

AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY

920 MERCANTILE SECURITIES BLDG.

DALLAS 1, TEXAS

LAND DEPARTMENT

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February 9, 1961

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. A. L. Porter, Secretary-Director
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Request for Administrative Approval
of Unorthodox Well Location in the
Totah-Gallup Oil Pool for Aztec-
Hagood #18-G as an Exception to
Rule 104(b).

Dear Mr. Porter:

Pursuant to Rule 104(f), Aztec Oil & Gas Company hereby submits, in triplicate, its application for administrative approval of an exception to the well location regulations set forth in Rule 104(b).

In support of this application, Applicant respectfully states and shows the following:

1. The proposed unorthodox drilling location has been staked one thousand six hundred and thirty feet (1630') from the South line and one thousand five hundred and seventy feet (1570') from the West line of Section 29, T-29-N, R-13-W, N.M.P.M., and this unorthodox location is necessitated by topographical conditions.
2. The ownership of all oil and gas leases within a radius of seven hundred and ninety feet (790') of the proposed location is common with the ownership of the oil and gas leases under the proposed location, Applicant holding the entire section under lease.
3. Applicant intends to drill a well on the unorthodox drilling location to be known as the Hagood No. 18-G well to an approximate depth of five thousand seven hundred feet (5700') and expects to complete it as an oil producer.

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Applicant respectfully requests that the Secretary-Director of the Commission, by administrative approval, grant exception, as above provided, without notice and hearing, approving the unorthodox drilling location set forth above.

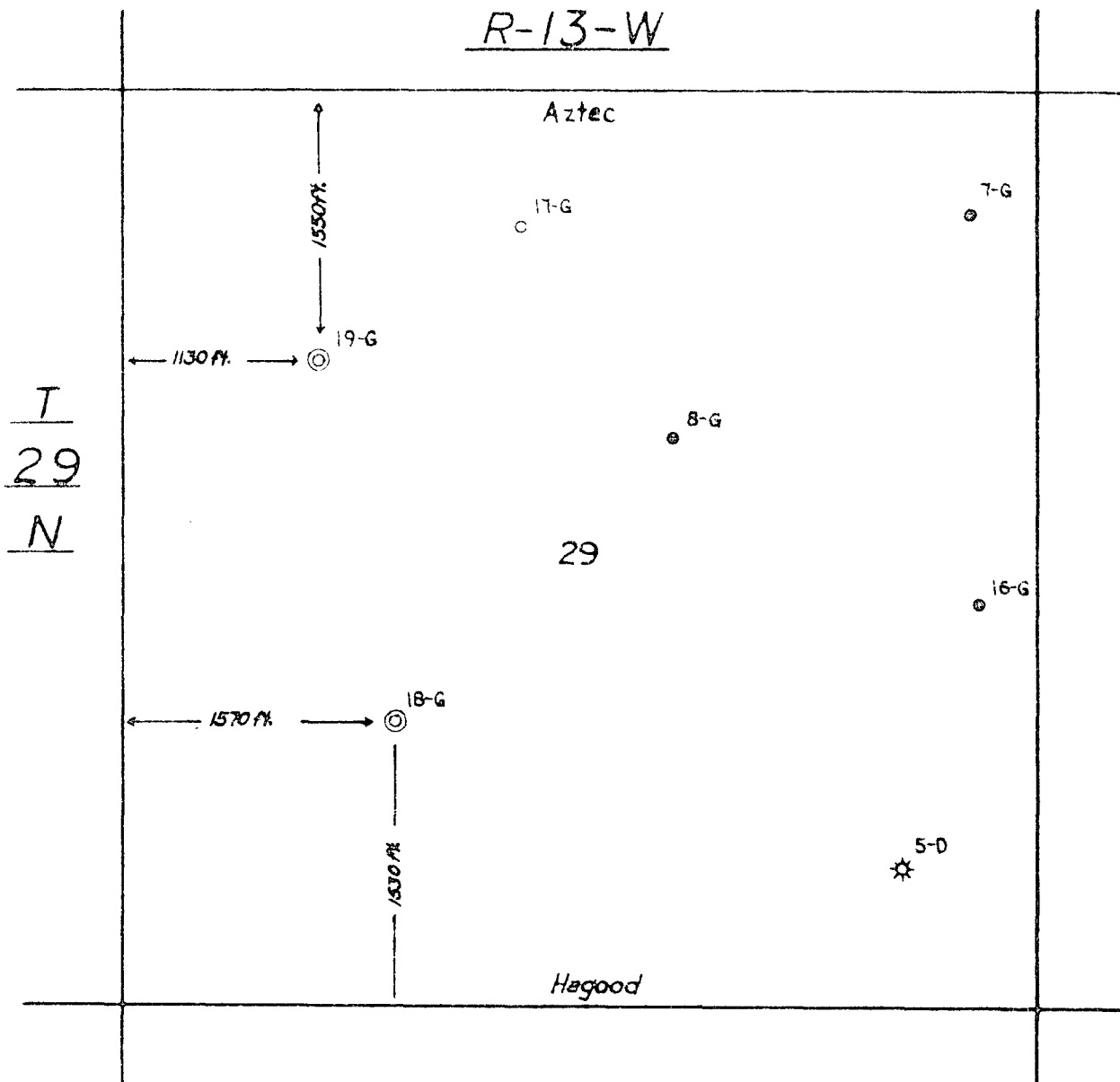
Yours very truly,

AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY

By Kenneth A. Swanson
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R-13-W



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29
N

Scale 1" = 1000 ft.

Subject Locations

Gallup Oil Wells

Dakota Gas Wells



PLAT

Showing Unorthodox location of Aztec
Hagood 16-G & 19-G San Juan County,
New Mexico