



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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March 14, 1989

Meridian Oil, Inc.
P.O. Box 4289
Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Case 9649

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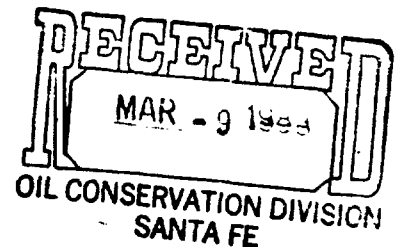
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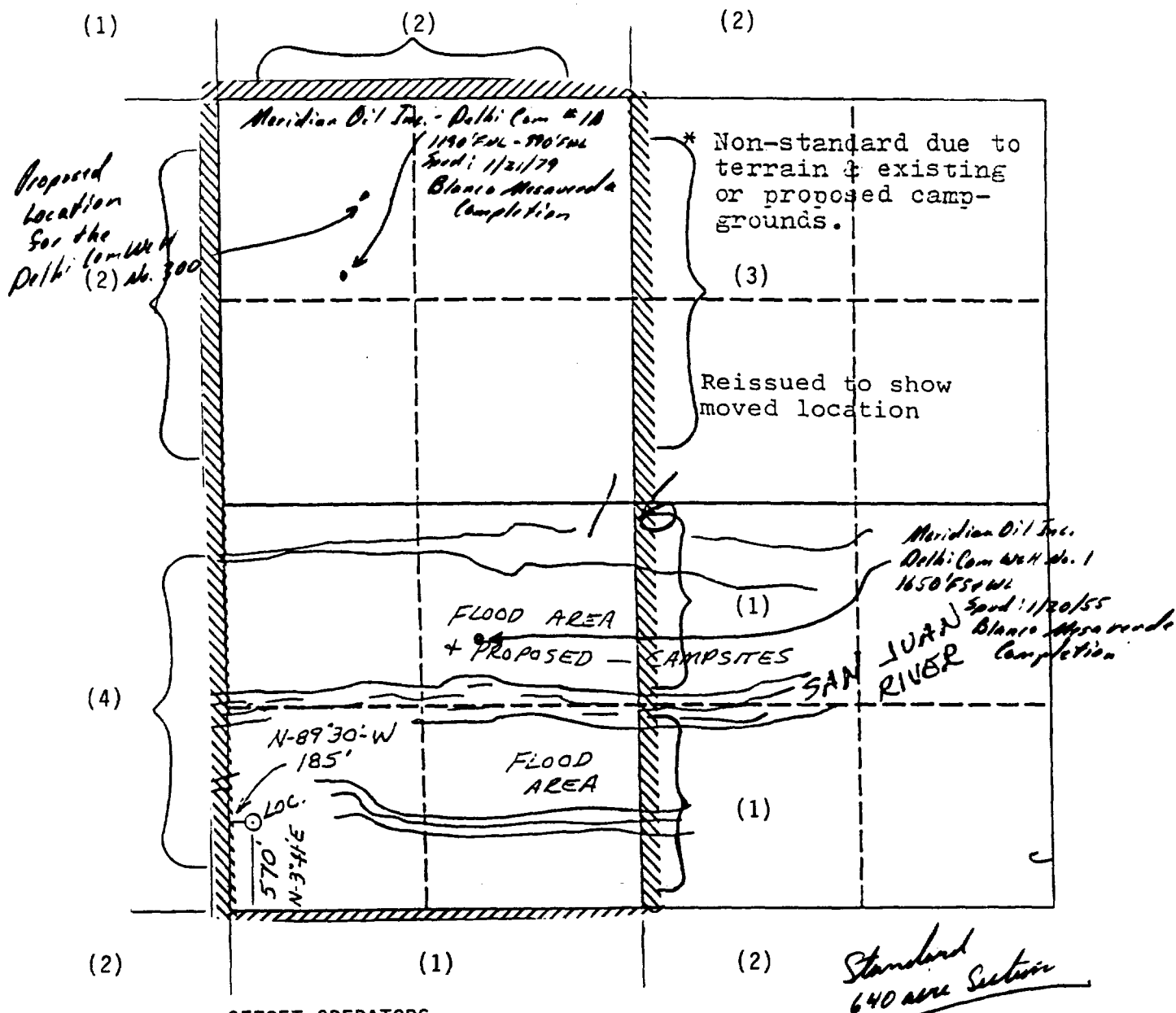
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Well Name Delhi Com #300, Fruitland CoalFootage-- 570' FSL; 185' FWLAPPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATIONCounty San Juan State New Mexico Section 16 Township 30N Range 8W

REMARKS:

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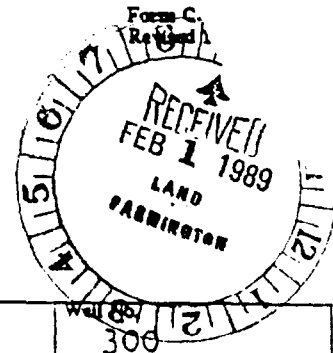
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Date Surveyed 1-30-89
Neal A. Hawkins

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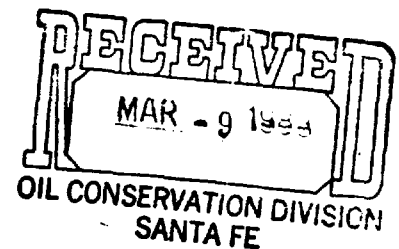
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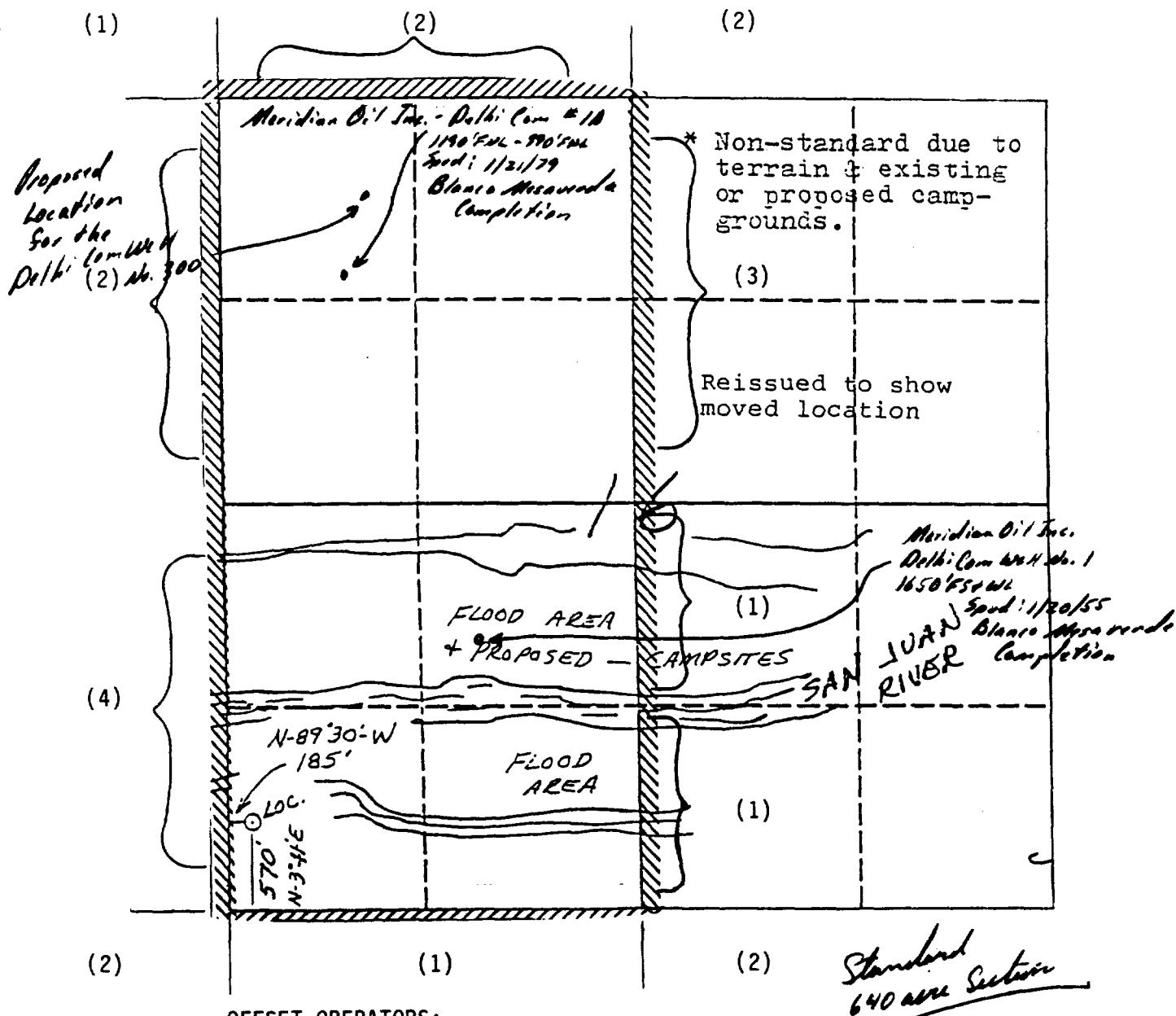
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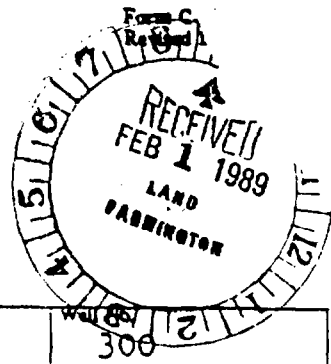
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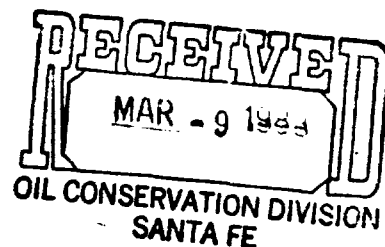
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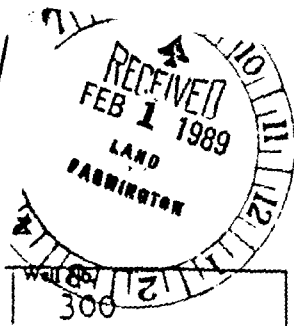
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