

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
P. O. BOX 871  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Case 3029

March 13, 1964

Mr. Ross Malone  
Atwood & Malone  
Attorneys at Law  
P. O. Drawer 700  
Roswell, New Mexico 88201

DOCKET MAILED

Date 4/3/64

Dear Mr. Malone:

With further reference to Pan American's application to drill in the SE/4 of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, this is to confirm that a case will be docketed for the consideration of this matter on April 15, 1964, which is the regular monthly hearing date.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr.  
Secretary-Director

ALP/ir

cc: Mr. R. H. Blackman  
Resident Counsel  
Potash Company of America  
Carlsbad, New Mexico

DOCKET MAILED

Date 4-3-64

Mr. M. L. Armstrong, Supervisor  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Artesia, New Mexico

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**POTASH COMPANY OF AMERICA**

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March 12, 1964

R. H. BLACKMAN  
RESIDENT COUNSEL

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.  
Secretary-Director  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Post Office Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Pan American Petroleum Corporation Notice of Intention  
to Drill Pan American's State "CS" Well No. 1-SE/4 of  
Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M.,  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

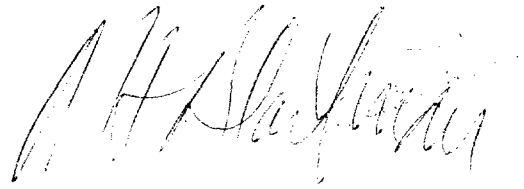
We acknowledge receipt of a copy of Mr. Malone's March 10  
letter to you regarding the matter referenced.

Potash Company of America hereby objects to the drilling  
of a well at any location within the SE/4 of Section 17,  
T.20S., R.30E., N.M.P.M., waives an arbitration meeting  
as provided for by Order R111-A, Case No. 278 and con-  
sents to a joint hearing on the original Notice of Inten-  
tion to Drill and the alternate Notice.

Very truly yours,

RHB:mw

cc: Ross L. Malone, Esq.  
P.O. Drawer 700  
Roswell, New Mexico



MEMBER: AMERICAN POTASH INSTITUTE

Chm 2029

MAIN OFFICE OCC

ATTACHMENT TO FORM G-101 DATED FEBRUARY 25, 1964,  
~~PAN AMERICAN STATE CS WELL NO. 149~~  
SECTION 17, T-20-S, R-30-E

Re Arbitration Meeting held at USGS Office in Roswell, New Mexico, on February 6, 1964. Above location is the best considering customary rig equipment arrangement within 100' of the Barber "4-A" Well; however, as discussed in the Arbitration Meeting, Pan American is agreeable to a location anywhere within a 100' radius circle, the center of the circle being the Barber "4-A" well located 1639.2' FSL and 2304.5' FEL, Section 17, T-20-S, R-30-E. This is an alternate location with agreement made at the Arbitration Meeting for both Pan American and Potash Company of America to waive requirement for an additional arbitration meeting.

A plat showing the location of the proposed well is attached hereto.

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION	
Santa Fe, New Mexico	
FILE	
M.S.C.	
LAND OFFICE	
TRANSPORTER	OIL GAS
PRODUCTION OFFICE	
OPERATOR	

# NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico

Chm 3007  
Form C-101  
Revised (12/1/55)

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL

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Albino, New Mexico  
(Place)

November 20, 1953  
(Date)

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that it is our intention to commence the Drilling of a well to be known as

**Pan American Petroleum Corporation**  
(Company or Operator)

**State of New Mexico**  
(Lease)

Well No. **1**, in **P** (Unit) The well is

located **660** feet from the **South** line and **660** feet from the

**East** line of Section **17**, T. **20-S**, R. **20-E**, NMPM.

(GIVE LOCATION FROM SECTION LINE) **Wildcat** Pool, **Albino** County

If State Land the Oil and Gas Lease is No. **2-0366**

If patented land the owner is

Address

We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows: **0-12,400' with rotary tools.**

The status of plugging bond is **Blanket bond on file with Commission**

Drilling Contractor

**To be furnished at a later date**

We intend to complete this well in the **Albino** formation at an approximate depth of **12,400'** feet.

### CASING PROGRAM

We propose to use the following strings of Casing and to cement them as indicated:

Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight per Foot	New or Second Hand	Depth	Sacks Cement
<b>24"</b>	<b>24"</b>	<b>33.64</b>	<b>New</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>Circulate</b>
<b>17-1/2"</b>	<b>17-1/2"</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>New</b>	<b>1400</b>	<b>Circulate</b>
<b>12-1/2"</b>	<b>9-1/2"</b>	<b>32.2-24</b>	<b>New</b>	<b>4000</b>	<b>Circulate</b>
<b>8-9/16"</b>	<b>8-1/2"</b>	<b>17-00</b>	<b>New</b>	<b>12600</b>	<b>Sufficient to cover all indicated pays.</b>

If changes in the above plans become advisable we will notify you immediately.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (If recompletion give full details of proposed plan of work.)

Consents to comply with provisions of HBUS Order B-111A

Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Except as follows:

**ILLEGIBLE**

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

By \_\_\_\_\_

Sincerely yours,

**Pan American Petroleum Corporation**

Original Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
(Company or Operator)

By **V. E. STALEY**

Position **Area Superintendent**

Send Communications regarding well to

**V. E. Staley**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address **Box 60 - Albino, New Mexico**

Albino, New Mexico, N.M.

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

FORM C-128  
Revised 5/1/57

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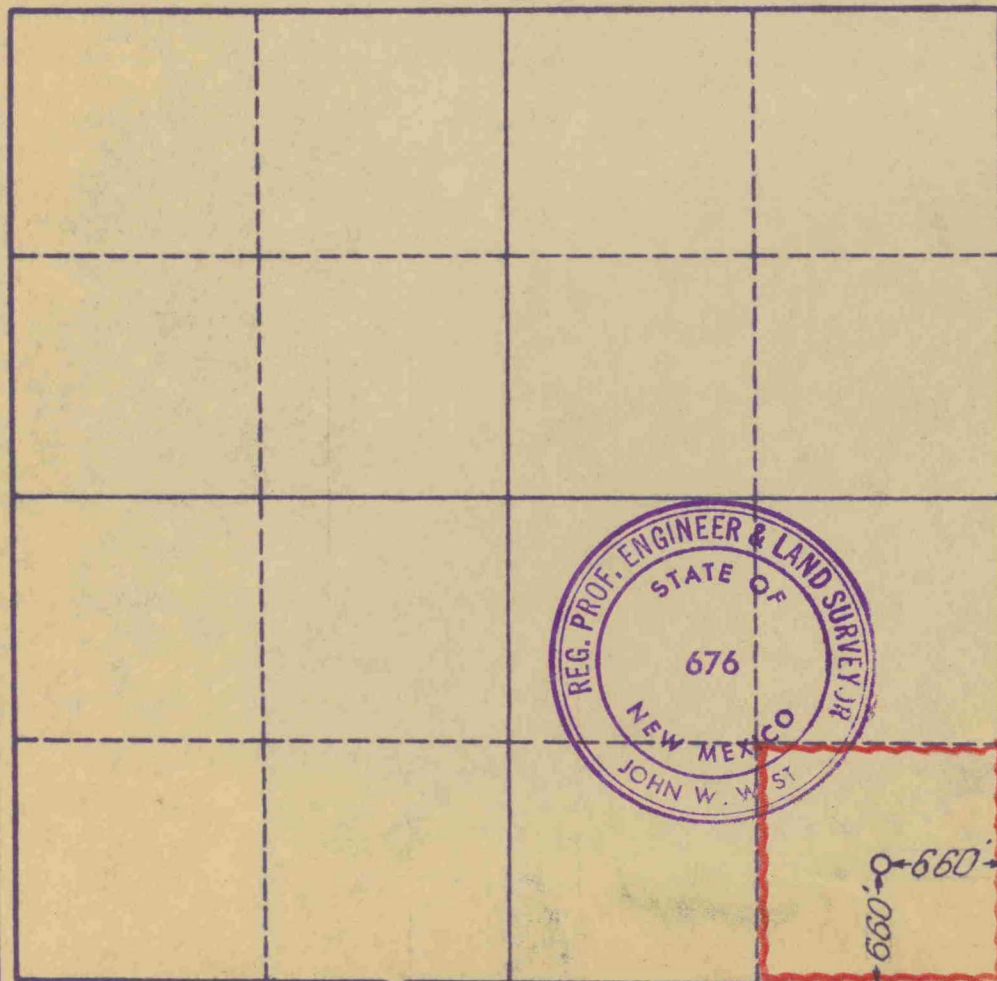
SECTION A

Operator <b>Pan American</b>		Lease <b>State C S</b>		Val No. <b>1</b>	
Unit Letter <b>P</b>	Section <b>17</b>	Township <b>20</b>	Range <b>30</b>	County <b>Eddy</b>	
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>660</b> feet from the <b>South</b> line and <b>660</b> feet from the <b>East</b> line					
Ground Level Elev.	Producing Formation <b>Mississippian</b>		Pool <b>Wildcat</b>	Dedicated Acreage: <b>40</b> Acres	

1. Is the Operator the only owner in the dedicated acreage outlined on the plat below? YES ☒ NO ☐ ("Owner" means the person who has the right to drill into and to produce from any pool and to appropriate the production either for himself or for himself and another. (65-3-29 (e) NMSA 1935 Comp.)
2. If the answer to question one is "no," have the interests of all the owners been consolidated by communitization agreement or otherwise? YES ☐ NO ☐ . If answer is "yes," Type of Consolidation \_\_\_\_\_
3. If the answer to question two is "no," list all the owners and their respective interests below:

Owner	Land Description

SECTION B



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information in SECTION A above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name **Original Signed By**  
**V. E. STALEY**  
Position  
**Area Superintendent**  
Company  
**Pan American Petroleum Corp.**  
Date  
**November 20, 1963**

I hereby certify that the well location shown on the plat in SECTION B 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  
**11-16-63**  
Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor, **JOHN W. WEST**  
*John W. West*  
Certificate No.  
**N. M. - P. E. & L. S. NO. 676**

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Form C-101
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL

Handwritten number: 3029

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Hobbs, New Mexico
(Place)

March 6, 1964
(Date)

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

(Alternate Location)

Gentlemen:
You are hereby notified that it is our intention to commence the Drilling of a well to be known as
Pan American Petroleum Corporation

State of New Mexico "CS"
Well No. 1, in J. The well is
located 1739 feet from the South line and 2310 feet from the East line of Section 17, T. 20-S, R. 30-E, NMPM.
(GIVE LOCATION FROM SECTION LINE) Wildcat Pool, Eddy County

Table with 4 columns (D, C, B, A) and 4 rows (E, F, G, H; L, K, J, I; M, N, O, P). Cell J contains an asterisk.

If State Land the Oil and Gas Lease is No. B-2386
If patented land the owner is
Address
We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows: 0-12,600' with rotary tools
The status of plugging bond is Blanket bond on file with Commission
Drilling Contractor To be furnished at a later date

We intend to complete this well in the Mississippian formation at an approximate depth of 12,600' feet.

CASING PROGRAM

We propose to use the following strings of Casing and to cement them as indicated:

Table with 6 columns: Size of Hole, Size of Casing, Weight per Foot, New or Second Hand, Depth, Sacks Cement. Rows include casing sizes from 24" down to 8-3/4" and depths up to 12,600'.

If changes in the above plans become advisable we will notify you immediately. all indicated pays

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (If recompletion give full details of proposed plan of work.)

Comments to comply with provisions of NMOCC Order R-111A

\* See attached comments on location.

Approved, 19
Except as follows:

Sincerely yours,
Pan American Petroleum Corporation
(Company or Operator)
By
Position Area Superintendent
Send Communications regarding well to
Name V. E. Staley
Address Box 68 - Hobbs, New Mexico - 88240

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

By



Case 3029

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND DEDICATION PLAT

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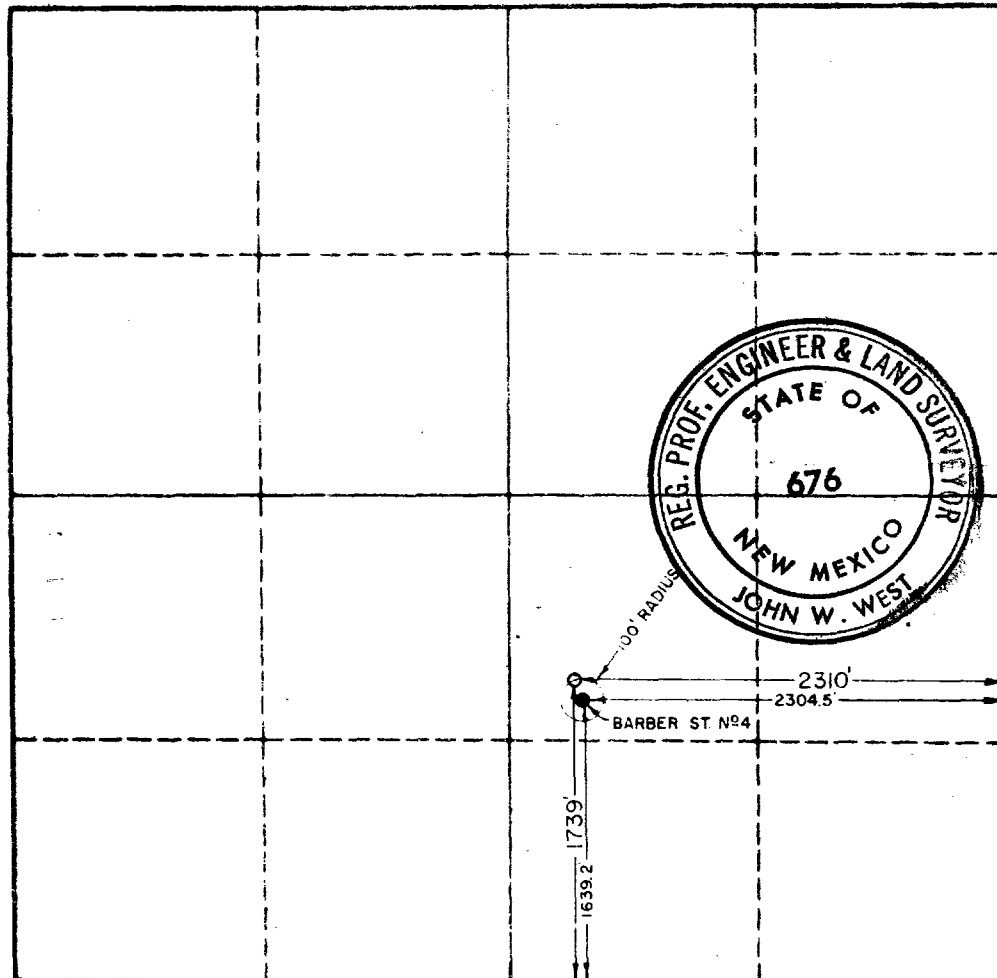
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Operator <b>PAN AMERICAN PET. CORP.</b>		SECTION 17 1964 MAR 12 AM 8:45		Well No. <b>1 ALTERNATE</b>	
Unit Letter <b>J</b>	Section <b>17</b>	Township <b>20 SOUTH</b>	Range <b>30 EAST</b>	County <b>EDDY</b>	
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>1739</b> feet from the <b>SOUTH</b> line and <b>2310</b> feet from the <b>EAST</b> line					
Ground Level Elev.	Producing Formation <b>Mississippian</b>		Pool <b>Wildcat</b>	Dedicated Acreage: <b>40</b> Acres	

1. Is the Operator the only owner in the dedicated acreage outlined on the plat below? YES ☒ NO ☐ ("Owner" means the person who has the right to drill into and to produce from any pool and to appropriate the production either for himself or for himself and another. (65-3-29 (a) NMSA 1935 Comp.)
2. If the answer to question one is "no," have the interests of all the owners been consolidated by communitization agreement or otherwise? YES ☐ NO ☐ If answer is "yes," Type of Consolidation \_\_\_\_\_
3. If the answer to question two is "no," list all the owners and their respective interests below:

Owner	Land Description

SECTION B



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information in SECTION A above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name [Signature]  
Position  
**Area Superintendent**  
Company  
**Pan American Petroleum Corp.**  
Date  
**March 6, 1964**

I hereby certify that the well location shown on the plat in SECTION B 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  
**3/3/64**  
Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor, **JOHN W. WEST**  
[Signature]  
Certificate No.  
**N. M. - P. E. & L. S. NO. 676**

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ATWOOD & MALONE

LAWYERS

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JEFF D. ATWOOD (1883-1960)  
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P. O. DRAWER 700  
TELEPHONE 505 622-6221  
SECURITY NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO  
88201

March 10, 1964

Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.  
Secretary-Director  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Post Office Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Pan American Petroleum Corporation Notice of Intention  
to Drill Pan American's State "CS" Well No. 1 - SE/4 of  
Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M.,  
Eddy County, New Mexico

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Dear Mr. Porter:

In accordance with the understanding reached at the arbitration meeting between Pan American Petroleum Corporation and Potash Company of America at Roswell on February 6, 1964, I am enclosing herewith alternate Notice of Intention to Drill the referenced well by Pan American Petroleum Corporation. By this alternate notice Pan American expresses its willingness to drill at a location anywhere within a 100 foot circle around the Barber "4-A" well located 1,650 feet FSL and 2,310 feet FEL, Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M.

It is Pan American's understanding of the arrangement agreed to on February 6th that it will waive the filing of an additional protest by Potash Company of America and will treat the protest originally filed as applicable to this alternate location also. It is also our understanding that both Pan American and Potash Company of America will waive the holding of an additional arbitration meeting on this alternate notice and that the original notice and alternate notice will be heard by the Commission at the time of the April meeting of the Commission or at such other time as the Commission finds to be convenient. This letter will evidence Pan American's:

1. Waiver of the filing of an additional protest by Potash Company of America, and,



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Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr.

MAIN OFFICE OCC

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2. Waiver of an arbitration meeting as provided by Order No. R-111-A, Case No. 278,
3. Consent to a joint hearing on the original Notice of Intention to Drill and the enclosed alternate Notice of Intention to Drill the referenced well.

I assume that Potash Company of America will immediately confirm to you its waiver of the formalities in accordance with the agreement reached at the meeting in Roswell. A copy of this letter, together with a copy of the enclosed notice is being forwarded to Potash Company of America by registered mail. If anything further is required of Pan American in this connection, please advise me.

Very truly yours,

  
for ATWOOD & MALONE

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Encls.

DOCKET MAILED

Cc: Mr. Neil S. Whitmore  
District Superintendent  
Pan American Petroleum Corporation  
Post Office Box 268  
Lubbock, Texas

Date 4-3-64

Roy S. Blackman, Esquire  
Potash Company of America  
Carlsbad, New Mexico

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Address

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Drilling Contractor **To be furnished at a later date**

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8-3/4"	5-1/2"	17-20#	"	12,600	Sufficient to

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Original Signed By (Company or Operator)

By **V. E. STALEY**

Position **Area Superintendent**

Send Communications regarding well to  
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Name **Box 69 - Hobbs, New Mexico - 88240**  
Address

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

By.....

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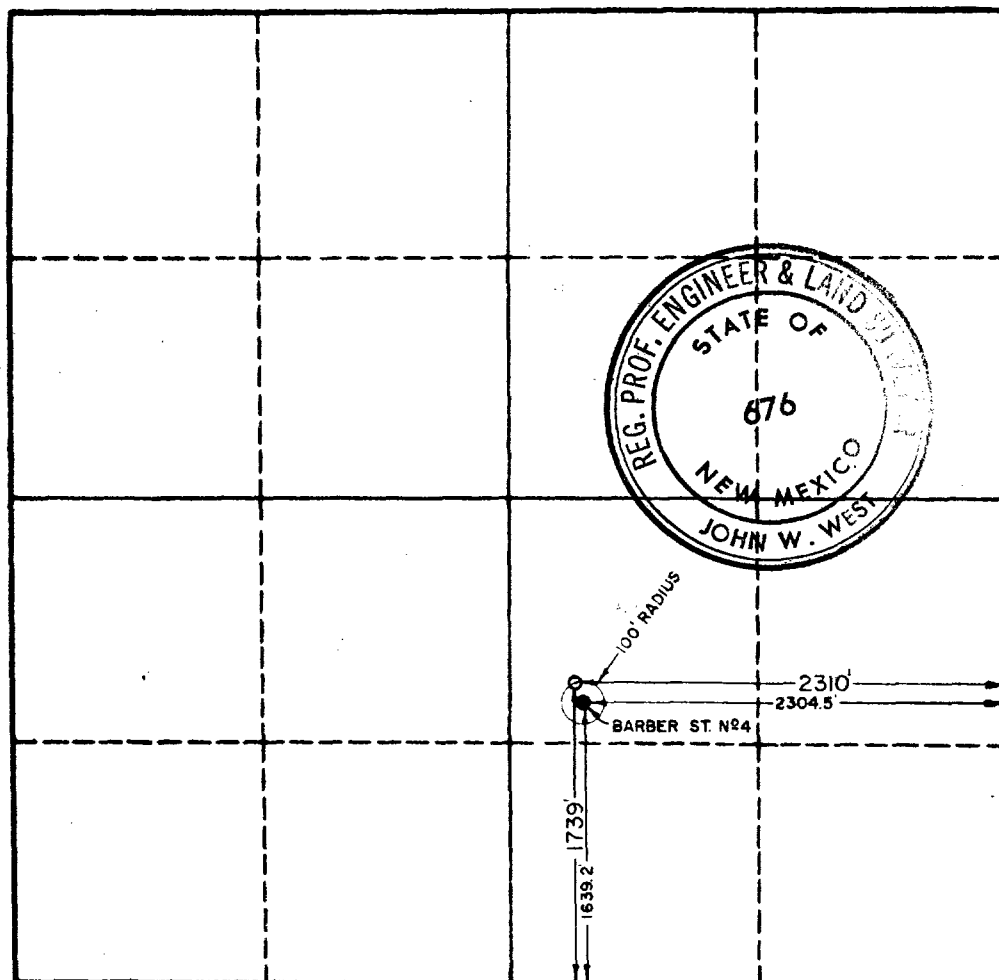
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Name Original Signed by:  
**V. E. STALEY**

Position  
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Company  
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Date  
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