviation surveys at the listed depth on your Jicarilla 459-17 #24 in Sec.17T30NR3W.

| Depth | Deviation | Depth | Deviation |
|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| 245' | 1 1/4° | 1793' | 2° |
| 795' | 1° | 2294' | 2° |
| 1299' | 1° | 2793' | 1 1/2° |

To the best of my knowledge, I swear this information to be true.

Sincerely,

Gary Miller
Area Manager

State of New Mexico county San Juan

This instrument was acknowledged before me

by Gary Miller

Notary public

My commission expire

5-1-09

