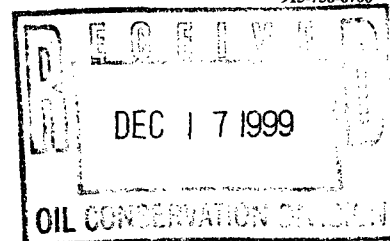


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AMERADA HESS CORPORATION

P. O. BOX 840
SEMINOLE, TEXAS 79360

915-758-6700



December 14, 1999

Attn: Lori Wrotenbery
State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-5472

Re: Administrative Application for Non-Standard
Location & Simultaneous Dedication
State "Q" Well No. 1
API No. 30-025-06116
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery,

Amerada Hess Corporation respectfully request administrative approval for a Non-Standard Location and for Simultaneous Dedication of State "Q" Well No. 1 located in Unit J, (1980' FSL, 2310' FEL), Sec. 16, T20S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico. Well will be producing from Eumont Prorated Gas Pool.

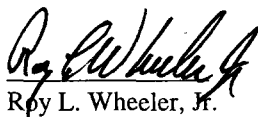
State "Q" Well No. 1 is currently completed in Monument Paddock with plans to re-enter and downhole commingle well in Eumont, Grayburg, and Paddock Zones.

The State "Q" Lease was approved as a 160 acre non-standard proration unit in the SE Quarter of Sec. 16, T20S, R37E, Lea County, N.M. by order in 1953. This acreage will be shared by Well No. 2 located in Unit I, (1980' FSL, 990' FEL), Sec. 16, T20S, R37E, and Well No. 3 located in Unit O, (660' FSL, 1980' FEL), Sec. 16, T20S, R37E.

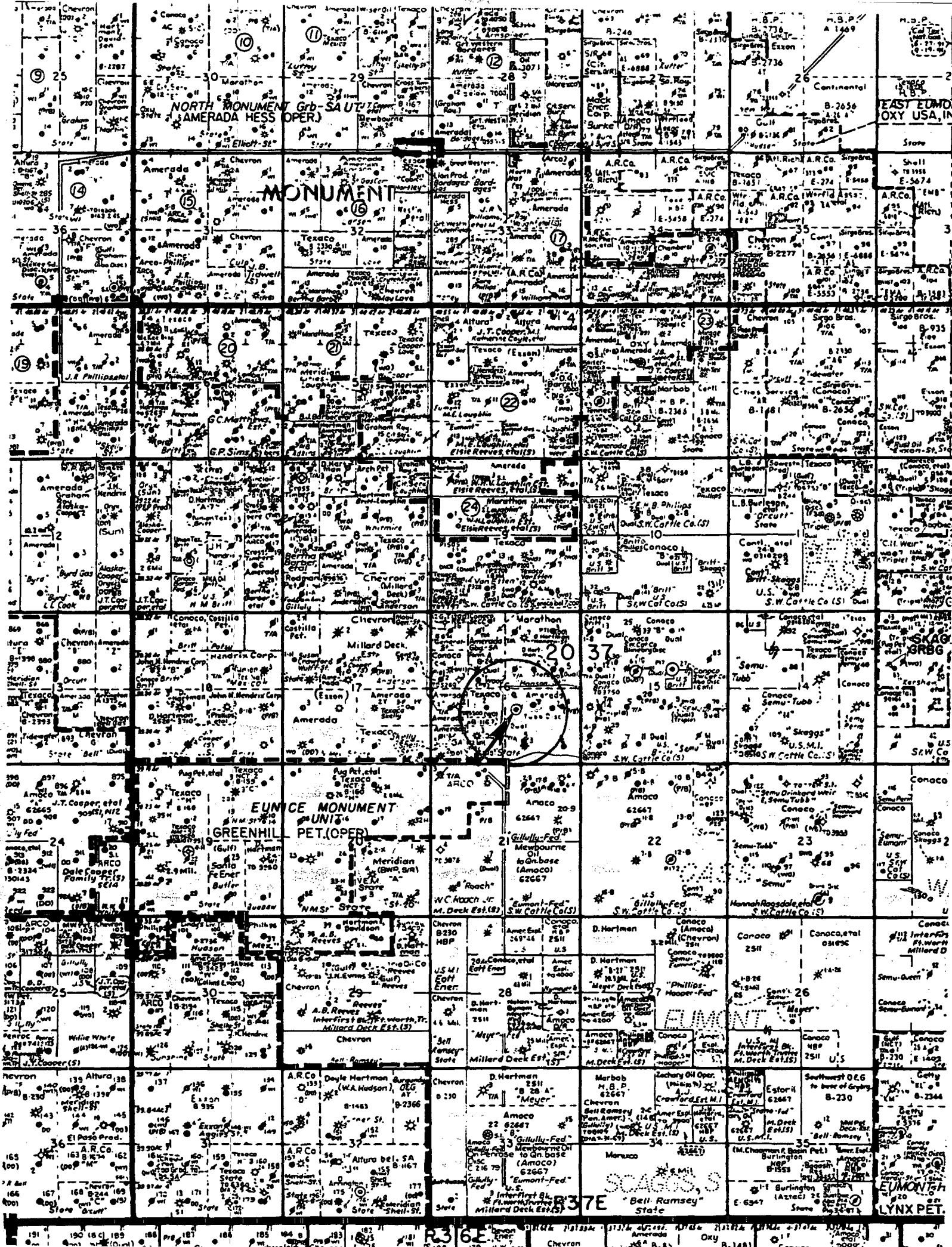
Attached are a well location map, plat, off-set operator listing, and waiver request. A copy of application has been forwarded by certified mail to offset operators.

If we can furnish additional information, please let us know at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

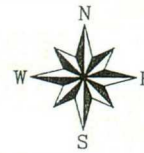

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Xc: Mr. Chris Williams - NMOCD, Hobbs
Robert L. Williams, Jr.
Duwayne Perry

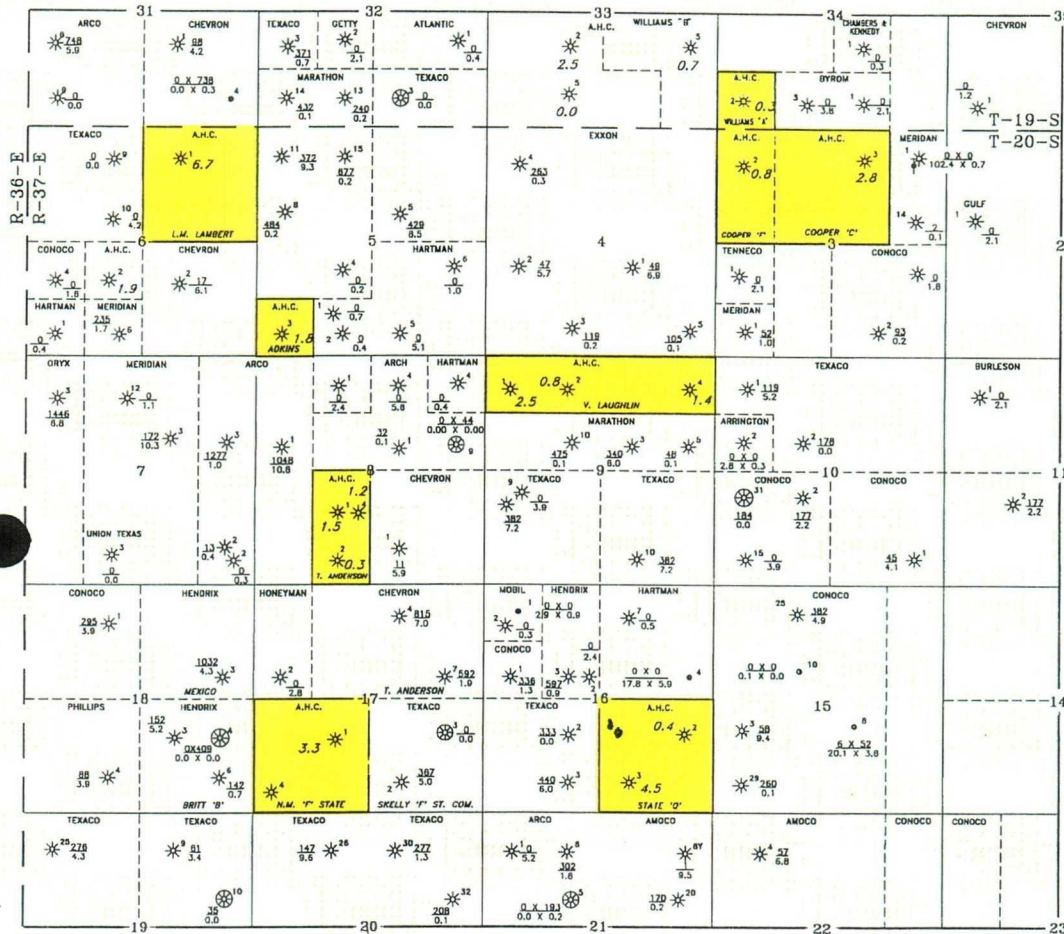


EUMONT FIELD
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

ONSHORE PRODUCTION
MONUMENT AREA
SEMINOLE DISTRICT



R-37-E



WELL INFORMATION

LEASE INFORMATION

- OIL WELL BOPD X MCFPD
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AMERADA HESS CORPORATIC

BASE MAP
FIGURE 3

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number 30-025-06116	² Pool Code 76480	³ Pool Name Eumont Yates 7RQ
⁴ Property Code 000206	⁵ Property Name State "Q"	⁶ Well Number 1
⁷ OGRID No. 000495	⁸ Operator Name Amerada Hess Corporation	⁹ Elevation 3545' DF

10 Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot. Idn	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
J	16	20S	37E		1980	South	2310	East	Lea

11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot. Idn	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
¹² Dedicated Acres 160	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code		¹⁵ Order No.					

**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**

	<p align="center">17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p><i>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</i></p> <p align="right"><i>Roy L. Wheeler Jr.</i></p> <hr/> <p>Signature Roy L. Wheeler, Jr.</p> <hr/> <p>Printed Name Bus. Svc. Spec. II</p> <hr/> <p>Title 12-14-99</p> <hr/> <p>Date</p>
	<p align="center">18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p><i>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 belief.</i></p> <hr/> <p>Date of Survey</p> <hr/> <p>Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor:</p> <hr/> <p>Certificate Number</p>

**AMERADA HESS CORPORATION
STATE "Q" WELL NO. 1
NOTIFICATION LIST**

OFF-SET OPERATORS

- Amoco Production Company
P. O. Box 3092
Houston, Texas 77253
- ARCO Permian
P. O. Box 1089
Eunice, New Mexico 88231
- Conoco Inc.
10 Desta Drive, Ste. 100W
Midland, Texas 79705
- Doyle Hartman
500 N. Main
Midland, Texas 79701
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P. O. Box 3040
Midland, Texas 79702-3040
- Marathon Oil Company
P. O. Box 2409
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240
- Texaco Exploration & Production, Inc.
205 E. Bender
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

WAIVER TO OBJECTION

STATE Q WELL NO. 1

We the undersigned, as an offset operator, waive any objection to Amerada Hess Corporation's application for NMOCD approval of a non-standard location and simultaneous dedication in the Eumont Prorated Gas Pool. The proposed well is located 1980' FSL and 2310' FEL, Sec. 16, T20S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico. The 160 acre proration unit consist of the SE Quarter of Sec. 16, T20S, R37E, originally established in 1953.

COMPANY: _____

REPRESENTATIVE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

AMERADA HESS CORPORATION

P. O. BOX 840
SEMINOLE, TEXAS 79360
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December 14, 1999

Amoco Production Company
P. O. Box 3092
Houston, Texas 77253

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Thank you for your prompt consideration.

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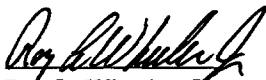
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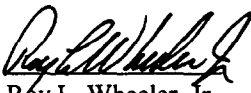
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Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

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205 E. Bender
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

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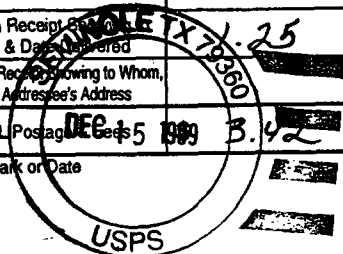
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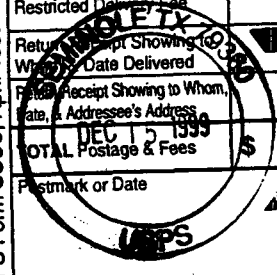
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