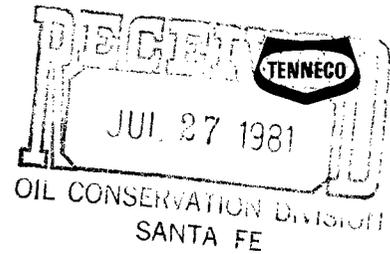


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A Tenneco Company

Rocky Mountain Division

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Certified Mail
Return Receipt Requested

July 23, 1981

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501
Attn: Joe D. Ramey

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, NM 87401
Attn: Frank Chavez

Re: Application for Unorthodox Location
Tenneco Price 3E, 740'FNL, 1450'FWL,
Sec 15, T28L, R8W, San Juan, New Mexico

*NS - 1395
Rule 3 R1670
8-1681*

Basin Dakota Pool

Gentlemen:

Attached in duplicate (to each office) are a well location plat (C-102) with a sketch of the surrounding conditions and an ownership plat for the above referenced well.

This well was originally to be staked at 790'FNL and 1690'FWL, which would have placed the location in cliffs of area. The proposed location is the only acceptable site for this well.

A copy of this application is being submitted to all offset operators by certified mail with a request that they furnish your Santa Fe office with a waiver of objection.

Pursuant to the authority of Rule 104-F we respectfully request your approval of an exemption to the standard well location requirements.

Yours very truly,

TENNECO OIL COMPANY

Don H. Morrison
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Production Analyst

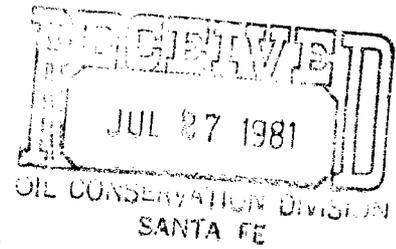
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Enclosures

W A I V E R

_____ hereby waives objection to Tenneco Oil Company's application for unorthodox location for their Tenneco Price 3E proposed above.

BY: _____

DATE: _____



Mailing List
Application for Unorthodox Location
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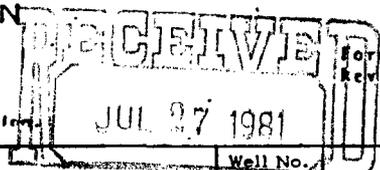
El Paso Natural Gas
P.O. Box 990
Farmington, NM 87401
Attn: Carl E. Matthews

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P. O. BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section



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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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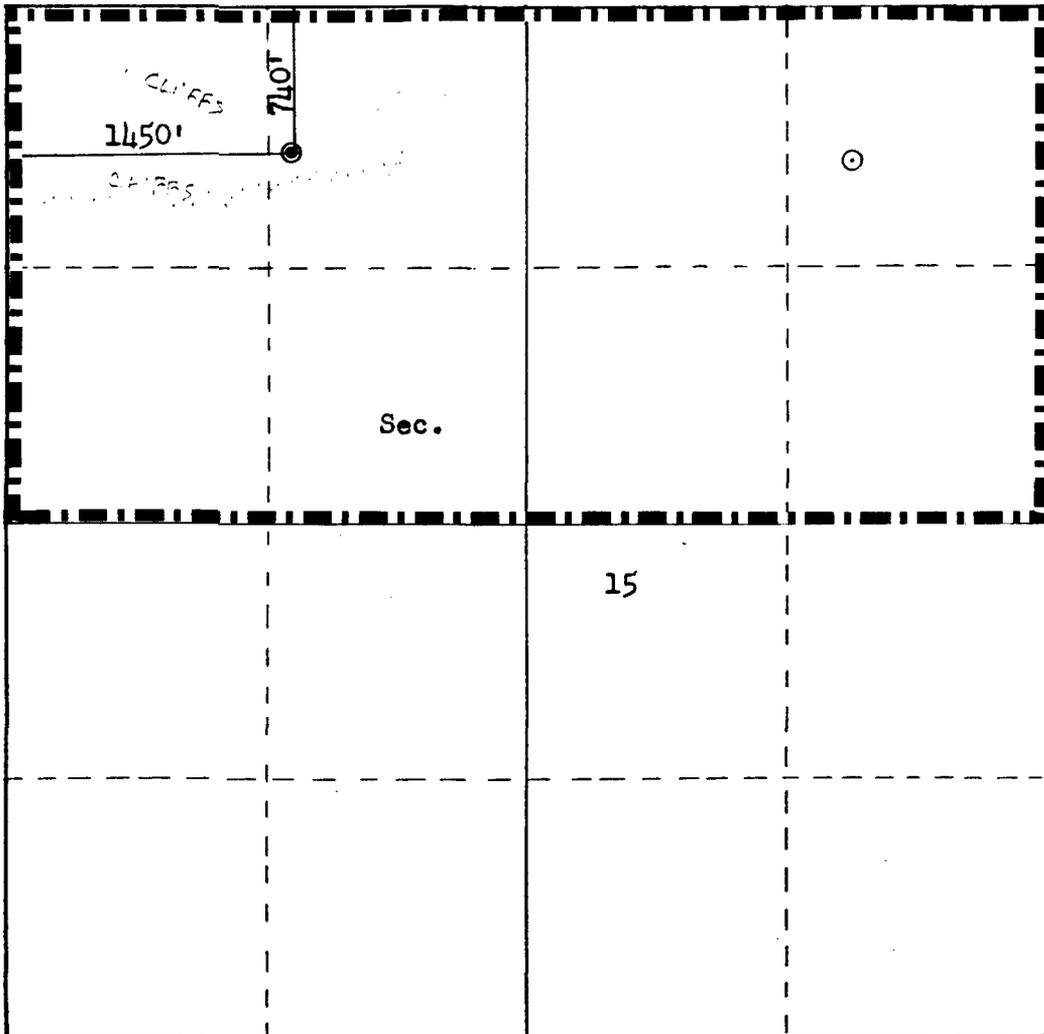
Operator TENNECO OIL COMPANY		Lease PRICE		Well No. OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Unit Letter C	Section 15	Township 28N	Range 8W	County SANTA FE	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 740 feet from the North line and 1450 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev: 6290	Producing Formation Dakota	Pool Basin Dakota		Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

Yes No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



Scale: 1"=1000'

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Don H. Morrison
Name
Don H. Morrison
Position
Production Analyst
Company
Tenneco Oil Company
Date
July 22, 1981

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 knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed
July 30, 1981
Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor
Frederic B. Kerr Jr.
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Certificate No. 3950

