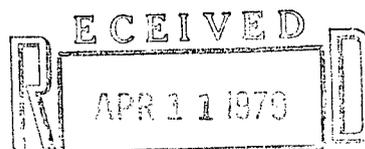


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April 6, 1979



OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attn: Mr. Richard Stamets

Re: East Tatum State Unit No. 1
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Please note and be advised that Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation hereby makes application for administrative approval of an unorthodox location, pursuant to Rule 104-F, to permit the re-entry of the Hilliard Oil and Gas No. 1 Phillips State Well and attempt re-completion of same in the Mississippian Formation as the East Tatum State Unit No. 1. The unorthodox approval of the test is necessary as the location of the proposed re-entry is 660' FNL and 990' FEL of Section 35, T-12-S, R-36-E, Lea County, New Mexico. The N/2 of Section 35 will be established as the proration unit for the anticipated gas well.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is a plat indicating location, offset lease owners and unit configuration. Be advised that all offset lease owners are being notified this date (by copy of this letter, with attachments, delivered by certified mail) that in the event they have no objection to the unorthodox location as proposed, they are to notify your office directly with copy of same to this office.

Should you have any questions, please let me know. Thank you.

Yours very truly,

ADOBE OIL & GAS CORPORATION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kelly M. Barnes".

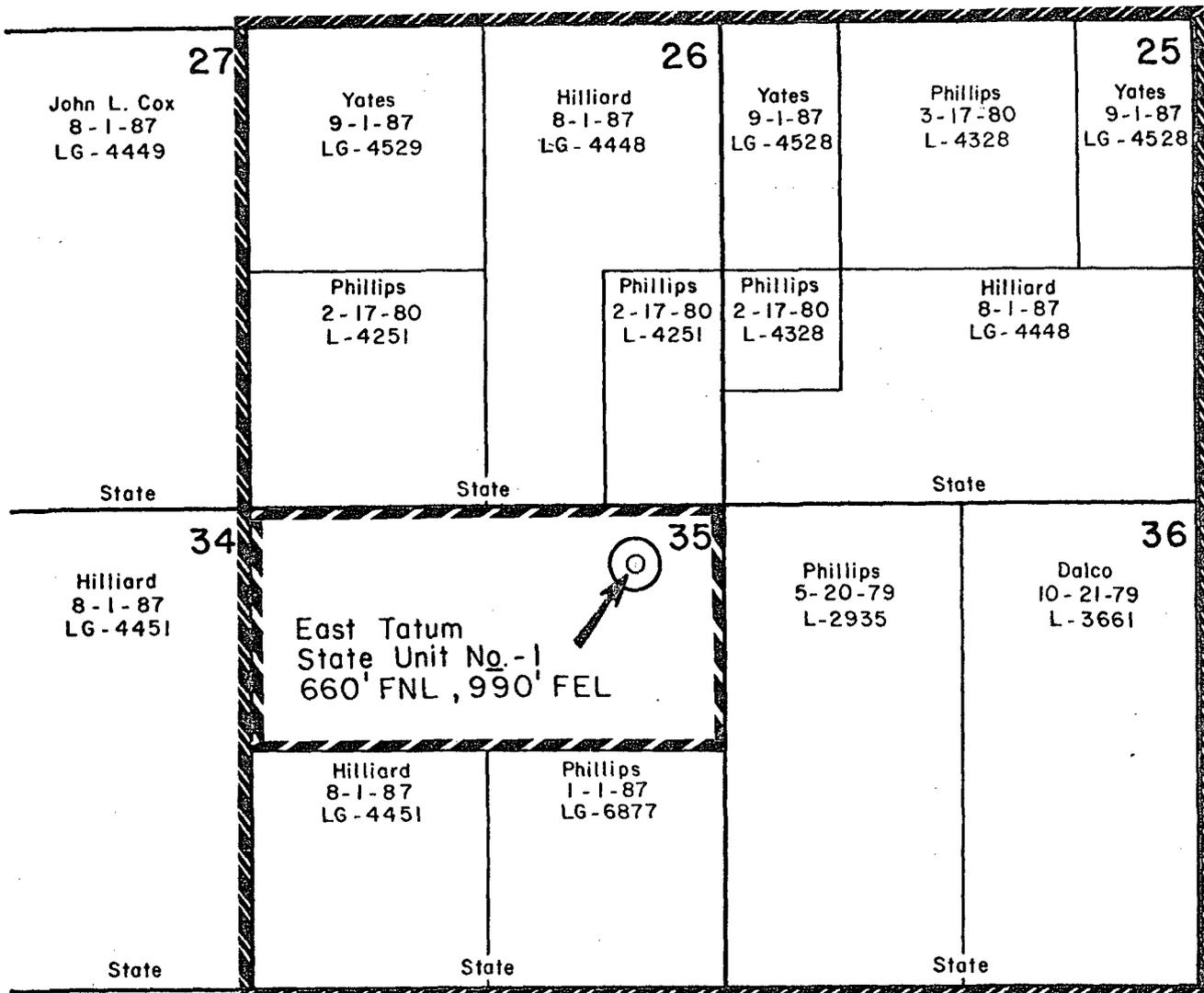
Kelly M. Barnes
Landman

KMB:cr
Attachments

cc: See attachments

R-36-E

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1
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⊙ Proposed Location

----- East Tatum State Unit Boundary

----- Proposed Proration Unit



SCALE : 1" = 2,000'

EXHIBIT "A"

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OFFSET LEASE OWNERS TO N/2 OF SECTION 35, T-12-S, R-36-E, NMPM, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

T-12-S, R-36-E, NMPM

Section 27: E/2	John L. Cox
Section 26: NW/4	Yates Petroleum Corporation
Section 26: SW/4, E/2 SE/4	Phillips Petroleum Company
Section 26: NE/4, W/2 SE/4	Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc.
Section 25: SE/4, E/2 SW/4, SW/4 SW/4	Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc.
Section 25: NW/4 SW/4	Phillips Petroleum Company

T-13-S, R-36-E, NMPM

Section 36: W/2	Phillips Petroleum Company
Section 35: SE/4	Phillips Petroleum Company
Section 35: SW/4	Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc.
Section 34: E/2	Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc.

OFFSET LEASE OWNERS

Yates Petroleum Corporation
207 South 4th Street
Artesia, New Mexico 88260

Phillips Petroleum Company
311 Phillips Building
Odessa, Texas 79761

Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc.
1190 Midland National Bank Tower
Midland, Texas 79701

Sabine Production Company
901 Wall Towers West
Midland, Texas 79701

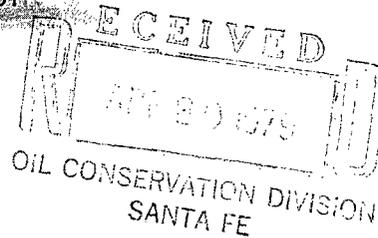
John L. Cox
408 West Wall Street
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Ben F. Strickling, II

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This letter shall inform your office that we, as an Offset Operator, have no objection to said unorthodox location, do hereby approve the location and waive any right to oppose same.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours very truly,

John L. Cox

By: [Signature]

WAIVER GRANTED THIS

24 day of April, 1979.

cc: Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation
1100 Western United Life Building
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Kelly M. Barnes



April 6, 1979

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HILLIARD OIL & GAS, INC.

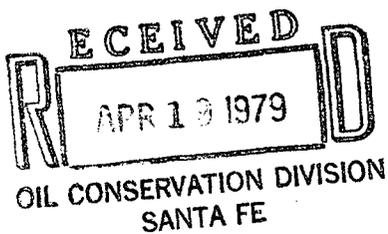
By:


Regional Exploration Manager

WAIVER GRANTED THIS

18th day of April, 1979.

cc: Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation
1100 Western United Life Building
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Kelly M. Barnes



April 6, 1979

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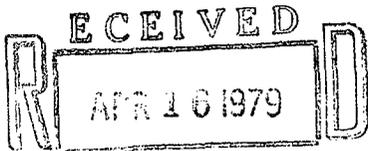
Phillips Pet. Co.

By: [Signature]

WAIVER GRANTED THIS

12 day of April, 1979.

cc: Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation
1100 Western United Life Building
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Kelly M. Barnes



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April 6, 1979

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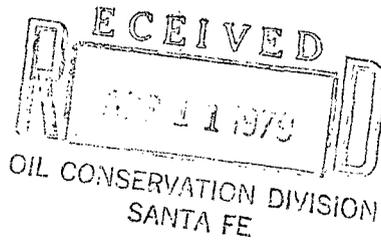
Adobe Production Company

By: *B. L. House*

WAIVER GRANTED THIS

_____ day of _____, 1979.

cc: Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation
1100 Western United Life Building
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Kelly M. Barnes



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Yours very truly,

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

By: _____ *RYates* *Rp*

WAIVER GRANTED THIS

10 day of April, 1979.

cc: Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation
1100 Western United Life Building
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Kelly M. Barnes