

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

GARREY CARRUTHERS

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504 (505) 827-5800

March 14, 1990

Texaco Producing, Inc. P.O. Box 3109
Midland, TX 79702

Attention:

C.P. Basham

Administrative Order NSL-2768

Dear Mr. Basham:

Reference is made to your application dated March 7, 1990 for 12 unorthodox Dollarhide Tubb-Drinkard Pool oil well locations all within the West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit Waterflood Project Area, Lea County, New Mexico. Said locations would permit the completion of an efficient production/injection pattern within the existing secondary recovery project. Further, each well is location well within the boundary of said project area, thereby no offset operators will be affected. With the exception of one location (Well No. 97), the other eleven met all of the requirements for administrative approval pursuant to General Rule 104.F. at this time.

THEREFORE, by the authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104 F(I) the following unorthodox Dollarhide Tubb-Drinkard Pool oil well locations are hereby approved:

Well No.	Proposed Footage Location	Unit	Section	Dedicated 40-acre Oil Tract	
98	2546'FSL - 161'FEL	I	30	NE/4 SE/4	
99 -	1108'FSL - 1394'FEL	Ο	30	SW/4 SE/4	
100	1169'FSL - 70'FWL	M	29	SW/4 SW/4	
101	121'FNL - 166'FWL	D	32	NW/4 NW/4	
102	2446'FSL - 1342'FWL	K	32	NE/4 SW/4	
103	2577'FSL - 2510'FEL	J	32	NW/4 SE/4	
104	2541'FSL - 1380'FEL	J	32	NW/4 SE/4	
105	1411'FSL - 1288'FWL	L	32	NW/4 SW/4	

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Well No.	Proposed Footage Location	Unit	Section	Dedicated 40-acre Oil Tract	
106	1363'FSL - 2542'FEL	J	32	NW/4 SE/4	
107	1435'FSL - 1211'FEL	I	32	NE/4 SE/4	
108	1201'FSL - 156'FWL	M	33	SW/4 SW/4	

All in Township 24 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay

Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

New Mexico State Land Office - Santa Fe US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

GARREY CARRUTHERS
GOVERNOR

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504 (505) 827-5800

March 13, 1990

Texaco Producing, Inc. P.O. Box 3109
Midland, TX 79702

Attention:

C.P. Basham

RE:

Administrative application for 12 unorthodox oil well locations, West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit Well No. 97, 2436' FSL-1322' FEL (Unit J), 30-T24S-R38E, NMPM, Dollarhide Drinkard Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Basham:

I am unable to administratively approve the subject well location at this time. Division General Rule 104.F.I. requires that a well within a secondary recovery project be at least 10 feet from any interior quarter-quarter section line; the No. 97 well is only two feet from the NE/4 SE/4 and NW/4 SE/4 section line.

If possible, could this location be moved to satisfy the requirements? If not, this location will unfortunately require a hearing before authorization by this Division can be made.

I will hold this one well from any action the Division takes on this matter until I hear from you.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner

Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

MES/ag

cc:

Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad



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I have examined the application for the:	11				32-24-38
TEXACO PRODUCING INC.	11				32-24-38
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Operator Lease & Well No.	Un i't	S-T-R			32-24-38
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and my recommendations are as follows:	11				32-24-38
OK	11			#108-M	33-24-38

Gerry Sexton

Supervisor, District 1

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GARREY CARRUTHERS
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POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504 (505) 827-5800

March 28, 1990

Texaco Producing, Inc. P.O. Box 3109
Midland, TX 79702

Attention:

C.P. Basham

Administrative Order NSL-2768-A

Dear Mr. Basham:

Reference is made to your amended application dated March 20, 1990, notifying us that the proposed well location for the West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit Well No. 97 has been moved and now meets the applicable requirements of General Rule 104.F.

THEREFORE, by authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104.F.I., your application for said Well No. 97 to be drilled at an unorthodox oil well location to complete an efficient production/injection pattern within an existing secondary recovery project, 2436 feet from the South line and 1330 feet form the East line (Unit J) of Section 30, Township 24 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit Waterflood Project Area Dollarhide Tubb-Drinkard Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, is hereby approved. Said well be dedicated to the NW/4 SE/4 of said Section 30 forming a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for said pool.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay

Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

GARREY CARRUTHERS
GOVERNOR

October 18, 1990

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504 (505) 827-5800

Texaco Producing, Inc. P.O. Box 3109
Midland, TX 79702

Attention:

C.P. Basham

Amended Administrative Order NSL-2768

Dear Mr. Basham:

Reference is made to your letter dated September 18, 1990 requesting to amend the location of the West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit Well No. 100 which was approved by Division Administrative Order NSL-2768 to be 1169 feet from the South line and 70 feet from the West line (Unit M) of Section 29, Township 24 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, West Dollarhide Drinkard Unit Waterflood Project Area, Dollarhide Tubb-Drinkard Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

It is our understanding that said amendment is necessitated in order to avoid an overhead electric line. Therefore, by authority granted me under the provisions of General Rule 104.F.I., said Order is hereby amended to reflect the location of the No. 100 well as 1169 feet from the South line and 120 feet from the West line (Unit M) of said Section 29.

All other provisions of said Order NSL-2768 shall remain in full force and effect until further notice.

Sincerely,

William J. LeMay

Director

WJL/MES/ag

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

NM State Land Office - Santa Fe

US Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad