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Box 50250, Midland, TX 79710

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**OIL CONSERVATION DIV.
SANTA FE**

Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Attention: William J. Leman

Re: Request for Administrative Approval for an Unorthodox Location
for OXY USA Inc.'s State EC #1, Location 990' FSL & 1880' FWL,
Section 36, T23S-R23E, Eddy County, NM

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FAV:DCT:sl
Attachments

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
District 2 Office
P. O. Drawer DD
Artesia, NM 88210

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API NO. (assigned by OCD on New Wells)

5. Indicate Type of Lease

STATE ☒

FEE ☐

6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work:

DRILL ☒

RE-ENTER ☐

DEEPEN ☐

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b. Type of Well:

OIL
WELL ☐

GAS
WELL ☒

OTHER

SINGLE
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MULTIPLE
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7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name

State EC

2. Name of Operator

OXY USA Inc.

8. Well No.

1

3. Address of Operator

P. O. Box 50250, Midland, TX 79710

9. Pool name or Wildcat

Undesignated Morrow

4. Well Location

Unit Letter N : 840 Feet From The South Line and 1880 Feet From The West Line

Section 36 Township 23S Range 23E NMPM Eddy County

10. Proposed Depth

10850'

11. Formation

Morrow

12. Rotary or C.T.

Rotary

13. Elevations (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)

4321'

14. Kind & Status Plug. Bond

Required/Bonded

15. Drilling Contractor

Unknown

16. Approx. Date Work will start

After Permit Approval

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SIGNATURE

F. A. Vitrano

TITLE Dist. Oper. Mgr. - Prod.

DATE 8-8-89

TYPE OR PRINT NAME

F. A. Vitrano

TELEPHONE NO. 915-685-5717

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APPROVED BY

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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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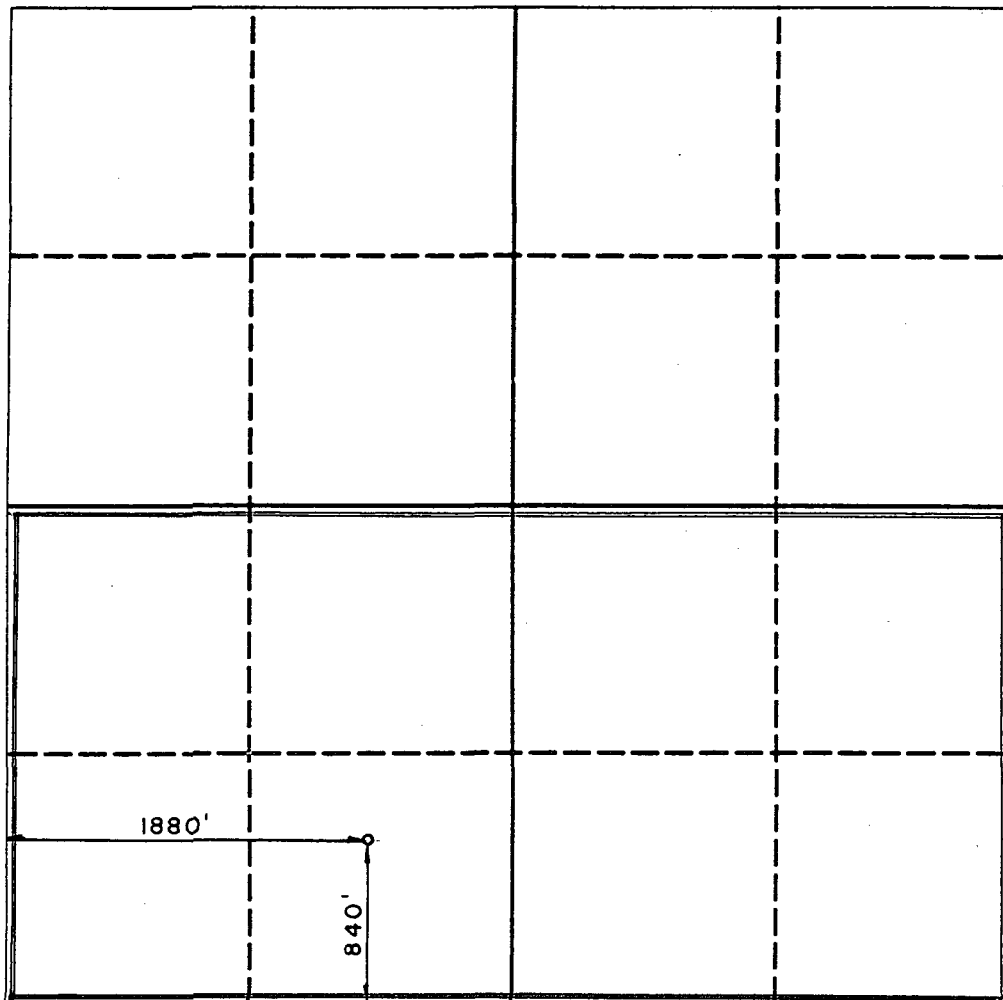
Operator Oxy USA, Inc.			Lease State EC		Well No. 1
Unit Letter N	Section 36	Towaship 23 South	Range 23 East	County Eddy	

Actual Footage Location of Well:

840 feet from the South line and 1880 feet from the West line

Ground level Elev. 4321.0	Producing Formation Morrow	Pool Undesignated Morrow	Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres
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1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure marks on the plat below.
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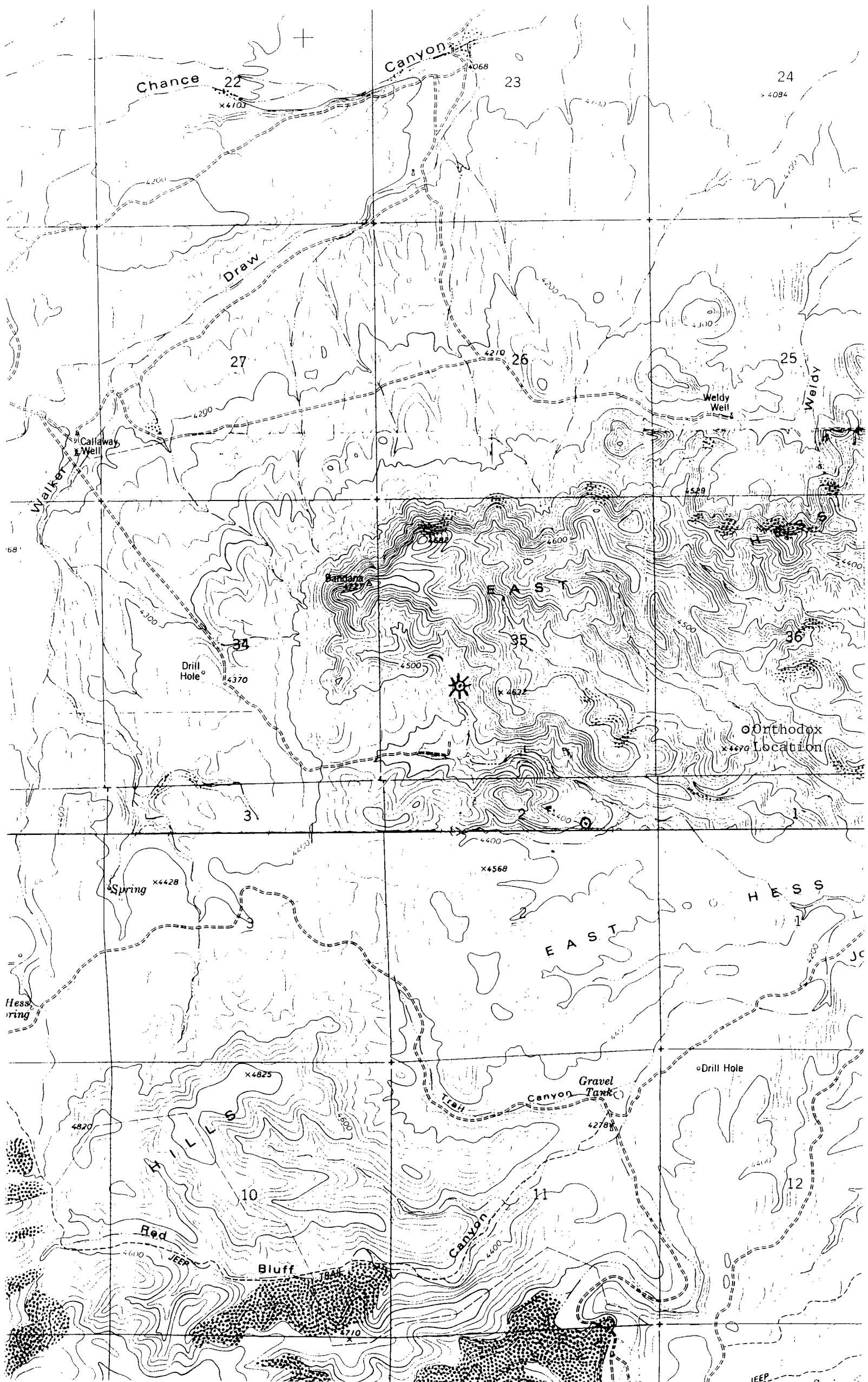
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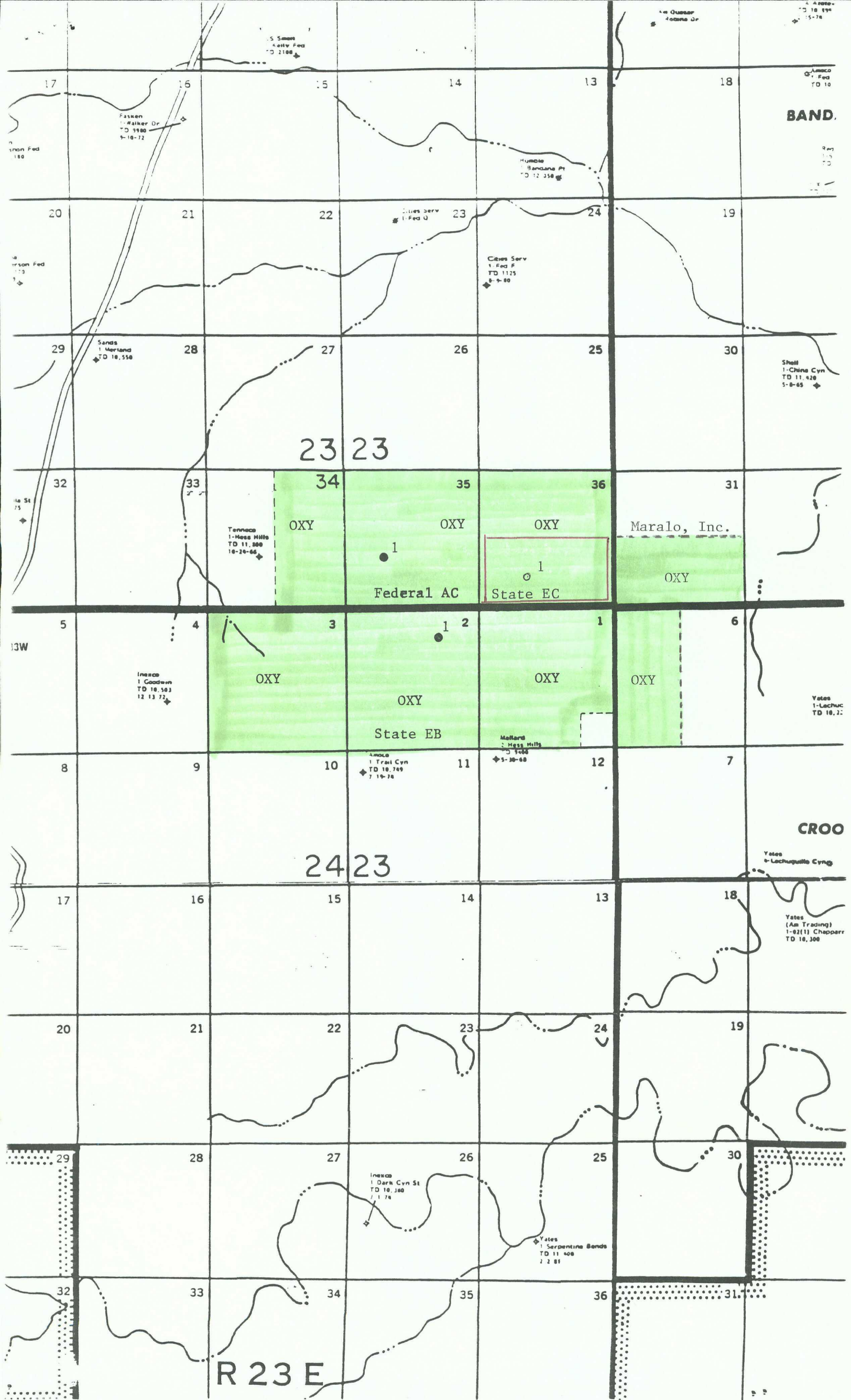
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SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

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 31, 1989
Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor <i>John W. West</i>
Certificate No. 676 JOHN W. WEST
676 RONALD J. EIDSON 3239

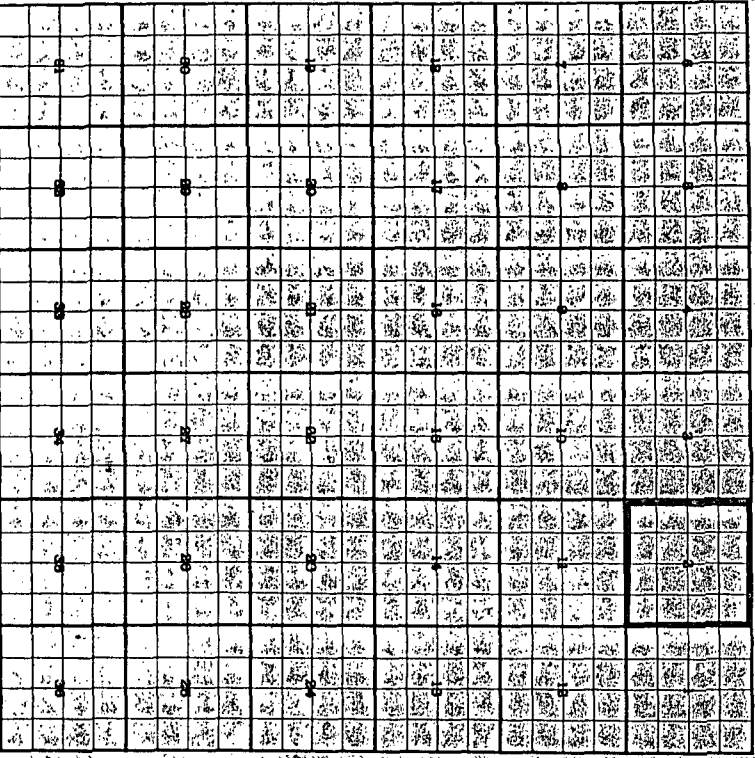




County Eddy

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TOWNSHIP 24 South RANGE 23 East NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN

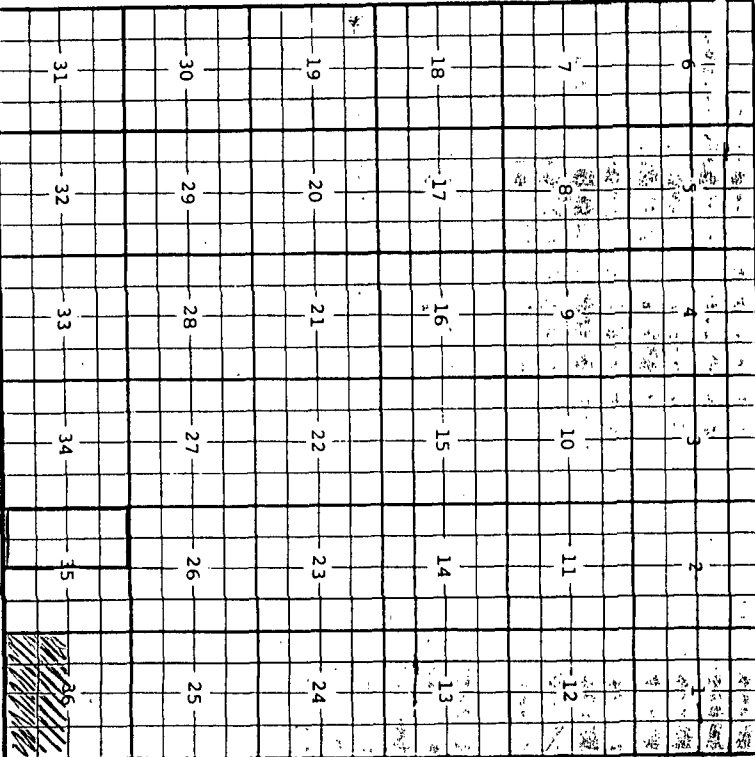


EXT. All sec. 2 (R-8745, 531-87)

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Description: 1/2 Sec. 35 (R-8065, 10-31-85)



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State EC #1

Dear Mr. Lemay:

The attached request letter and plat will replace the information mailed to you dated 8-9-89 for the above referenced well. The previous information showed an incorrect well location.

We are sorry if this has caused you any inconvenience.

Yours very truly,
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TYPE OR PRINT NAME F.A. Vitrano TELEPHONE NO 9156855717

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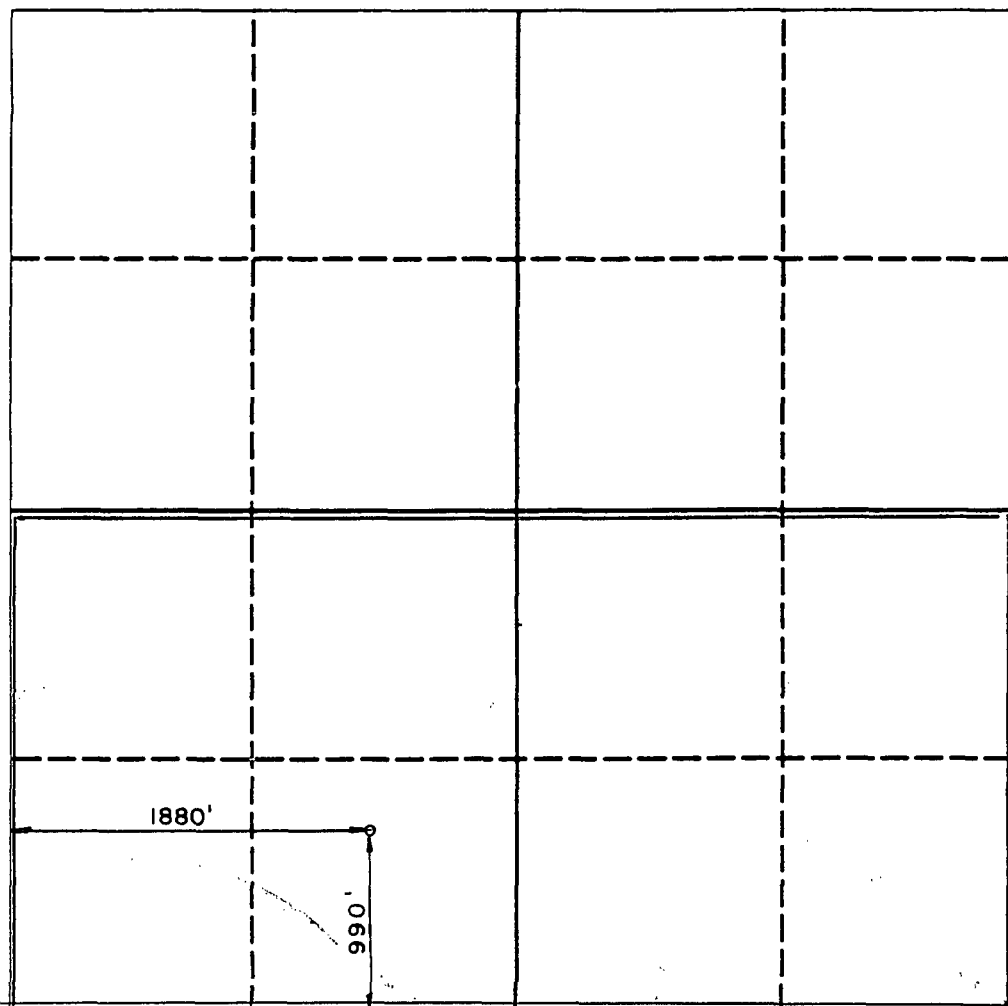
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Professional Surveyor
RONALD J. BROWN
NEW MEXICO
JOHN W. WEST
676
3239

24/23



FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

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DATE 10/5/89

TO: ADDRESSEE Mike Stogner
COMPANY New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
ADDRESS Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87501
ADDRESSEE'S TELEPHONE NUMBER 505-827-5811
ADDRESSEE'S FACSIMILE NUMBER 505-827-5741

COMMENTS: Requested information for the
State EC #1, Sec 36-T235-R23E

FROM: ORIGINATOR David Stewart
COMPANY OXY USA Inc.
ADDRESS Midland, Tx. BLDG. _____
TELEPHONE NUMBER 915-685-5717 ROOM NO. _____

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

Gentlemen:

Maralo, Inc. hereby affirms that it has no objection to the application by OXY USA Inc. for an unorthodox location to drill its State EC #1 well, located 990 feet from the south line and 1,880 feet from the west line of Section 36-T23S-R23E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Maralo, Inc.

By: *R.A. Lawrence*
Title: Production Manager
Date: 8/7/89

