



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



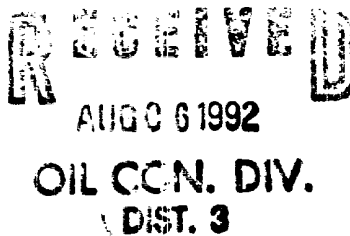
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ANITA LOCKWOOD
CABINET SECRETARY

BIIP Petroleum (Americas) Inc.
5847 San Felipe, Suite 3600
Houston, Texas 77057



Attention: C. Carl Kolbe

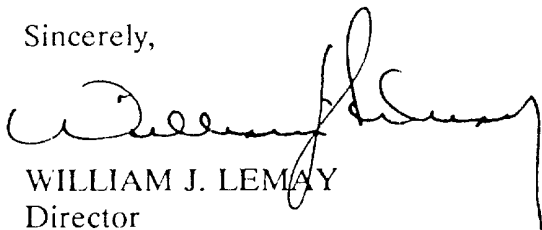
Administrative Order NSL-3145(NSP)

Dear Mr. Kolbe:

Reference is made to your application dated July 9, 1992 for a non-standard coal gas well location for your Gallegos Canyon Unit Well No. 413 to be located 1245 feet from the South line and 1020 feet from the East line (Unit P) of irregular Section 7, Township 28 North, Range 11 West, NMPM, Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico. All of said Section 7 shall be dedicated to the well forming a non-standard 267.42-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rules 6 and 8 of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, as amended, the above-described unorthodox coal gas well location a non-standard gas proration unit are hereby approved.

Sincerely,


WILLIAM J. LEMAY
Director

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

11000 THE AZTEC ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
(505) 334-0170

F. CAPRUTHERS
GOVERNOR

Date: 7-10-92

Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Attn: *M. H. Spayne*

Re: Proposed HC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PHX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 7-10-92

for the BHP RETRIEVAL INC. G.C. # 413
Operator Lease & Well No. # 413

P. 7-284-114 and my recommendations are as follows:
Unit, S-T-R

Approved

Yours truly,

James L. Smith

5847 San Felipe Suite 3600
Houston, Texas 77057
Telephone: (713) 780-5000
Fax (713) 780-5273
Telex 9108813603



July 9, 1992

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

Attention: Mr. Ernie Busch

RE: **Unorthodox Location; Administrative Approval Request
Gallegos Canyon Unit #413**

Dear Sir:

BHP Petroleum (Americas) Inc. respectfully requests that a non-standard location be administratively approved to allow the GCU #413 well to be drilled 1245' FSL and 1020' FEL and completed in the Basin Fruitland Coal formation.

This non-standard location is requested mainly due to topographical reasons. The current location is in a short section, therefore the alternatives are limited. A standard location would require moving to the east. However, the Horn Canyon drains to the east and as well, there are housing developments to the east.

We have twinned this location on an existing Amoco pad (GCU #138) to reduce the amount of surface damage to the area.

Your consideration is greatly appreciated. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions at (713) 780-5301.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C. Carl Kolbe".

C. Carl Kolbe
Regulatory Affairs Coordinator

CCK:ja

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Submit to Appropriate
District Office
State Lease - 4 copies
Fee Lease - 3 copies

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised 1-1-89

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

DISTRICT I
P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II
P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT
All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

Operator BHP PETROLEUM (AMERICAS) INC.			Lease GALLEGOS CANYON UNIT		Well No. 413
Unit Letter P	Section 7	Township 28 N	Range 11 W	County San Juan	NMPM
Actual Footage Location of Well: 1245 feet from the South line and 1020 feet from the East line					
Ground level Elev. 5509		Producing Formation Fruitland Coal		Pool Basin Fruitland Coal	Dedicated Acreage: 267.42 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 <u>Unitization</u> If answer is "no" list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interest, has been approved by the Division.					

0 320 640 960 1280 1600 1920 2240 2560 2880 3200 3520 3840 4160 4480 4800 5120 5440 5760 6080 6400

OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

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

Signature

Printed Name

Fred Lowery

Position

Operations Superintendent

Company

BHP Petroleum (Americas), Inc

Date

July 10, 1992

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.

6-10-92

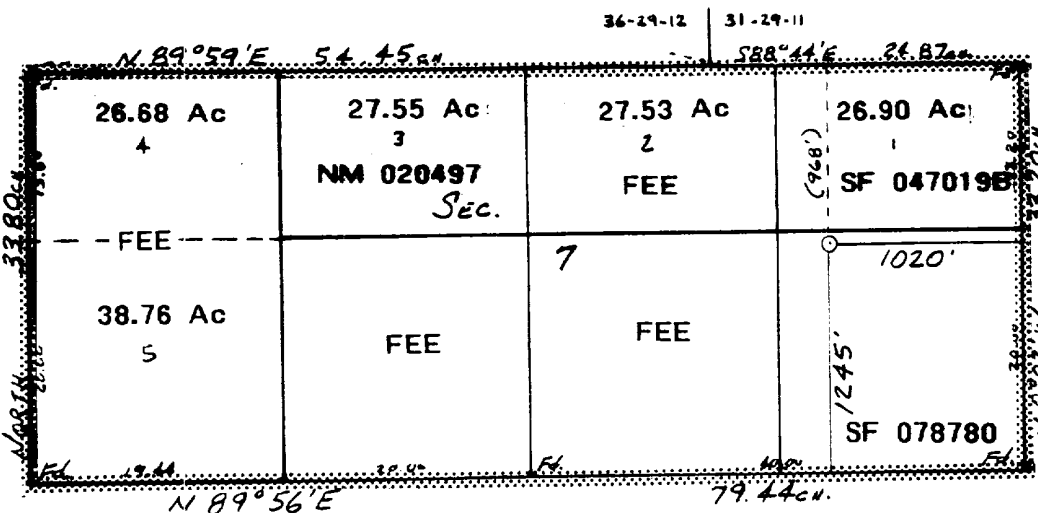
Date Surveyed

William B. Mahnke II

Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor

Certifying No.

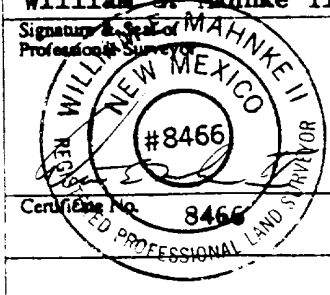
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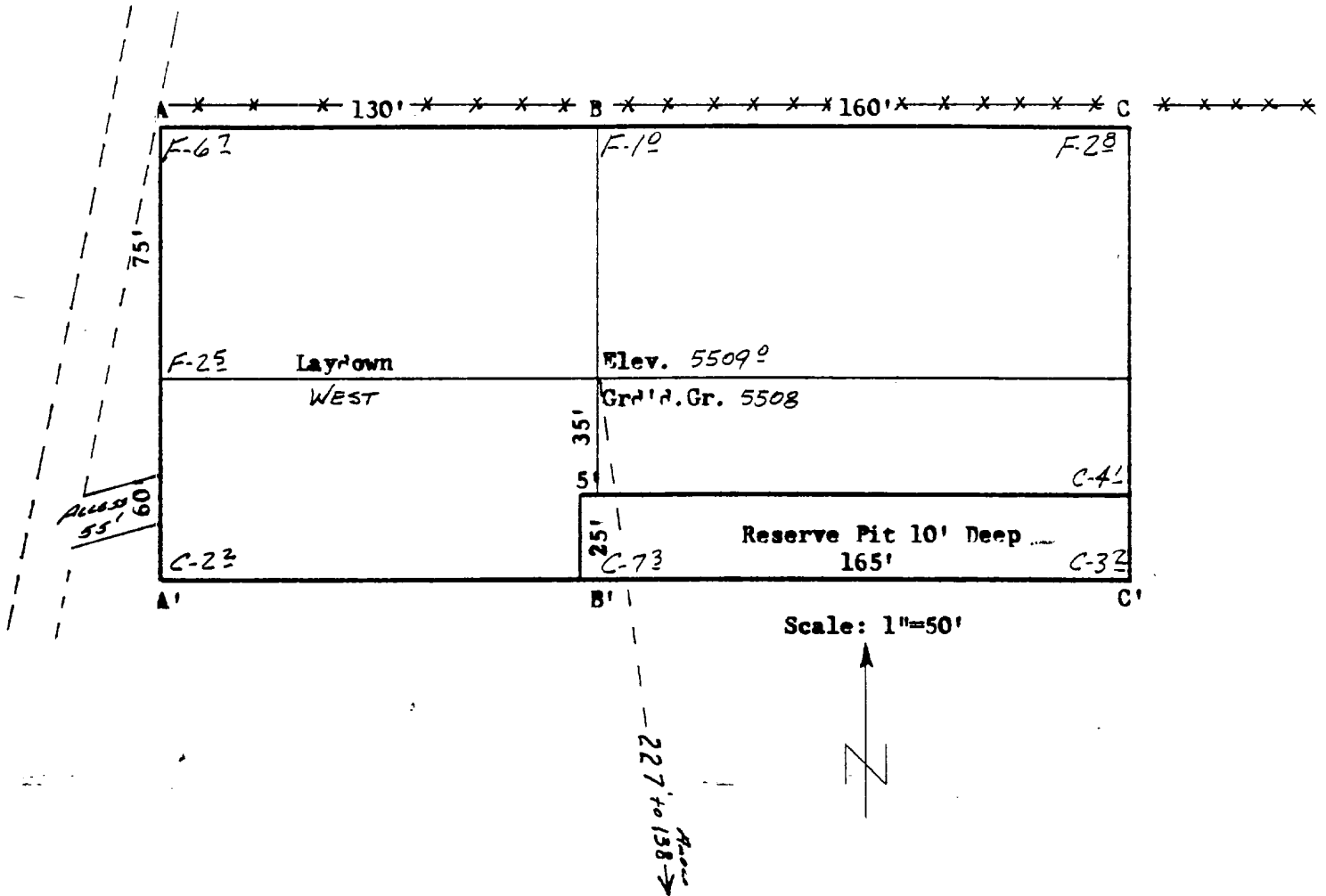
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BHP PETROLEUM (AMERICAS) INC.
 G.C.U. #413
 1245' FSL & 1020' FEL
 Sec. 7, T28N, R11W
 San Juan Co., N.M.



A-A'		Vert.: 1" = 30'	Horiz.: 1" = 100'	C/L * G.C.U. 132		
5510						
5500						

B-B'		Vert.: 1" = 30'	Horiz.: 1" = 100'	C/L * G.C.U. 132		
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C-C'		Vert.: 1" = 30'	Horiz.: 1" = 100'	C/L * G.C.U. 132		
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VICINITY MAP

BHP Petroleum (Americas), Inc.
 G.C.U. #413
 1245' FSL and 1020' FEL
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