



# OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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July 6, 1970

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Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Application by Tesoro Petroleum Corporation for pooling of fractional lots, P-12-17N-9W, as provided for in Rule 104 D, II, M.

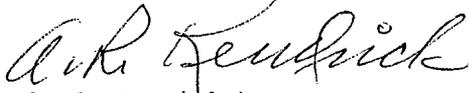
Dear Mr. Porter:

The letter application dated July 2, 1970, by Tesoro Petroleum Corporation does not indicate notification of Tenneco Oil Company.

Tenneco Oil Company operates wells in units A and B of Section 12, Township 17 North, Range 9 West which are offsets in this application. Tenneco has similar pooling for their wells in A-12-17N-9W by NWU-552 for the Upper Sand and by NWU-545 for the Lower Sand.

Copies of this letter are being sent to both of the aforementioned operators to save time.

Yours very truly,

  
A. R. Kendrick  
Engineer, District #3

ARK:mc

cc: Tesoro Petroleum Corp.  
8520 Crownhill Blvd.  
San Antonio, Texas 78209

Tenneco Oil Company  
Suite 1200  
Lincoln Tower Bldg.  
Denver, Colorado 80203 with copy of Application

*HW*  
*NSP NW U-358*  
*issue 7-17-70*  
*104 D II M*

TESORO PETROLEUM CORPORATION  
8520 CROWN HILL  
512-824-0261  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78209

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SUBJ: Acreage Allocation, South Hospah-Upper Sand Pool,  
P-1-17-9, McKinley County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

We are attaching copies of Form C-102 covering acreage in the subject production unit and section in the South Hospah-Upper Sand Pool, McKinley County, New Mexico. One set was filed originally in April, 1969 covering Tesoro's No. 77 well on the Santa Fe Railroad "A" Lease. That filing erroneously assigned 40 acres to the well whereas it should have included the 12-acre lot to the east for a total of 52 acres.

At the time an allowable was requested for the No. 82 well in the same letter subdivision and pool, the District Supervisor declined to assign it a 52-acre allowable since the additional 12 acres had never been requested or approved in the case of the No. 77 well.

The attached plats show the correct acreage to be dedicated to the two wells. In accordance with Rule 104 D, II, M, we are therefore requesting that administrative approval be given to the assignment of this acreage to these two wells and that allowable be granted based on said acreage.

In compliance with the aforementioned Rule 104, this is to advise that

- (1) The two pieces of acreage involved are contiguous;
- (2) They are part of the same basic lease, carrying the same royalty interest;

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(3) The ownership of the two pieces of acreage involved  
is the same.

Best regards.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. H. Denman".

R. H. Denman

RHD/rw

Attachments

cc: Mr. Emery Arnold

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102  
Supersedes C-128  
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

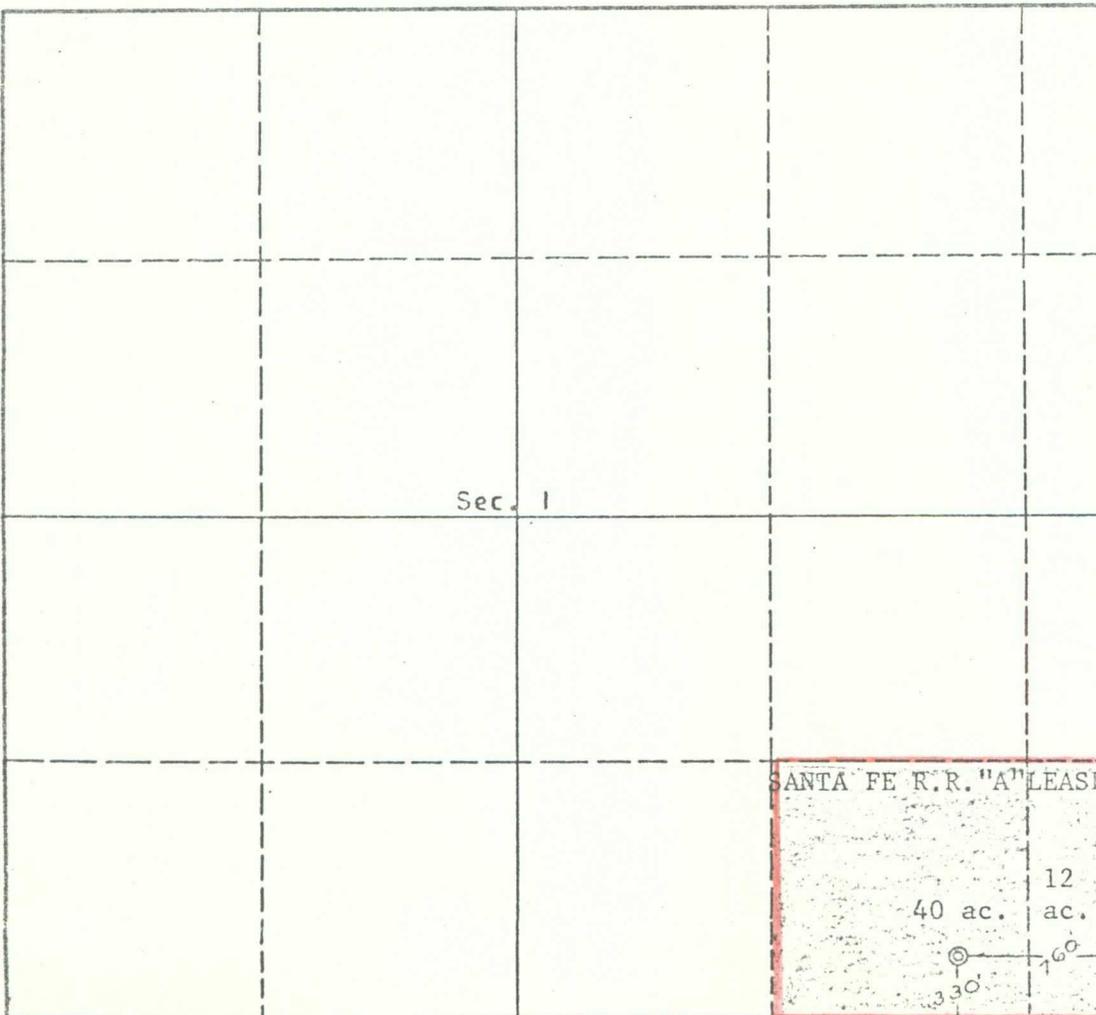
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|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Operator<br>TESORO PETROLEUM CORPORATION |                                     | Lease<br>Santa Fe Railroad "A"  |                 | Well No.<br>77                 |  |
| Unit Letter                              | Section<br>1                        | Township<br>17 North            | Range<br>9 West | County<br>McKinley             |  |
| Actual Footage Location of Well:         |                                     |                                 |                 |                                |  |
| 330 feet from the South                  |                                     | line and 760 feet from the East |                 | line                           |  |
| Ground Level Elev:<br>6967               | Producing Formation<br>Upper Hospah | Pool<br>South Hospah            |                 | Dedicated Acreage:<br>52 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.



CERTIFICATION

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

*R. H. Denman*  
Name

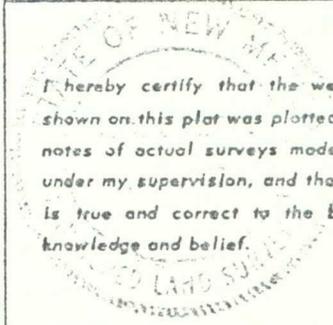
R. H. Denman  
Position

Petroleum Engineer  
Company

Tesoro Petroleum Corporation  
Date

July 2, 1970

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

April 8, 1969

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

*E. H. Cochran*  
Certificate No. 3602

N.L. MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102  
Supersedes C-120  
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

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|---|--|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| Operator<br><b>Tesoro Petroleum Corporation</b> |  | Lease<br><b>Santa Fe Railroad "A"</b> |  | Well No.<br><b>82</b>   |
| Unit Letter<br><b>P</b>                         | Section<br><b>1</b>                        | Township<br><b>17 North</b>           | Range<br><b>9 West</b>                   | County<br><b>McKinley</b>   |
| Actual Footage Location of Well:                |  |                                       |  |   |
| <b>990</b>                                      | feet from the                              | <b>South</b>                          | line and                                 | <b>1040</b> feet from the <b>East</b> line                        |
| Ground Level Elev:<br><b>6963</b>               | Producing Formation<br><b>Upper Hospah</b> |                                       | Pool<br><b>South Hospah - Upper Sand</b> | Dedicated Acreage: <b>52-shared</b><br>w/Well No. <b>77</b> Acres |

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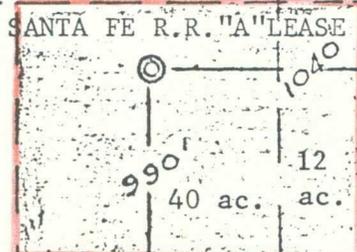
Name  
**R. H. Denman**  
Position  
**Petroleum Engineer**  
Company  
**Tesoro Petroleum Corporation**

Date  
**July 2, 1970**

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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  
**March 21, 1970**  
Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

*E. J. Cochran*  
Certificate No. **3602**



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