



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS  
& NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
2040 South Pacheco Street  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505  
(505) 827-7131

February 10, 1999

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Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company  
P. O. Box 4289  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289  
Attention: Peggy Bradfield

*Administrative Order NSL-4207*

Dear Ms. Bradfield:

Reference is made to your application dated February 5, 1999 for an exception to the well location requirements provided within the "Special Rules for the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-10987-A, for a non-standard Blanco-Mesaverde infill gas well location in an existing standard 317.89-acre stand-up gas spacing and proration unit for the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool comprising Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, and 14 (W/2 equivalent) of Section 20, Township 32 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico. This unit is currently dedicated to Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company's Newco Well No. 1 (API No. 30-045-26427), located at a standard gas well location 1660 feet from the South line and 1750 feet from the West line (Lot 11/Unit K) of Section 20.

The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rules 104.F and 605.B of the Rules and Regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("Division").

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Division Rule 104.F(2), the following described well to be drilled at an unorthodox infill gas well location in Section 20 is hereby approved:

**Newco Well No. 1-A  
2535' FNL & 400' FWL (Lot 5/Unit E).**

Further, both of the aforementioned Newco Well Nos. 1 and 1-A and existing gas spacing and proration unit will be subject to all existing rules, regulations, policies, and procedures applicable to prorated gas pools in Northwest, New Mexico.

Sincerely,

Lori Wrotenbery  
Director  
LW/MES/kv

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
U. S. Bureau of Land Management - Farmington

# BURLINGTON RESOURCES

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SAN JUAN DIVISION

February 5, 1999

Sent Federal Express

Mr. Michael Stogner  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Newco #1A  
2535' FNL, 400' FWL Section 20, T-32-N, R-9-W, San Juan County  
30-045-not assigned

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Burlington Resources is applying for administrative approval of an unorthodox gas well location for the Blanco Mesa Verde pool.

This application for the referenced location is due to the presence of archaeology, terrain as shown on the attached topographic map, and at the request of the Bureau of Land Management. The referenced location will require only 500' of new road construction.

Production from the Blanco Mesa Verde pool is to be included in a 317.89 acre gas spacing and proration unit for the west half (W/2) in Section 20. Production from the Blanco Mesa Verde is to be dedicated to the Newco #1 (30-045-26427) located at 1660'S 1750'W of Section 20.

The following attachments are for your review:

- Application for Permit to Drill.
- Completed C-102 at referenced location.
- Offset operators/owners plat – Burlington is the offsetting operator.
- 7.5 minute topographic map showing 500' road construction.
- 7.5 minute topographic map outlining standard windows for the Mesa Verde.

We appreciate your earliest consideration of this application.

Sincerely,




Peggy Bradfield  
Regulatory/Compliance Administrator

xc: NMOCD - Aztec District Office  
Bureau of Land Management

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work DRILL	5. Lease Number NM-58887 Unit Reporting Number	
1b. Type of Well GAS	6. If Indian, All. or Tribe	
2. Operator <b>BURLINGTON RESOURCES</b> Oil & Gas Company	7. Unit Agreement Name	
3. Address & Phone No. of Operator PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499  (505) 326-9700	8. Farm or Lease Name Newco 9. Well Number 1A	
4. Location of Well 2535' FNL, 400' FWL  Latitude 36° 58.2, Longitude 107° 48.6	10. Field, Pool, Wildcat Blanco Mesaverde 11. Sec., Twn, Rge, Mer. (NMPM) Sec. 20, T-32-N, R-9-W API # 30-045-	
14. Distance in Miles from Nearest Town 5 miles to Cedar Hill	12. County San Juan	13. State NM
15. Distance from Proposed Location to Nearest Property or Lease Line 400'		
16. Acres in Lease	17. Acres Assigned to Well 317.89	
18. Distance from Proposed Location to Nearest Well, Drlg, Compl, or Applied for on this Lease 1300'		
19. Proposed Depth 6338'	20. Rotary or Cable Tools Rotary	
21. Elevations (DF, FT, GR, Etc.) 6748' GR	22. Approx. Date Work will Start	
23. Proposed Casing and Cementing Program See Operations Plan attached		
24. Authorized by:  Regulatory/Compliance Administrator	1-18-99 Date	

PERMIT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVAL DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Archaeological Report to be submitted

Threatened and Endangered Species Report to be submitted

NOTE: This format is issued in lieu of U.S. BLM Form 3160-3

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 presentations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

District I  
PO Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88241-1980

District II  
PO Drawer 00, Artesia, NM 88211-0719

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

District IV  
PO Box 2088, Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
PO Box 2088  
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Form C  
Revised February 21,  
Instructions on  
Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Co.  
Fee Lease - 3 Co.

☐ AMENDED REPORT

### WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number <b>30-045</b>		<sup>4</sup> Pool Code <b>72319</b>		<sup>3</sup> Pool Name <b>Blanco Mesaverde</b>	
<sup>6</sup> Property Code <b>7361</b>		<sup>5</sup> Property Name <b>NEWCO</b>			<sup>7</sup> Well Number <b>1A</b>
<sup>8</sup> GRID No. <b>14538</b>		<sup>9</sup> Operator Name <b>BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL &amp; GAS COMPANY</b>			<sup>10</sup> Elevation <b>6748'</b>

#### <sup>10</sup> Surface Location

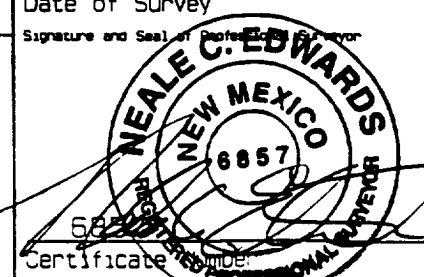
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Ion	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
E	20	32N	9W		2535	NORTH	400	WEST	SAN JUAN

#### <sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Ion	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County

<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres <b>W/317.89</b>	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

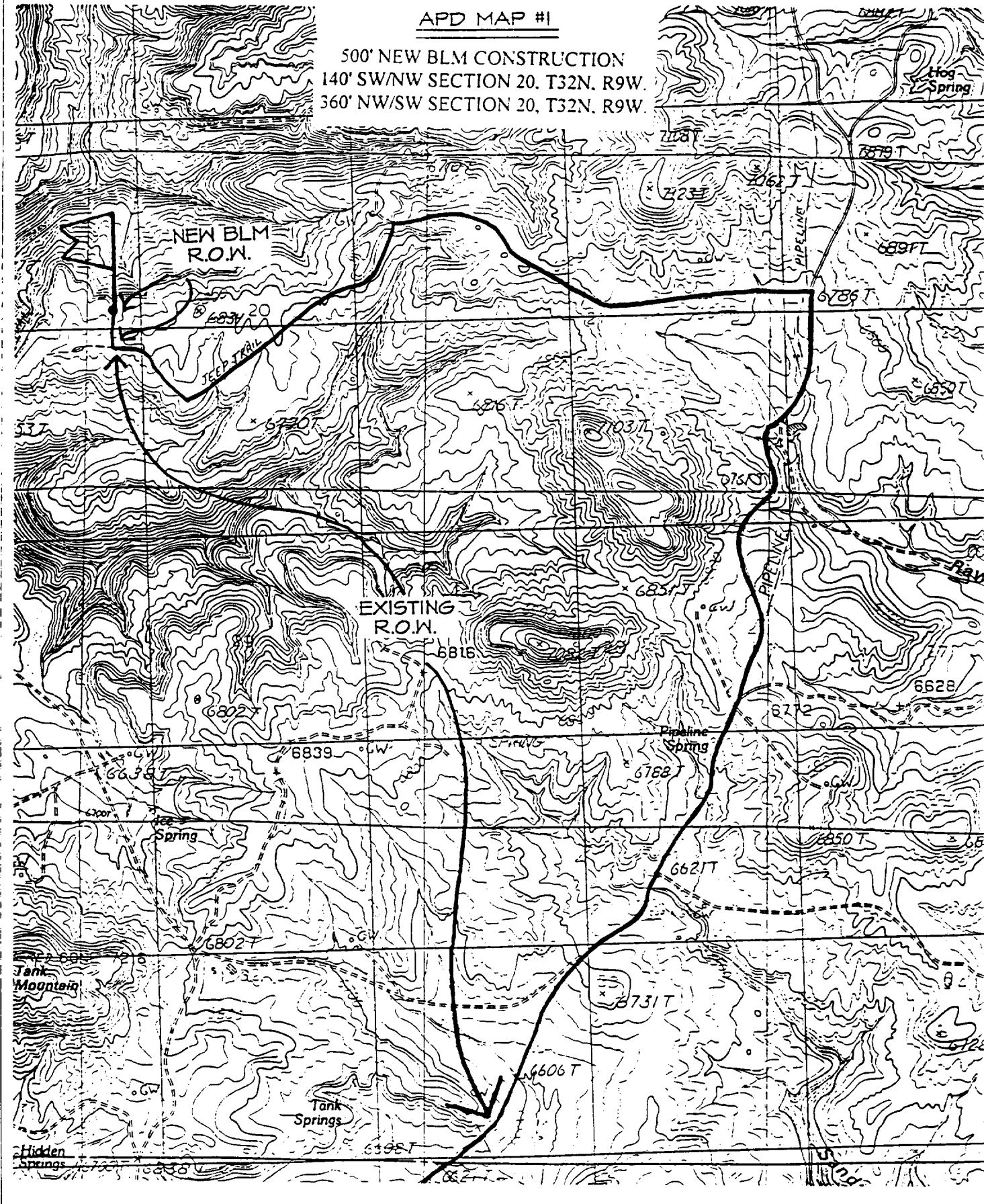
<sup>16</sup>				5237.76'				<sup>17</sup> OPERATOR CERTIFICATION			
4				3				I hereby certify that the information contained here is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
2535'				2				Signature <i>Peggy Bradfield</i>			
5				6				Printed Name <b>Peggy Bradfield</b>			
400'				7				Title <b>Regulatory Administrator</b>			
NMNM-58887				8				Date			
5290.56'				20				<sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION			
12				11				I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.			
10				9				JULY 13, 1998			
13				14				Date of Survey			
15				16				Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor			
5248.32'											
								Certificate No. 5857			

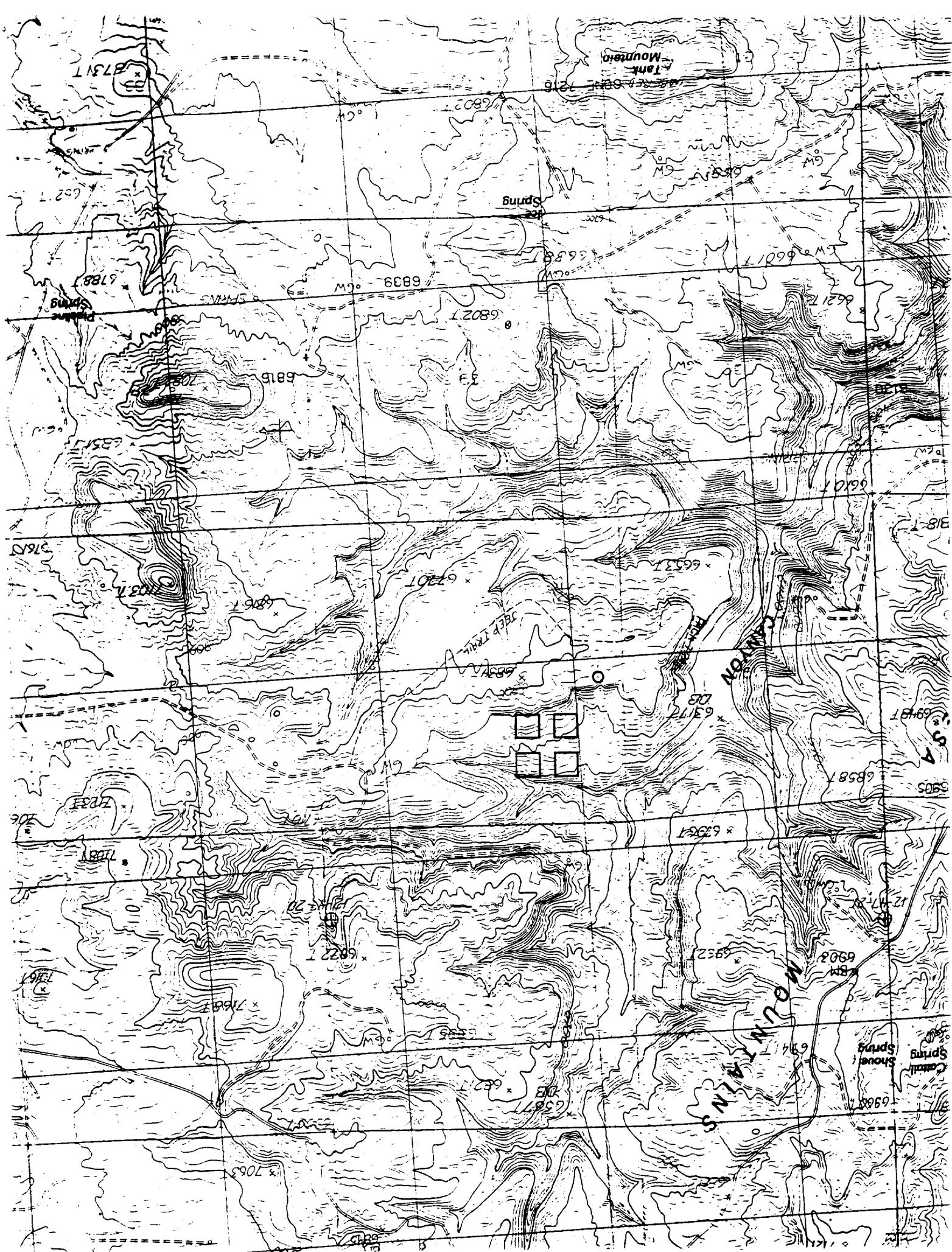


BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY NEWCO #1A  
2535' FNL & 400' FWL, SECTION 20, T32N, R9W, N.M.P.M.  
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

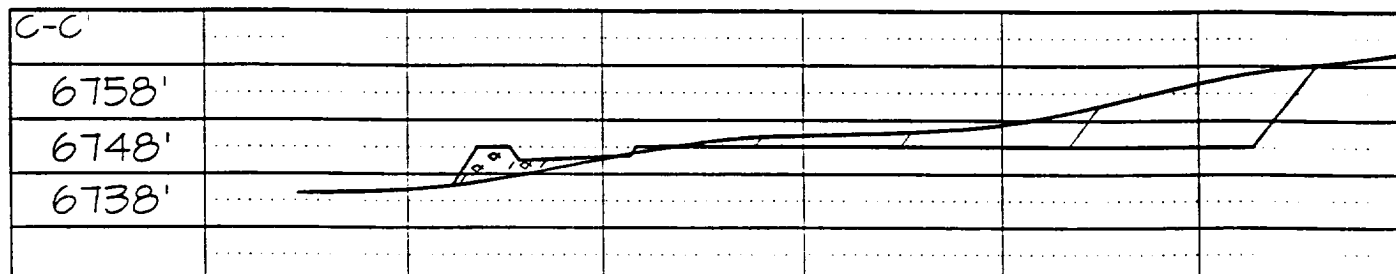
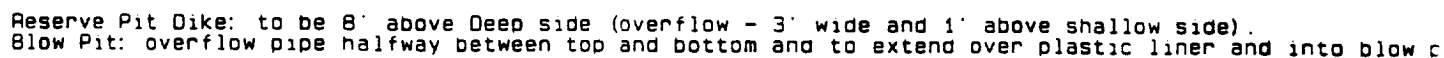
APD MAP #1

500' NEW BLM CONSTRUCTION  
140' SW/NW SECTION 20, T32N, R9W.  
360' NW/SW SECTION 20, T32N, R9W.





GROUND ELEVATION: 6748' DATE: JULY 13, 1998



Note: Contractor should call One-Call for location of any marked or unmarked buried pipelines or cables on well pad and/or access road at least two (2) working days prior to construction