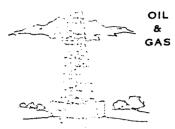
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June 6, 2001

Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

ATTENTION:

Mr. Michael E. Stogner

REFERENCE:

Non-Standard Locations

Gentlemen:

McKay Oil Corporation request to be placed on the hearing docket for the next available hearing after publication of McKay's request for approval of the following non-standard locations.

The names and justification for the non-standard locations are as follows:

- 1. TANNER FEE COM. #1 is located 660' FWL and 2310' FNL, Section 35, Township 6 South, Range 22 East, N.M.P.M. There is an existing dry hole, Tanner Fed. Com. #1 located at 660' FNL and 850' FWL, Section 35, Township 6 South, Range 22 East, N.M.P.M. McKay believes that the Abo formation channels widens somewhat south of the Tanner Fed. Com. #1; however, it is necessary to move the location of the Tanner Fee Com. #1 as far south as possible in the 160 acres spacing unit to ensure that encountering the channels. We have attached copies of the geological mapping of the channels for your review. Also, we have attached a copy of the APD which has been filed with the Oil Conservation Division's Artesia, New Mexico office.
- 2. CACTUS "B" FEDERAL #6 is located is located 330' FSL and 2430' FWL, Section 35, Township 6 South, Range 22 East, N.M.P.M. The well location has been placed in this location due to 2 constraints. The first constraint is geological in that we believe that the Abo formation channels are restricted to the very southern portion of this section. (SEE ATTACHED GEOLOGICAL MAPPING). The second constraint is topographical in nature. There is a major run-off draw located to the immediate

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west and north of the location. The Bureau of Land Management has required McKay to locate this well at the specified location in an effort to restrict infringement upon this major topographic feature. (SEE ATTACHED TOPOGRAPHIC MAP) We have also attached a copy of the APD that has been filed with the Bureau of Land Management.

3. Township 6 South, Range 22 East, N.M.P.M. The well location has been placed in this location due to 2 constraints. The first constraint is geological in that we believe that the Abo formation channels are restricted to the very southern portion of this section. (SEE ATTACHED GEOLOGICAL MAPPING). The second constraint is topographical in nature. There is a major run-off draw located to the immediate

Please be advised that the owners of the offset acreage are McKay Oil Corporation -1% and McKay Petroleum Corporation -99%.

If any questions should arise concerning this request, please feel free to contact Mr. Roy McKay at 505-623-4735.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

MCKAY OIL CORPORATION

President

RLM/bjm

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Tim Gum - OCD, Artesia, NM

Form 3160-3 (August 1999)	FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0136 Expires November 36, 2000						
UNITED STATES	5. Lesse Serial No.						
•	DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT						
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DE	NM 91498 6. If Indian, Allottee or T	ribe Name					
12 Type of Work: & DRILL REENTE	DRILL REENTER						
ib. Type of Well: Oil Well XX Gas Well Other	Type of Well: Oil Well XX Gas Well Other Single Zone Multiple Zone						
2. Name of Operator				Cactus Federal 9. API Well No.	#7 i		
McKay Oil Corporation					<u> </u>		
32 Address P.O. Box 2014	No. (include area code)	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory					
Roswell, NM 88202		W. Pecos Slope Abo					
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk, and Survey or Area					
At Surface 380' FSL & 2130' FEL			35, T6S, R22E	:			
At proposed prod. zone					i		
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office4				12. County or Parish.	13. State !		
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15. Distance from proposed*				ig Unit dedicated to this well			
location to nearest projectly or lease line. It. (Also to nearest drig, unit line, if any)	1			160.00	;		
13. Distance from proposed location*	19. Proposed Depth 20. BLM		20. BUM/	BLA Bond No. on file	:		
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21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.))	eximate date work will str	ru,	23. Estimated duration	i		
4164'	July 1, 2001				30 days		
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1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. 2. A Drilling Plan. 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO shall be filled with the appropriate Forest Service Office).	Lands, the	ltem 20 above). 5. Operator certific	cation, specific int	as unless covered by an exist formation and/or placs as ma			
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DISTRICT I 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240 State of New Mexico

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-1:
Revised August 15, 20
Submit to Appropriate District Offi
State Lease - 4 Cont

Certificate No. 190 WAGENER ENGINEERING 1410 N. MISSOURI AVE. ROSWELL, NM 88201 505-623-8382

State Lease - 4 Copi Fee Lease - 3 Copi

DISTRICT II 811 South First, Artesia, NN 88210

DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NN 87410

DISTRICT IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

□ AMENDED REPOR

API Number Pool Code					Pool Name				
Property	Code	CACTL	Property Name CACTUS FEDERAL					Well Number	
OGRID N	o.		Operator Name McKAY OIL CORPORATION					Elevation 4164	
					Surface Loc	ation			
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PERTINENT INFORMATION

FOR

MCKAY OIL CORPORATION CACTUS FEDERAL #7 SW/4SE/4 of Sec. 35, T-6S, R-22E Chaves County, New Mexico

LOCATED: 21 air miles Northwest of Roswell, NM. **LEASE NUMBER:** NM-91498 **LEASE ISSUED:** September 1, 1993 RECORD LESSEE: Sanders Petroleum Corporation **BOND COVERAGE:** Operator's \$25,000 Statewide **AUTHORITY TO OPERATE:** Assignment of Operating Rights **ACRES IN LEASE:** 1,240.00 acres, more or less USA-BLM **SURFACE OWNERSHIP: USA-BLM OWNER:**

General Statewide Rules

A. Road and Well Map

F. Location Topography

B. Contour MapC. Rig LayoutD. BOP DiagramE. Lease Map

POOL RULES:

EXHIBITS:

SUPPLEMENTAL DRILLING DATA

MCKAY OIL CORPORATION CACTUS FEDERAL #7 SW/4SE/4 of Sec. 35, T-6S, R-22E Chaves County, New Mexico

The following items supplement Form 3160-3 in accordance with instruction contained in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1:

1. SURFACE FORMATION: San Andres

2. ESTIMATED TOPS OF GEOLOGICAL MARKERS:

Yeso - 876' Tubb - 2372' Abo - 2600'

3. ESTIMATED DEPTHS TO WATER, OIL OR GAS FORMATIONS:

Fresh Water - In surface formation above 600'
Gas - In Abo Formation below 2600'

4. PROPOSED CASING PROGRAM:

12-1/4" hole 8-5/8" X-42 23# 950' + 7-7/8" hole 4-1/2" J-55 10.5# TD

5. PROPOSED CEMENTING PROGRAM:

Surface to 950' class "C" - 350 sxs cemented and circulated

to surface.

Production Casing class "C" - 300 sxs cemented with adequate

cover.

When cementing surface casing, the cement does not circulate to the surface, McKay will calculate the approximate height of the cement by using the lift pressure calculations. McKay will then wait 2 hours after displacing the cement, run the 1" tubing down the annulus to tag the top of the cement. In the event the tubing does not reach the top of the cement or within 100 feet of the top of the cement, McKay will run a temperature survey to determine the top of the cement.

At such time as the 1" tubing reaches the top of the cement or within a reasonable distance from the top, commence dumping pea gravel down the annulus and

pumping cement through the 1" tubing, until the cement circulates to the surface. If cement top is within 50' of the surface, pea gravel can be dumped down the annulus as a slurrey (pea gravel and cement).

6. PROPOSED DRILLING PROGRAM:

McKay Oil Corporation proposes to drill and test the ABO formation. Approximately 950' of surface casing will be set and cemented to surface. 4-1/2" production casing will be set and cemented with adequate cover, perforated and stimulated as needed for production.

- 7. PRESSURE CONTROL EQUIPMENT: Blowout preventer will consist of 2 ram, 2M system. A sketch of the BOP is attached.
- 8. CIRCULATION MEDIUM: Air Drilling
- 9. <u>AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT</u>: Full-opening drill string safety valve fit for the drill string in use, will be kept on the rig floor at all times.
- 10. TESTING, LOGGING AND CORING PROGRAM:

Samples:

Catch samples from surface to TD.

DST's:

None.

Logging:

GR-CNL, Dual Lateral MSFL from

surface to TD.

Coring:

None.

- 11. <u>ABNORMAL PRESSURES, TEMPERATURES OR HYDROGEN SULFIDE</u>: None anticipated.
- 12. ANTICIPATED STARTING DATE: On or before July 1, 2001

 Drilling should be completed within 15 days. Completion operations (perforations and stimulation) will follow drilling operations.

MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN

MCKAY OIL CORPORATION CACTUS FEDERAL #7 SW/4SE/4 of Sec. 35, T-6S, R-22E Chaves County, New Mexico

NM 91498

This plan is submitted with the application for permit to drill the above described well. The purpose of the plan is to describe the location of the proposed well, the proposed construction activities and operations plan, the magnitude of necessary surface disturbance involved, and the procedures to be followed in rehabilitating the surface after completion of the operation so that a complete appraisal can be made of the environmental effects associated with the operation.

1. EXISTING ROADS:

- A. Exhibit "A" is a portion of a road map showing the location of the proposed well is staked. The well is approximately 21 miles north of Roswell, NM.
- B. <u>Directions</u>: Heading North out of Roswell, New Mexico on U.S. 285 for approximately 23 miles and turn left on county road just before mile marker 137 (Stargrass Road). Go approximately 8.5 miles, then turn south for approximately 2-1/2 miles to the cattleguard, turn south for approximately 100 feet, then turn east for approximately ½ mile along the China Draw, then south for 3/4 miles, then turn east at the Cactus Federal #6 location and continue for approximately 2/3rds of a mile to the location.

2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:

- A. Length and Width: 1/2 miles long and 20' wide.
- B. Surface Materials: Sand, gravel and caliche where needed.
- C. Turnouts: None
- D. Maximum Grade: No more than 3%.
- E. <u>Drain Design</u>: Road will have drainage ditches on both sides and a crowned top, with culverts and/or low water crossings as necessary.
- F. Culverts: None.
- G. Cuts and Fill: None.

- H. <u>Gates, Cattleguards</u>: Cattleguard located at fence crossing in NE/4 of Section 34, T6S, R22E, said cattleguard is already in place.
- I. Top Soil: Very little.

3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS:

A. A map indicating the location of adjacent wells is attached.

4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES:

- A: <u>See Exhibit "A"</u> for location of existing lease wells. If the well is commercial, production facilities and tank battery will be constructed.
- B. <u>Cuts and Fills</u>: Less than 10' of cut and fill will be required for the pad size of 258' x 350'. (See Exhibit "F")
- C. <u>Top Soil</u>: Any top soil which can sustain plant vegetation will be bladed and piled for future rehabilitation.

5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY:

A. Water will be purchased from a commercial source and trucked to the location over existing and proposed access roads.

6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS:

A. Closest Pit to the location.

7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL:

- A. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the drilling pits.
- B. Drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate in the drilling pits until the pits are dry.
- C. Water produced during test will be disposed of in the drilling pits. Oil produced during tests will be stored in test tanks until sold.
- D. Current laws and regulations pertaining to the disposal of human waste will be complied with.
- E. Trash, waste paper, garbage, and junk will be placed in portable receptacles and hauled from the location upon completion of drilling and completion operations.

F. All trash and debris will be removed from the well site within 30 days after finishing drilling and/or completion operations.

8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES:

A. None necessary.

9. WELL SITE LAYOUT:

- A. Exhibit "C" indicates the relation location and dimensions of the well pad, mud pits, reserve pit and major rig equipment.
- B. The location slopes very slightly to the east and southeast.
- C. The reserve pit will be lined with plastic to prevent loss of water.

10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF THE SURFACE:

- A. After completion of drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for operations will be removed. Pits will be filled and the location cleaned of all trash and junk to leave the well site in an aesthetically pleasing conditions as possible.
- B. Any unguarded pits containing fluids will be fenced until they are filled.
- C. If the well is non-productive or abandoned, the disturbed area will be rehabilitated using the preserved soil mentioned in 2.I. and 4.C.

11. OTHER INFORMATION:

- A. <u>Topography</u>: The topography is a gradual slope to the east-southeast in the vicinity of the access road and east-southeast in the vicinity of the drill pad. Regional slope is northeast toward the China Draw which is northeast of the location.
- B. Soil: Sandy loam with limestone outcropping.
- C. Flora and Fauna: The flora consists of typical desert vegetation, such as yucca, cactus and various grasses. Fauna consists of desert wildlife such as coyotes, rodents, snakes, dear and antelope.
- D. Ponds and Streams: China Draw northeast of the proposed location.

- E. Residences and other Structures: The old China Draw windmill is approximately 2 miles north of this location. The David Corn ranch house (old W.R. McKnight Ranch) is approximately 3-1/2 miles to the northeast.
- F. Archaeological, Historical and Other Cultural Sites: An Archaeologist from Roswell, NM will be contracted to check and approve this site and access road.
- G. Land Use: Grazing.
- H. Surface Ownership: USA/BLM.

12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE:

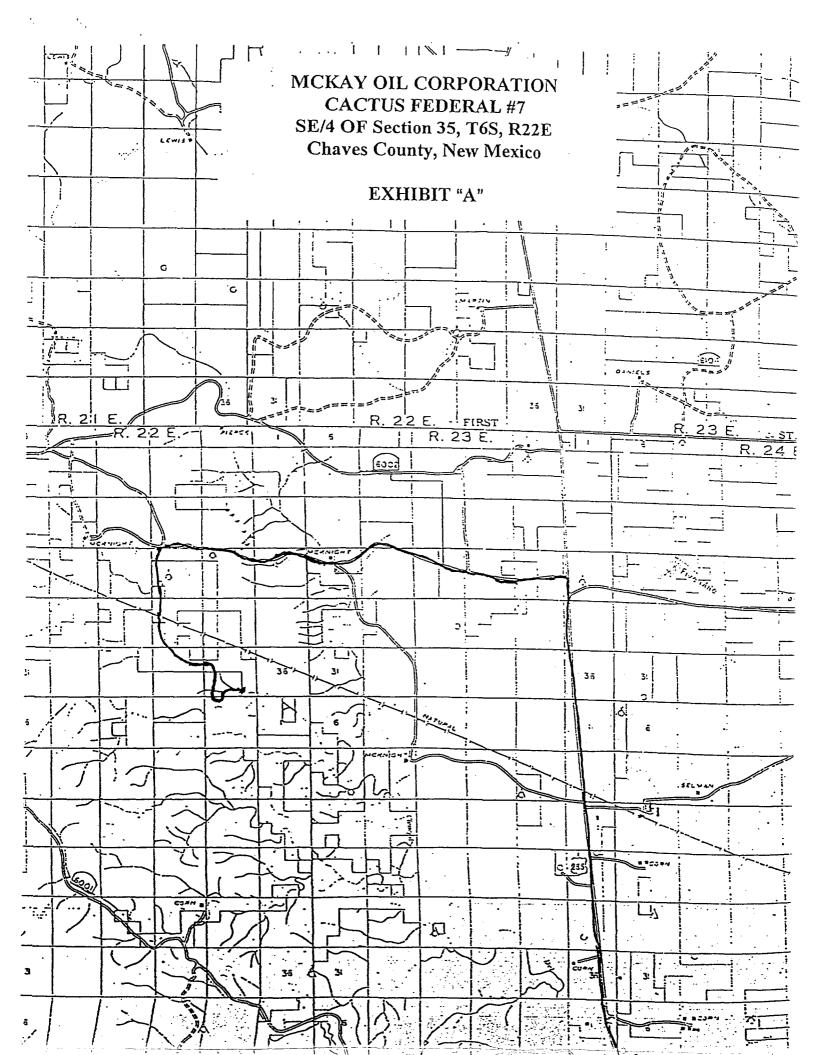
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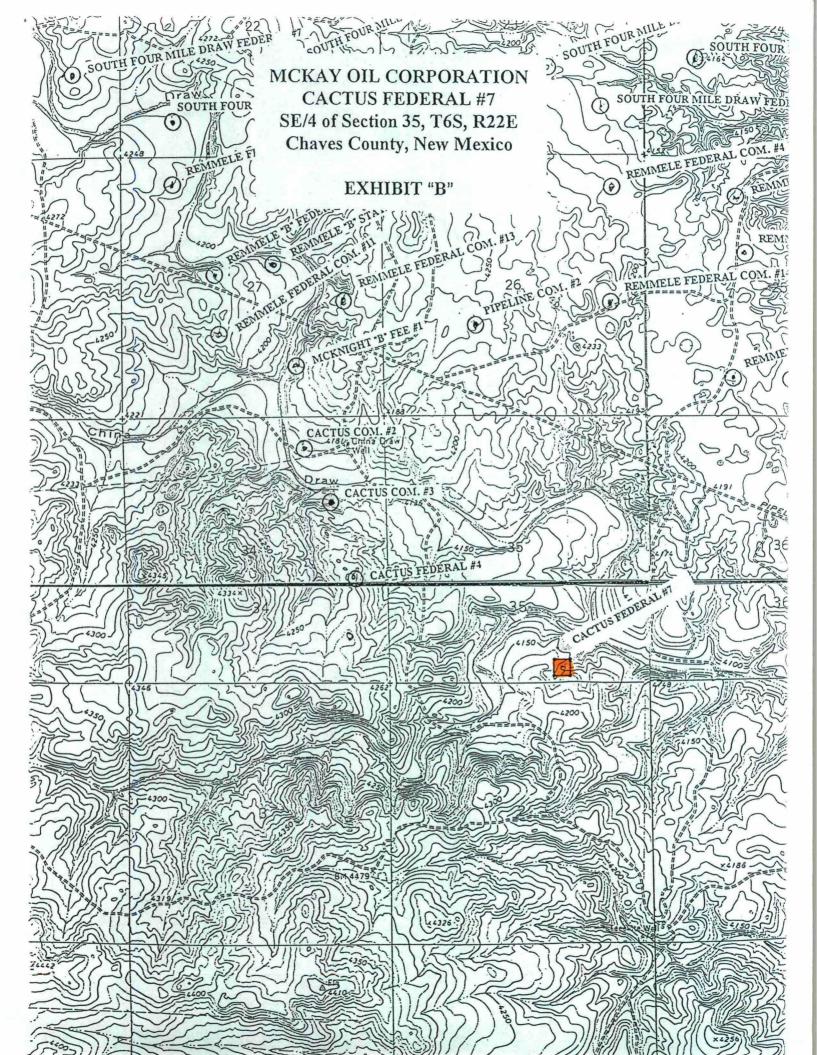
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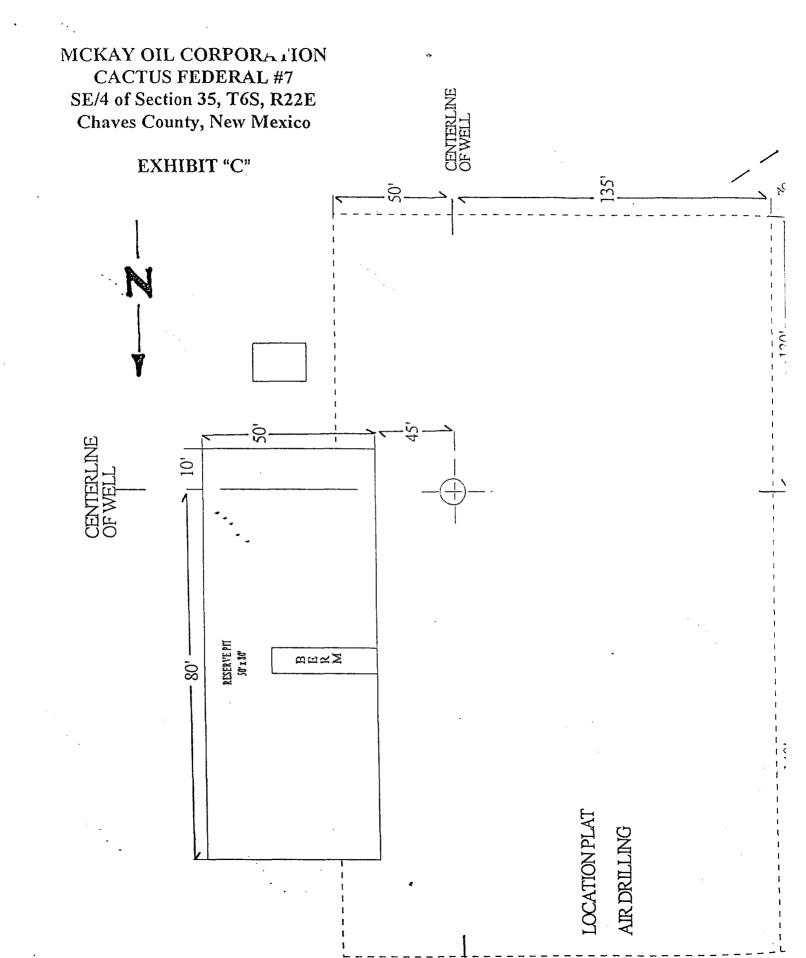
I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which presently exists; that he statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge true and correct; that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by MCKAY OIL CORPORATION and its subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to provisions of 18 USC 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

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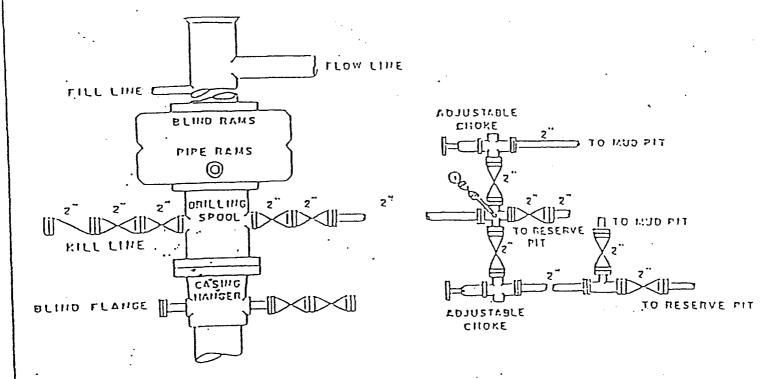


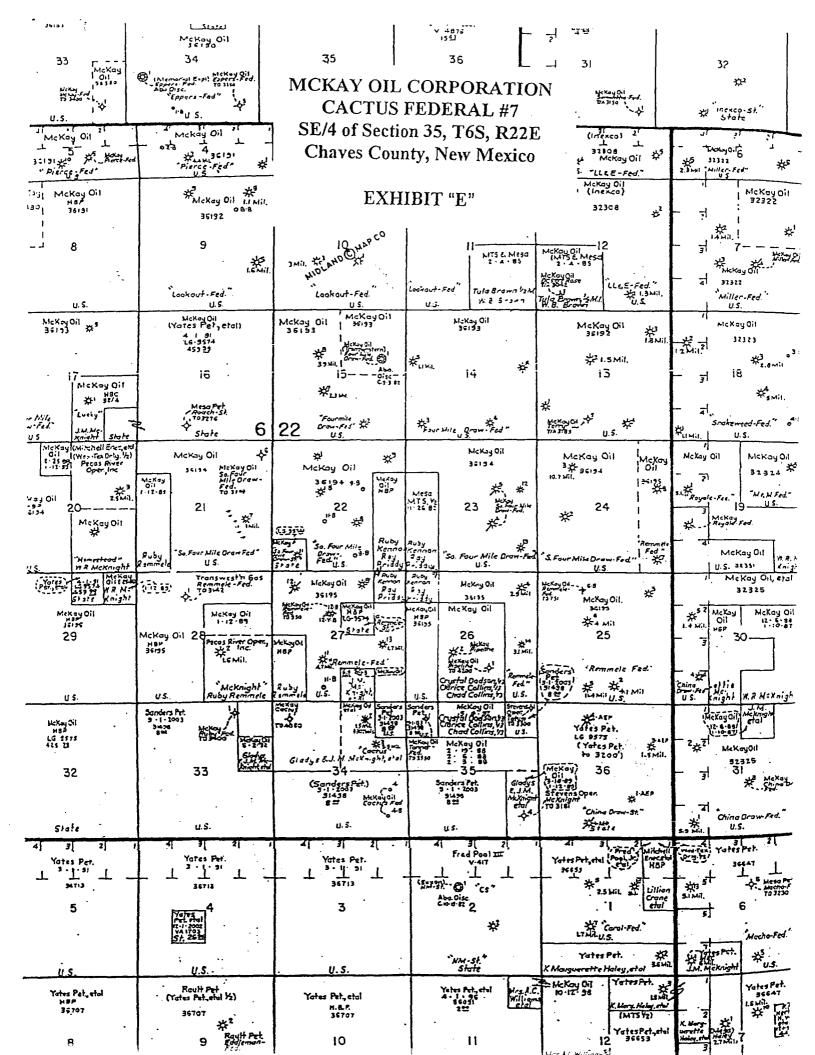




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EXHIBIT "D"





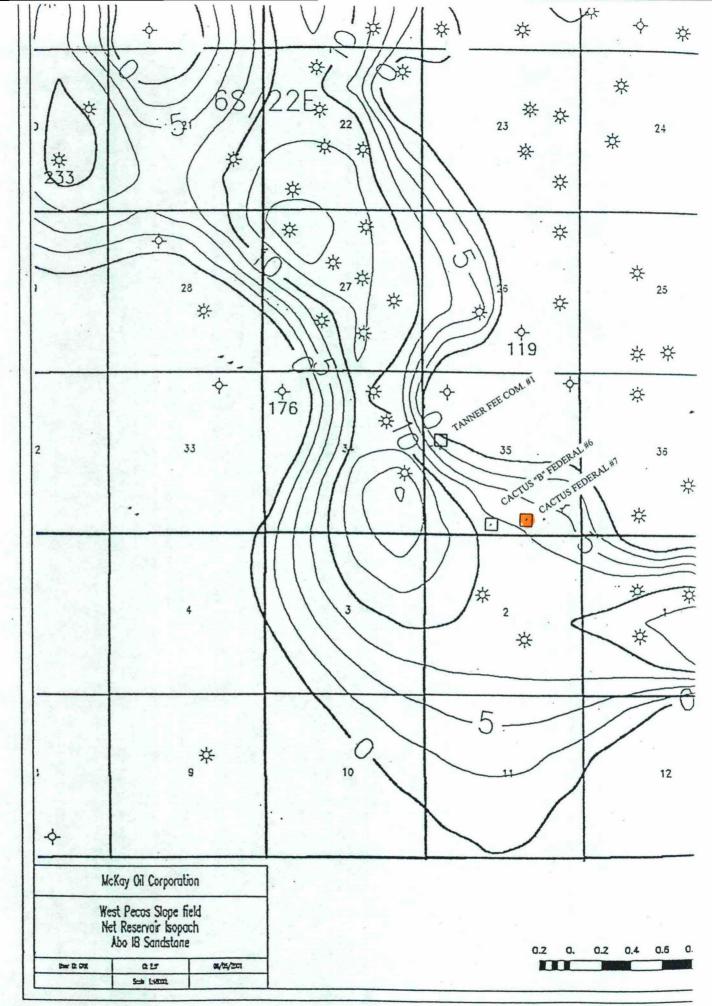


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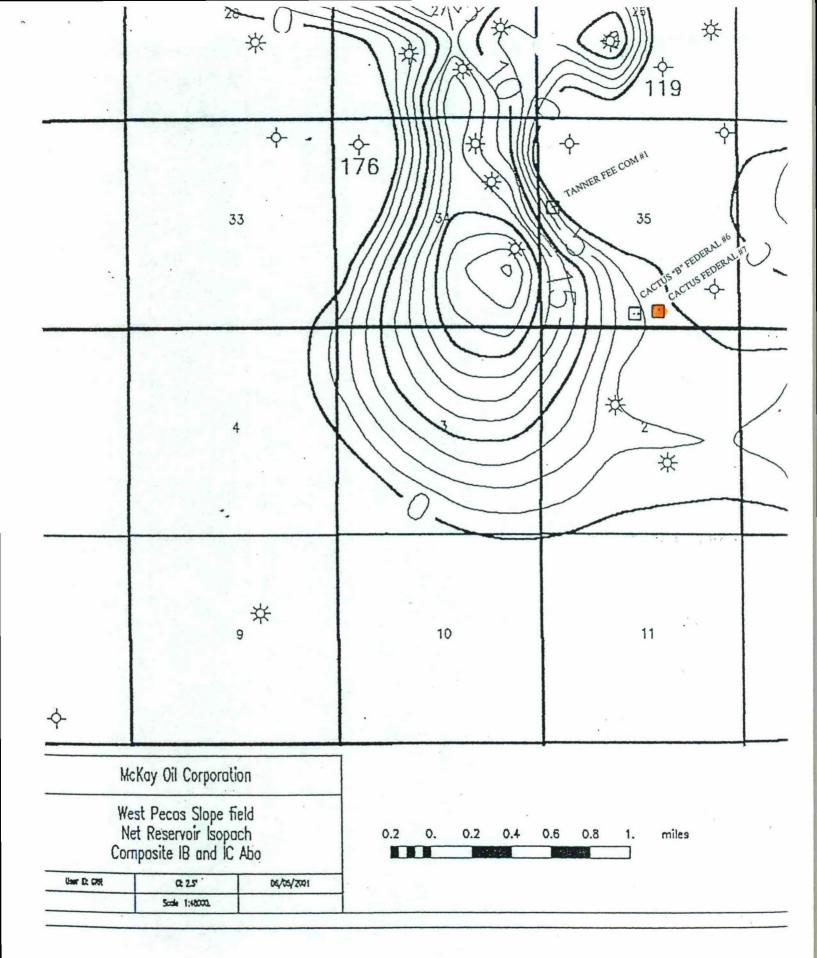


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