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## NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

- Engineering Bureau -

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



## ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

## Application Acronyms:

[NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]  
 [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]  
 [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]  
 [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]  
 [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]  
 [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

## [1] TYPE OF APPLICATION - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

[A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication

☒ NSL ☐ NSP ☐ SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

[B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement

☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

[C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

[D] Other: Specify \_\_\_\_\_

[2] NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Which Apply, or ☐ Does Not Apply[A] ☒ Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners[B] ☒ Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner[C] ☐ Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice[D] ☐ Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO  
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office[E] ☐ For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or[F] ☐ Waivers are Attached

## [3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.

[4] CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that no action will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

George A. Cox  
Print or Type Name

[Signature]  
Signature

LANDMAN  
Title

9-14-01  
Date

George.A.Cox@XTOEnergy.com  
e-mail Address



124040068

NSL 9/12/01

OIL CONSERVATION DIV.

01 AUG 27 PM 2:01

August 24, 2001

CERTIFIED MAIL:

Mr. Michael E. Stogner  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
1220 S. Saint Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

RE: Application for Administrative Approval of Unorthodox Location  
XTO Energy Inc.'s Bolack C LS 12A Well  
1,830' FSL and 2,350' FEL (NW/4 SE/4)  
Unit J, Section 29, T27N-R8W  
San Juan County, New Mexico  
Otero Chacra Formation

Dear Mr. Stogner:


XTO Energy Inc. (XTO), formerly Cross Timbers Oil Company, hereby requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location for the above referenced well. Attached for your reference are the following exhibits:

1. Well location plat (NMOCD Form C-102)
2. Ownership map
3. Production map
4. List of Offset Owners

The above captioned well was drilled and completed on November 24, 1985 as an E2, 320 acre producing Mesaverde Pool unit. The unorthodox location for the Mesaverde Pool was approved under Administrative Order NSL - 2108 dated August 5, 1985. XTO would like to move up the hole in the wellbore and recomplete the well in the Otero Chacra Formation. The rules state that the well should be located no closer than 660' to the outer boundary of the 160-acre unit nor closer than 10 feet to any quarter-quarter section. The existing location will not conform to current footage requirements. A new well would not be economically feasible to drill for just the Otero Chacra formation. The current wellbore is in acceptable condition for the recompletion attempt with no additional work being required. By moving up the hole to the Otero Chacra formation, XTO would be able to minimize environmental impact in obtaining additional production and protection of correlative rights.

By certified mail, a copy of this application and request for administrative approval has been sent to all of the Otero Chacra formation working interest owners and offset operators listed on the attached list. XTO would like to request your Administration Approval for the unorthodox location based on the above information. Should you need any additional information please feel free to contact me at (817) 885-2454.

Sincerely,  
XTO ENERGY INC.

  
George A. Cox, CPL  
Landman

Enclosures

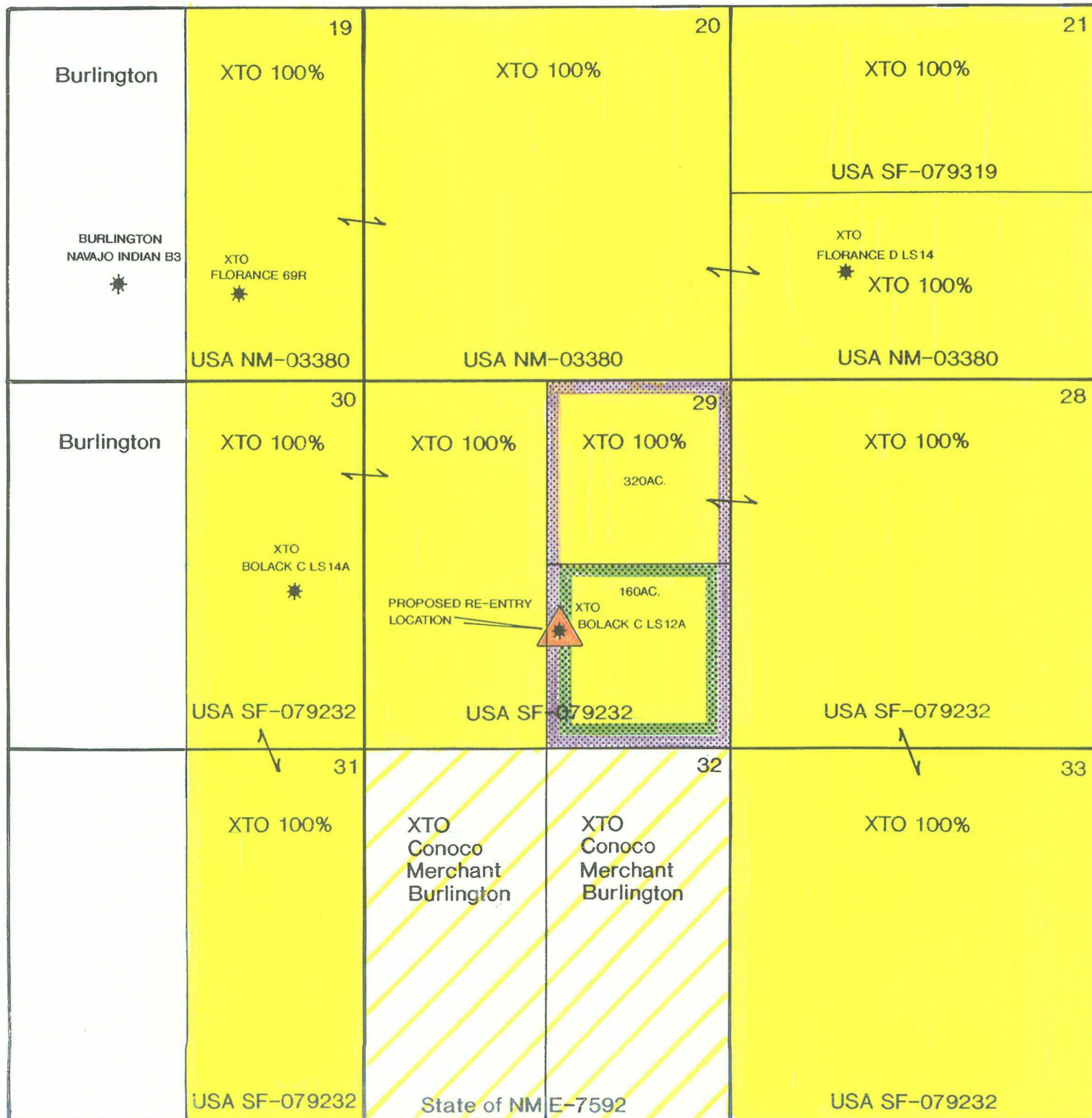
cc: Gary Markestad  
Darrin Steed  
Jeff Patton  
Barry Voigt

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department



STATE: New Mexico COUNTY: San Juan  
PROSPECT: Ownership Map for Chacra Formation DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
SECTIONS: 29 BLOCK: \_\_\_\_\_ SURVEY: \_\_\_\_\_  
ACRES: \_\_\_\_\_ TOWNSHIP: 27North RANGE: 8West

SCALE: 1"=2,000'



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XTO  
FLORANCE D LS 14  
0/0/12 \* 265/3367/2582  
0/0/0 \* 146/13/158  
9705- 0102/5804- 0102/5804- 0102  
CHCR/PCCF/MVRD

BURLINGTON  
NAVAJO INDIAN B 3  
0/1/3 \* 96/397/902  
0/0/0 \* 25/11/11  
507- 0102/5905- 0102/5905- 0102  
CHCR/PCCF/MVRD 9510- 0102/9510- 0102/6610- 0102  
CHCR/MVRD/DKOT

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XTO  
BOLACK C LS 14A  
1/1/7 \* 196/337/359  
0/0/0 \* 0/51/58  
8604- 9312/9401- 0102/8603- 0102  
CHCR/CHCR/MVRD

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XTO  
BOLACK C LS 12A  
\*  
MVRD

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# WELLS W/PRODUCTION

Operator  
Well Name & Number  
Cum Oil MBO ● Cum Gas MMCF  
Curr Rate Bopd Curr Rate Mcfd  
Start-End Date  
Formation

Cross Timbers Oil Company

SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
9 SECTION - 29-27N-8W  
BOLACK C-12A R/C TO CHACRA

Johnny LeBon	E. Voigt	8/5/2001
Scale 1:24000	1" = 2000'	29-27-8

OFFSET OPERATORS AND OWNERS NOTIFICATION LIST  
BOLACK C LS #12A WELL

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas  
P.O. Box 4289  
Farmington, NM 87499-4289  
Attention: Dawn Howell

Conoco Inc.  
600 North Dairy Ashford  
DU 3076  
Houston, TX 77079-1175  
Attention: Eva G. Rodriquez

Merchant Resources #1 L.P.  
Two Greenspoint Park, Suite 380-S  
16800 Greenspoint Park Drive  
Houston, TX 77060  
Attention: Walter Parlange

**SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION**

- Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
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1. Article Addressed to:

Merchant Resources, #1 LP  
Attention: Walter Parlange  
16800 Greenspoint Park Dr.,  
Two Greenspoint Park, Ste. 380-S  
Houston, TX 77060

2. Article Number (Copy from service label)

7099 3400 0013 9850 3593

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Domestic

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**COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY**

A. Received by (Please Print Clearly)

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C. Signature

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☐ Agent☐ Addressee

D. Is delivery address different from item 1?

☐ Yes

If YES, enter delivery address below:

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3. Service Type

☒ Certified Mail☐ Express Mail☐ Registered☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise☐ Insured Mail☐ C.O.D.

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DU 3076  
600 North Dairy Ashford  
Houston, TX 77079-1175

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Attention: Dawn Howell  
P.O. Box 4289  
Farmington, NM 87499

2. Article Number (Copy from service label)

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August 24, 2001

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Otero Chacra Formation

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find a copy of the above captioned application that has been sent to the NMOCD for administrative approval. Should you not agree with the request, please notify the NMOCD within 20 days of the date of this application. Should you have any questions, concerning the operations, please feel free to contact me at (817) 885-2454.

Sincerely,  
XTO ENERGY INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'George A. Cox'.

George A. Cox, CPL  
Landman

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August 24, 2001

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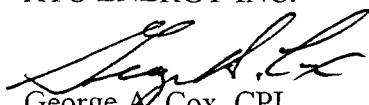
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CMD : ONGARD 08/31/01 08:31:45  
OG6IWCM INQUIRE WELL COMPLETIONS OGOMES -TPSZ

API Well No : 30 45 26552 Eff Date : 01-01-1998 WC Status : A  
Pool Idn : 72319 BLANCO-MESAVERDE (PRORATED GAS)  
OGRID Idn : 167067 CROSS TIMBERS OPERATING COMPANY  
Prop Idn : 22596 BOLACK C LS

Well No : 012A  
GL Elevation: 6770

	U/L	Sec	Township	Range	North/South	East/West	Prop/Act (P/A)
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B.H. Locn : J	29	27N	08W	FTG 1830 F S	FTG 2350 F E		P

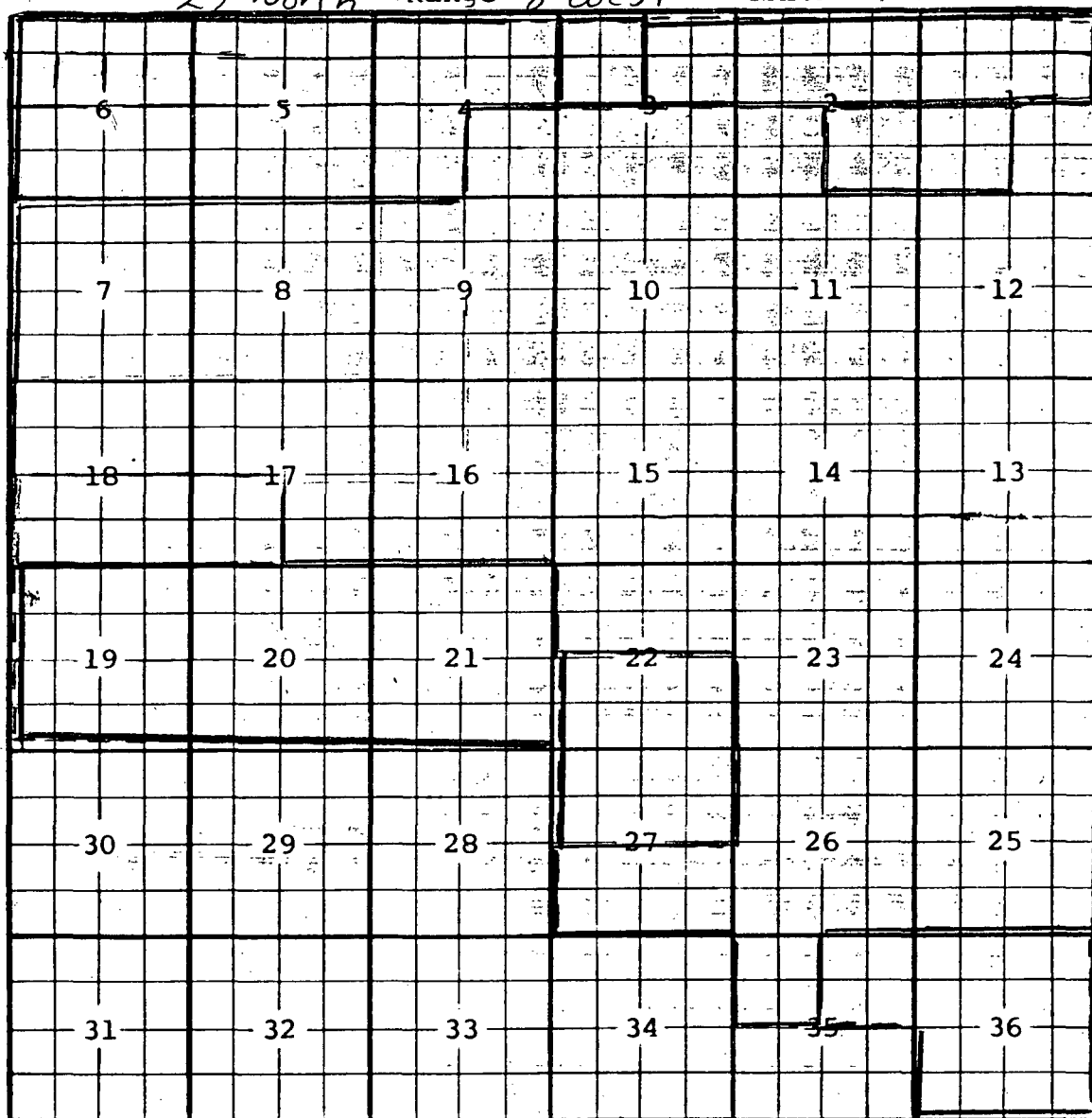
Lot Identifier:  
Dedicated Acre: 320.00  
Lease Type : F  
Type of consolidation (Comm, Unit, Forced Pooling - C/U/F/O) :

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PF01 HELP	PF02	PF03 EXIT	PF04 GoTo	PF05	PF06
PF07	PF08	PF09	PF10 NEXT-WC	PF11 HISTORY	PF12 NXTREC

County San Juan Pool Otero-Chacca

TOWNSHIP 27 North Range 8 West NMPM



Ext:  $SE\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 1,  $SW\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 2,  $S\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 3,  $SE\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 4, All Secs. 7 through 16,  
 $N\frac{1}{2}$  and  $SE\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 17,  $N\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 18,  $N\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 22, All Secs. 23 through 26,  $S\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 27.

$NW\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 35 (A-7201, 2-7-83) Ext:  $NW\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 3 (A-7764, 1-8-85)

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(A-10676, 10-1-96) Ext:  $NE\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 35, All Secs. 36 (A-10788, 4-9-97)

Ext:  $N\frac{1}{2}$  and  $SW\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 4, All Secs. 5 and 6 (R-10902, 10-17-97)

CMD :  
OG5SECT

ONGARD  
INQUIRE LAND BY SECTION

08/31/01 08:31:29  
OGOMES -TPS2  
PAGE NO: 1

Sec : 29 Twp : 27N Rng : 08W Section Type : NORMAL

D 40.00	C 40.00	B 40.00	A 40.00
Federal owned	Federal owned	Federal owned	Federal owned
A A			A
E 40.00	F 40.00	G 40.00	H 40.00
Federal owned	Federal owned	Federal owned	Federal owned

PF01 HELP	PF02	PF03 EXIT	PF04 GoTo	PF05	PF06
PF07 BKWD	PF08 FWD	PF09 PRINT	PF10 SDIV	PF11	PF12

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OG5SECT

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INQUIRE LAND BY SECTION

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OGOMES -TPSZ  
PAGE NO: 2

Sec : 29 Twp : 27N Rng : 08W Section Type : NORMAL

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Federal owned	Federal owned	Federal owned	Federal owned
		A	A
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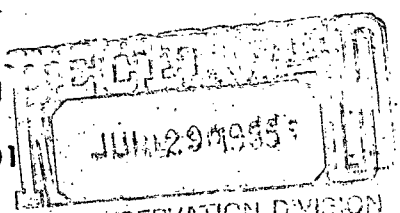


# ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410  
(505) 334-6178

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501



DATE 7-25-85

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
SANTA FE

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL X \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 7-24-85

for the Tenneco Golack CLS#12A J-29-27N-8W  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Yours truly,

[Signature]





# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON

Governor

Jennifer A. Salisbury  
Cabinet Secretary

August 31, 2001

Lori Wrotenbery

Director

Oil Conservation Division

XTO Energy, Inc.  
810 Houston Street  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102-6298

Attention: George A. Cox

Re: Administrative application for an exception to Division Rule 104.C (3).

Dear Mr. Cox:

This letter acknowledges the receipt of your administrative application dated August 24, 2001 to recomplete XTO Energy, Inc.'s existing Bolack "C-LS" Well No. 12-A (API No. 30-045-26552) to the Undesignated Otero-Chacra Pool at an unorthodox gas well location 1830 feet from the South line and 2350 feet from the East line (Unit J) of Section 29, Township 27 North, Range 8 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico, within a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising the SE/4 of Section 29.

The Division received this application on August 27, 2001, accepts it as an administrative application, and assigned it NMOCD application reference No. *pKRV0-124040068*. Please refer to this number in future correspondence with the Division.

Our preliminary review indicates that the information provided in the application is not sufficient to process an administrative order. The following information is necessary:

A completed and signed "Administrative Application Checklist", which is now mandatory for such filings.

Since the submitted information is insufficient to review, the application was ruled as incomplete on August 31, 2001. Please submit the above stated information by Monday, September 10, 2001.

The Division cannot proceed with your application until the required information is submitted. Upon receipt, the Division will continue to process your application. The additional information can be faxed to (505) 476-3471, or mailed to the Division in Santa Fe. If the necessary information is not submitted, your application will be returned to you.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me in Santa Fe at (505) 476-3465. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner  
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON  
Governor  
Jennifer A. Salisbury  
Cabinet Secretary

September 11, 2001

Lori Wrotenbery  
Director  
Oil Conservation Division

XTO Energy, Inc.  
810 Houston Street  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102-6298

Attention: George A. Cox

**Re:** *Administrative application dated August 24, 2001 of an unorthodox Chacra gas well location for the existing Bolack "C-LS" Well No. 12-A (API No. 30-045-26552), located 1830 feet from the South line and 2350 feet from the East line (Unit J) of Section 29, Township 27 North, Range 8 West, NMPM, Undesignated Otero-Chacra Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.*

Dear Mr. Cox:

This letter acknowledges the receipt of your supplemental data to this application (NMOCD application reference No. pKRV0-124040068) that was submitted on August 27, 2001.

Unfortunately you submitted the Division's old "**Administrative Application Coversheet**", which is no longer applicable. This supplemental information is still not sufficient in order for the Division to process an administrative order. The following information is necessary:

A completed and signed new and improved  
"**Administrative Application Checklist**".

Since the submitted supplemental information is insufficient, the application remains incomplete as on September 10, 2001. Please submit the above stated information by Monday, September 17, 2001.

The Division cannot proceed with your application until the required information is submitted. Upon receipt, the Division will continue to process your application. The additional information can be faxed to (505) 476-3471, or mailed to the Division in Santa Fe. If the necessary information is not submitted, your application will be returned to you.

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