

December 22, 2015

Case 154 \$ 9

Jennifer L. Bradfute 505.848.1845 Fax: 505.848.1882 jlb@modrall.com

<u>VIA CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

TO AFFECTED PARTIES

Re: Application of Matador Production Company for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well located in the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed in this notice is a copy of the above referenced application filed with the New Mexico Conservation Division on this date. Any objections that you have to this application must be filed in writing with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within twenty (20) days from the date the Division receives the above referenced application. If no objections are received within twenty days, this application may be administratively approved by the Division.

If you have any questions concerning this application, please contact:

Chris Carleton, RPL Matador Production Company 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1500 Dallas, TX 75240

Phone: 972-371-5430

If you have no objection to this application, please sign the waiver as indicated below and return the original. Your assistance and cooperation in this matter are appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Bradfu

Attorney for Matador Production

Company

Modrall Sperling Roehl Harris & Sisk P.A.

Bank of America Centre 500 Fourth Street NW Suite 1000 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102

PO Box 2168 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103-2168

Tel: 505.848.1800 www.modrall.com

<u>WAIVER</u>

| | hereby waives objection to the above |
|---------------------------|--|
| referenced Application fo | Unorthodox Location for the Tiger 14-24S-28E RB |
| #227H well, underlying | the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range, 28E, |
| Eddy County, New Mexic | 0. |
| | |
| Dated: | |
| | Signature |

Case 15459

| | _ |
|------------|---|
| 4 - 1 | 1 |
| 12/22/2015 | 1 |
| 19096015 | |
| DATE IN | 1 |

SUSPENSE

Lel

12/23/2015

NSL

PMAH1535741568-

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR DIVISION USE ONLY

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

- Engineering Bureau -

1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



TIGER + 227 H

| L | ecoid | کام | - |
|---|-------|-----|---|
| • | 1222 | | |

ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

| T | THIS CHECKLIST IS MA | ANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICAT WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT TH | | ULES AND REGULATIONS |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Appile | [DHC-Dowi [PC-Po | ndard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard P nhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Co ol Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease S | mmingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease C torage] [OLM-Off-Lease Meas Pressure Maintenance Expansio Injection Pressure Increase] | commingling) urement) n] |
| [1] | TYPE OF AP [A] | PLICATION - Check Those Which Ap Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneon NSL NSP SD One Only for [B] or [C] Commingling - Storage - Measuremer | pply for [A] us Dedication — — — — — — — — — — — — — | L- della 1397 He dur pro loction mptmy 228437 |
| | [C] [D] | Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increas WFX PMX SWD Other: Specify | | -Tiger 14-24- # 2074 30-45-4350 |
| [2] | (A) [B] [C] [D] | ON REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Working, Royalty or Overriding Offset Operators, Leaseholders o Application is One Which Requi Notification and/or Concurrent A U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner For all of the above, Proof of Not | Royalty Interest Owners r Surface Owner res Published Legal Notice pproval by BLM or SLO of Public Lands, State Land Office | Ply -Culebre 13ruff; wurfe South(CAS) 75752 |
| [3] | | Waivers are Attached CURATE AND COMPLETE INFOR TION INDICATED ABOVE. | MATION REQUIRED TO PR | OCESS THE TYPE |
| | val is <mark>accurate</mark> ar | CION: I hereby certify that the informand complete to the best of my knowledguired information and notifications are | ge. I also understand that no action | on for administrative on will be taken on this |
| ennifer I Print o | Note: Bradfutc or Type Name | Statement must be completed by an Individual | Title | 2/22/2015 Date |
| | | | _jlb@modrall.com e-mail Address | |

District 1
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
Phone: (575) 748-1283 Fax: (575) 748-9720
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87110
Phone: (505) 334-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Sante Fe, NM 87505
Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462

320

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources
Department
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Sante Fe, NM 87505

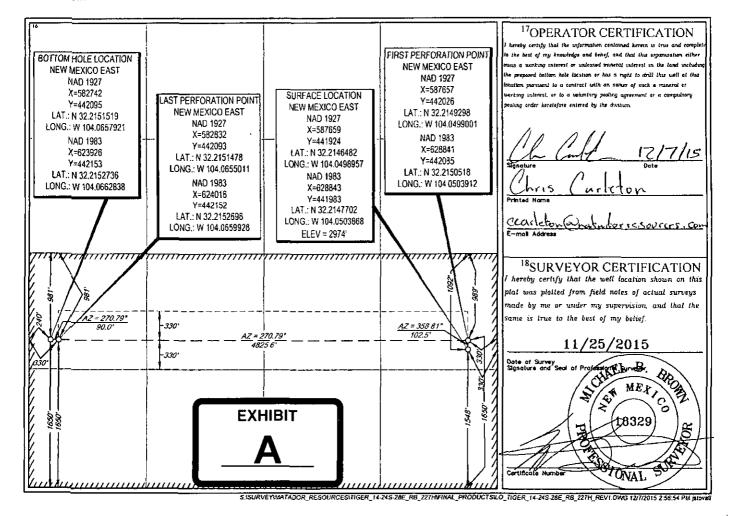
FORM C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

| | ¹ API Number | | | ² Pool Code | | ³ Pool Name | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|------------|--|
| 30-01 | 15-4 | 3505 | 75750 |) . | l CU | LEBRA BLUF | FF; WOLFC | AMP; SOUT | H (GAS) | |
| Property | | | | | ⁵ Property N: | ime | | *W | eil Number | |
| | | | | TIG | ER 14-249 | S-28E RB | | # | 227H | |
| OGRID. | No. | | | | ⁸ Operator N | ame | | í | Elevation | |
| 228937 | | MATADOR PRO | | | PRODUCT | DUCTION COMPANY 2974' | | | | |
| | • | | | | 10 Surface Lo | cation | | | | |
| UL or lot no. | Section | Township | Range | i,ot ldn | Feet from the | North/South line | Feet from the | Enst/West line | Свипту | |
| I | 14 | 24-S | 28-E | | 1548' | SOUTH | 330' | EAST | EDDY | |
| UL or lot no. | Section | Township | Range | Lot Ida | Feet from the | North/South line | Feet from the | East/West line | County | |
| L | 14 | 24-S | 28-E | - | 1650' | SOUTH | 240' | WEST | EDDY | |
| Dedicated Acres | 13 Joint of | lega laco | solidation Code | 15Order | 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.





Case 1545.9

December 22, 2015

David Catanach
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy,
Minerals and Natural Resources
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Jennifer L. Bradfute 505.848.1845 Fax: 505.848.1882 Jlb@modrall.com

Re: Application of Matador Production Company for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well located in the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Catanach:

Matador Production Company (OGRID No. <u>228937</u>) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well (API No. 30-015-43505) to be completed within the Culebra Bluff, Wolfcamp, South (Gas) pool (Pool Code 75750) underlying the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range 28E, Eddy County, New Mexico. Attached as **Exhibit A** is C-102 for the well. This is a horizontal well that will be drilled as follows:

Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H

- <u>Surface Hole Location</u>: 1,548 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 28 East;
- <u>First Perforation Point</u>: 1,650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 14;
- <u>Last Perforation Point</u>: 1,650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 14; and
- <u>Bottom Hole Location</u>: 1,650 feet from the South line and 240 feet from the West line of Section 14.

Matador Production Company is requesting this NSL in order to efficiently produce its interests in Section 14. This well is producing from the Culebra Bluff, Wolfcamp, South (Gas) pool (Pool Code 75750). There are no

Modrall Sperling Roehl Harris & Sisk P.A.

Bank of America Centre 500 Fourth Street NW Suite 1000 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102

PO Box 2168 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103-2168 special pool rules for this pool, and thus the setback requirements under Rule 19.15.15.10(B) of 660' apply. As a result, the completed interval for this well is closer than 660' from the boundary of the project area. The unorthodox location will encroach towards the S/2 of Section 13 and the S/2 of Section 15. **Exhibit B** is list showing the surrounding ownership and the project area for the proposed Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well in relation to adjoining units.

Exhibit C is a list of the parties affected by the encroachment. Each of these parties have been provided notice of this application by certified mail, return receipt requested, advising them that if they have any objection to this well, it must be filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division within 20 days of the mailing of this notice. In addition, a copy of this application has also been provided to the New Mexico State Land Office.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Bradaute

Attorney for Matador Production Company

cc: New Mexico State Land Office Post Office Box 1148 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

| | | AND VALUE OF | No Willed Burkham | ATTRI EUTRE UN |
|--|---|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Conent Enly Talor Res. | Car Berl | Devore | Devog diezora RSC RVS.5 3 2007 - P | exoth Inform |
| HCW BIPL | Horre William | W. Burkham M.M. | Burk Roy VE MI. | 10/19/1. |
| MALAKA | ASC Res. R.F. Fort 41:2015 Sm. Tr. | Armo Lorid vim etal | ArmeLandrumetal S | Austin Gas.P. |
| PAGAMETER PAGAMETER | Mataday | J. Rowan | ARCHITE PLANT | MAC |
| SIDOR ROS MILL HEWERPINSOE | Morodoi / | Sep A Bank NE 4 | Total me cons | 41 of 1.9-181 13-181 12-181 W. Sur |
| (8n species) | Vilua Moiogo | A Anno Lene um | AS CONTINUES IN | Yo had |
| 22.7016 3 2016) | Programme Programme | | 745-7015 M.P. | De von |
| SI Sec | 16 7015 P4 | WALL THE STATE OF | t barrou con the | pevon Pero |
| Xplor Misen thron | 1013 | Like Park | | No And |
| 124.2016 Marren Jake 840 | . 16. 2. 4.2.2 | Town of the | 1 29:2017 | Aplor Pro |
| Pardue 19 Internati | Mins. E | tent | | Pardue |
| etal WAMITET Chem (S) | Chemist / Ouido | G.Sevine | THE PARTY NEW | 4.E.Chemish |
| Res.9-20-2019 Sage Brush III | RSC Hes. Cage | Ener. Sulfator | MRC GA | हिंदीनां स्वाहिती |
| Francial, Swo by at a find | 714-2015 FW | Conget In | 102 TORTOS 4 | Ingram Se C |
| Thunderton et | Courtney | 5 52 5000 | Cas II) DAII IS 17 | 0 1112 |
| DUSC) YO (1873 H | (850 Res. (1/19-2014 (Sec.) | Ener Parker | Ungra | (, C.D. Ray |
| tue International | Product Marie | works a second | | 8:1:20(3) 8:1:20(3) 1:0:22(3) |
| 22 Mins (i Chem (S) | f. (ham (s) | 3 | G.Reed TIVIY | 4 |
| C Dimero En. | | Gertor | Dinaros San | Ting Alkar |
| U.S. OSLASA | tplor Zalie | Gurtar Ti R Forest | 318 6 4 1 30 Kin | (0. 2.1.26 0.7979 |
| promoti Mine CChemiston is at | Aria Aries | Aprilia Gumby Forms P70 | 7.4 | 806 F = |
| dar Woodson Of,G | RSC 0XY | Anterpet Mers. (.) | MAC | |
| a de la filia de l | र-म्मुक4 १४,000.92 ७.इ. | all Mins EChemis | internati | feetherstone |
| B Muscoherio | | | Mins. E. Chem. | 10.5. |
| 1 9 Dans Dans | I naviu I (Sou | softensky 606 | THE BH | e 1 t Valor Dai |

District 1
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720
District II
811 S. First Sl., Artesia, NM 88210
Phone: (575) 748-1283 Fax: (575) 748-9720
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Azteo, NM 87410
Phone: (505) 334-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170
District IV
1220 S. Sl. Francis Dr., Sante Fe, NM 87505
Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462

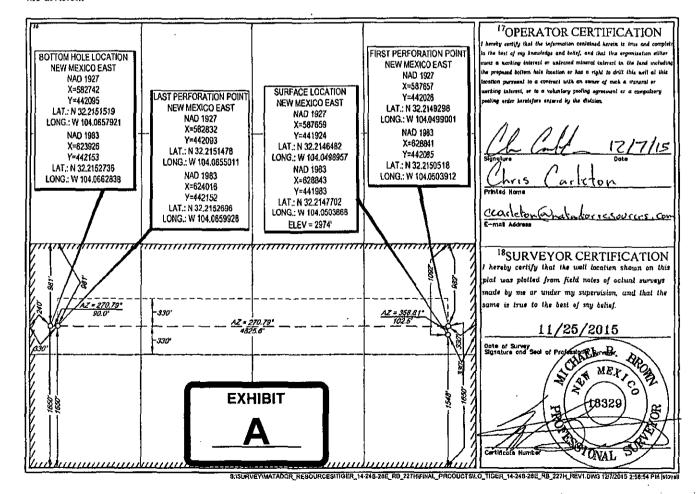
State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Sante Fe, NM 87505

FORM C-102 Revised August 1, 2011 Submit one copy to appropriate District Office

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT API Number ²Pool Code 75750 CULEBRA BLUFF; WOLFCAMP; SOUTH (GAS) Property Code TIGER 14-24S-28E RB #227H OGRID No. Operator Name Elevation MATADOR PRODUCTION COMPANY 2974 228937 10 Surface Location Enst/West line North/South line Feet from the UL or lot so Feet from the County Section Township Range Lot Idn 24~S 28-E 1548' SOUTH 330' EAST **EDDY** I 14 Enst/West lin North/South line Feet from th County UL or lot no. Lot ldr Feet from the 14 24~S 28-E 1650' SOUTH 240' WEST **EDDY** Dedicated Acres Joint or Infill Censelidation Code Order No. 320

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.





LAWYERS

December 22, 2015

Jennifer L. Bradfute 505.848.1845 Fax: 505.848.1882 Jib@modrall.com

David Catanach
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy,
Minerals and Natural Resources
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Application of Matador Production Company for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well located in the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Catanach:

Matador Production Company (OGRID No. <u>228937</u>) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well (API No. 30-015-43505) to be completed within the Culebra Bluff, Wolfcamp, South (Gas) pool (Pool Code 75750) underlying the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range 28E, Eddy County, New Mexico. Attached as **Exhibit A** is C-102 for the well. This is a horizontal well that will be drilled as follows:

Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H

- Surface Hole Location: 1,548 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 28 East;
- First Perforation Point: 1,650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the East line of Section 14;
- <u>Last Perforation Point</u>: 1,650 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line of Section 14; and
- <u>Bottom Hole Location</u>: 1,650 feet from the South line and 240 feet from the West line of Section 14.

Matador Production Company is requesting this NSL in order to efficiently produce its interests in Section 14. This well is producing from the Culebra Bluff, Wolfcamp, South (Gas) pool (Pool Code 75750). There are no

Modrall Sperling Roehl Harris & Sisk P.A.

Bank of America Centre 500 Fourth Street NW Suite 1000 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102

PO Box 2168 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103-2168

Tel: 505.848.1800 www.modrall.com special pool rules for this pool, and thus the setback requirements under Rule 19.15.15.10(B) of 660' apply. As a result, the completed interval for this well is closer than 660' from the boundary of the project area. The unorthodox location will encroach towards the S/2 of Section 13 and the S/2 of Section 15. **Exhibit B** is list showing the surrounding ownership and the project area for the proposed Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well in relation to adjoining units.

Exhibit C is a list of the parties affected by the encroachment. Each of these parties have been provided notice of this application by certified mail, return receipt requested, advising them that if they have any objection to this well, it must be filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division within 20 days of the mailing of this notice. In addition, a copy of this application has also been provided to the New Mexico State Land Office.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Braddute

Attorney for Matador Production

Company

cc:

New Mexico State Land Office Post Office Box 1148

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504



LAWYERS

EXHIBIT C:

List of Affected Persons for the Application of Matador Production Company for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well located in the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range, 28E, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

Jennifer L. Bradfute 505.848.1845 Fax: 505.848.1882 jlb@modrall.com

Dinero Operating Company P.O. Box 10505 Midland, Texas 79702 ALT Address: 1004 N Big Spring St Midland, TX 79701

EOG Resources P.O. Box 2267 Midland, Texas 79702

The Conquistador Council Boy Scouts of America 2603 North Aspen Avenue Roswell, New Mexico 88201

PPC Operating Company LLC P.O, Box 10505 Midland, Texas 79702

The Allar Company 735 Elm St. Graham, Texas 76450

XPLOR Resources LLC 1104 N Shore Dr. Carlsbad, NM 88220

Robert H. Forrest Jr. Oil, LLC 609 Elora Drive Carlsbad, NM 88220

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. P.O. Box 108838 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73101-8838

Nadel and Gussman Permian, LLC 601 N. Marienfeld St. Midland, Texas 79701 Saber Oil & Gas Ventures, LLC 400 West Illinois Street, Suite 950 Midland, Texas 79701

Kaiser-Francis Oil Company P.O. Box 21468 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74121-1468

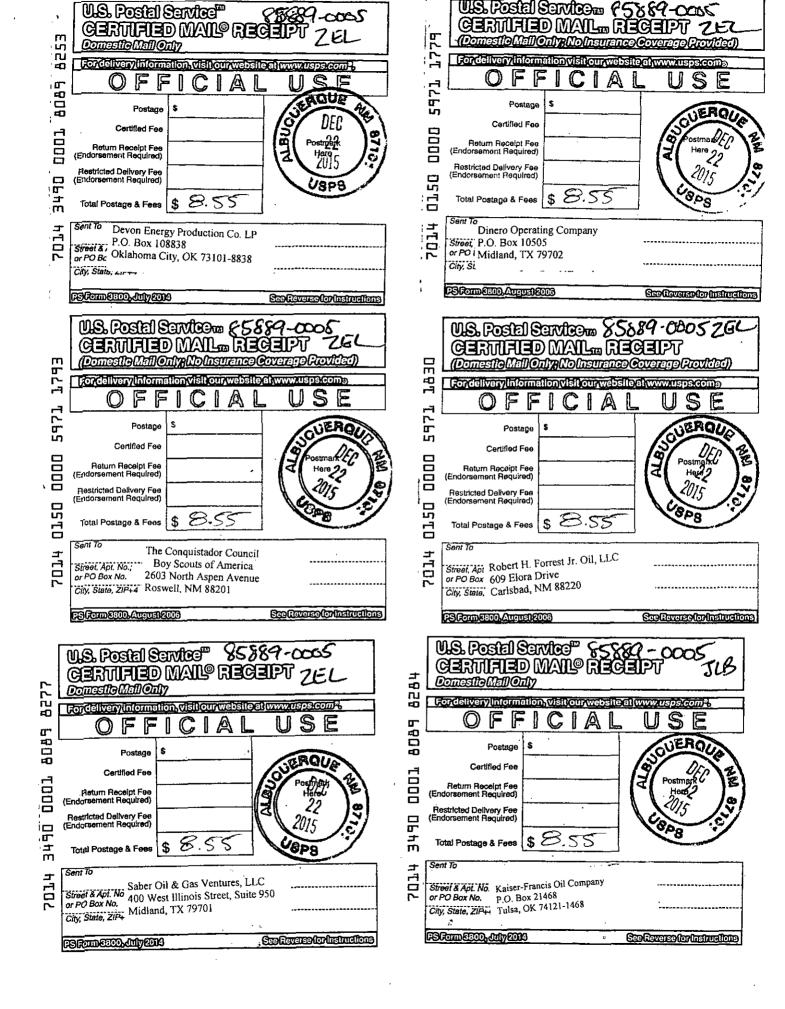
Guardian Operating Corporation 6824 Island Circle Midland, Texas 79707

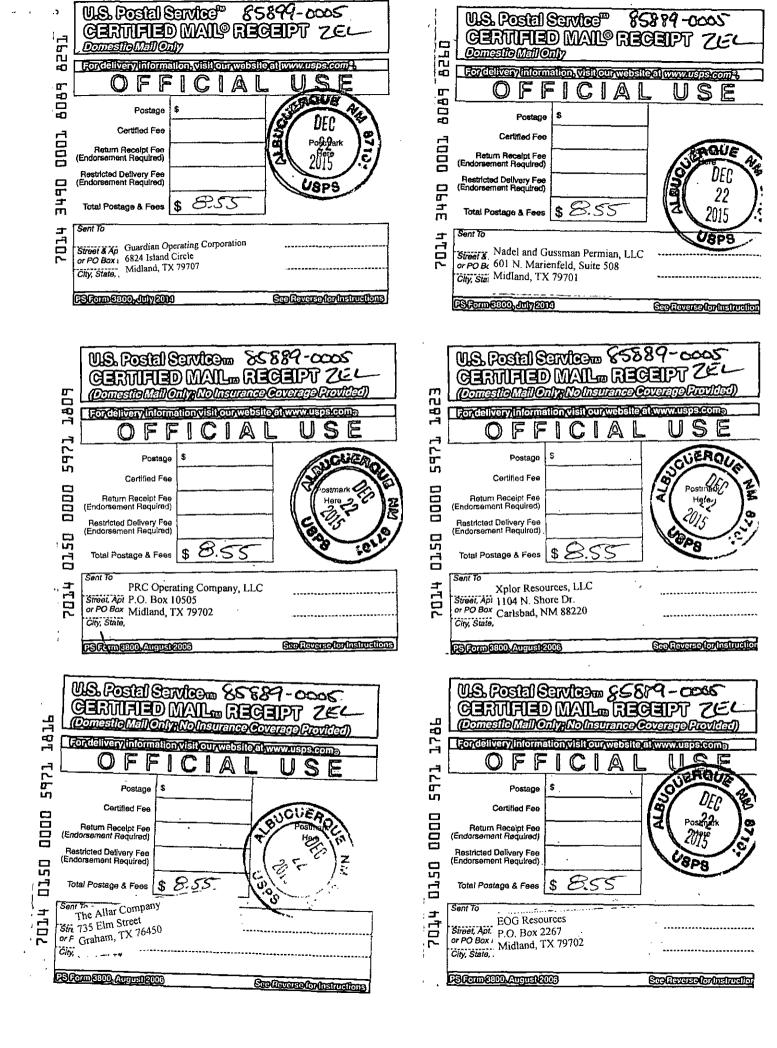
> Modrall Sperling Roehl Harris & Sisk P.A.

Bank of America Centre 500 Fourth Street NW Suite 1000 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102

PO Box 2168 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103-2168

Tel: 505.848.1800 www.modrall.com





Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD

From:

Jennifer L. Bradfute < jlb@modrall.com>

Sent:

Thursday, April 07, 2016 2:24 PM

To:

Jones, William V, EMNRD

Cc:

Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD; Goetze, Phillip, EMNRD; Davidson, Florene, EMNRD;

shall@montand.com; 'vfmid@att.net'; jeff.dennis@cr90.com; Zoe Lees

Subject:

RE: Case Nos. 15457, 15458, 15459

Attachments:

Tiger 203, 223, 227 Waivers (W2682127).PDF

Will and Leonard,

Attached are the executed waivers for the protests filed in the NSL applications for the Tiger 14-24S-28E RB 207H, 223H and 227H wells. These cases were also set for hearing on April 14, 2016. If these waivers are sufficient to proceed with granting these NSL applications, Matador would like to dismiss these cases. Please let me know if you have any questions or if need anything else.

In total, Matador has not sent waivers and requested dismissals in all 6 NSL cases, set for hearing on April 14th (15456 – 15461).

Thank you, Jennifer



Jennifer L. Bradfute Modrall Sperling | <u>www.modrall.com</u> P.O. Box 2168 | Albuquerque, NM 87103-2168 500 4th St. NW, Ste. 1000 | Albuquerque, NM 87102 D: 505.848.1845 | O: 505.848.1800 | F: 505.848.1891

From: Jones, William V, EMNRD [mailto:WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us]

Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2016 5:18 PM

To: Jennifer L. Bradfute

Cc: Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD; Goetze, Phillip, EMNRD; Davidson, Florene, EMNRD

Subject: RE: Case No. 15456

Thanks Jennifer.

I believe that Leonard is OK with Case 15456 being dismissed.

Let us know when you receive that last waiver in the other three "Tiger" cases. (Cases 15457, 15458, 15459)

Will

WAIVER

In reference to Case No. 15459, RSC Resources, LP by Cogent Energy, Inc., its General Partner, hereby waives objection to Matador Production Company's Application for an Unorthodox Location for the Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well, underlying the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range, 28E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dated: $4/1/\varphi$

RSC Resources LP

by Cogent Energy, Inc., its General Partner

WAIVER

In reference to Case No. 15459, Guardian Operating Corp. hereby waives objection to Matador Production Company's Application for an Unorthodox Location for the Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well, underlying the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range, 28E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dated: 4//

Guardian Operating Corp.

<u>WAIVER</u>

| In ref | erence to | Case No. | 15459, Jerr | y Gahr her | eby waives | objection to | Matador | Production |
|--------|-----------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------|------------|
| | | | | | | iger 14-24S- | | |
| underi | ying the | S/2 of Secti | on 14, Town | ship 24S, R | ange, 28E, I | Eddy County. | New Me | xico. |

Jerry Gahr

WAIVER

In reference to Case No. 15459, Jeff Dennis hereby waives objection to Matador Production Company's Application for an Unorthodox Location for the Tiger 14-24S-28E RB #227H well, underlying the S/2 of Section 14, Township 24S, Range, 28E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dated: 04/06/20/6

Jeff Dennis

Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD

From:

Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD

Sent:

Monday, April 25, 2016 9:51 AM 'Jennifer L. Bradfute'; 'Zoe Lees'

To: Cc:

Sharp, Karen, EMNRD; Jones, William V, EMNRD; McMillan, Michael, EMNRD; Goetze,

Phillip, EMNRD; Holm, Anchor E.; Martin, Ed; lisa@rwbyram.com

Subject:

NSL-7397; Tiger 14-24S-28E RB WELL 227 H (Unit I Sec. 14 24S 28E) Eddy Co. API #

30-015-43505

Importance:

High

The following permit has been issued and will soon be available on the Division's web site: http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/imaging/WellFileCriteria.aspx

NSL-7397

Matador Production Company

WELL: Tiger 14-24S-28E RB Well # 227 H (Unit I Sec. 14 24S 28E) Eddy County

API # 30-015-43505

Leonard Lowe

Engineering Bureau

Oil Conservation Division

Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department

1220 South St. Frances

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87004

Office: 505-476-3492 Fax: 505-476-3462

E-mail: leonard.lowe@state.nm.us

Website: http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/