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NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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March 7, 2008

Mr. David Pyeatt Liquid Resource Services, LLC. 1819 N. Turner, Suite B, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Discharge Permit Hobbs State Well No. 10 Brine Well (BW-030) Renewal

Dear Mr. Pyeatt:

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20.6.2.3101 NMAC or 20.6.4 NMAC (Water Quality Standards for Interstate and Intrastate Streams) unless specifically listed in the permit application and approved herein. <u>An</u> <u>unauthorized discharge is a violation of this permit.</u>

19. Vadose Zone and Water Pollution: The owner/operator shall address any contamination through the discharge permit process or pursuant to WQCC 20.6.2.4000-.4116 NMAC (Prevention and Abatement of Water Pollution). The OCD may require the owner/operator to modify its permit for investigation, remediation, abatement, and monitoring requirements for any vadose zone or water pollution. Failure to perform any required investigation, remediation, abatement and submit subsequent reports will be a violation of the permit.

20. Additional Site Specific Conditions: <u>N/A</u>

21. Brine Well(s) Identification, Operation, Monitoring, Bonding and Reporting.

A. Well Identification: API # 30-025-35915

- **B.** <u>Well Work Over Operations:</u> OCD approval will be obtained prior to performing remedial work, pressure test or any other work. Approval will be requested on OCD Form C-103 "Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells" (OCD Rule 1103.A.) with appropriate copies sent to the OCD Environmental Bureau and District Office.
- C. <u>Production Method:</u> Fresh water will be injected down the casing and brine shall be recovered up the tubing. Reverse flow will be allowed only once a month for up to 24 hours for clean out. Operators may request long term reverse operation if they can demonstrate that additional casing and monitoring systems are installed and approved by OCD. Operating in the reverse mode for more than 24 hours unless approved otherwise is a violation of this permit.
- **D.** <u>Well Pressure Limits:</u> The maximum operating surface injection and/or test pressure measured at the wellhead shall not exceed 510 psig unless otherwise approved by the OCD. The operator shall have a working pressure limiting device or controls to prevent overpressure. Any pressure that causes new fractures or propagate existing fractures or causes damage to the system shall be reported to OCD within 24 hours of discovery.
- E. <u>Mechanical Integrity Testing</u>: Conduct an annual open to formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation with approved fluids or gas to a minimum of 300 psig measured on the surface casing for four hours. However, no operator may exceed test pressures that may cause formation fracturing (see item 21.D above) or system failures. Systems requiring test pressures less than 300 psig must be approved by OCD prior to testing. At least once every five years and during well work-overs the salt cavern formation will be isolated from the casing/tubing annuals and the casing

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pressure tested at 300 psig for 30 minutes. All pressure tests must be performed per the scheduled shown below and witnessed by OCD unless otherwise approved.

Testing Schedule:

2008-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test
2009-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test
2010-	30 minute	@ 300 psig casing test only (set packer to isolate formation)
2011-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test
2012-	4 hour	(a) 300 psig casing open to formation test

F. <u>Capacity/ Cavity Configuration and Subsidence Survey:</u> The operator shall provide information on the size and extent of the solution cavern and geologic/engineering data demonstrating that continued brine extraction will not cause surface subsidence, collapse or damage to property, or become a threat to public health and the environment. This information shall be supplied in each <u>annual report</u>. OCD may require the operator to perform additional well surveys, test, and install subsidence monitoring in order to demonstrate the integrity of the system. If the operator cannot demonstrate the integrity of the system to the satisfaction of the Division then the operator may be required to shut-down, close the site and properly plug and abandoned the well.

Any subsidence must be reported within 24 hours of discovery.

- **G.** <u>Production/Injection Volumes:</u> The volumes of fluids injected (fresh water) and produced (brine) will be recorded monthly and submitted to the OCD Santa Fe Office in the annual report.
- **H.** <u>Analysis of Injection Fluid and Brine:</u> Provide an analysis of the injection fluid and brine with each annual report. Analysis will be for General Chemistry (method 40 CFR 136.3) using EPA methods.
- I. <u>Area of Review (AOR)</u>: The operator shall report within 24 hours of discovery of any new wells, conduits, or any other device that penetrates or may penetrate the injection zone within ¹/₄ mile from the brine well.
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- K. <u>Bonding or Financial Assurance</u>: The operator shall maintain at a minimum, a one well plugging bond in the amount of \$50,000.00 to restore the site, plug and abandon

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the well by January 1, 2008, pursuant to OCD rules and regulations. If warranted, OCD may require additional financial assurance.

- L. <u>Annual Report</u>: All operators shall submit an annual report due on January 31 of each year. The report shall include the following information:
 - 1. Cover sheet marked as "Annual Brine Well Report, name of operator, BW permit #, API# of well(s), date of report, and person submitting report.
 - 2. Brief summary of brine wells operations including description and reason for any remedial or major work on the well. Copy of C-103.
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 - 9. Information required from cavity/subsidence 21.F. above.
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<u>Conditions accepted by</u>: "I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment."

Company Name-print name above

Company Representative- print name

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Title

Date:

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF CHECK/CASH

I hereby acknowledge receipt of check No dated _3/18/03
or cash received on in the amount of 1700^{22}
from Liquid Resources Services LLC
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13. Class V Wells: The owner/operator shall close all Class V wells (e.g., septic systems, leach fields, dry wells, etc.) that inject non-hazardous industrial wastes or a mixture of industrial wastes and domestic wastes unless it can be demonstrated that ground water will not be impacted in the reasonably foreseeable future. Leach fields and other wastewater disposal systems at OCD-regulated facilities that inject non-hazardous fluid into or above an underground source of drinking water are considered Class V injection wells under the EPA UIC program. Class V wells that inject domestic waste only, must be permitted by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED).

14. Housekeeping: The owner/operator shall inspect all systems designed for spill collection/prevention and leak detection at least monthly to ensure proper operation and to prevent over topping or system failure. All spill collection and/or secondary containment devices shall be emptied of fluids within 72 hours of discovery. The owner/operator shall maintain all records at the facility and available for OCD inspection.

15. Spill Reporting: The owner/operator shall report all unauthorized discharges, spills, leaks and releases and conduct corrective action pursuant to WQCC Regulation 20.5.12.1203 NMAC and OCD Rule 116 (19.15.3.116 NMAC). The owner/operator shall notify both the OCD District Office and the Santa Fe Office within 24 hours and file a written report within 15 days.

16. **OCD Inspections:** The OCD may place additional requirements on the facility and modify the permit conditions based on OCD inspections.

17. Storm Water: The owner/operator shall implement and maintain run-on and runoff plans and controls. The owner/operator shall not discharge any water contaminant that exceeds the WQCC standards specified in 20.6.2.3101 NMAC or 20.6.4 NMAC (Water Quality Standards for Interstate and Intrastate Streams) including any oil sheen in any storm water run-off. The owner/operator shall notify the OCD within 24 hours of discovery of any releases and shall take immediate corrective action(s) to stop the discharge.

18. Unauthorized Discharges: The owner/operator shall not allow or cause water pollution, discharge or release of any water contaminant that exceeds the WQCC standards listed in

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20.6.2.3101 NMAC or 20.6.4 NMAC (Water Quality Standards for Interstate and Intrastate Streams) unless specifically listed in the permit application and approved herein. <u>An</u> <u>unauthorized discharge is a violation of this permit.</u>

19. Vadose Zone and Water Pollution: The owner/operator shall address any contamination through the discharge permit process or pursuant to WQCC 20.6.2.4000-.4116 NMAC (Prevention and Abatement of Water Pollution). The OCD may require the owner/operator to modify its permit for investigation, remediation, abatement, and monitoring requirements for any vadose zone or water pollution. Failure to perform any required investigation, remediation, abatement and submit subsequent reports will be a violation of the permit.

20. Additional Site Specific Conditions: <u>N/A</u>

21. Brine Well(s) Identification, Operation, Monitoring, Bonding and Reporting.

A. Well Identification: API # 30-025-35915

- **B.** <u>Well Work Over Operations:</u> OCD approval will be obtained prior to performing remedial work, pressure test or any other work. Approval will be requested on OCD Form C-103 "Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells" (OCD Rule 1103.A.) with appropriate copies sent to the OCD Environmental Bureau and District Office.
- C. <u>Production Method:</u> Fresh water will be injected down the casing and brine shall be recovered up the tubing. Reverse flow will be allowed only once a month for up to 24 hours for clean out. Operators may request long term reverse operation if they can demonstrate that additional casing and monitoring systems are installed and approved by OCD. Operating in the reverse mode for more than 24 hours unless approved otherwise is a violation of this permit.
- **D.** <u>Well Pressure Limits:</u> The maximum operating surface injection and/or test pressure measured at the wellhead shall not exceed 510 psig unless otherwise approved by the OCD. The operator shall have a working pressure limiting device or controls to prevent overpressure. Any pressure that causes new fractures or propagate existing fractures or causes damage to the system shall be reported to OCD within 24 hours of discovery.
- E. <u>Mechanical Integrity Testing</u>: Conduct an annual open to formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation with approved fluids or gas to a minimum of 300 psig measured on the surface casing for four hours. However, no operator may exceed test pressures that may cause formation fracturing (see item 21.D above) or system failures. Systems requiring test pressures less than 300 psig must be approved by OCD prior to testing. At least once every five years and during well work-overs the salt cavern formation will be isolated from the casing/tubing annuals and the casing

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> pressure tested at 300 psig for 30 minutes. All pressure tests must be performed per the scheduled shown below and witnessed by OCD unless otherwise approved. 이 가슴에 나는 것을 가 된다.

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Testing Schedule:

2008-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test
2009-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test
2010-	30 minute	@ 300 psig casing test only (set packer to isolate formation)
2011-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test
2012-	4 hour	@ 300 psig casing open to formation test

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F. Capacity/ Cavity Configuration and Subsidence Survey: The operator shall provide information on the size and extent of the solution cavern and geologic/engineering data demonstrating that continued brine extraction will not cause surface subsidence, collapse or damage to property, or become a threat to public health and the environment. This information shall be supplied in each annual report. OCD may require the operator to perform additional well surveys, test, and install subsidence monitoring in order to demonstrate the integrity of the system. If the operator cannot demonstrate the integrity of the system to the satisfaction of the Division then the operator may be required to shut-down, close the site and properly plug and abandoned the well. Water of the transmission of the activity and the

Any subsidence must be reported within 24 hours of discovery.

- G. Production/Injection Volumes: The volumes of fluids injected (fresh water) and produced (brine) will be recorded monthly and submitted to the OCD Santa Fe Office in the annual report.
- **H.** Analysis of Injection Fluid and Brine: Provide an analysis of the injection fluid and brine with each annual report. Analysis will be for General Chemistry (method 40 CFR 136.3) using EPA methods.
- I. Area of Review (AOR): The operator shall report within 24 hours of discovery of any new wells, conduits, or any other device that penetrates or may penetrate the injection zone within $\frac{1}{4}$ mile from the brine well. Book in the star
- J. Loss of Mechanical Integrity: The operator shall report within 24 hours of discovery of any failure of the casing, tubing or packer, or movement of fluids outside of the injection zone. The operator shall cease operations until proper repairs are made and the operator receives OCD approval to re-start injection operations.
- a de la presidencia de la composición d K. Bonding or Financial Assurance: The operator shall maintain at a minimum, a one well plugging bond in the amount of \$50,000.00 to restore the site, plug and abandon

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the well by January 1, 2008, pursuant to OCD rules and regulations. If warranted, OCD may require additional financial assurance.

وفرافيه التعري والمراجع * L. Annual Report: All operators shall submit an annual report due on January 31 of each year. The report shall include the following information:

- 1. Cover sheet marked as "Annual Brine Well Report, name of operator, BW permit #, API# of well(s), date of report, and person submitting report.
- 2. Brief summary of brine wells operations including description and reason for any remedial or major work on the well. Copy of C-103.
- 3. Production volumes as required above in 21.G. including a running total should be carried over to each year. The maximum and average injection pressure.
- 4. A copy of the chemical analysis as required above in 21.H.
- 5. A copy of any mechanical integrity test chart, including the type of test, i.e. open to formation or casing test.
- 6. Brief explanation describing deviations from normal production methods.
- 7. A copy of any leaks and spills reports.
- 8. If applicable, results of any groundwater monitoring.
- 9. Information required from cavity/subsidence 21.F. above.
- 10. An Area of Review (AOR) summary.
- 11. Sign-off requirements pursuant to WQCC Subsection G 20.6.2.5101.

22. Transfer of Discharge Permit: Pursuant to WQCC 20.6.2.5101.H the owner/operator and new owner/operator shall provide written notice of any transfer of the permit. Both parties shall sign the notice 30 days prior to any transfer of ownership, control or possession of a facility with an approved discharge permit. In addition, the purchaser shall include a written commitment to comply with the terms and conditions of the previously approved discharge permit. OCD will not transfer brine well operations until proper bonding or financial assurance is in place and approved by the division. OCD reserves the right to require a modification of the permit during transfer.

23. **Closure:** The owner/operator shall notify the OCD when operations of the facility are to be discontinued for a period in excess of six months. Prior to closure of the facility, the operator shall submit for OCD approval, a closure plan including a completed C-103 form for plugging and abandonment of the well(s). Closure and waste disposal shall be in accordance with the statutes, rules and regulations in effect at the time of closure.

Certification: Pycatt Corporation (Owner/Operator), by the officer whose signature 24. appears below, accepts this permit and agrees to comply with all submitted commitments, including these terms and conditions contained here. Owner/Operator further acknowledges that the OCD may, for good cause shown, as necessary to protect fresh water, public health, safety, and the environment, change the conditions and requirements of this permit administratively.

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<u>Conditions accepted by</u>: "I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment."

Jequid Resource Serves LLC

Company Name-print_name above

DAVID A. Pyeast member Company Representative- print name

Company Representative-signature

nember Title 3-13-08 Date:

March 14, 2008

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NMOCD Environmental ATTN: Carl J. Chavez 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: BW-30 Public Notice Liquid Resource Service LLC

Mr. Chavez:

Find attached notice to the above permit, this was advertised in Spanish and English. I also posted notice on location, photos showing the posting is attached.

This should finish up the process for this permit.

If you have any additional questions or need anything further, please call.

Thanks,

Eddie W. Seay, Agent Eddie Seay Consulting 601 W. Illinois Hobbs, NM 88242 (575)392-2236 seay04@leaco.net

cc: Liquid Resource Service LLC

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Liguid Resources Service LLC. Mr. David Pyeatt, 1819 N. Turner, Suite B. Hobbs, New Mexico 88240, has submitted a renewal application to the Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division for the previously approved discharge permit (BW-030) for the brine well "Hobbs State well number 10 (API# 30-025-35915), located in the SE/4 of NW/4 of Section 29 of Township 18 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. The brine extraction well is located approximately 1.4 miles west of the North Lovington Hwy on West Bender Boulevard, turn south onto dirt road for 0.5 mile on Northwest County Road and turn right into the facility in Hobbs, New Mexico. Fresh water is injected into the Salado Formation at a depth of 1780 feet and 580 barrels per day of brine water is extracted with a total dissolved solids (TDS) concentration of approximately 300,000 mg/L for use in the oil industry. Groundwater most likely to be affected by a spill, leak or accidental discharge on the ground surface is at a depth of approximately 50 feet in the Ogallala Formation, with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 800 mg/L. The discharge permit addresses well construction, operation, monitoring of the well, associated surface facilities and provides a contingency plan in the event of accidental spills, leaks and other accidental discharges in order to protect fresh water.

Any interested person or may obtain further information, submit comments or request to be placed on a facility-specific mailing list for future notices by contacting Carl Chávez at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept., Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, E-mail carli chavez@state.nm.us, Telephone (505) 476-3491. The OCD will accept comments and statements of interest regarding the renewal and will create a facility-specific mailing list for persons who wish to receive future notices.

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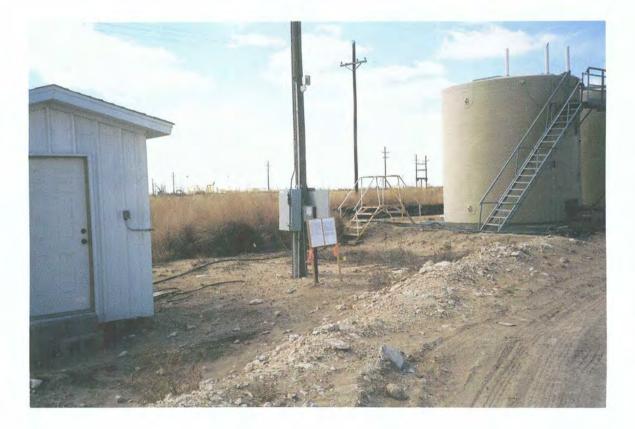
David Pyeatt, de Liquid Resources Services LLD, 1819 N. Turner, Suite B, Hobbs, Nuevo México 88240, ha sometido una applicación para renovación a la Departamento Del Energia, Minerales y Recursos Naturales, la División de la Conservación del Petróleo del plan previamente aprobadote la descarga (BW-030) para el poza de samuera "Hobbs State #10 (API# 30-025-35915). El pozo de salmuera se localiza en el SE/4 de NW/4 de la Sección 29 de Municipio 18 al sur, la Gama 38 al este. NMPM, Condado de Lea, Nuevo México. El pozo de salmuera se localizó en el Camino del West Bender Boulevard aproximadamente 1.4 millas al oeste del North Lovington Hwy, gire al sur en camino de tierra para 0.5 millas, gire a la derecha en esta facilidad de la ciudad de Hobbs, Nuevo México. El agua dulce es invectado en la Formación de Salado en una profundidad de 1780 pies y 580 barriles por día de agua de salmuera son extraídos con una concentración de los sólidos de aproximadamente 300,000 mg/L. El agua subterránea muy probablemente que se afectará por un derramamiento, un escape, o una descarga accidental está en una profundidad de 50 pies en la Formación de Ogallala, con una concentración de los sólidos de aproximadamente 800 mg/L. El permiso de la descarga dirige bien construcción, la operación, controlando del bien, se asoció las facilidades de superficie y proporciona un plan de emergencia en caso de accidental rocia, los escapes y otras descargas accidentales para proteger agua dulce.

Cualquier persona interesada puede obtener información adicional, someter comentarios, o petición colocar en una lista de facilidades especificamente que envia recurso para los avisos futuros por Carl Chavez a la Departamento Del Energía Minerales y Recursos Naturales, la División de la Conservación del Petróleo, 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, Nuevo México 87505, Correo Electrónco carli chavez@state.nm.us. Teléfonos (505) 476-3491. EL NMOCD validará comentarios y declaraciones del interés con respecto a la renovación y creará una lista de facilidades especificamente para las personas que desean recibir los avisos futuros.

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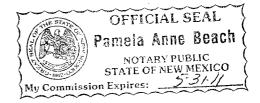
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STATE OF **NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS** AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT **OIL CONSERVATION** DIVISION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Water Quality Control: Commission Regulations (20.6.2.3106 NMAC).

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(BW-030) Liquid Re-source Services, LLC., Stewart of Riverside Mr. David Pyeatt, 1819 Transportation Inc., Juality Mr. David Pyeat, 1819 Transportation. Inc., iission N. Turner, Suite B, P.O. Box 1898, Carls Hobbs, New Mexico bad N.M. 88221-1898 MAC), 88240, has submitted dis-an application for the plication for a new appli-renewal of a dis-been charge permit for the been charge permit for the their Oil and Gas Serv-(20.6.2.3106 NMAC),
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(GW-133) Williams Four Corners., Mr. David Bays, Senior En-vironmental Specialist, 188 County Road 4900, Bloomfield, N.M. 4900, Bloomfield, N.M. 1902 Black Gold Road 87413, has submitted a renewal application for the previously, ap-proved discharge plan for their 30-8 CDP Compressor Station, Iocated in the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 32, Road, 3535 Flora Township 31 North, Range 8 West, NMPM, the NE/4 NW/4 of Sec San Juan County, New Mexico, approxi-mately 17miles east of Aztec, New Mexico. The station provides

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February 5, 2008

NMOCD Environmental ATTN: Carl Chavez 1220 S. St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Liquid Resource Services, LLC (BW-30) Notice Requirement

Mr. Chavez:

Find attached the notices I have prepared for the above listed brine facility. I will post the notice in both Spanish and English, in the Hobbs News Sun, a paper with local circulation. I will also post the notice on location as required.

If this meets with your approval, please let me know, so I can start the process.

I appreciate your help in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Eddie W. Seay, Agent Eddie Seay Consulting 601 W. Illinois Hobbs, NM 88242 (575)392-2236 seay04@leaco.net

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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Any interested person or may obtain further information, submit comments or request to be placed on a facility-specific mailing list for future notices by contacting Carl Chavez at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept., Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, E-mail carlj.chavez@state.nm.us, Telephone (505) 476-3491. The OCD will accept comments and statements of interest regarding the renewal and will create a facility-specific mailing list for persons who wish to receive future notices.

NOTA PUBLICA

David Pyeatt, de Liquid Resources Services LLC, 1819 N Turner, Suite B, Hobbs, Nuevo México 88240, ha sometido una aplicación para renovación a la Departamento Del Energía, Minerales y Recursos Naturales, la División de la Conservación del Petróleo del plan previamente aprobadote la descarga (BW-030) para el pozo de salmuera "Hobbs State # 10 (API# 30-025-35915). El pozo de salmuera se localiza en el SE/4 de NW/4 de la Sección 29 de Municipio 18 al sur, la Gama 38 al este, NMPM, Condado de Lea, Nuevo México. El pozo de salmuera se localizó en el Camino del West Bender Boulevard aproximadamente 1.4 millas al oeste del North Lovington Hwy, gire al sur en camino de tierra para 0.5 millas, gire a la derecha en esta facilidad de la ciudad de Hobbs, Nuevo México. El agua dulce es invectado en la Formación de Salado en una profundidad de 1780 pies y 580 barriles por día de agua de salmuera son extraídos con una concentración de los sólidos de aproximadamente 300.000 mg/L. El agua subterránea muy probablemente que se afectará por un derramamiento, un escape, o una descarga accidental está en una profundidad de 50 pies en la Formación de Ogallala, con una concentración de los sólidos de aproximadamente 800 mg/L. El permiso de la descarga dirige bien construcción, la operación, controlando del bien, se asoció las facilidades de superficie y proporciona un plan de emergencia en caso de accidental rocía, los escapes y otras descargas accidentales para proteger agua dulce.

Cualquier persona interesada puede obtener información adicional, someter comentarios, o petición colocar en una lista de facilidades específicamente que envía recurso para los avisos futuros por Carl Chavez a la Departamento Del Energía, Minerales y Recursos Naturales, la División de la Conservación del Petróleo, 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, Nuevo México 87505, Correo Electrónico carlj.chavez@state.nm.us. Teléfonos (505) 476-3491. El NMOCD validará comentarios y declaraciones del interés con respecto a la renovación y creará una lista de facilidades específicamente para las personas que desean recibir los avisos futuros.



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

BILL RICHARDSON Governor

Joanna Prukop Cabinet Secretary Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. Director Oil Conservation Division

January 31, 2008

Mr. David Pyeatt Liquid Resource Services, LLC. 1819 N. Turner, Suite B, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Discharge Plan Renewal of Permit (BW-030) Liquid Resource Services, LLC. Class III Brine Well Hobbs State Well No. 10, API No. 30-025-35915 2,565 FNL and 2,330 FWL UL: F Section 29, T 18 S, R 38 E Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Pyeatt:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) has received Liquid Resource Services, LLC.'s renewal application for the "Hobbs State Well No.10" brine well to inject fresh water and extract 10 pound brine water from the Salado Formation at a daily rate of 580 barrels per day and at a maximum injection pressure of 510 psig. The Class III brine well is located approximately 1.4 miles west of the North Lovington Hwy. on West Bender Boulevard, turn south and head straight and onto a dirt road for 0.5 mile on Northwest County Road, and turn right into the facility in Hobbs, New Mexico. The initial and subsequent submittals provided the required information in order to deem the renewal application "administratively" complete.

Therefore, the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission regulations (WQCC) notice requirements of 20.6.2.3108 NMAC must be satisfied and demonstrated to the NMOCD. NMOCD will provide public notice pursuant to the WQCC notice requirements of 20.6.2.3108 NMAC to determine if there is any public interest.

Please contact me at (505) 476-3491 or <u>carlj.chavez@state.nm.us</u> if you have questions. Thank you for your cooperation during this discharge permit review.

Sincerely,

Carl J. Chavez Environmental Engineer

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xc: OCD District Office

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission Regulations (20.6.2.3106 NMAC), the following discharge permit application(s) has been submitted to the Director of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("NMOCD"), 1220 S. Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505) 476-3440:

(BW-028) Key Energy Services, Inc., Mr. Louis Sanchez, 6 Desta Drive, Suite 4400, Midland, Texas 79705 has submitted an application for the renewal of a discharge permit for the brine well

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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(BW-028) Key Energy Services, Inc., Mr. Louis Sanchez, 6 Desta Drive, Suite 4400, Midland, Texas 79705 has submitted an application for the renewal of a discharge permit for the brine well."State Well No. 001" (API# 30-025-33547) located in the SW/4, NW/4 of Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. The brine extraction well is located approximately 2.5 miles north of Eunice, New Mexico on Hwy. 18, east on CR-207 0.1 miles into the facility. Fresh water is injected into the Salado Formation at a depth of 1,350 feet and 450 barrels per day of brine water is extracted through a 2,200 foot fiberglass tubing with total dissolved solids (TDS) concentration of approximately 300,000 mg/L for use in the oil industry. Groundwater most likely to be affected by a spill, leak, or accidental discharge to the surface is at a depth of approximately 70 feet with a TDS of approximately 1,100 mg/L. The discharge permit addresses well construction, operation, monitoring of the well, associated surface facilities, and provides a contingency plan in the event of accidential spills, leaks and other accidental discharges in order to protect fresh water.

(BW-030) Liquid Resource Services, LLC., Mr. David Pyeatt, 1819 N. Turner, Suite B, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240, has submitted an application for the renewal of a discharge permit for the brine well "Hobbs State No. 010" (API# 30-025-35915) located in the SE/4, NW/4 of Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. The brine extraction well is located approximately 1.4 miles west of the North Lovington Hwy on West Bender Boulevard, turn south and head straight and onto dirt road for 0.5 mile on Northwest County Road, and turn right into the facility in Hobbs New Mexico. Fresh water is injected into the Salado Formation at a depth of 1/700 feet and 580 barrels per day of brine water is extracted with a total dissolved solids (TDS) concentration of approximately 300.000 mg/L for use in the oil industry. Groundwater most likely to be affected by a spill leak or accidental discharge to the surface is at a depth of approximately 50 feet with a TDS of approximately 800 mg/L: The discharge permit addresses well construction, operation monitoring of the well associated surface facilities, and provides a contingency plan in the event of accidental spills, leaks and other accidental discharges in order to protect fresh water. or de la cale 10.103

(GW-010) Southern Union Gas Services, Ltd., Bruce Williams, Vice President, Operations, Southern Union Gas, Services, Ltd., 301 Commerce Street, Suite 700, Fort Worth, Texas 76,102, has submitted a renewal application for the previously approved discharge permit. Jal #3 Natural Gas Processing Plant, located in the SW/4 NW/4 of Section 33, Township 24 South, Range 37, East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, approximately 35 miles north of Jal, New Mexico and one mile east of Hwy, #18. Current operations at the facility are compression, sweetening and sulfur recovery, dehydration, cryogenic extraction of ethane and heavier hydrocarbons, steam generation, and Class II well disposal. The plant is designed to have no infentional liquid discharges and disposes of wastewater and acid, gas in a permitted Class II Woolworth Estate disposal well (API# 30-025-27081), which will be replaced by a similar well about 200 ft east of the existing well. The new disposal well will inlect in addition to past waste disposal, acid gas (H2S) into the San Andres Formation (4,350 – 5,200 ft.). A hydrogen sulfide-contingency plan, has been incorporated into the discharge permit. Groundwater most likely to be affected by a spill, leak for accidental discharge is at a depth of approximately 90 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 2,200 mg/l. The discharge permit addresses remediation of soll and ground water and how oilfield products and waste will be properly handled, stored, and disposed of including how spills, leaks and other accidental discharge to the surface will be managed in order to protect fresh water

(GW-319) Robert Strasner of R&R Service Company Inc., P.O. Box 1409 Hobbs, N.M. 88241-1409, has submitted a renewal application for the previously approved discharge plan for their Oil and Gas Service company. located in the NE/4 SW/4 of Section 33. Township 18 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, 1500 Broadway, Place, Hobbs N.M. The facility provides sandblasting and painting of oil-field equipment. Approximately fifty 100 lb sacks of sandblasting sand and small quantities of paint are stored onsite. Groundwater most likely to be affected by a spill, leak or accidental dischargeris at a depth of approximately 50 feet, with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 500 mg/l. The discharge plan-addresses how oilfield products and waste will be properly handled, stored, and disposed of, including how spills, leaks, and other accidental discharges to the surface will be managed in order to protect fresh water.

(GW-362) Mr. Clifford Stewart of Riverside Transportation Inc., P.O. Box 1898, Carlsbad N.M. 88221-1898 has submitted an application for a new discharge plan for their Oil and Gas Service Company located in Section 20, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, NMPM LearCounty, New Mexico, approximately — mile East of Jal, New Mexico. Typical materials generated or used at the facility include bagged potassium chloride, new and used lube oil and other chemicals provided to the oil and gas industry Approximately 600 gallons of used lube oil, which is sold to a recycling facility, 400 bags of 500 k CL: 100 gallons of liquid KCL and 500 barres of truck wash are generated at the facility and will be sold on site in a closed top steel tank within a bermed area prior to disposal at an NMOCD approved facility. Groundwater most likely to be affected by a spill, leak or accidental discharge is at a depth of approximately 68 feet, with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 85 mg/l. The discharge plan addresses how ioifield products and waste will be properly handied, stored and disposed of including how spills leaks, and other accidental discharges to the surface will be managed in order to protect fresh water.

The NMOCD has determined that the application is administratively complete and has prepared a draft permit. The NMOCD will accept comments and statements of interest regarding this application and will create a facility specific mailing list for persons who wish to receive future notices. Persons interested in obtaining further information, submitting comiments or requesting to be on a facility-specific mailing list for future notices may contact the Environmental Bureau. Chief of the Oil Conservation Division at the address given above: The administrative completeness determination and draft permit may be viewed at the above address between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, or may also be viewed at the NMOCD web site <u>http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/</u>. Persons interested in obtaining a copy of the application and draft permit may contact the NMOCD at the address given above. Prior to ruling on any proposed discharge permit or major modification, the Director shall allow a period of at least thirty (30) days after the date of publication of his notice, during which interested persons may submit comments or request that NMOCD hold a public hearing. Requests for a public hearing shall set forth the reasons why a hearing should be held. A hearing will be held if the Director determines that there is signifcant public interest.

If no public hearing is held, the Director will approve or disapprove the proposed permit based on information available, including all comments received. If a public hearing is held, the director will approve or disapprove the proposed permit based on information in the permit application and information submitted at the hearing.

Para obtener más información sobre esta solicitud en espan_ol, sirvase comunicarse por favor: New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department (Depto. Del Energia, Minerals y Recursos Naturales de Nuevo México), Oil Conservation Division (Depto. Conservación n Del Petróleo), 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New México (Contacto: Dorothy Phillips, 505-476-3461)

GIVEN under the Seal of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 30th day of January, 2008.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Mark Fesmire, Director

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF CHECK/CASH

I hereby acknowledge receipt of check No. dated $\frac{9/13/07}{13/07}$
or cash received on in the amount of $\frac{20}{20}$
from Eddie Sery Consulting
for <u>BW-030</u>
Submitted by: LAWICINE PORTO Date: 9/19/07
Submitted to ASD by: Jawana Konun Date: 9/19/07
Received in ASD by: Date:
Filing Fee New Facility Renewal
Modification Other
Organization Code521.07 Applicable FY2004
To be deposited in the Water Quality Management Fund.
Full Payment or Annual Increment

September 13, 2007

NMOCD Environmental ATTN: Carl J. Chavez 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Liquid Resource Services LLC Hobbs State #10 Brine (BW-030) Discharge Plan Renewal

Mr. Chavez:

Within is application to renew the permit for BW-030. Whenever you deem the application administratively approvable, we will do our advertisement.

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Should you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,

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Eddie W. Seay, Agent Eddie Seay Consulting 601 W. Illinois Hobbs, NM 88242 (505)392-2236 seay04@leaco.net

Oil Conservation Division

1220 South St. Francis Dr.

Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit Original Plus 1 Copy to Santa Fe 1 Copy to Appropriate District Office

DISCHARGE PLAN APPLICATION FOR BRINE EXTRACTION FACILITES

(Refer to the OCD Guidelines for assistance in completing the application)

	New X Renewal Permit # BW-030
I.	Facility Name: Hobbs State #10 (API #30-025-35915)
II . ,	Operator: Liquid Resouce Services LLC
	Address: 1819 N. Turner, Suite B
	Contact Person: David A. Pyeatt Phone: (505)393-7706
III.	UL: F Location: 2565 N. /4 2330 W. /4 Section 29 Township 18 S. Range 38 E. Submit large scale topographic map showing exact location.
IV.	Attach the name and address of the landowner of the facility site.

- V. Attach a description of the types and quantities of fluids at the facility.
- VI. Attach a description of all fluid transfer and storage and fluid and solid disposal facilities.

VII. Attach a description of underground facilities (i.e. brine extraction well).

VIII. Attach a contingency plan for reporting and clean-up of spills or releases.

- IX. Attach geological/hydrological evidence demonstrating that brine extraction operations will not adversely impact fresh water.
- X. Attach such other information as is necessary to demonstrate compliance with any other OCD rules, regulations and/or orders.

XI. CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Name:Eddie W. Seay	Title:Agent
Signature: Eldie What	Date:9/13/07
E-mail Address: seay04@leaco.net	

IV. **LANDOWNER OF SITE:** Occidental Permian Ltd. Box 4294 Houston, TX 77210-4294

V. TYPES AND QUANTITIES OF FLUIDS: There are 5 - 500 bl. brine tanks.

There are 3 - 500 bl. fresh water tanks. Injection pump and well.

VI. All fluids transfer lines are above ground except for the fresh water line which is from the City of Hobbs water system. Any leak that were to occur would be readily detected.

Trucks load from the North side of tank through individual load lines, each having a catch basin to collect any spillage. The catch basins are emptied regularly at an OCD approved SWD.

VII. The brine well is constructed with 9 5/8 in. surface casing circulated to surface, 7 in. production casing to 1700 ft., and 3 in. tubing into the salt section at approximately 2300 ft. Fresh water is pumped down casing and brine is produced out the 3 in. tubing.

VIII. CONTINGENCY PLAN FOR REPORTING AND CLEANUP OF SPILLS.

Liquid Resouce Services either has or has access to vacuum trucks, and construction equipment in the event of a release of brine. LRS will adhere to OCD Rule 116, and will notify the OCD in Hobbs by phone and immediately begin removal of free liquids and stop source of leak. A C-141 will be filed as needed and continue remediation as OCD recommends.

IX. GEOLOGICAL/HYDROLOGICAL.

LRS performs regular scheduled pressure tests on the brine well to ensure integrity to the casing of the brine well. They inspect the facilities for leaks and spills. LRC has a groundwater monitor well located approximately one hundred feet from gradient to the brine well, to monitor quality of groundwater. Analytical for monitor well is sent to OCD. Find attached analytical of fresh and brine water.

- X. LRS inspects its facilities on a regular basis since its operations are in close proximity to the City of Hobbs. LRS is committed to operating in a prudent manner so as to prevent waste and to protect public health and the environment.
- XI. I certify that all information listed is true, accurate and complete.

Eddie W. Seay, Agent

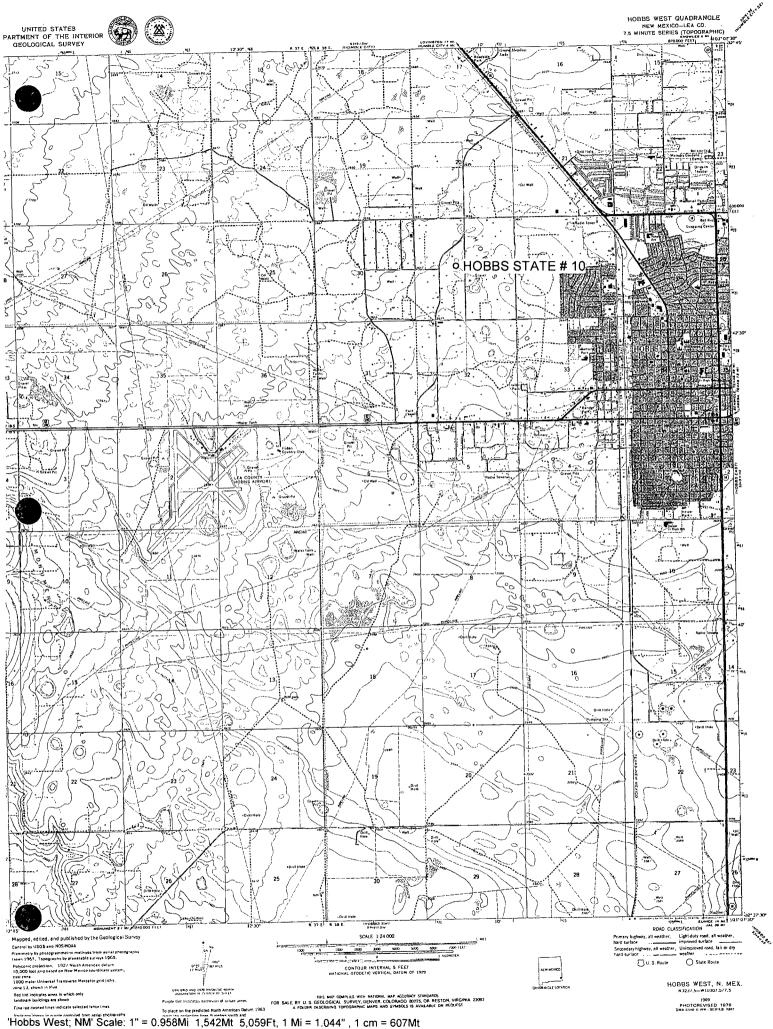
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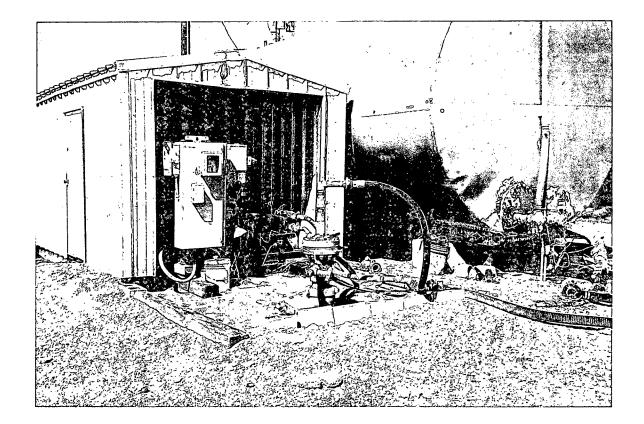
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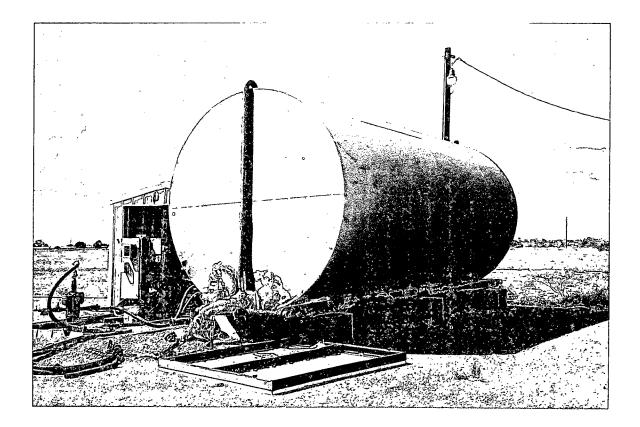
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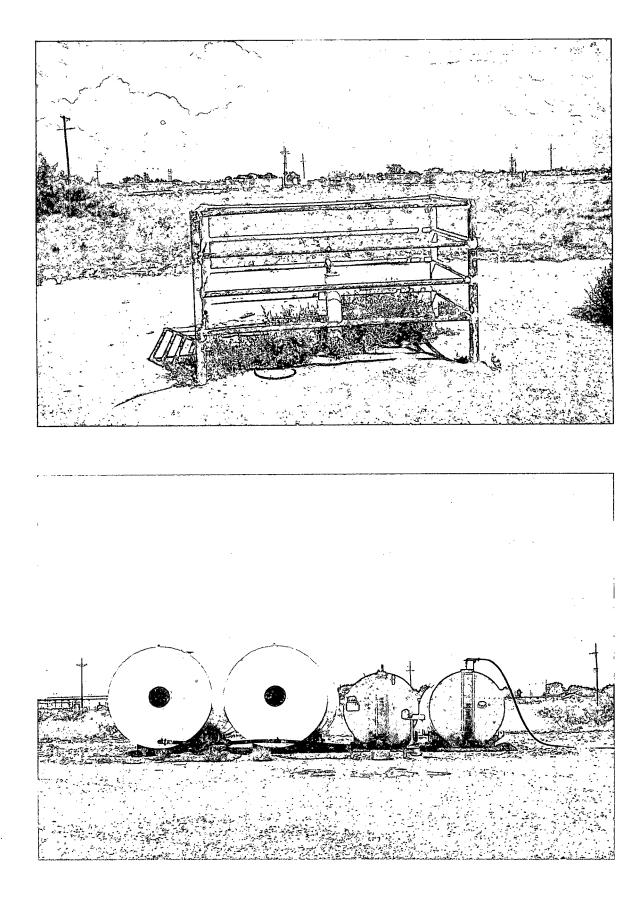
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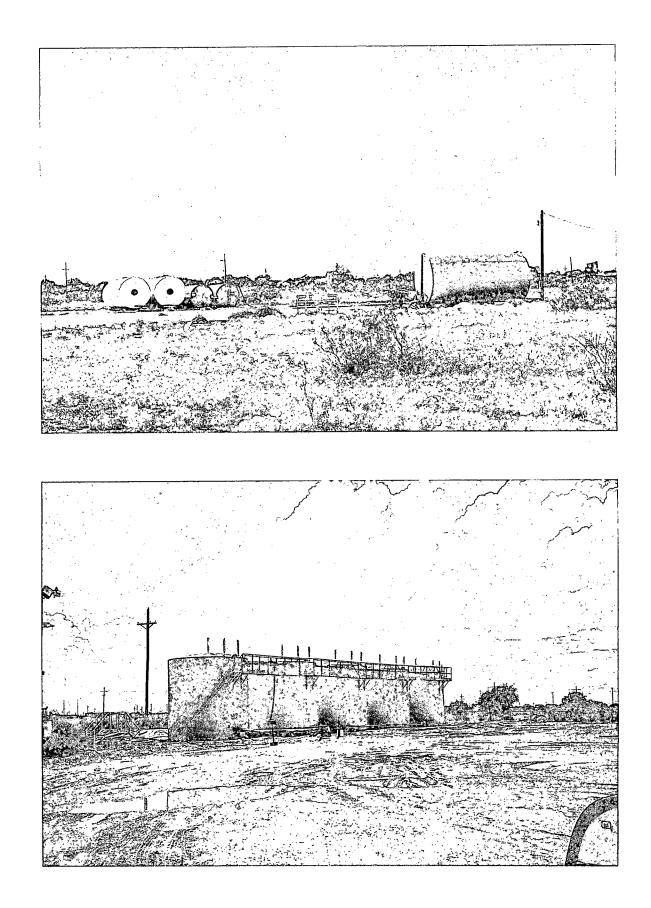
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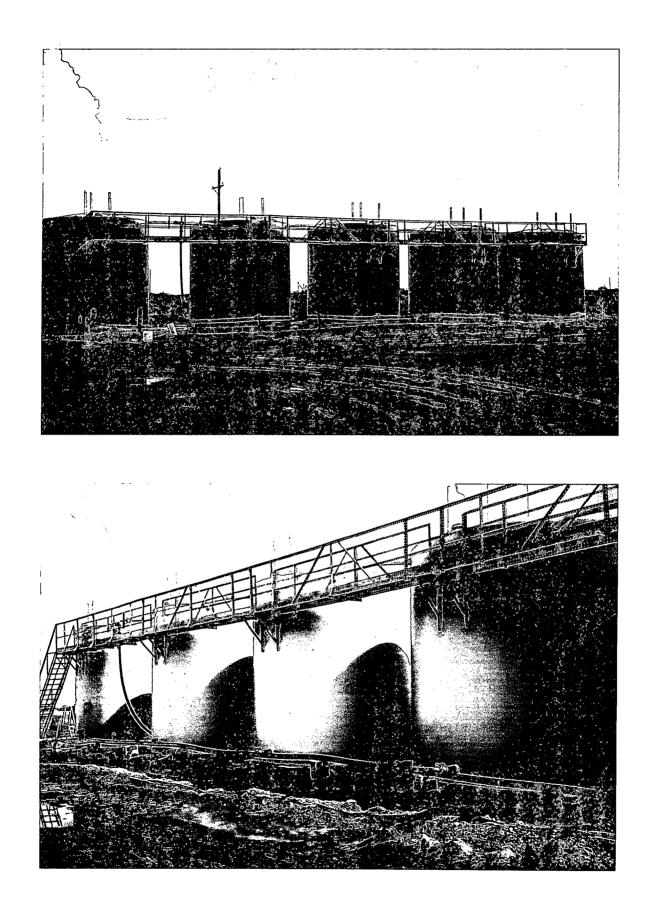


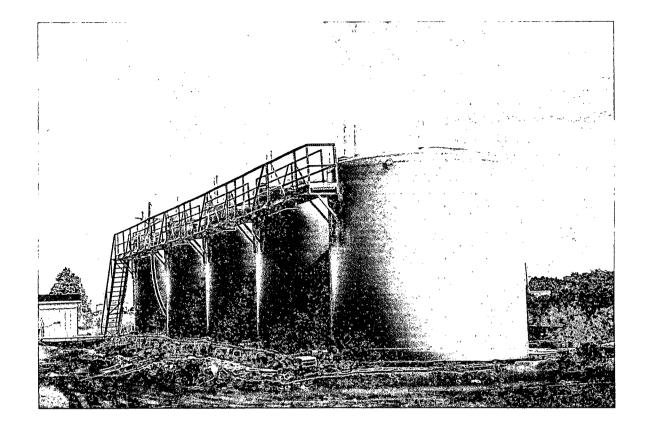














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ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR EDDIE SEAY CONSULTING ATTN: EDDIE SEAY 601 W. ILLINOIS HOBBS, NM 88242 FAX TO: (505) 392-6949

Receiving Date: 08/30/07 Reporting Date: 09/05/07 Project Owner: LRS Project Name: LIQUID RESOURCES SERVICE INC. Project Location: HOBBS, NM Sampling Date: 08/30/07 Sample Type: WATER Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT Sample Received By: NF Analyzed By: HM/KS

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H13203-2	BRINE #2	119,859	1663	1573	1460	364,400	144
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Date

PLEASE NOTE: Liability and Damages. Cardinal's liability and client's exclusive remedy for any claim arising, whether based in contract or tort, shall be limited to the amount paid by client for analyses. All claims, including those for pediagnoe and any other cause whatsoever shall be deemed waived unless made in writing and received by Cardinal within thirty (30) days after completion of the applicable service. If no contract or service is the liable for incidental or consequential damages, including, without limitation, business interruptions, loss of use, or loss of profits incurred by client, its subsidiaries, affiliates or successors arising out of or related to the performance of services hereunder by Cardinal, regardless of whether such claim is based upon any of the above-stated reasons or otherwise.





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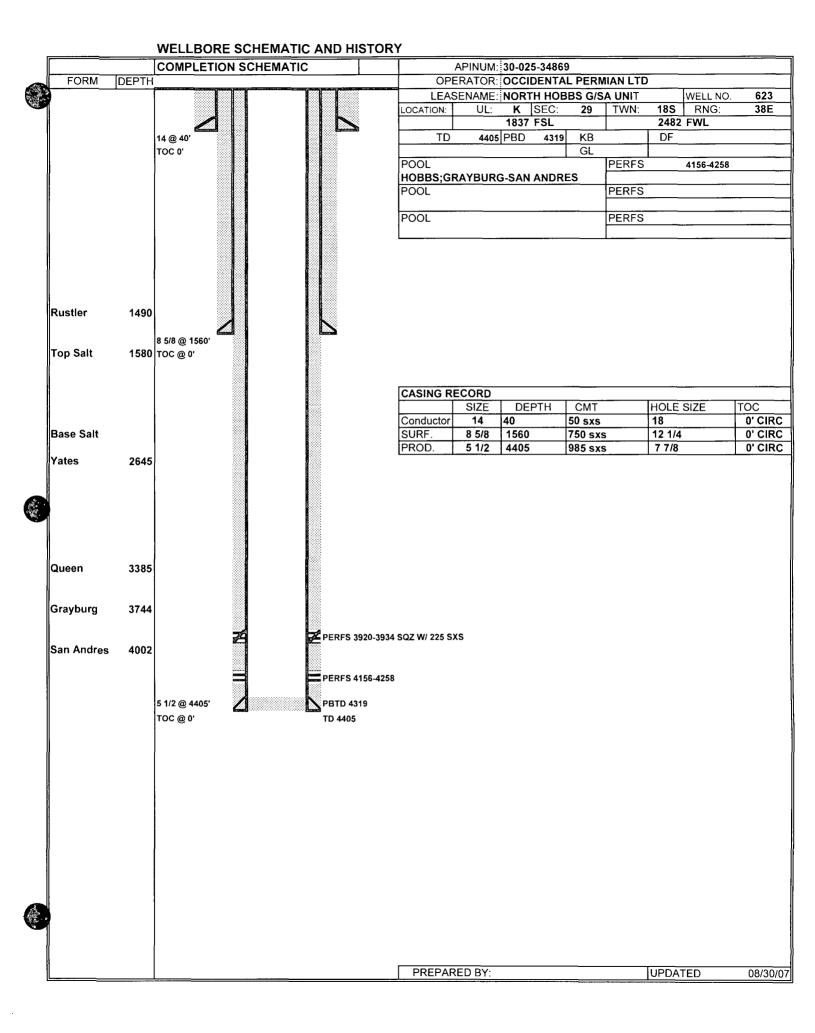
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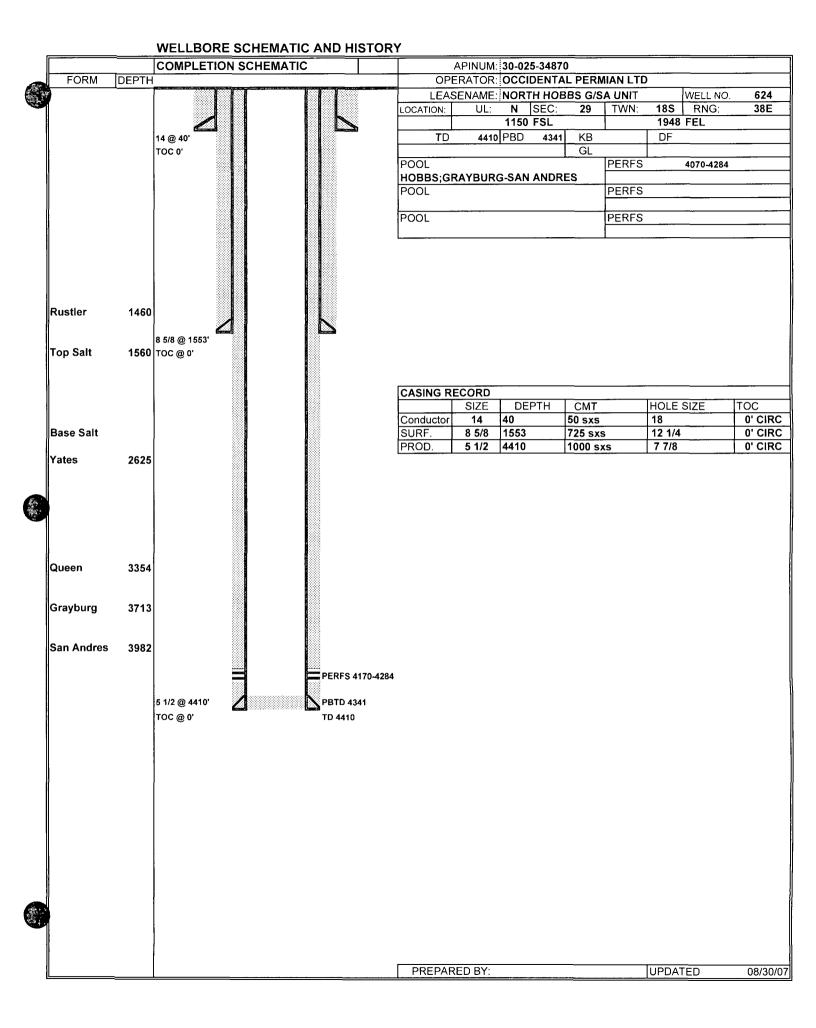
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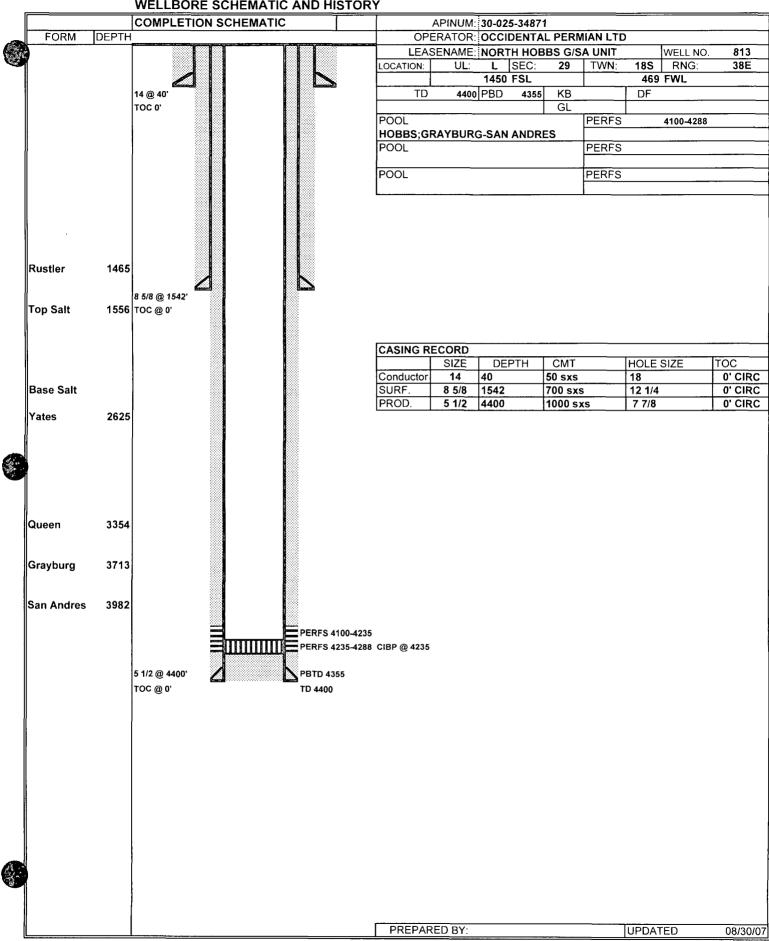
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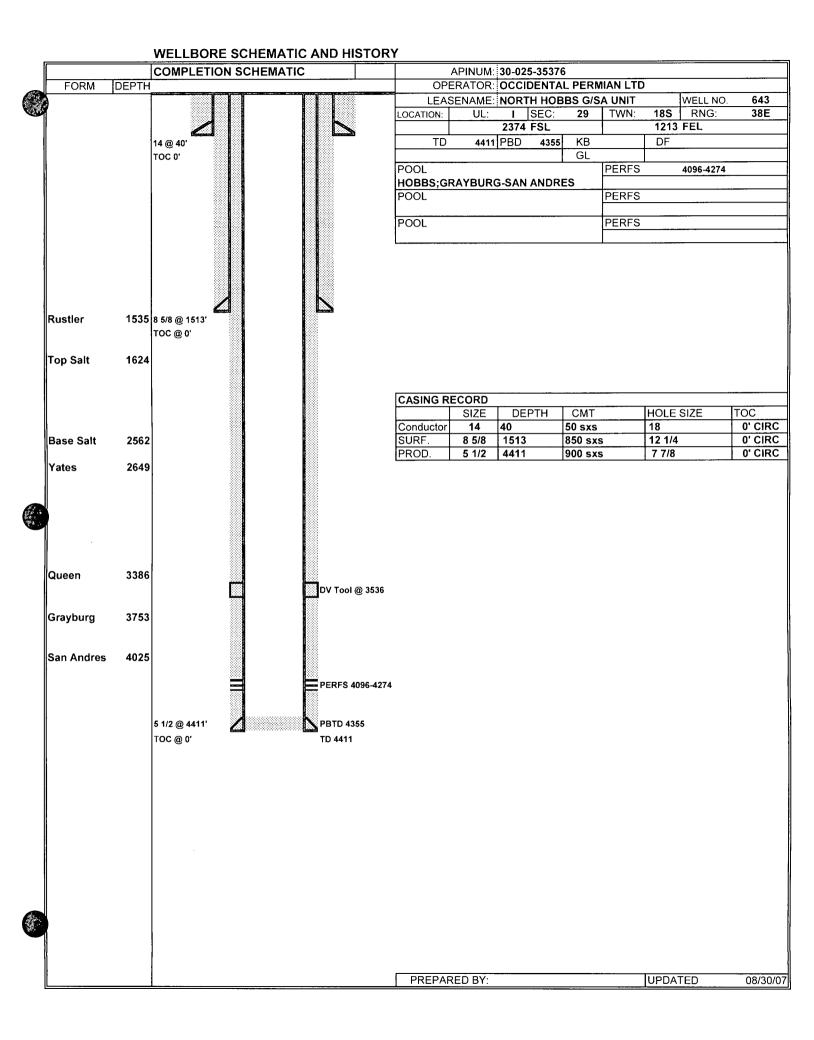
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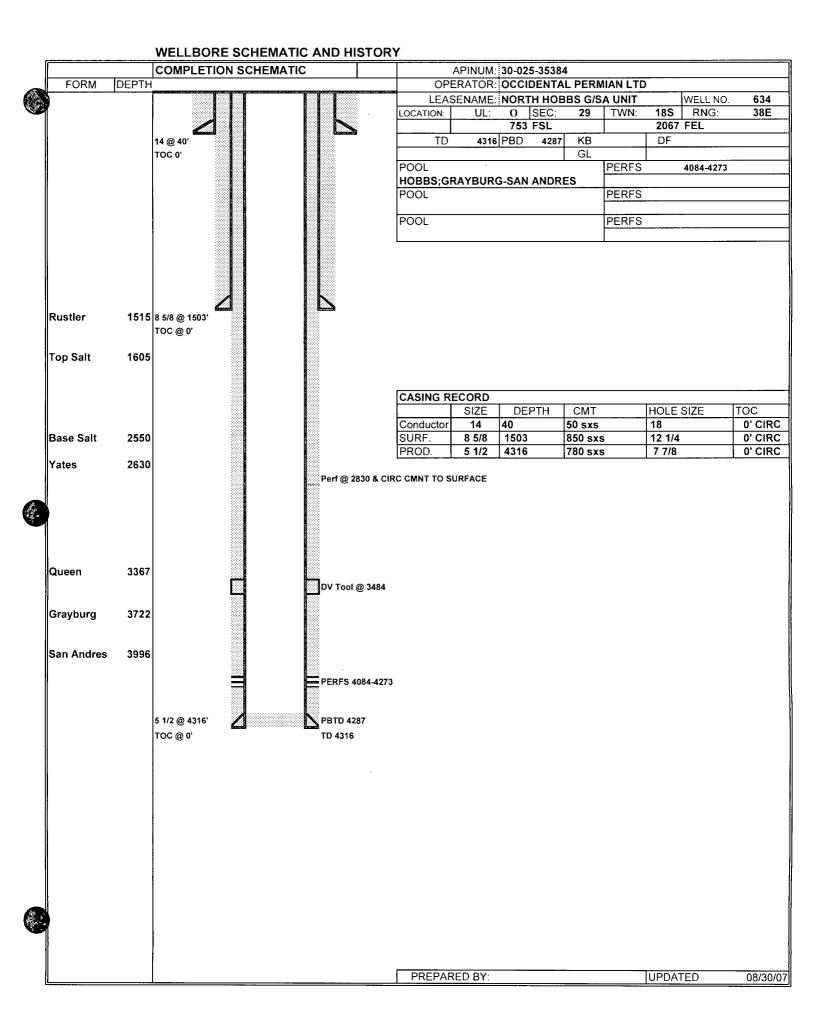
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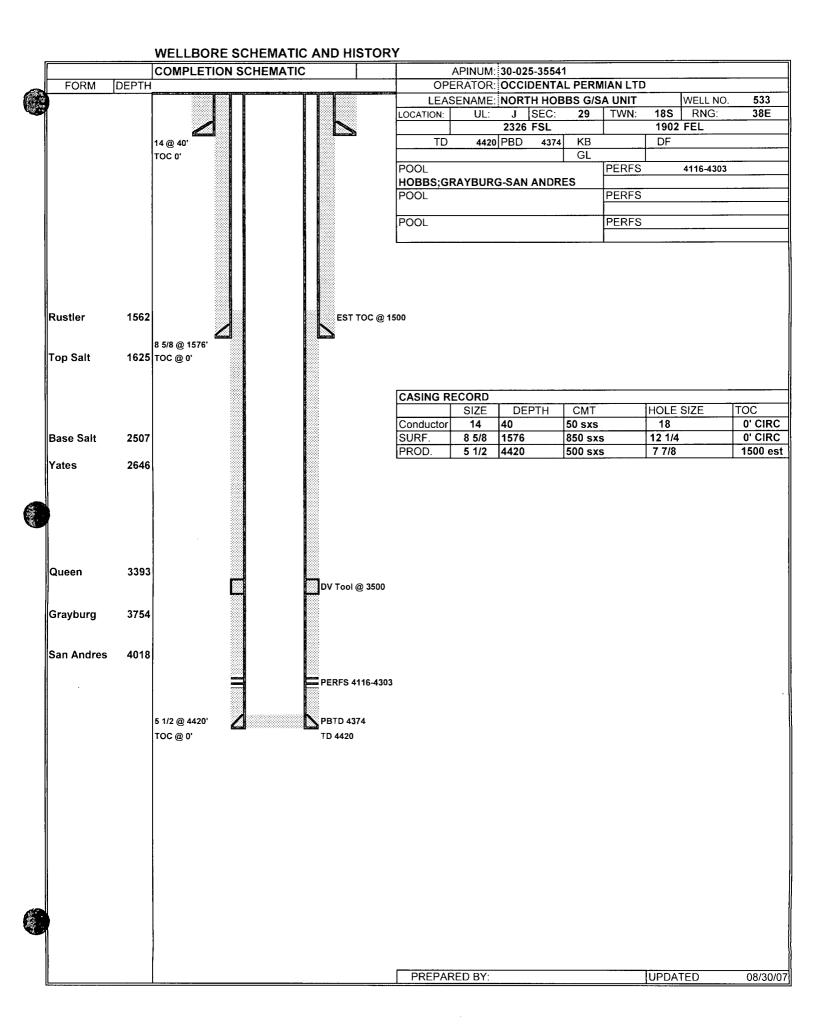


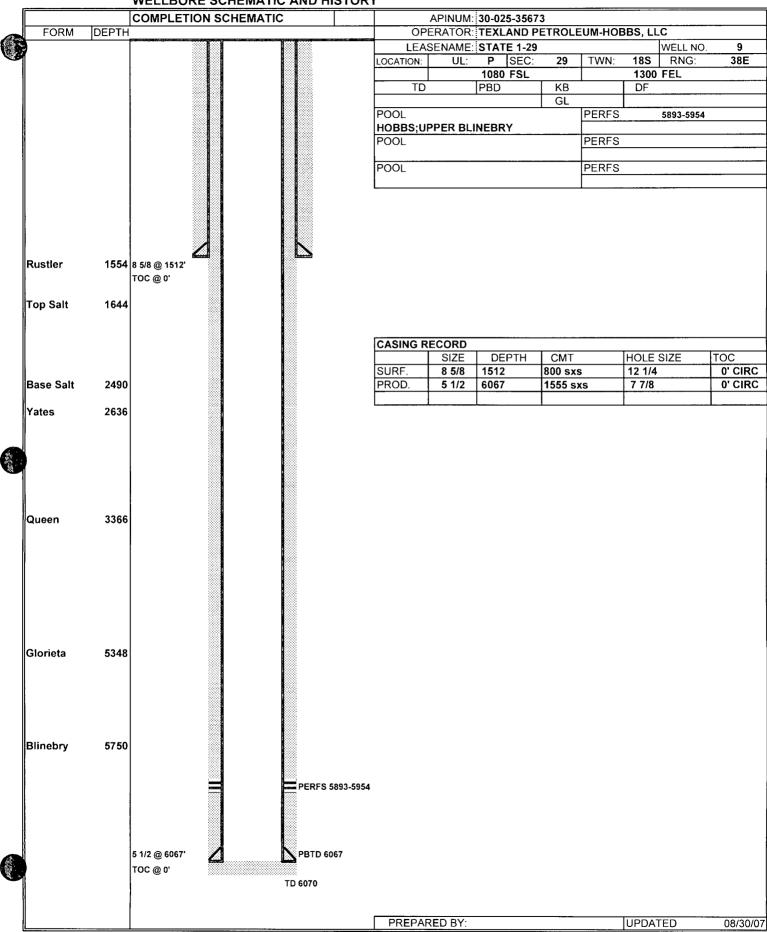


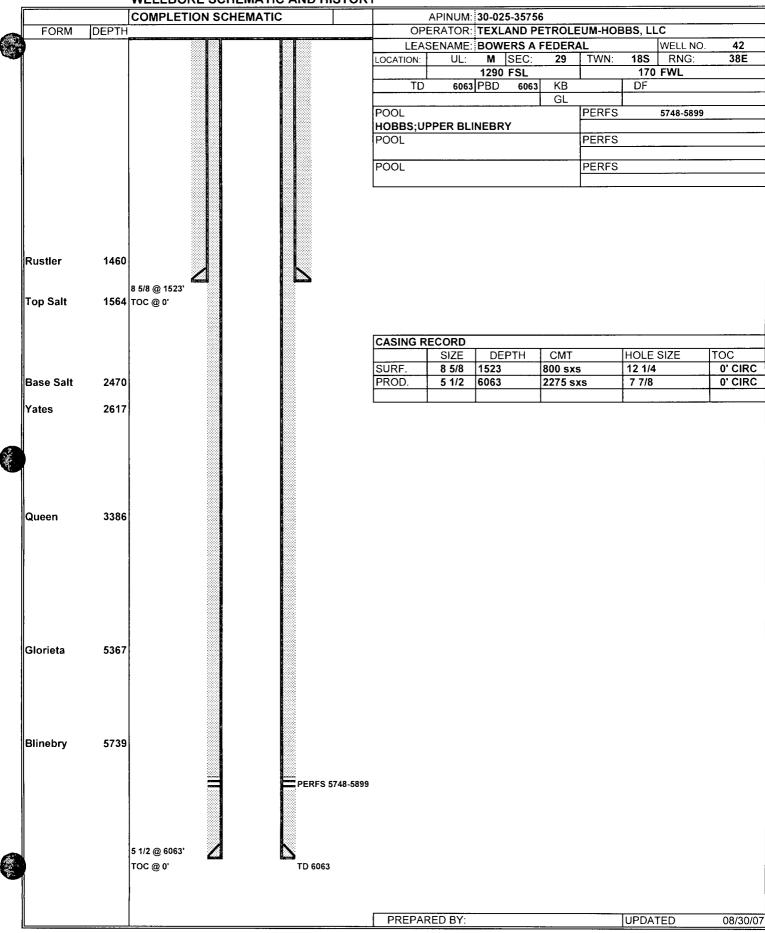


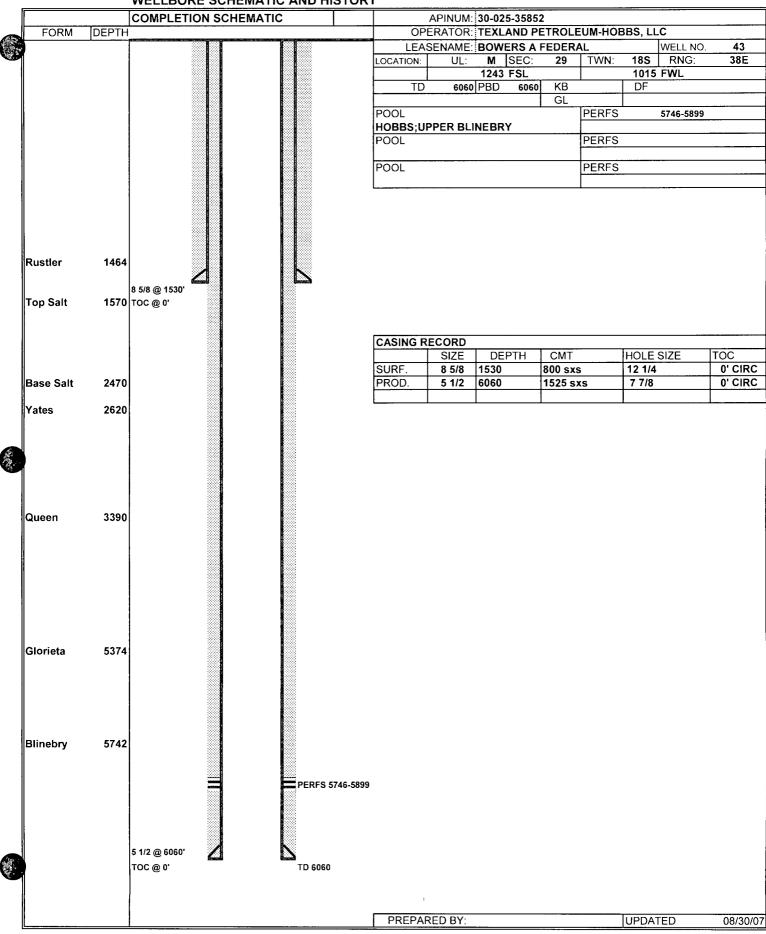


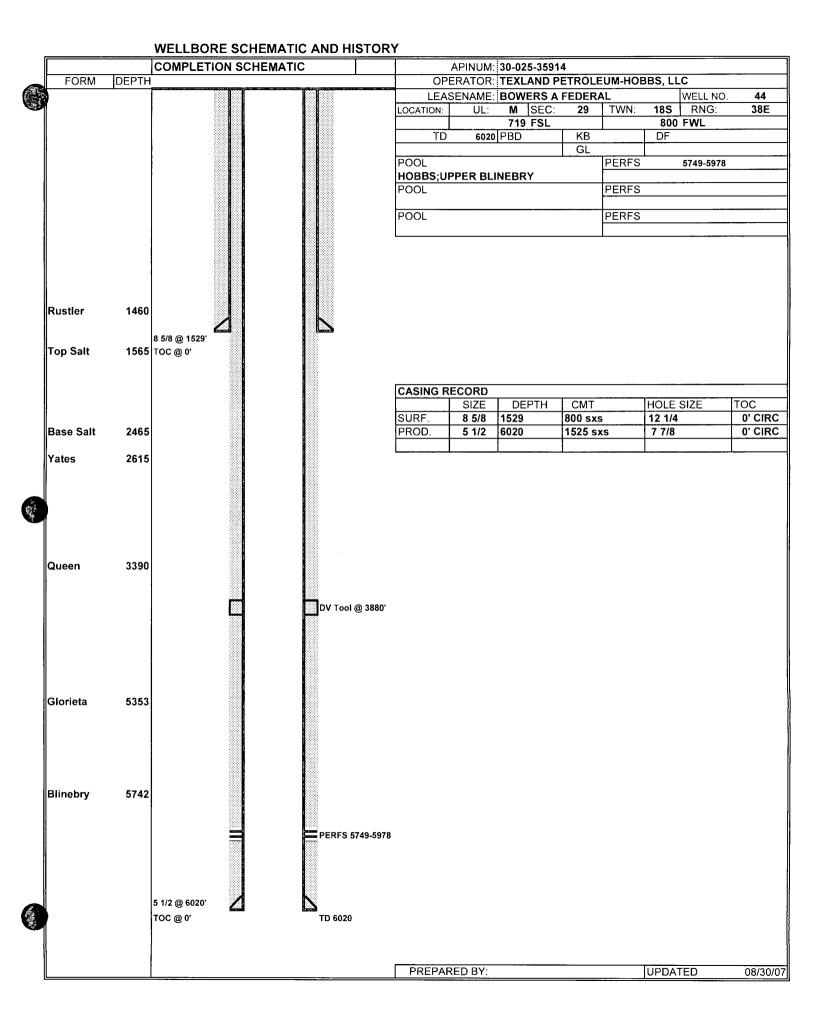


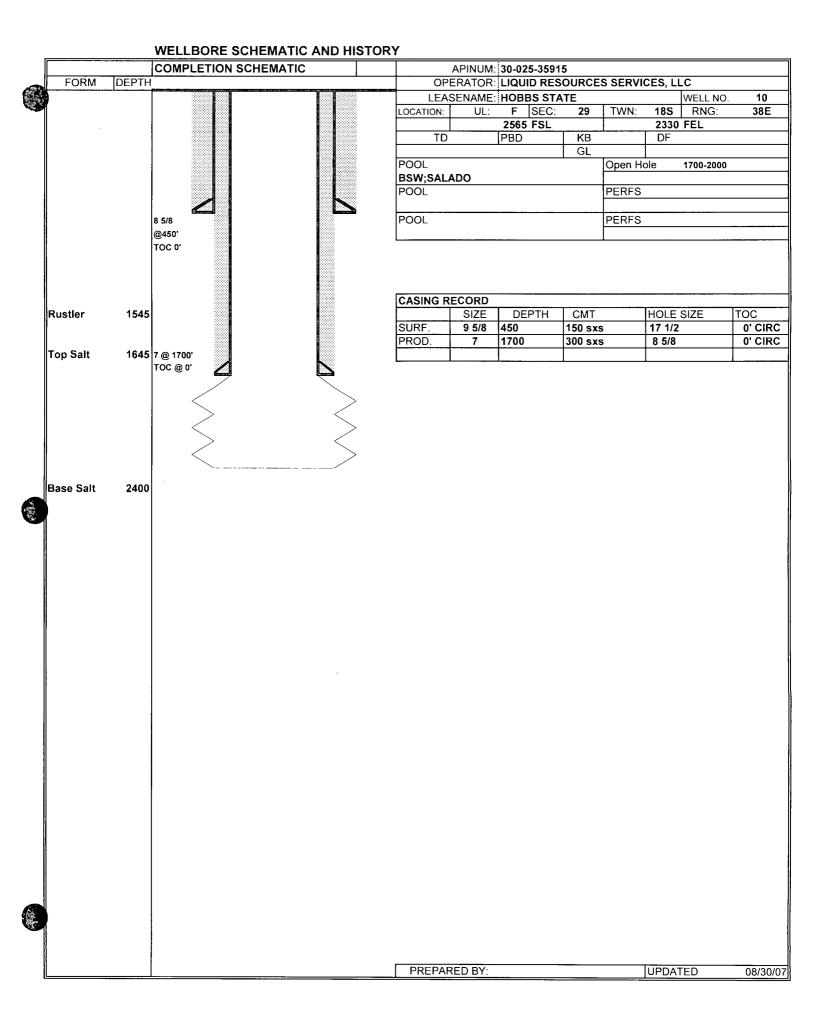


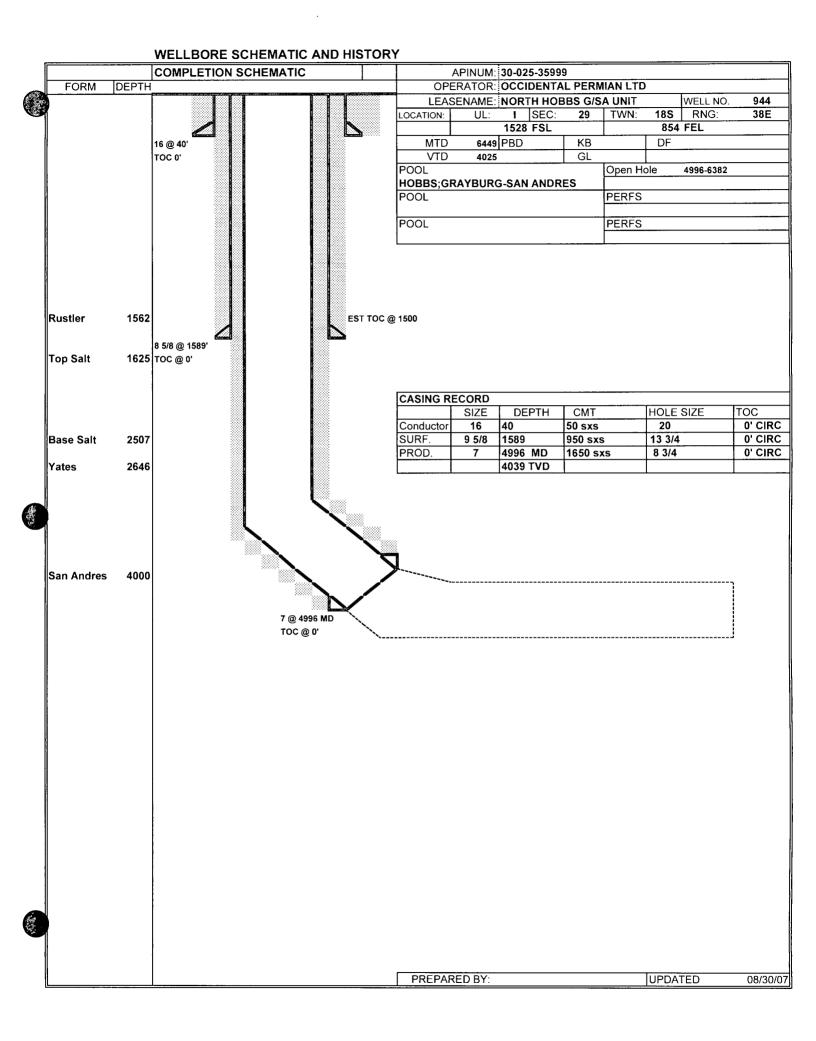


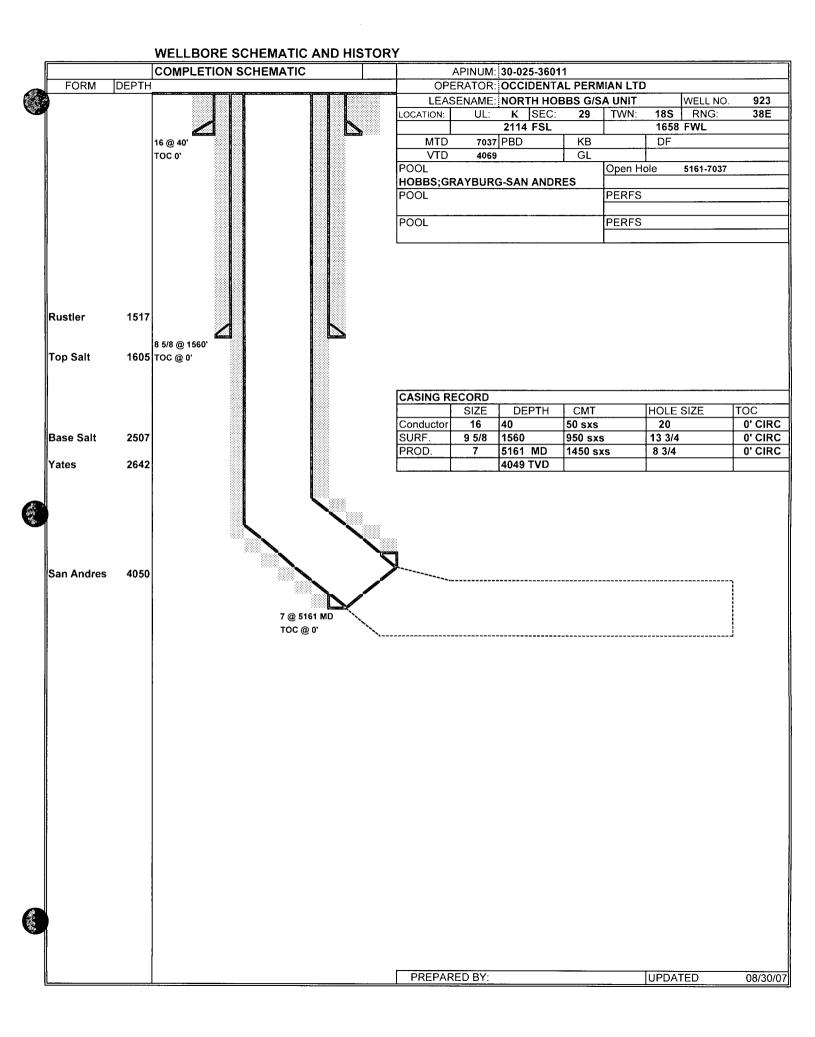


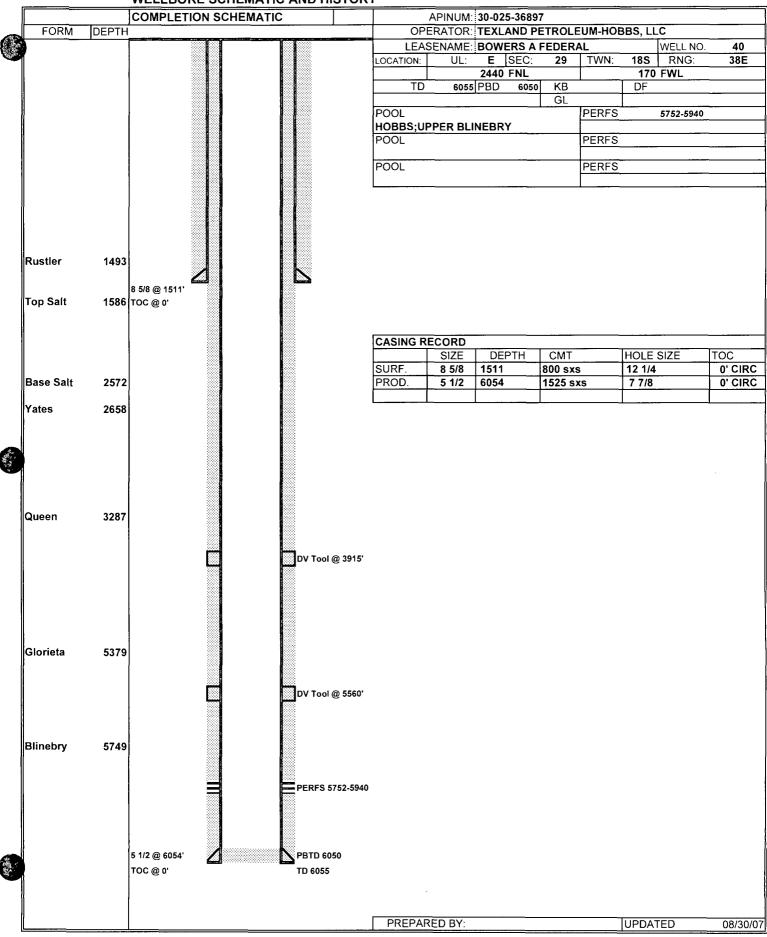


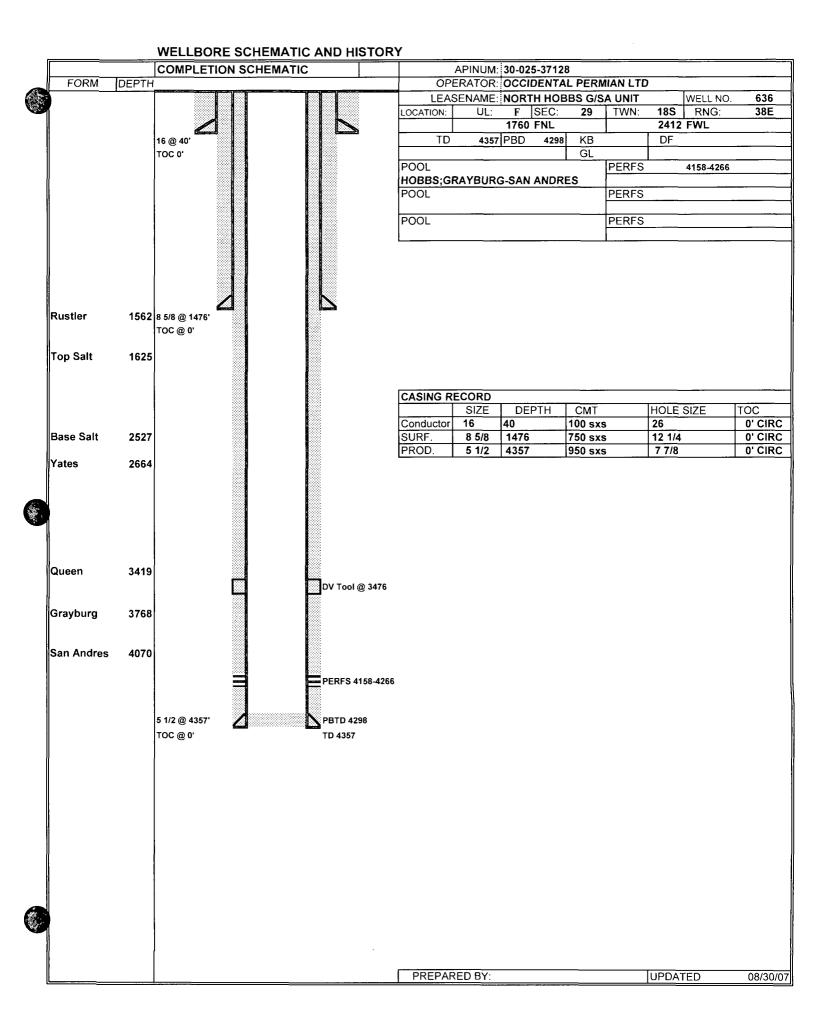


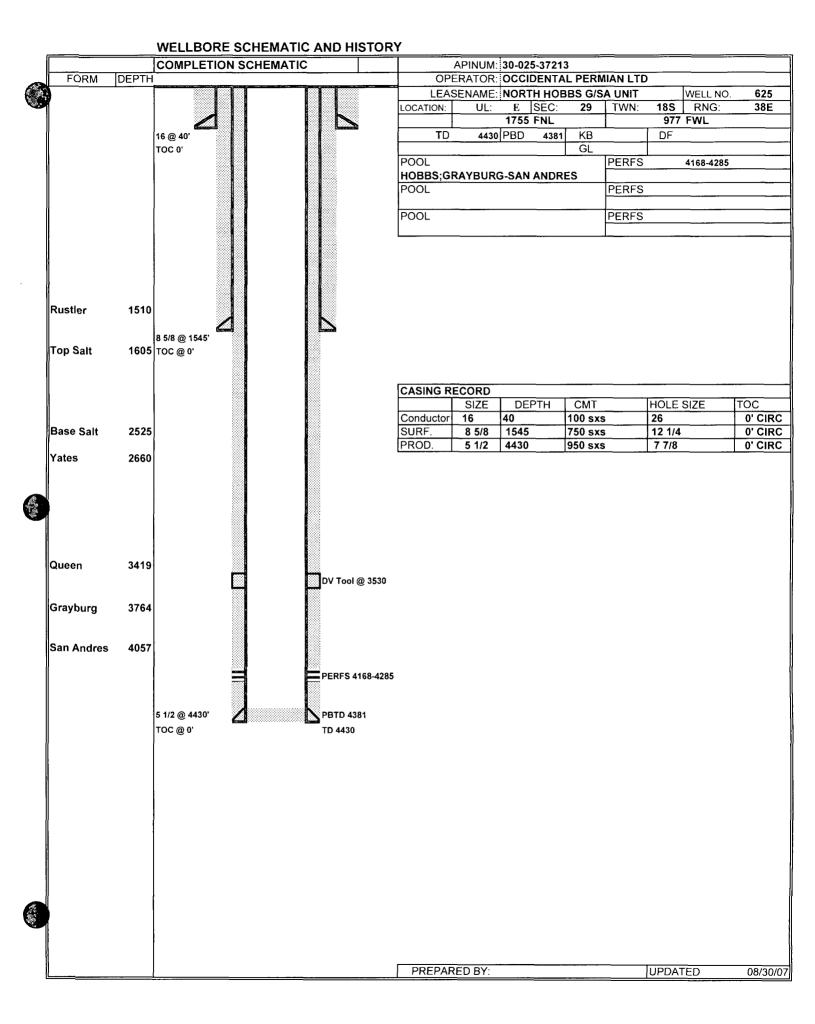


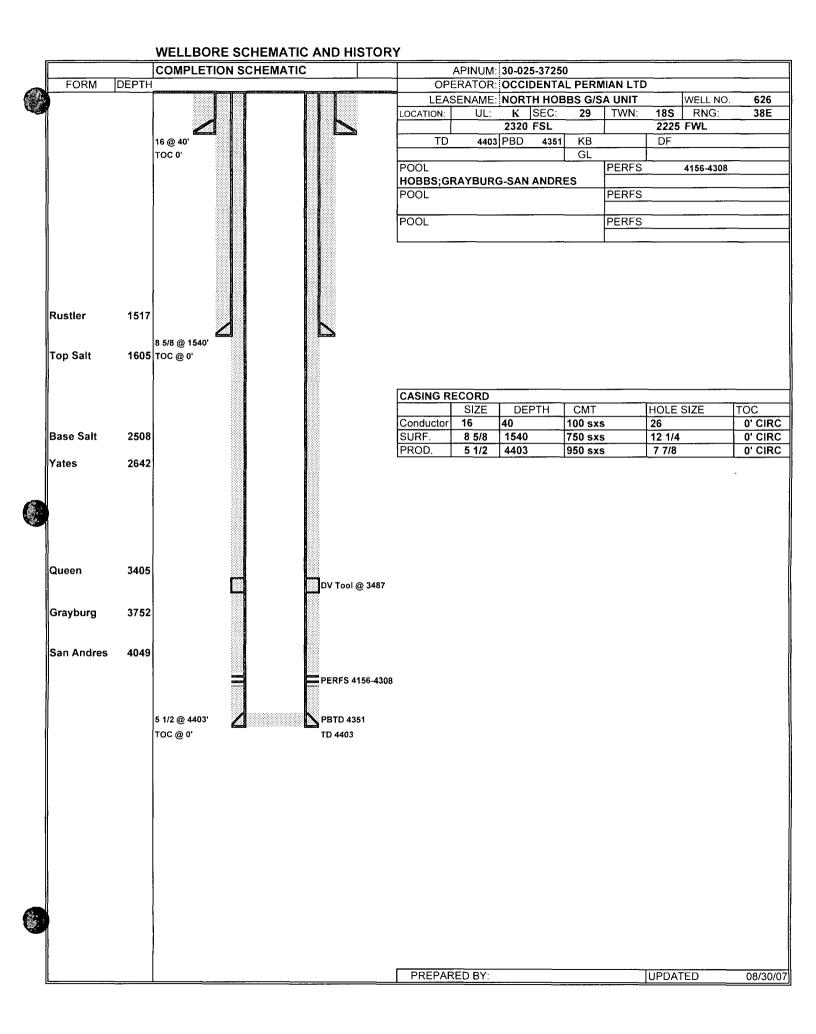




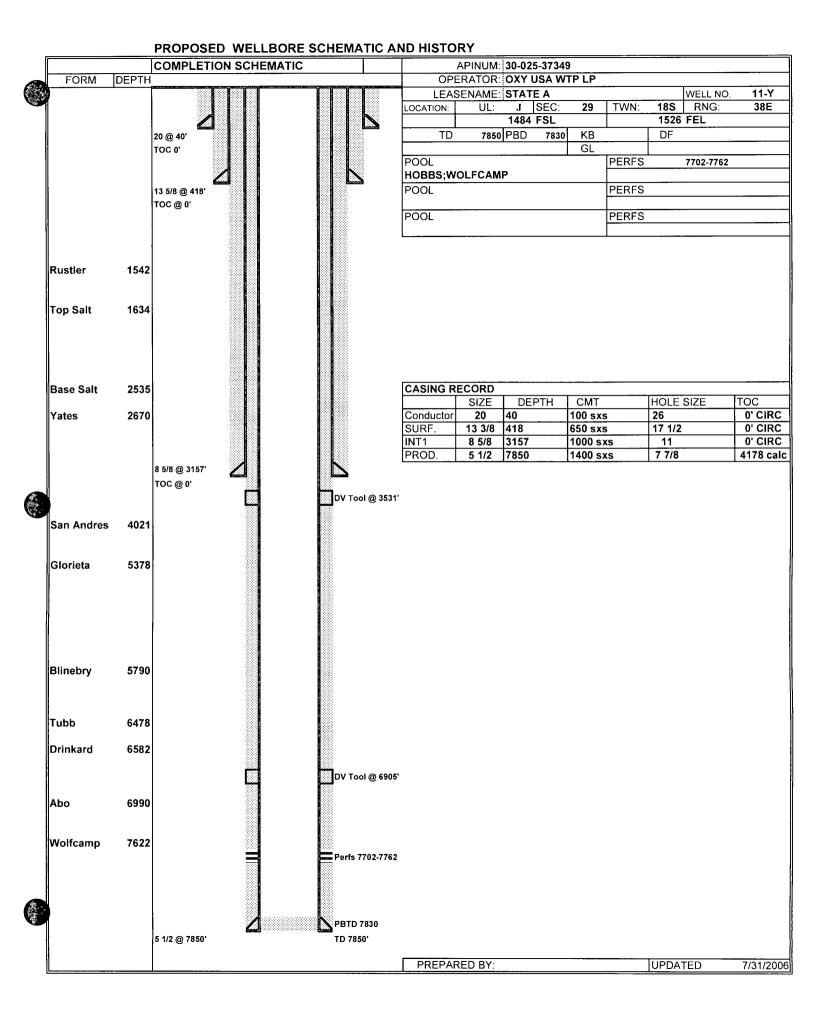


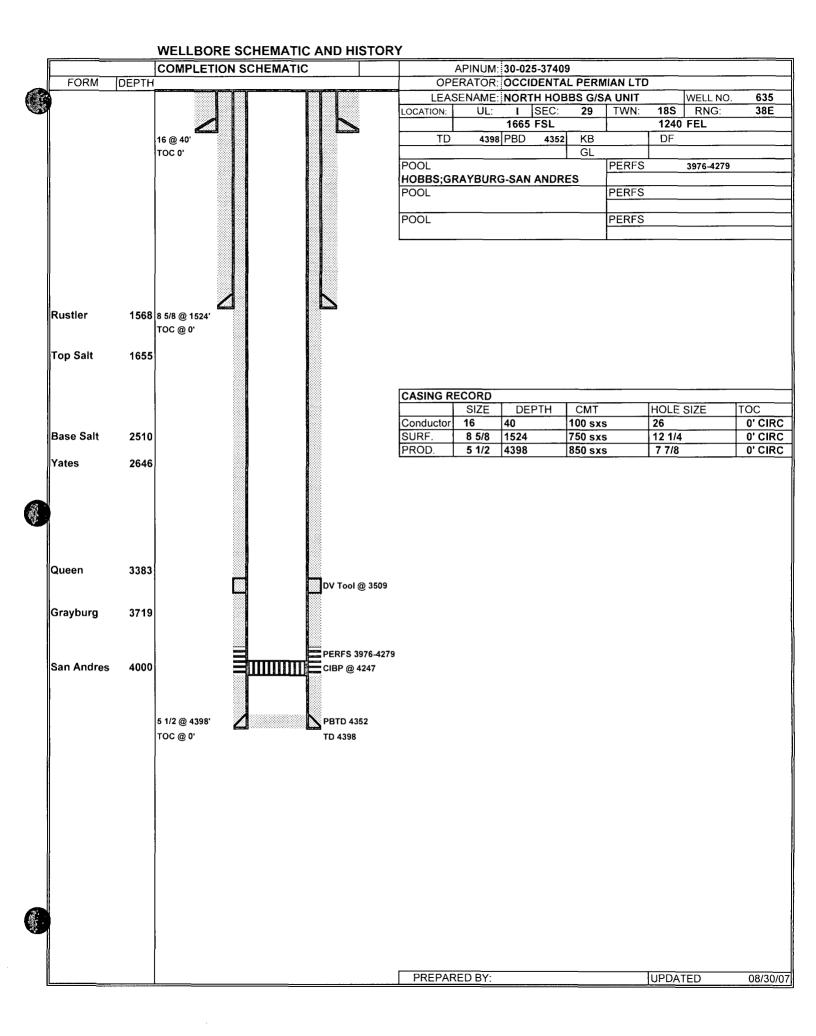


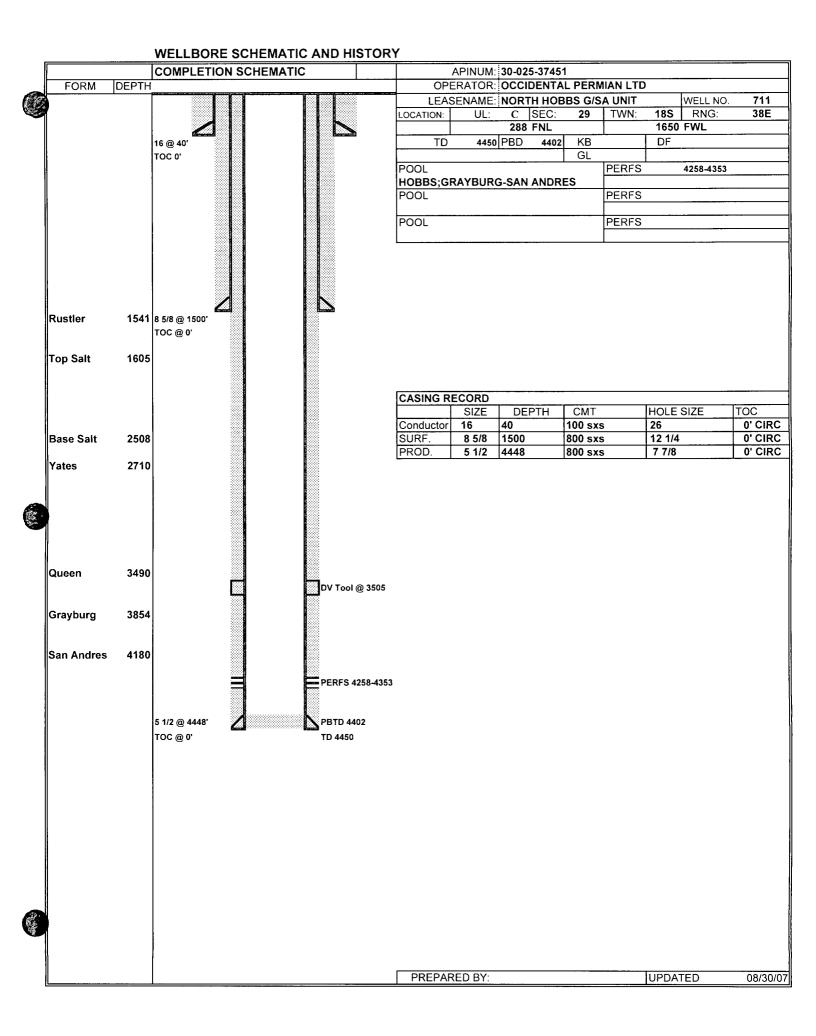


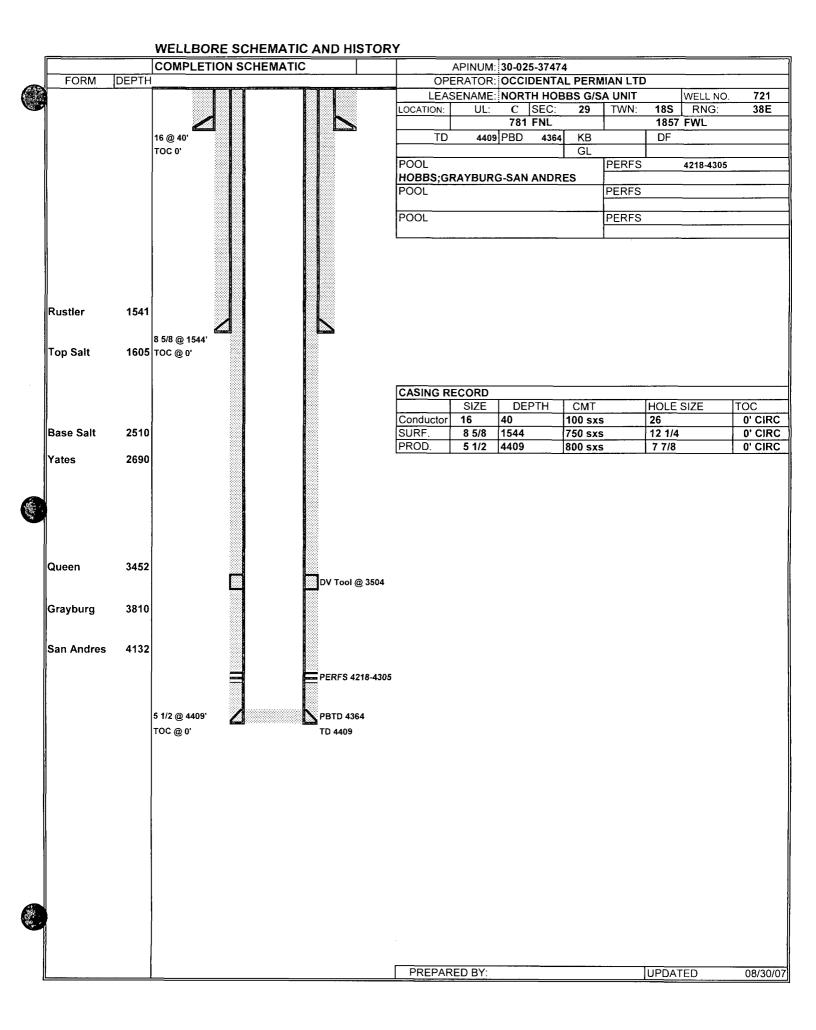


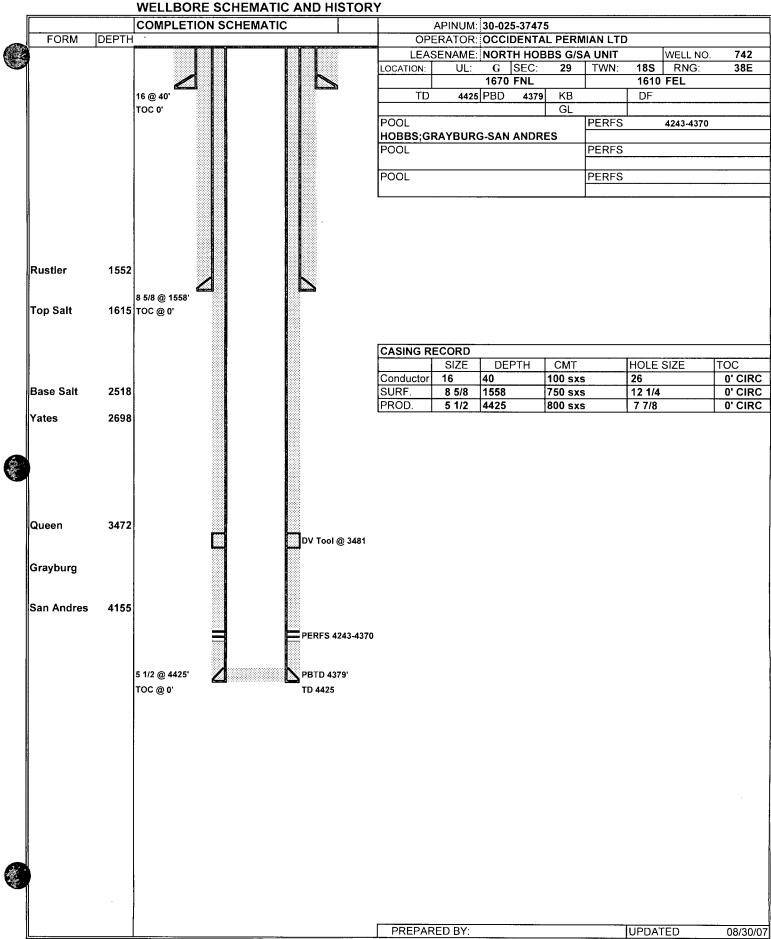
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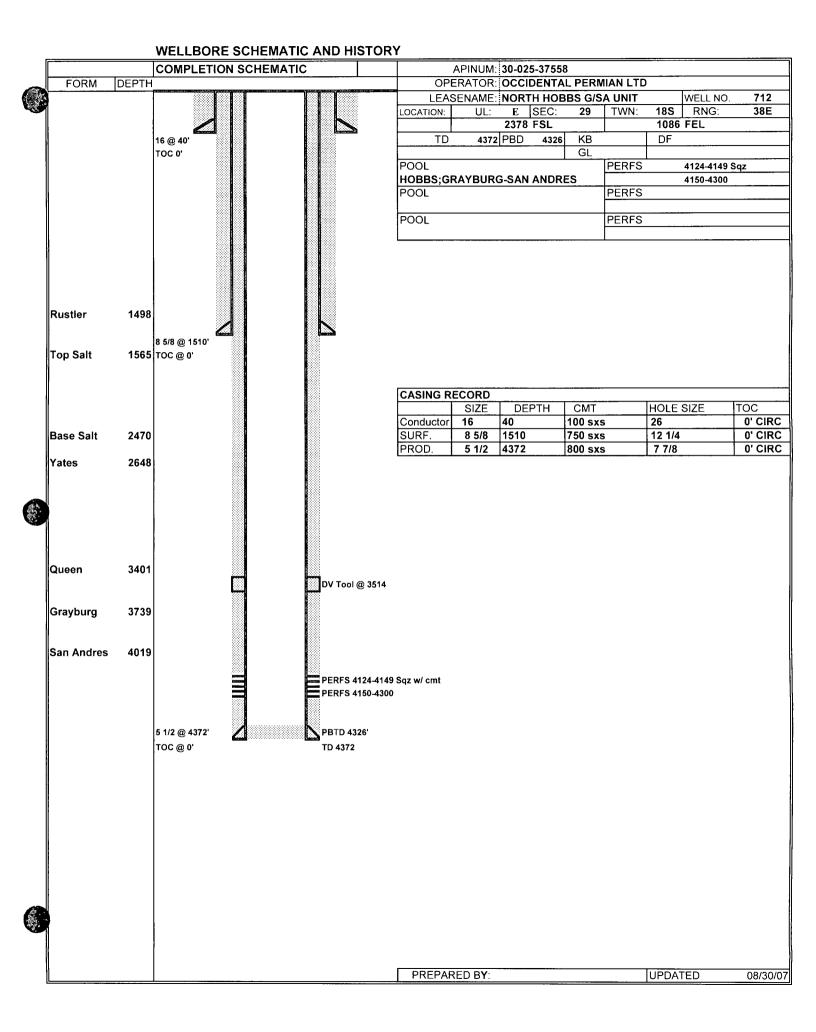


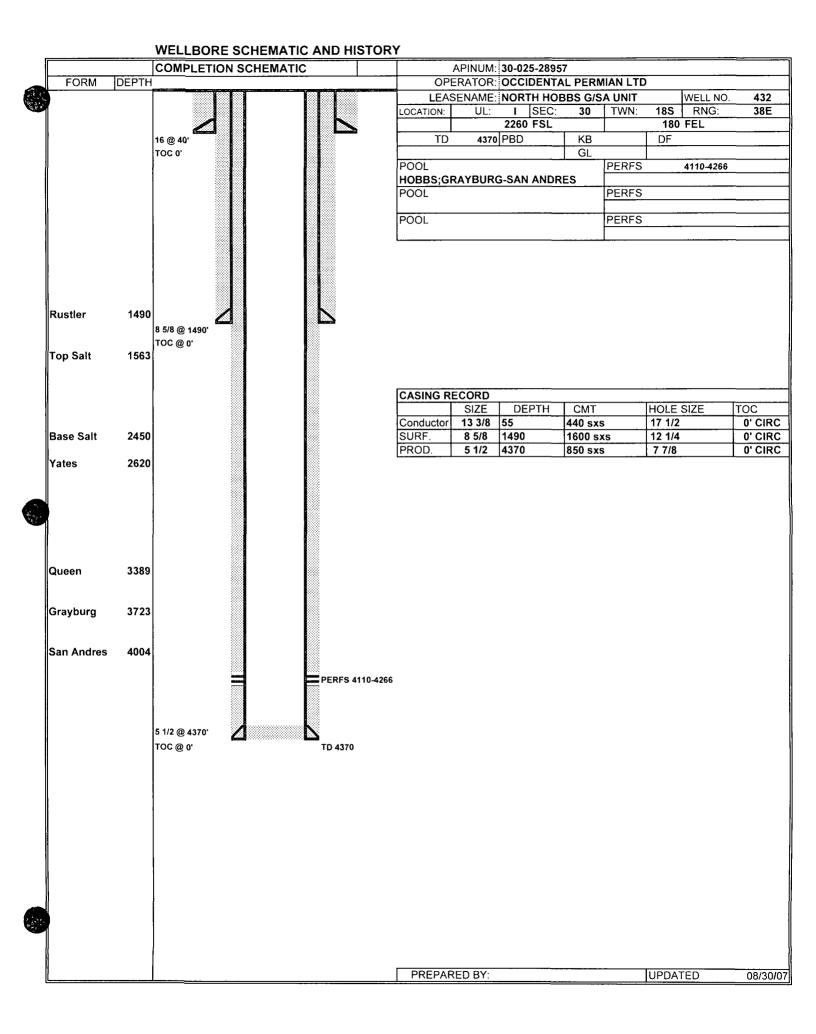












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	New Renewal Permit # BW-030								
I.	Facility Name: Hobbs State #10 (API #30-025-35915)								
П	Operator: Liquid Resouce Services LLC								
	Address: 1819 N. Turner, Suite B								
	Contact Person: <u>David A. Pyeatt</u> Phone: (505)393-7706								
III.	UL: F Location: 2565 N. /4 2330 W. /4 Section 29 Township 18 S. Range 38 E. Submit large scale topographic map showing exact location.								
IV.	Attach the name and address of the landowner of the facility site.								
V.	Attach a description of the types and quantities of fluids at the facility.								
VI.	Attach a description of all fluid transfer and storage and fluid and solid disposal facilities.								
VII.	II. Attach a description of underground facilities (i.e. brine extraction well).								
VIII.	II. Attach a contingency plan for reporting and clean-up of spills or releases.								
IX.	Attach geological/hydrological evidence demonstrating that brine extraction operations will not adversely impact fresh water.								
X .	Attach such other information as is necessary to demonstrate compliance with any other OCD rules, regulations and/or orders.								

XI. CERTIFICATION:

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I hereby certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Name: Eddie W. Seay	Title: Agent
Signature: Elli When	Date:9/13/07
E-mail Address: seay04@leaco.net	

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IV. LANDOWNER OF SITE: Occidental Permian Ltd. Box 4294 Houston, TX 77210-4294

V. TYPES AND QUANTITIES OF FLUIDS: There are 5 - 500 bl. brine tanks. There are 3 - 500 bl. fresh water tanks. Injection pump and well.

VI. All fluids transfer lines are above ground except for the fresh water line which is from the City of Hobbs water system. Any leak that were to occur would be readily detected.

Trucks load from the North side of tank through individual load lines, each having a catch basin to collect any spillage. The catch basins are emptied regularly at an OCD approved SWD.

VII. The brine well is constructed with 9 5/8 in. surface casing circulated to surface, 7 in. production casing to 1700 ft., and 3 in. tubing into the salt section at approximately 2300 ft. Fresh water is pumped down casing and brine is produced out the 3 in. tubing.

VIII. CONTINGENCY PLAN FOR REPORTING AND CLEANUP OF SPILLS.

Liquid Resouce Services either has or has access to vacuum trucks, and construction equipment in the event of a release of brine. LRS will adhere to OCD Rule 116, and will notify the OCD in Hobbs by phone and immediately begin removal of free liquids and stop source of leak. A C-141 will be filed as needed and continue remediation as OCD recommends.

IX. GEOLOGICAL/HYDROLOGICAL.

LRS performs regular scheduled pressure tests on the brine well to ensure integrity to the casing of the brine well. They inspect the facilities for leaks and spills. LRC has a groundwater monitor well located approximately one hundred feet from gradient to the brine well, to monitor quality of groundwater. Analytical for monitor well is sent to OCD. Find attached analytical of fresh and brine water.

- X. LRS inspects its facilities on a regular basis since its operations are in close proximity to the City of Hobbs. LRS is committed to operating in a prudent manner so as to prevent waste and to protect public health and the environment.
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Eddie W. Seay, Agent

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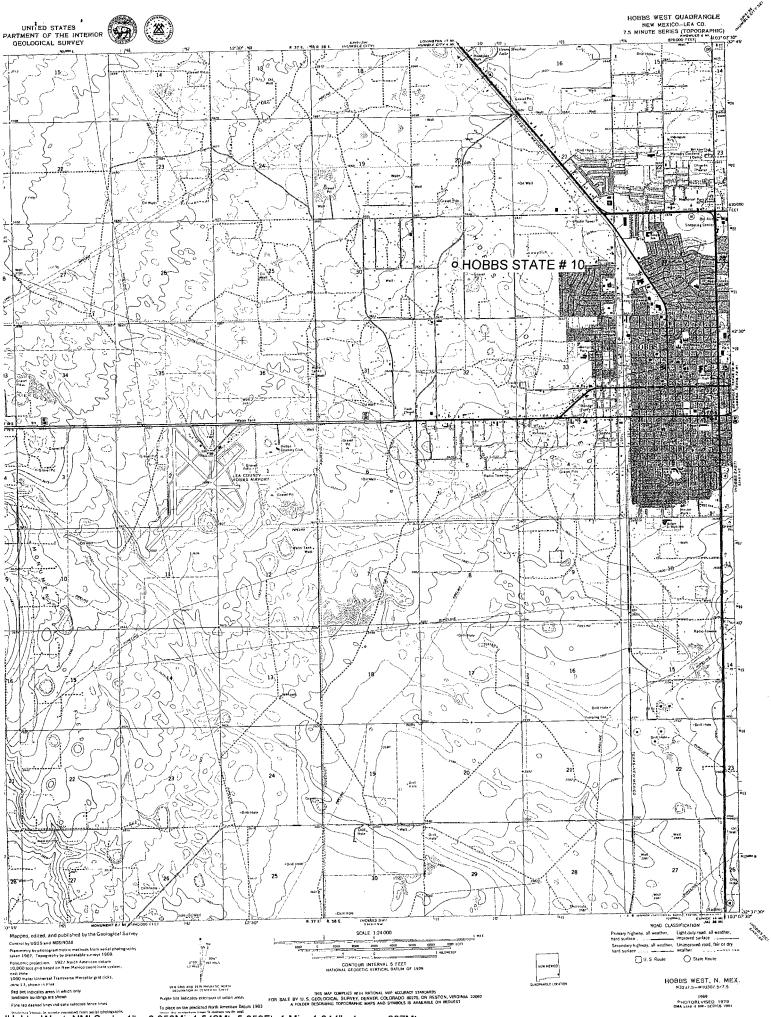
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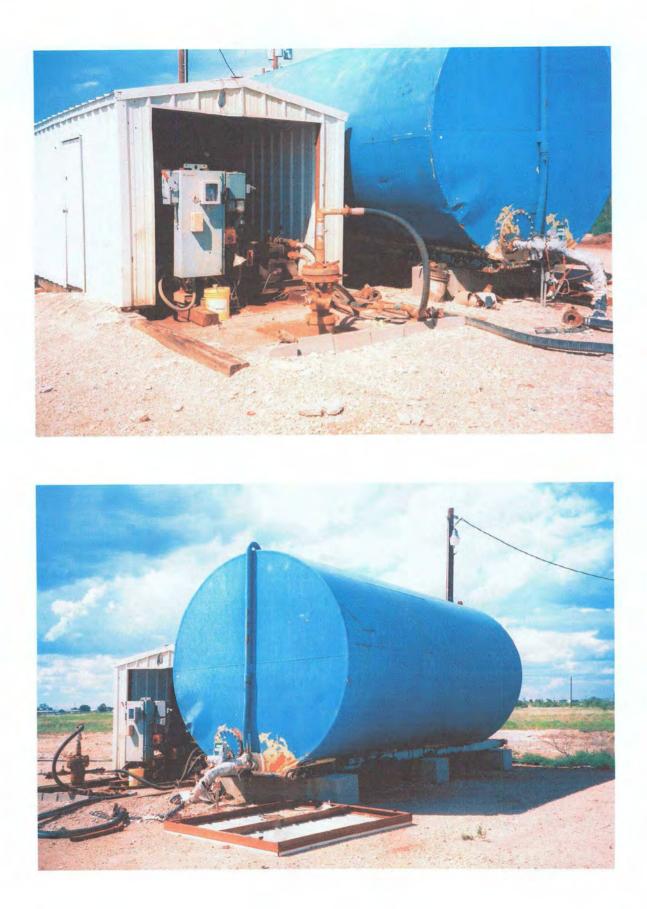
\$100.00 Application Fee to Water Quality Management Fund.

Copies of the proposed advertisement both in Spanish and English, will be put in the Hobbs News-Sun, if this meets with your approval. We will also notice the Landowner, OXY.

Updated information on new wells drilled within the AOR, since original application.



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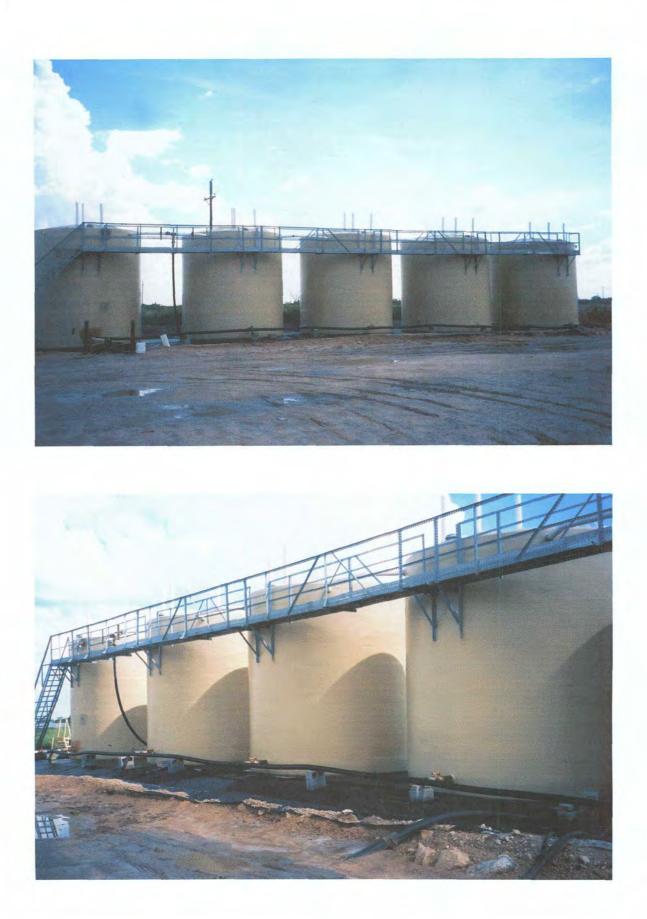
















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ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR EDDIE SEAY CONSULTING ATTN: EDDIE SEAY 601 W. ILLINOIS HOBBS, NM 88242 FAX TO: (505) 392-6949

Receiving Date: 08/30/07 Reporting Date: 09/05/07 Project Owner: LRS Project Name: LIQUID RESOURCES SERVICE INC. Project Location: HOBBS, NM Sampling Date: 08/30/07 Sample Type: WATER Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT Sample Received By: NF Analyzed By: HM/KS

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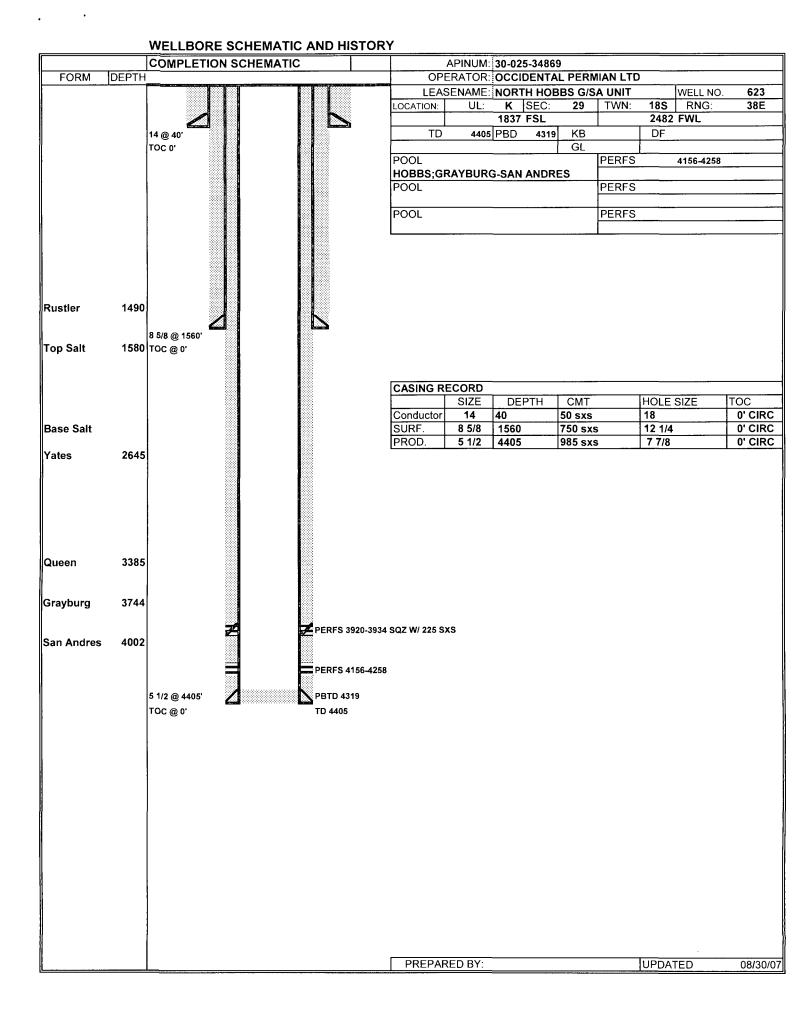
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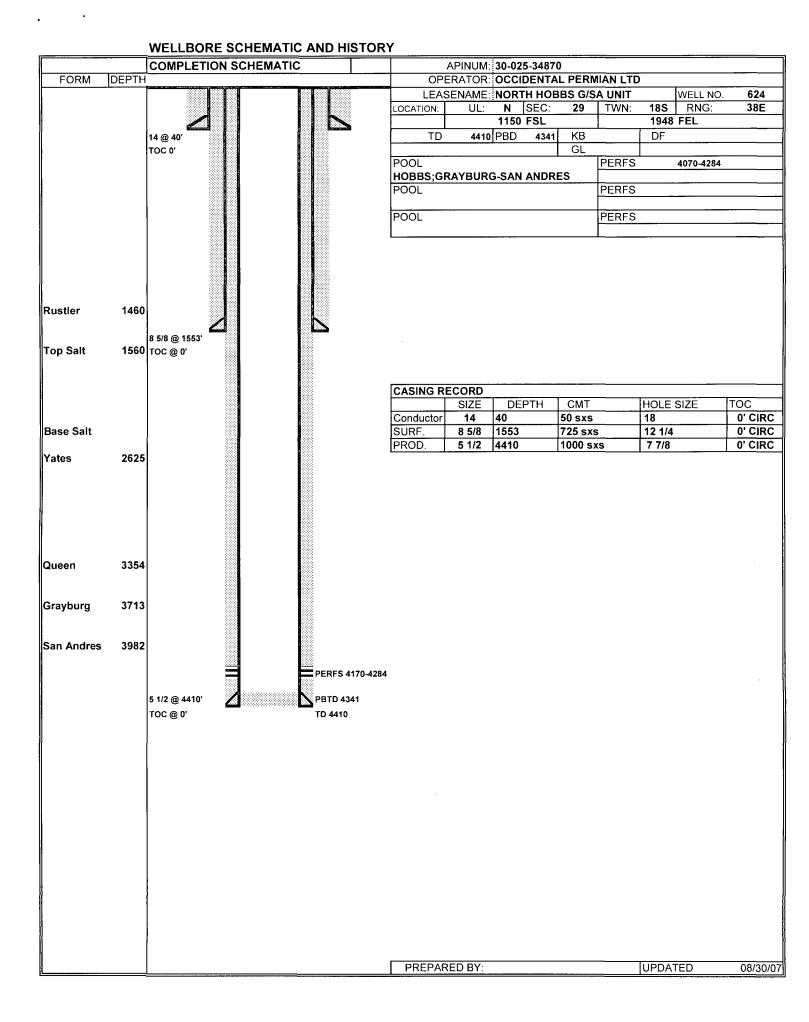
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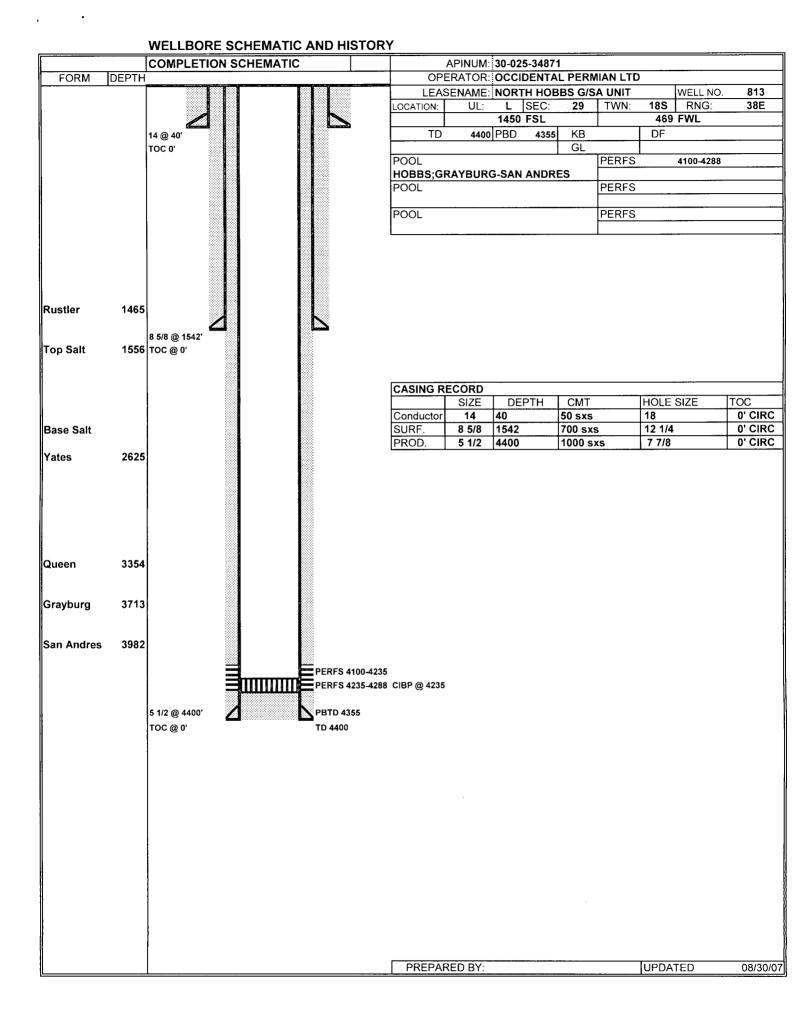
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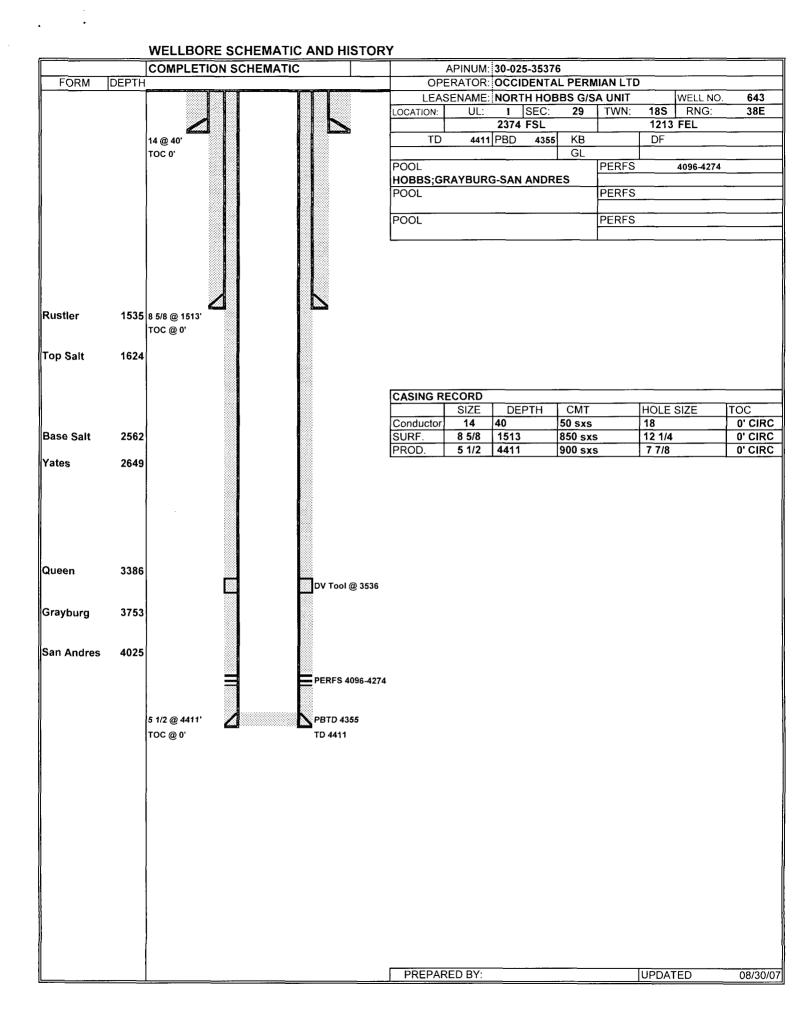
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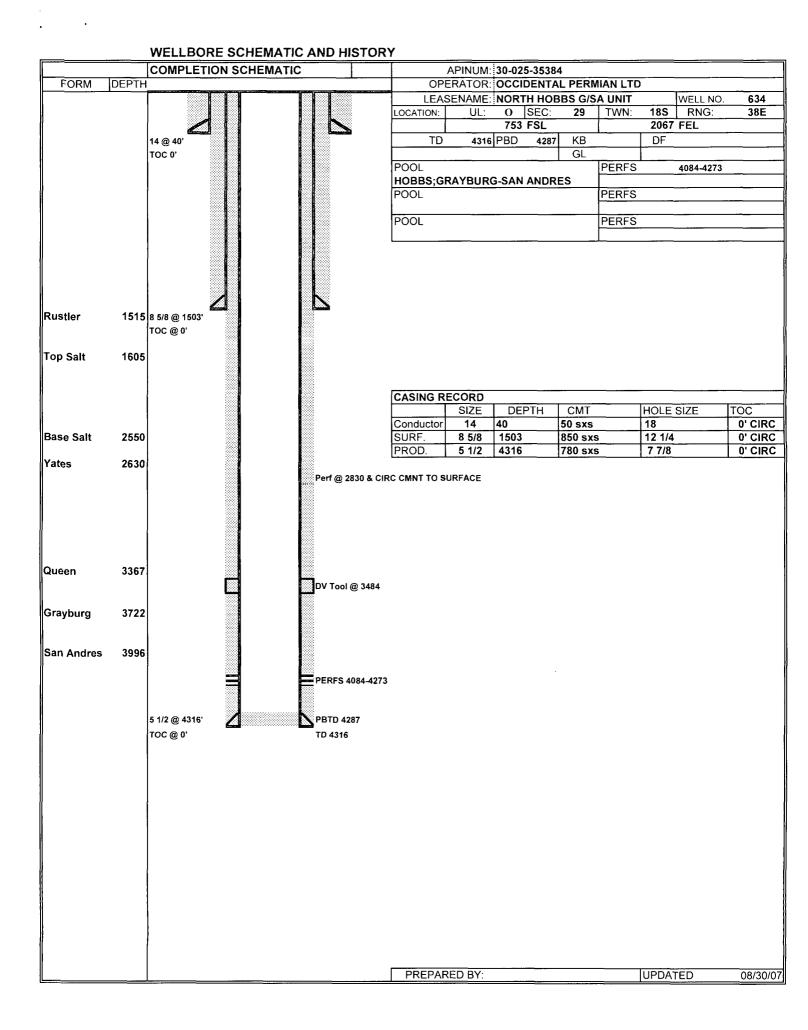
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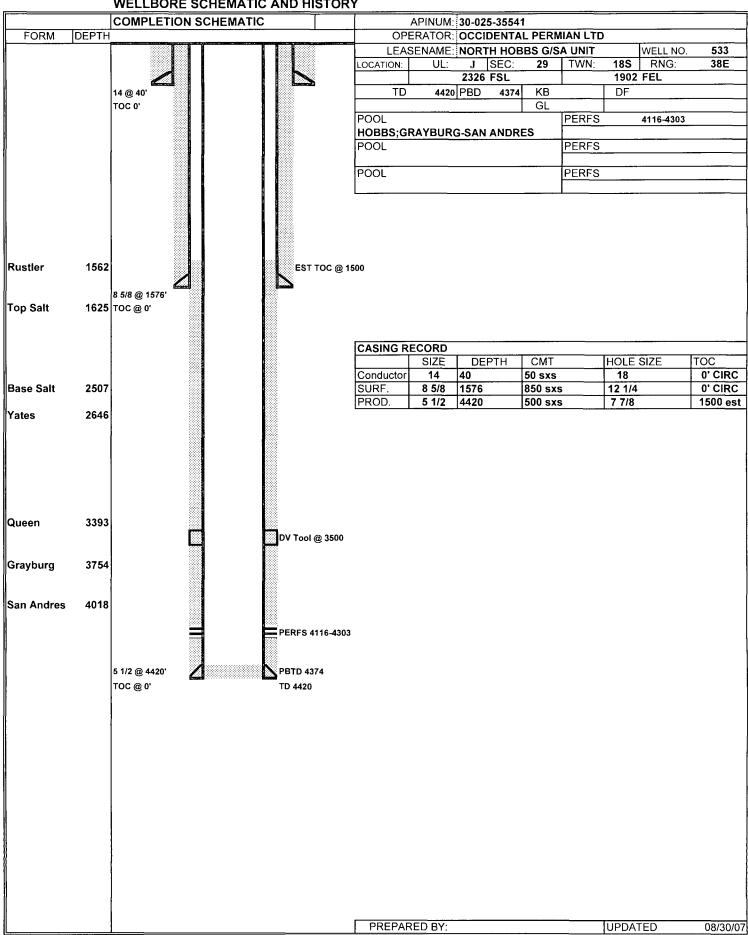






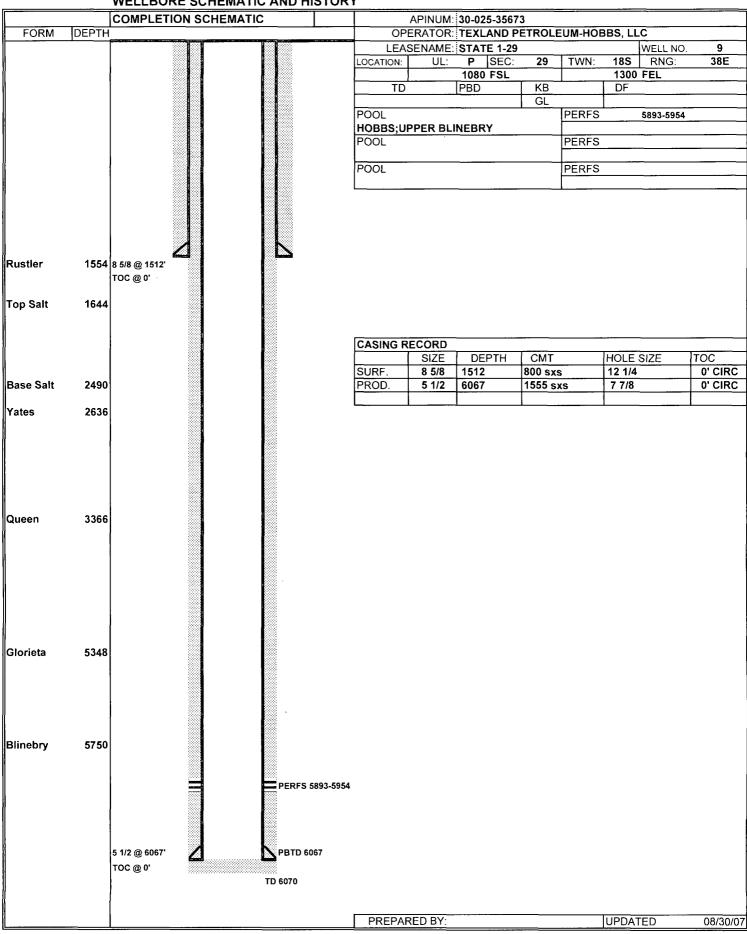




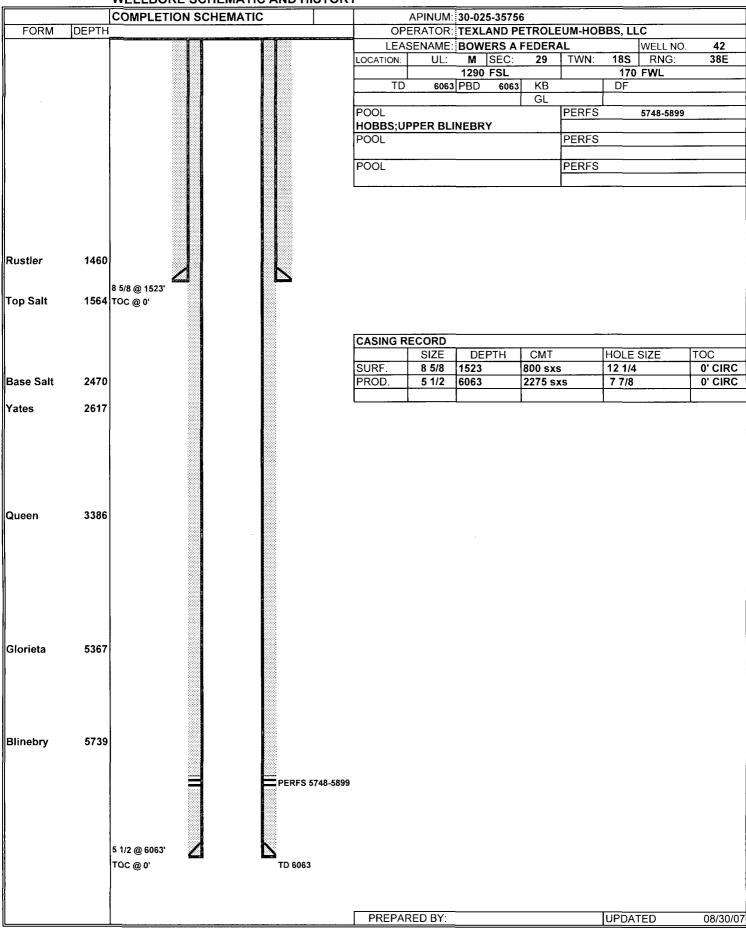


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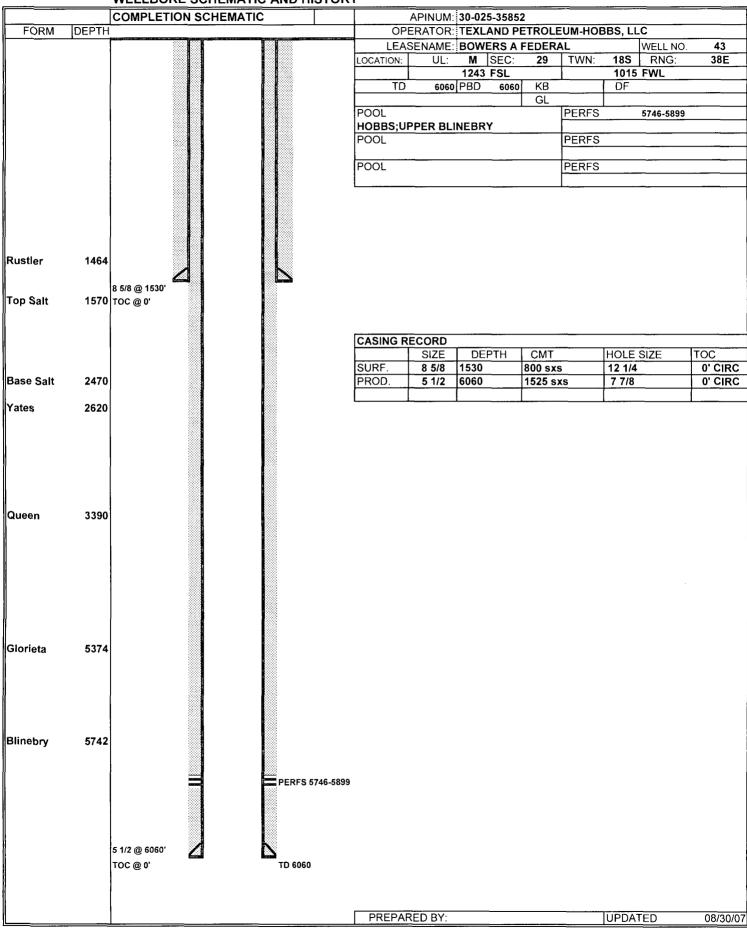


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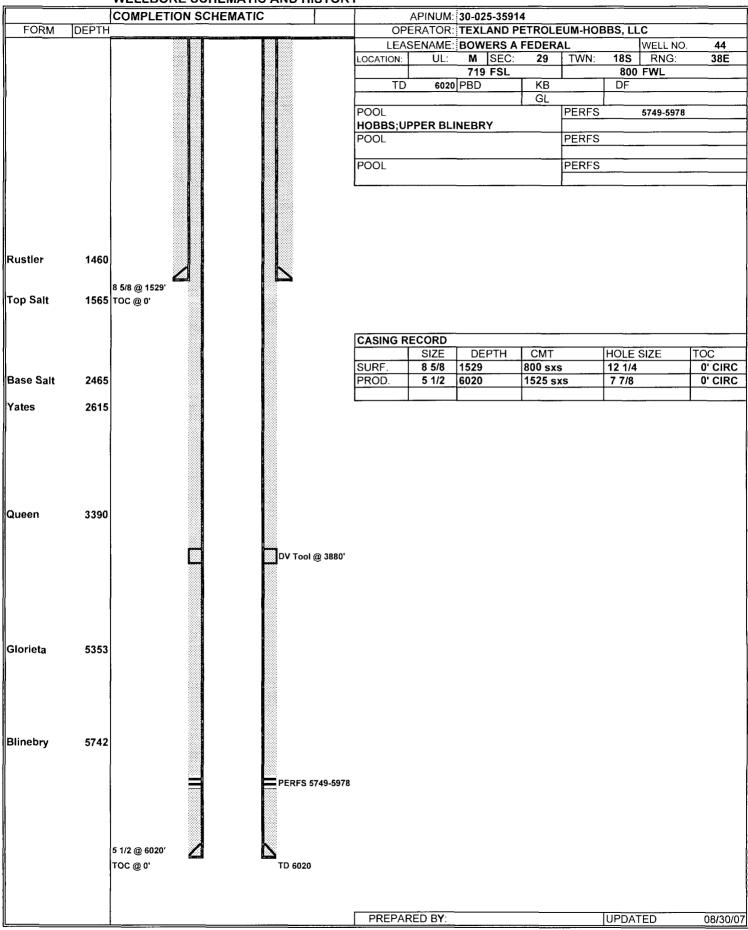


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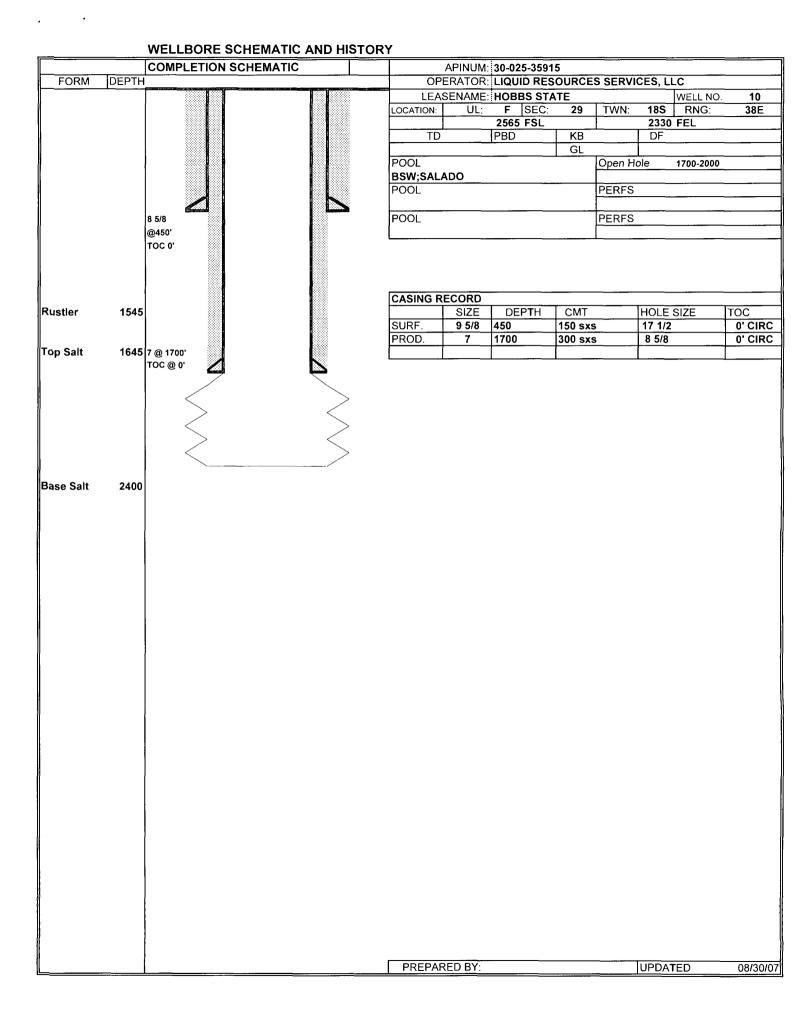
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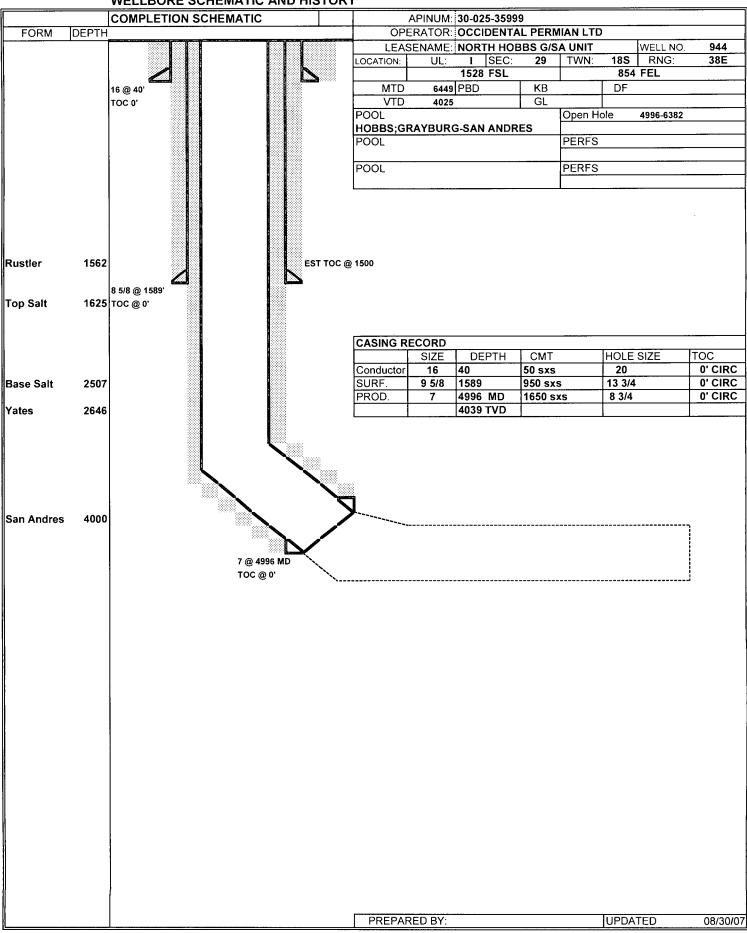


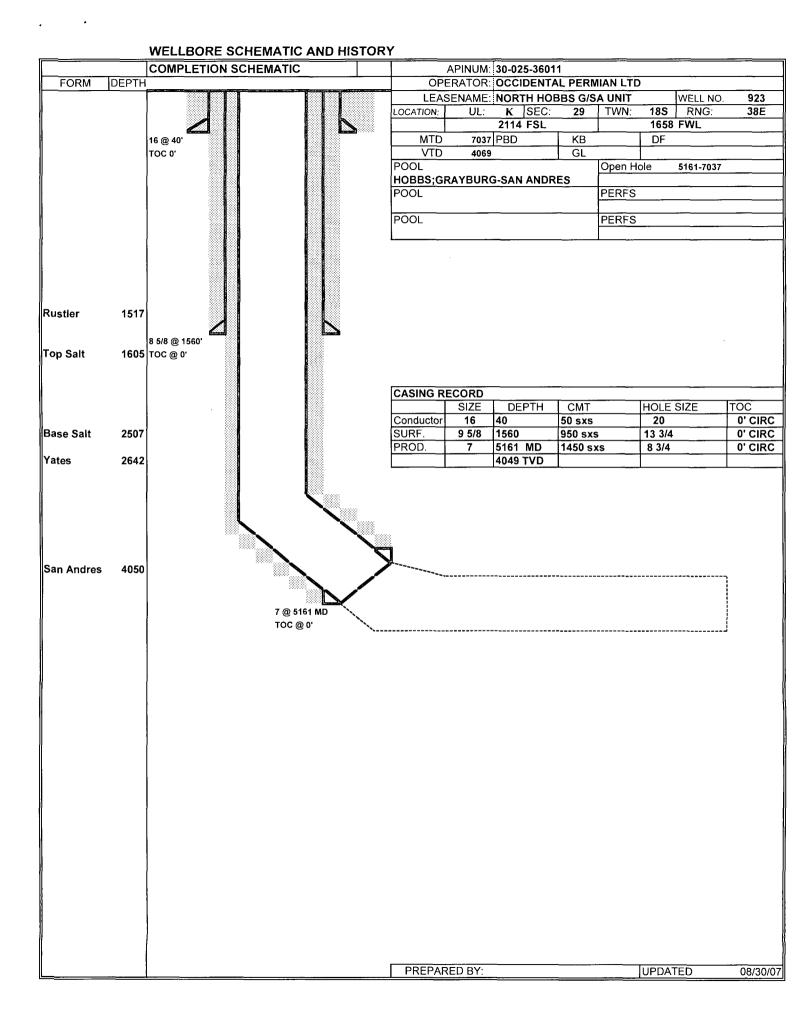
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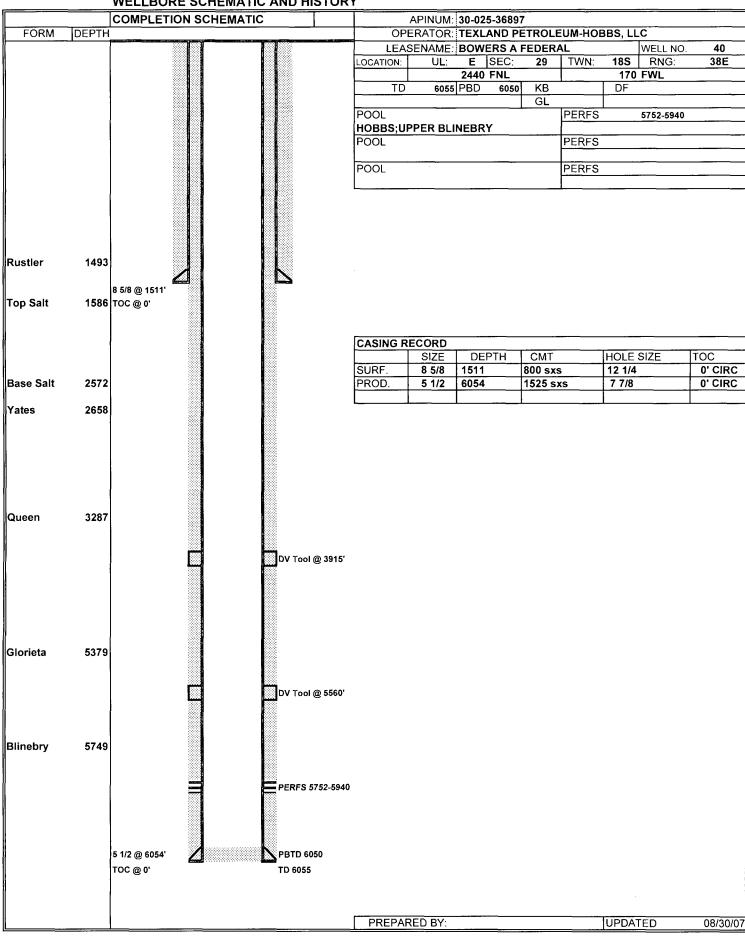


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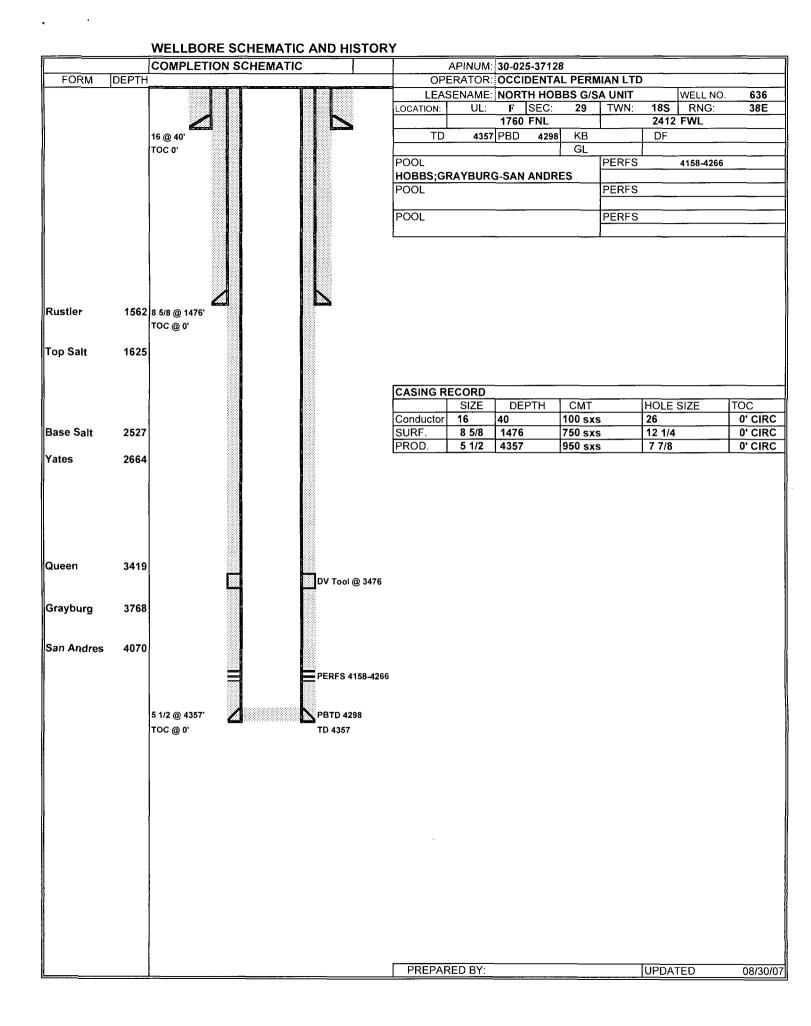


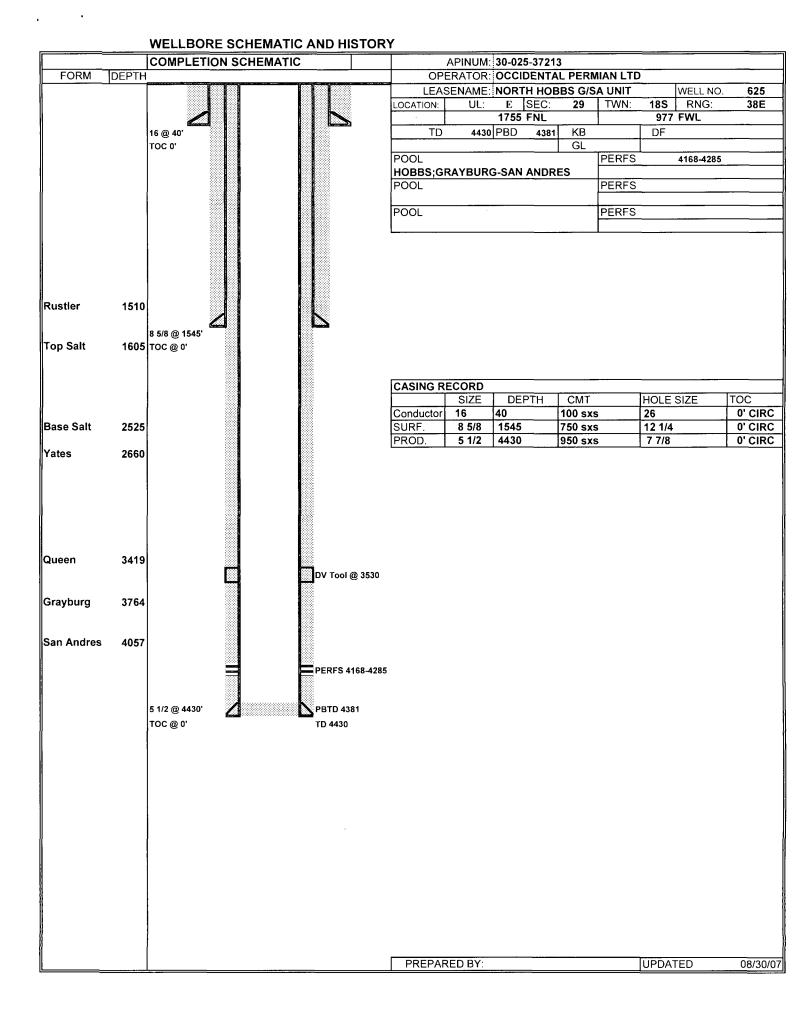


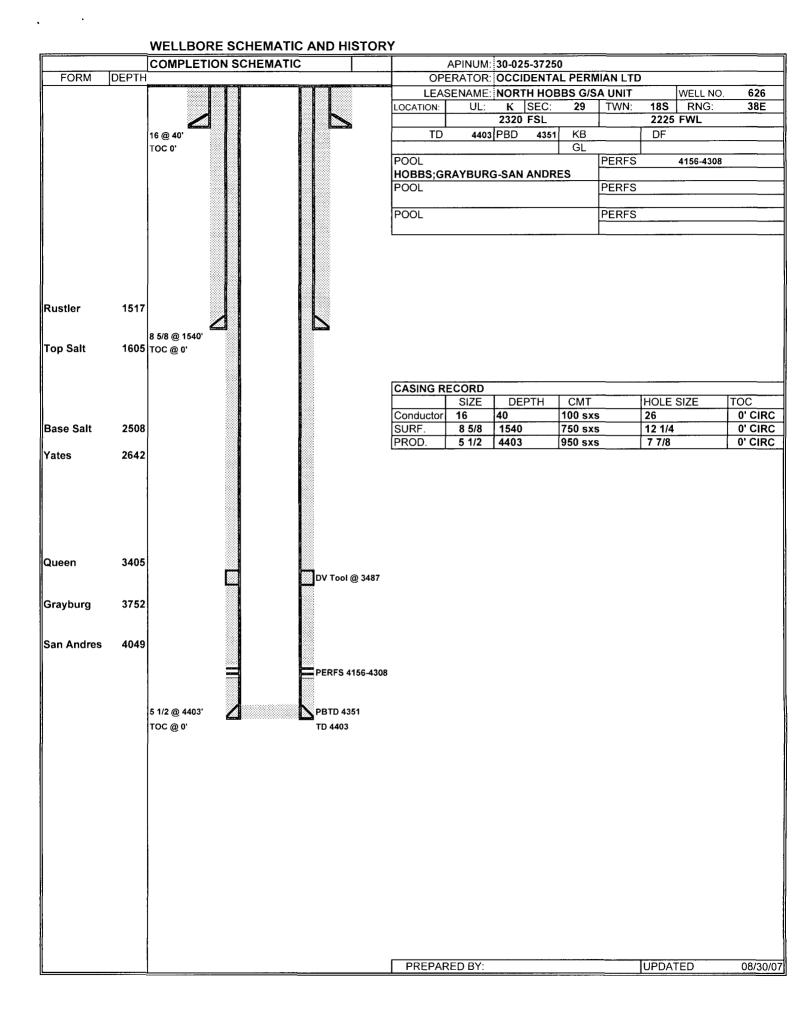




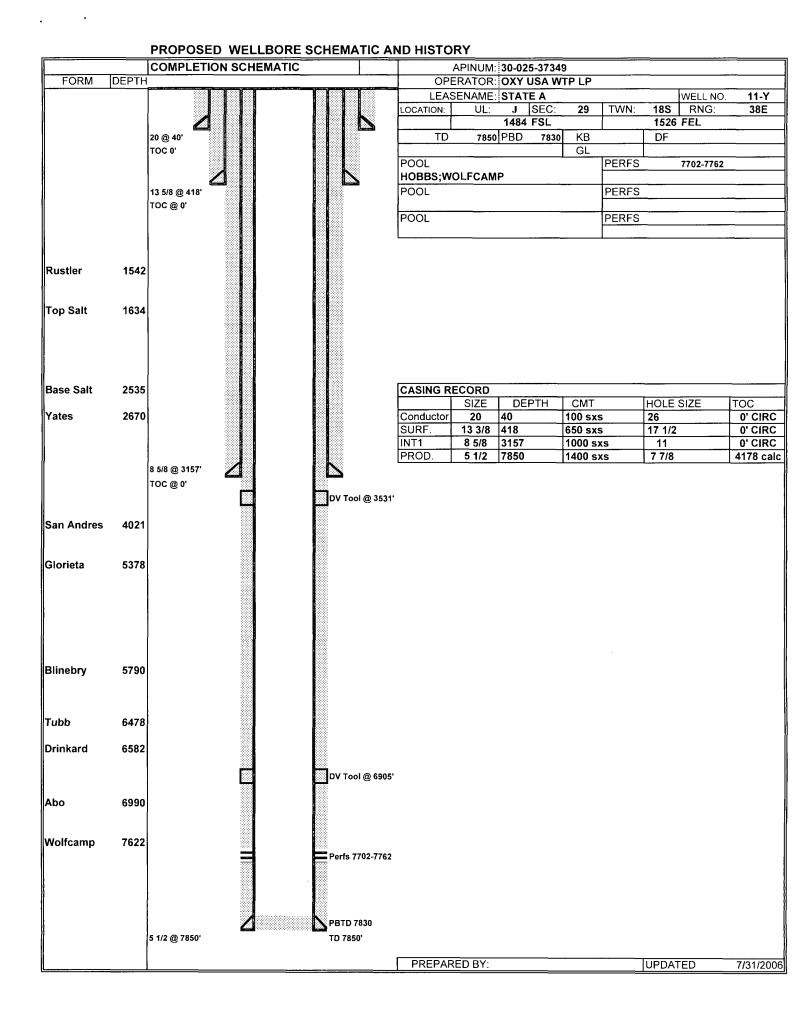
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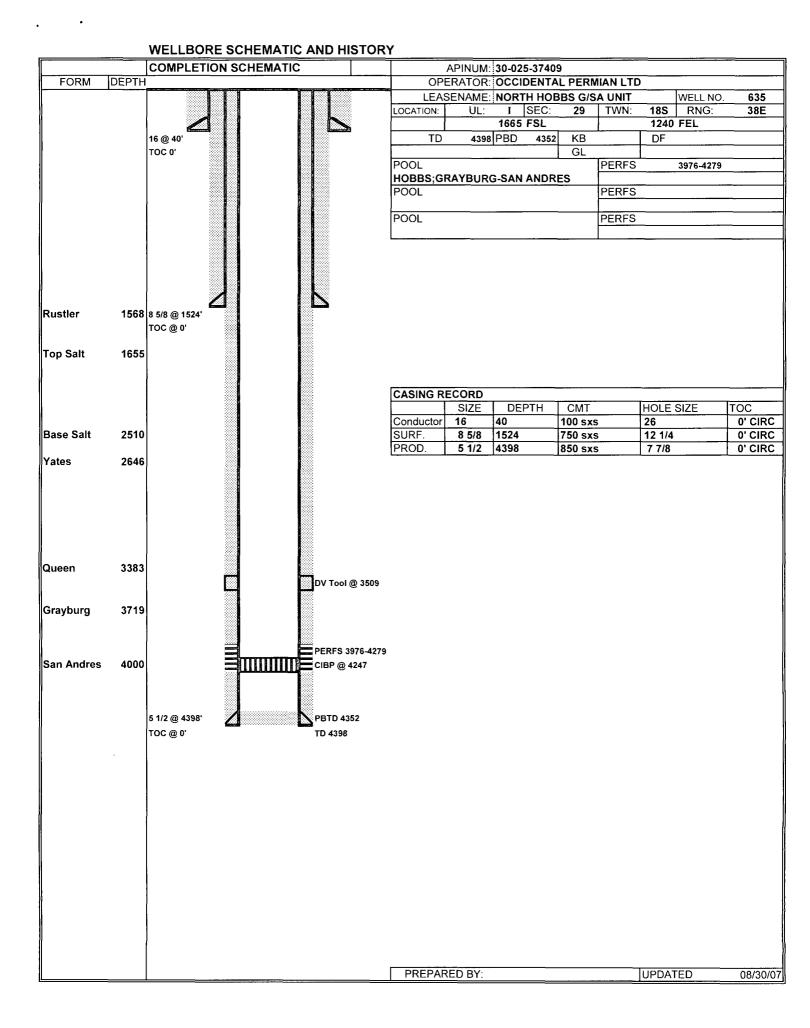


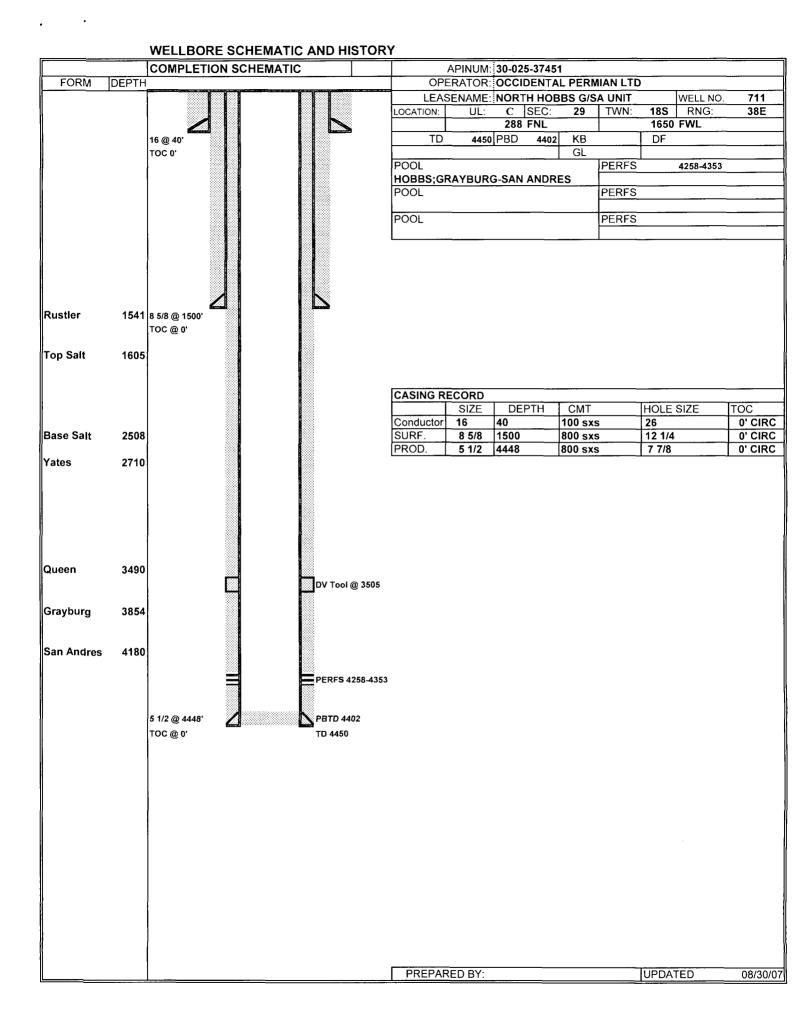


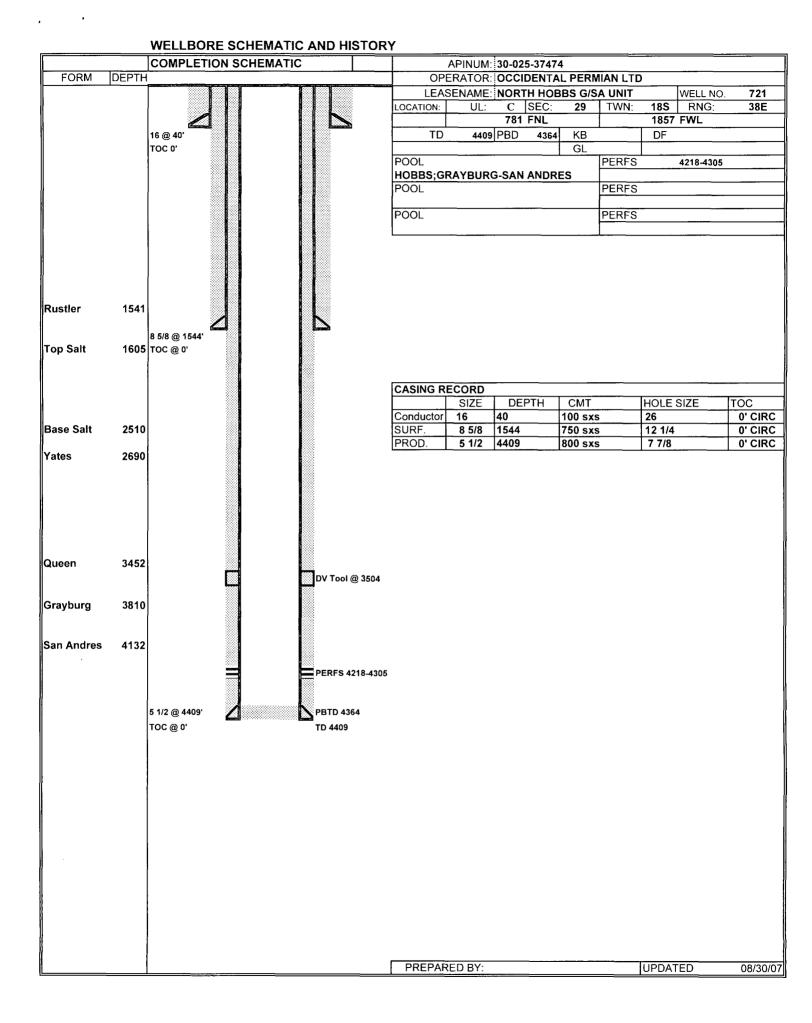


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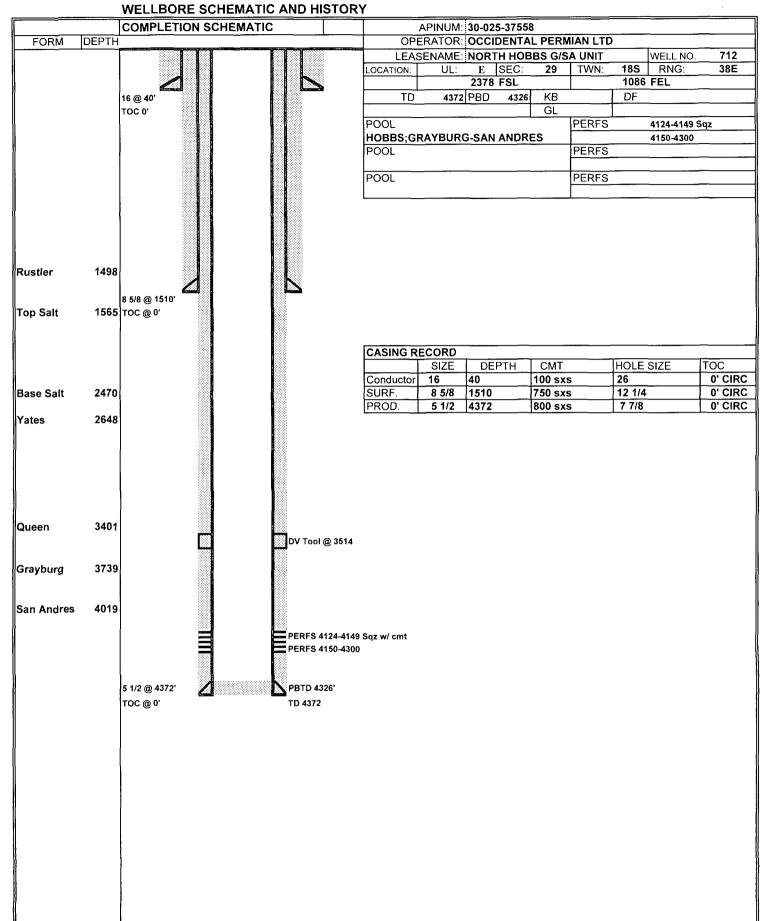






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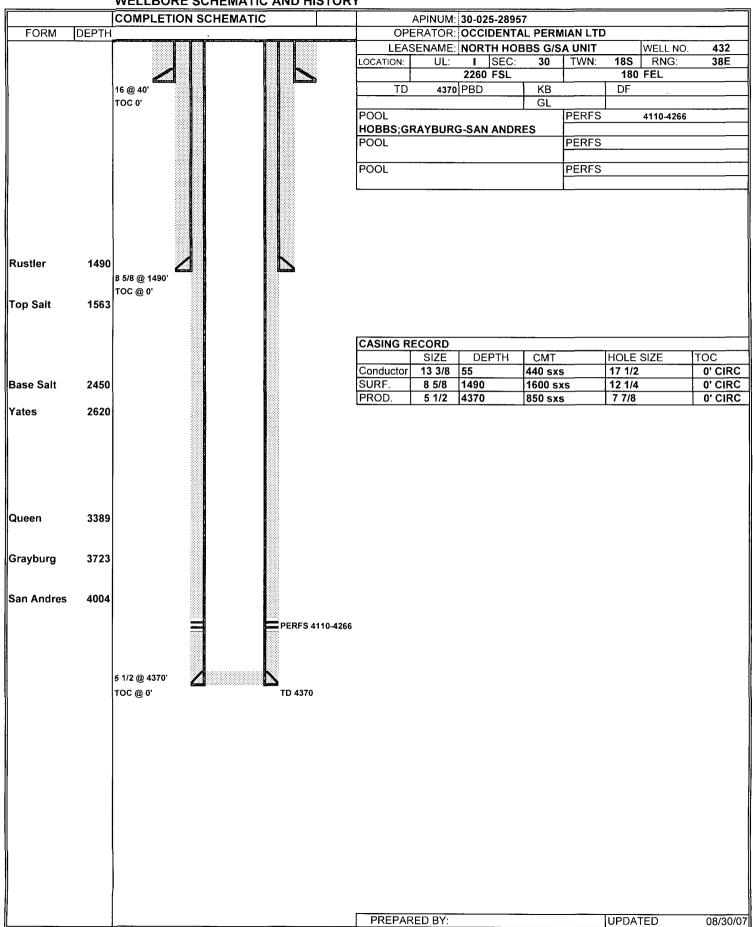
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May 29, 2002

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Mr. Gary Schubert H.R.C. Inc. P.O. Box 5102 Hobbs, New Mexico 88241

UN 10 2002 Environmental Bureau Oil Conservation Division

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Roger[®]C. Anderson Environmental Bureau Chief RCA/lwp xc: OCD Hobbs Office

Attachments- 2 Approval Conditions; C-101 APD

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Conditions accepted by:

H.R.C. Inc. GARY M. SCHUBERT
Company Representative- print name
Date 6/6/02
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May 29, 2002

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- 24. <u>Capacity/ Cavity Configuration and Subsidence Survey</u>: The operator shall provide information on the size and extent of the solution cavern and geologic/engineering data demonstrating that continued brine extraction will not cause surface subsidence, collapse or damage to property, or become a threat to public health and the environment. This information shall be supplied in each annual report. OCD may require the operator to perform additional well surveys, test, and install subsidence monitoring in order to demonstrate the integrity of the system. If the operator cannot demonstrate the integrity of the system to the satisfaction of the Division then the operator may be required to shut-down, close the site and properly plug and abandoned the well.
- 25. <u>Monitor Well:</u> The monitor well shall be located along the local groundwater flow direction and directly down-gradient of the brine well and situated within 50 feet of the brine well. The well shall be constructed, developed, purged and samples analyzed pursuant to approved EPA methods. Except for the initial well sampling event as proposed in the discharge plan, the monitor well shall be sampled and analyzed for general chemistry twice a year with the results submitted in the annual report. Discovery of groundwater contamination shall be reported pursuant to Item #18 above.

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- 26. <u>Area of Review:</u> The Hobbs State #5 well (UL F Section 29-Ts 18s-R38e), located approximately 300-400 feet northwest of the proposed brine well, shall be properly plugged and abandoned. H.R.C. Inc. shall re-enter and plug this well pursuant to OCD District I approval. This work shall be completed within 90 days after discharge plan approval and all OCD required forms shall be submitted within 30 days after work has been completed.
- 27. <u>Certification:</u> **H.R.C. Inc.** by the officer whose signature appears below, accepts this permit and agrees to comply with all terms and conditions contained herein. **H.R.C. Inc.** further acknowledges that these conditions and requirements of this permit may be changed administratively by the Division for good cause shown as necessary to protect fresh water, human health and the environment.

Conditions accepted by:

H.R.C. Inc.

Company Representative- print name

Date

Company Representative- Sign

Title

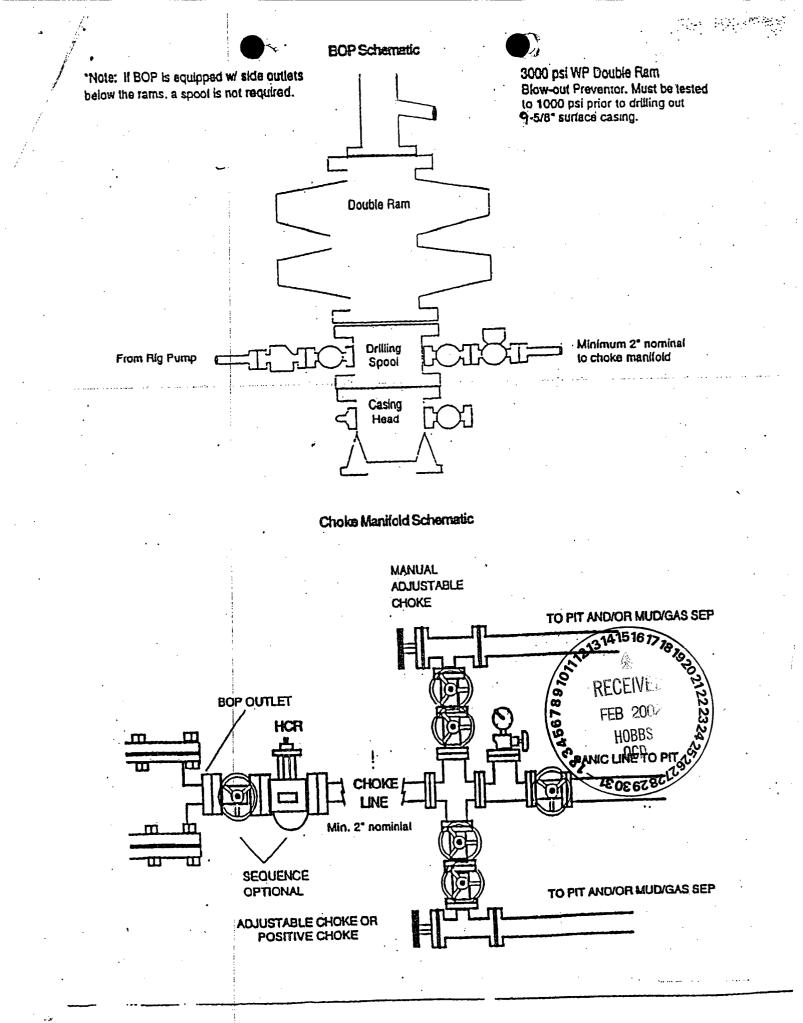
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NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON Governor Betty Rivera Cabinet Secretary Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

5/15/02

H.R.C. PO Box 5102 Hobbs, NM 88241

Re: Hobbs State #10, 30-025-35915, F-29-18S-38E-Brine Well APD

CONDITION OF APPROVAL

The approval of this APD is conditional:

1) HRC must either get letters of release from the objecting parties or;

- 2) Settle the objections at an NMOCD hearing in Santa Fe;
- 3) If HRC should choose to drill this well before the objections are waived or settled at hearing then HRC does so at its own risk.

Chris Williams- District 1 Supervisor

OPER. OGRID NO. 13/652 PROPERTY NO. 23612 POOL CODE 96123 EFF. DATE 5-14-02 API NO.

ACXNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF CHECX/CASH

I hereby acknowledge receipt of check No. dated 6/4/c or cash received on _____ in the amount of \$ _/700 from <u>HRC</u> Idc. LOT HOBBS ST # 10 BRING ST BW-030. Famility Human Submitted by: WAYNE ARCE OP Ne. • Data: 6 Submitted to ASD by: ___Date:_____ Received in ASD by: Data: Filing Fee ____ New Facility ____ Renewal ____ Modification ____ Other Organization Code 521.07 Applicable FY 2008 To be deposited in the Water Quality Management Fund. Full Payment V or Annual Increment **FIRST NATIONAL BANK** 600 W BENDER (605) 792 9200 HRC, INC P.O. BOX 46 HOBAS, NM 48241 Po box leós 10883: MA 8824 95-41/1122 CE/04/02 505; 3033194 Dry. trs type Wate Quarty Managment Fund . Oqqeq of . One Thousand Seven Hundled and 00/100** Water Qualty Management Euro CAD COLCONSONADON DWSCN 1220 South Saint Francis Or Sania Ee-XIV-87805 MENC Hobos SE #10 Discharge Plan Application

Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD



From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2006 4:05 PM

To: 'luckyservices@leaco.net'

Subject: Liquid Resource Services LLC Transfer of Ownership & Bond Documents

Ms. Rita Spencer:

Good afternoon. In accordance with your request for the above documents mailed out to Mr. Pyeatt this morning, please find attached the mailed documents (unsigned) with the exception of the Discharge Plan, which Mr. Pyeatt should receive in the mail soon. Please contact me if you have questions or need further assistance. Thank you.

Carl J. Chavez, CHMM New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept. Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 Office: (505) 476-3491 Fax: (505) 476-3462 E-mail: <u>CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us</u> Website: <u>http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/</u> (Pollution Prevention Guidance is under "Publications")

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Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From:Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRDSent:Monday, September 25, 2006 12:58 PM

To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

Subject: RE: Liquid Resource Services LLC OGRID 243571

Okay. As I understand it, I can approve the online transfer, however, I am not to release the bond I hold for 30-025-23621 for the Hobbs State No. 3 and you hold the brine well bond 30-025-34915 for the Hobbs State No. 10. You will release the No. 10 correct? . I show no record of this bond. I do have a bond in place and entered into ONGARD for the No. 10 for Liquid Resources Services, LLC. but no for HRC. Let me know when I can release. Thanks

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD Sent: Monday, September 25, 2006 12:44 PM To: Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRD Subject: RE: Liquid Resource Services LLC OGRID 243571

Dorothy:

The answer to your question is yes; however, Wayne Price says that I must follow-up with Liquid Resources Services, LLC (LRS) via letter with HRC Inc.'s attached Discharge Plan (DP) requesting a statement that they will abide by the terms and conditions of HRC Inc.'s DP.

Wayne says we must receive LRS's letter accepting the terms and conditions of HRC Inc.'s DP before releasing any bonds. I will need to update the HRC Inc. and LRS files throughout the process. I presume they are familiar with the transfer forms, etc. required in the process (see below) right?

UIC Manual Plugging Bond Requirements

The operator of an injection well must furnish a plugging bond to the Division as

required by **Rule 101**. However, if the well is a producing well to be converted to

injection, and a bond already covers the well, no action regarding the bond is

required.

a. If there is to be a transfer of ownership of wells, or of authority to inject, the

provisions of Rule 708 and Rule 1104.E must be followed. Form C-104A

(Change of Operator) must be filed.

b. Injection wells on federal land must have a federal plugging bond rather than

a state bond.

Thanks.

Carl J. Chavez, CHMM New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept. Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

9/25/2006



Office: (505) 476-3491 Fax: (505) 476-3462 E-mail: CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us Website: http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/ (Pollution Prevention Guidance is under "Publications")

From: Price, Wayne, EMNRD Sent: Friday, September 22, 2006 12:00 PM To: Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRD Cc: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD Subject: RE: Liquid Resource Services LLC OGRID 243571

Thanks Dorothy, I will check the files and get back with you.

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Mr. David A. Pyeatt Resource higoid Services, LLC 1819 N. TURNER Suite B Hobbs, NM 88240

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State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Oil Conservation Division

Form C-145 Permit 37085

Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

Change of Operator

Previous Opera	tor Information	New Operator Information					
		Effective Date:	8/1/2006				
OGRID:	131652	OGRID:	243571				
Name:	HRCINC	Name:	LIQUID RESOURCE SERVICES, LLC				
Address:	PO BOX 5102	Address:	1819 N. TURNER, SUITE B				
Address:		Address:					
City, State, Zip:	HOBBS , NM 88241	City, State, Zip:	HOBBS , NM 88240				

I hereby certify that the rules of the Oil Conservation Division have been complied with and that the information on this form and the certified list of wells is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Previous Operator	New Oper	ator
Signature: Capell 1 Steller	Signature:	Klat -
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Title: PEES.	Title:	_member/manager
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Corporations Information Inquiry

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LIQUID RESOURCE SERVICES, LLC

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2746485

JUNE 21, 2006, in NEW MEXICO DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY EXEMPT N/R

ORGANIZATION DATES

Taxable Year End Date: Filing Date: Expiration Date:

SUPPLEMENTAL POST MARK DATES

Supplemental: Name Change: Purpose Change: Agent Resigned:

MAILING ADDRESS

1819 N. TURNER, SUITE B HOBBS , NEW MEXICO 88240

PRINCIPAL ADDRESS

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Corporations Information Inquiry

REGISTERED AGENT

MADDOX & HOLLOMAN, P.C.

205 E. BENDER, SUITE 150 HOBBS NEW MEXICO 88240

Agent Designated:

COOP LICENSE INFORMATION

Number: Type: Expiration Year:

ORGANIZERS

SCOTTY HOLLOMAN

DIRECTORS

Date Election of Directors:



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON Governor Betty Rivera Cabinet Secretary

May 29, 2002

Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT NO. 3929 8942</u>

Mr. Gary Schubert H.R.C. Inc. P.O. Box 5102 Hobbs, New Mexico 88241

JUN 1 0 2002 Environmental Bureau Oil Conservation Division

Re: Discharge Plan Application H.R.C. Inc. State #10 Brine Station BW-030 Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Schubert:

The groundwater discharge plan for the State #10 Brine Well and Station BW-030 operated by H.R.C. Inc. located in SE/4 NW/4 of Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 38 East, and NW/4 NE/4 Section 29, Township 18 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico is hereby approved to construct and operate under the conditions contained in the enclosed attachment. Enclosed are two copies of the conditions of approval. Please sign and return one copy to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) Santa Fe Office within 30 working days of receipt of this letter.

The discharge plan application was submitted on August 03, 2001. Supplemental information, dated December 10, 2001, and notice to withdraw was submitted on February 08, 2002. A second application, reflecting a new well location, was submitted on February 20, 2002. This application including attachments, and subsequent information dated March 12, 2002, April 05, 2002, April 23, 2002, April 24, 2002, May 02, 2002 and May 10, 2002 was submitted pursuant to Section 5101.B.3. of the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) Regulations. The discharge plan is issued pursuant to Section 5101.A. and 3109.C. Please note Section 3109.G., which provides for possible future amendment of the plan. Please be advised that approval of this plan does not relieve H.R.C. Inc. of liability should operations result in pollution of surface or ground waters, or the environment.

Please be advised that all exposed pits, including lined pits and open top tanks (exceeding 16 feet in diameter) shall be screened, netted, or otherwise rendered nonhazardous to wildlife including migratory birds.

Please note that Section 3104 of the regulations requires that "when a plan has been approved, discharges must be consistent with the terms and conditions of the plan." Pursuant to Section 3107.C., H.R.C. Inc. is required to notify the Director of any facility expansion, production increase, or process modification that would result in any change in the discharge of water quality or volume.

Pursuant to Section 3109.H.4., this approval is for a period of five years. **This approval will expire May 29, 2007** and an application for renewal should be submitted in ample time before that date. Pursuant to Section 5101.F. of the regulations, if a discharger submits a discharge plan renewal application at least 120 days before the discharge plan expires and is in compliance with the approved plan, then the existing discharge plan will not expire until the application for renewal has been approved or disapproved.

The discharge plan application for the H.R.C. Inc. State #10 Brine Station is subject to the WQCC Regulation 3114. Every billable facility submitting a discharge plan will be assessed a fee equal to the filing fee of \$100.00 plus a flat fee of \$1700.00 for brine stations. The OCD has not received the \$1700.00 flat fee. The flat fee may be paid in a single payment due on the date of the discharge plan approval or in five equal installments over the expected duration of the discharge plan. Installment payments shall be remitted yearly, with the first installment due on the date of the discharge plan approval and subsequent installments due on this date of each calendar year.

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If you have any questions, please contact Wayne Price of my staff at (505-476-3487). On behalf of the staff of the OCD, I wish to thank you and your staff for your cooperation during this discharge plan review.

Sincerely,

Roger C. Anderson Environmental Bureau Chief RCA/lwp xc: OCD Hobbs Office

Attachments- 2 Approval Conditions; C-101 APD

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ATTACHMENT TO THE DISCHARGE PLAN BW-030 APPROVAL H.R.C. Inc. State #10 Brine Station (BW-030) DISCHARGE PLAN APPROVAL CONDITIONS MAY 29, 2002

- 1. <u>Payment of Discharge Plan Fees:</u> The \$100.00 filing fee has been received by OCD. The \$1700.00 flat fee shall be submitted upon receipt of this approval. The required flat fee may be paid in a single payment due at the time of approval, or in equal annual installments over the duration of the plan, with the first payment due upon receipt of this approval.
- 2. <u>Commitments:</u> H.R.C. Inc. will abide by all commitments submitted in the discharge plan application, subsequent information supplied and these conditions for approval.
- 3. <u>Production Method:</u> Fresh water will be injected down the casing and brine shall be recovered up the tubing. Reverse flow will be allowed only once a month for up to 24 hours for clean out.
- 4. <u>Maximum Injection Pressure:</u> The maximum operating injection and/or test pressure at the well head will be such that the fracture pressure of the injection formation will not be exceeded and will not cause new fractures or propagate existing fractures or cause damage to the system.

The maximum injection pressure will be limited to 250 psig and the maximum test pressure will not exceed 375 psig.

5. <u>Mechanical Integrity Testing:</u> H.R.C. Inc. will conduct an annual open to formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation with fluids to 375 psig for four hours. However, no operator may exceed surface injection or test pressures that may cause formation fracturing (see item 4 above) or system failures. Systems requiring test pressures less than 300 psig or methods that use testing media other than fluids, i.e. gas, must be approved by OCD prior to testing. Brine supply wells operating with isolation packers will have to pressure test both the eavern formation and casing/tubing annuals.

At least once every five years and during well work-overs the cavern formation will be isolated from the casing/tubing annuals and the casing pressure tested at 300 psig for 30 minutes. All pressure test must be witnessed by OCD.

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- 6. <u>Production/Injection Volumes/Annual Report:</u> The volumes of fluids injected (fresh water) and produced (brine) will be recorded monthly and submitted to the OCD Santa Fe Office in an annual report due on the thirty-first (31) day of January of each year.
- 7. <u>Analysis of Injection Fluid and Brine:</u> Provide an analysis of the injection fluid and brine with each annual report. Analysis will be for General Chemistry (Method 40 CFR 136.3) using EPA methods.
- 8. <u>Drum Storage:</u> All drums containing materials other than fresh water must be stored on an impermeable pad with curbing. All empty drums should be stored on their sides with the bungs in place and lined up on a horizontal plane. Chemicals in other containers such as sacks or buckets must also be stored on an impermeable pad with curbing.
- 9. <u>Process Areas:</u> All process and maintenance areas which show evidence that leaks and spills are reaching the ground surface must be either paved and curbed or have some type of spill collection device incorporated into the design.

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- 10. <u>Above Ground Tanks:</u> All above ground tanks which contain fluids other than fresh water must be bermed to contain a volume of one-third more than the total volume of the largest tank or of all interconnected tanks. All new facilities or modifications to existing facilities must place the tank on an impermeable type pad within the berm.
- 11. <u>Above Ground Saddle Tanks</u>: Above ground saddle tanks must have impermeable pad and curb type containment unless they contain fresh water or fluids that are gases at atmospheric temperature and pressure.
- 12. <u>Labeling:</u> All tanks, drums, and other containers should be clearly labeled to identify their contents and other emergency information necessary if the tank were to rupture, spill, or ignite.
- 13. <u>Below Grade Tanks/Sumps:</u> All below grade tanks, sumps, and pits must be approved by the OCD prior to installation or upon modification and must incorporate secondary containment and leak-detection into the design. All pre-existing sumps and below-grade tanks must be tested to demonstrate their mechanical integrity no later than December 31, 2002 and every year from tested date, thereafter. Permittees may propose various methods for testing such as pressure testing to 3 pounds per square inch above normal operating pressure and/or visual inspection of cleaned out tanks and/or sumps, or other OCD approved methods. The OCD will be notified at least 72 hours prior to all testing. The test results will be submitted to OCD in the annual report.

- 14. <u>Underground Process/Wastewater Lines:</u> All underground process/wastewater pipelines must be tested to demonstrate their mechanical integrity no later than December 31, 2002 and every 5 years, from tested date, thereafter. Permittees may propose various methods for testing such as pressure testing to 3 pounds per square inch above normal operating pressure or other means acceptable to the OCD. The OCD will be notified at least 72 hours prior to all testing. The test results will be submitted to OCD in the first annual report.
- 15. <u>Class V Wells</u>: No Class V wells that inject non-hazardous industrial wastes or a mixture of industrial wastes and domestic wastes will be approved for construction and/or operation unless it can be demonstrated that groundwater will not be impacted in the reasonably foreseeable future. Leach fields and other wastewater disposal systems at OCD regulated facilities which inject non-hazardous fluid into or above an underground source of drinking water are considered Class V injection wells under the EPA UIC program. Class V wells that inject domestic waste only must be permitted by the New Mexico Environment Department.
- 16. <u>Well Work Over Operations:</u> OCD approval will be obtained from the Director prior to performing remedial work, pressure test or any other Work over. Approval will be requested on OCD Form C-103 "Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells" (OCD Rule 1103.A.) with appropriate copies sent to the OCD Hobbs District Office.
- 17. <u>Housekeeping:</u> All systems designed for spill collection/prevention, and leak detection will be inspected daily to ensure proper operation and to prevent overtopping or system failure. All spill collection and/or secondary containment devices will be emptied of fluids within 48 hours of discovery. A record of inspections will be retained on site for a period of five years.

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- 18. <u>Spill Reporting:</u> All spills/releases shall be reported pursuant to OCD Rule 116. and WQCC 1203. to the OCD Hobbs District Office.
- 19. <u>Waste Disposal</u>: All wastes will be disposed of at an OCD approved facility. Only oilfield exempt wastes shall be disposed of down Class II injection wells. Non-exempt oilfield wastes that are non-hazardous may be disposed of at an OCD approved facility upon proper waste determination per 40 CFR Part 261. Any waste stream that is not listed in the discharge plan will be approved by OCD on a case-by-case basis.

<u>Rule 712 Waste:</u> Pursuant to Rule 712, disposal of certain non-domestic waste is allowed at solid waste facilities permitted by the New Mexico Environment Department as long as the waste stream is identified in the discharge plan, and existing process knowledge of the waste stream does not change without notification to the Oil Conservation Division.

- 20. <u>Transfer of Discharge Plan:</u> The OCD will be notified prior to any transfer of ownership, control, or possession of a facility with an approved discharge plan. A written commitment to comply with the terms and conditions of the previously approved discharge plan must be submitted by the purchaser and approved by the OCD prior to transfer.
- 21. <u>Closure:</u> The OCD will be notified when operations of the facility are discontinued for a period in excess of six months. Prior to closure of the facility a closure plan will be submitted for approval by the Director. Closure and waste disposal will be in accordance with the statutes, rules and regulations in effect at the time of closure.
- 22. <u>OCD Inspections:</u> Additional requirements may be placed on the facility based upon results from OCD inspections.
- 23. <u>Storm Water Plan:</u> H.R.C. Inc. will submit in the first annual report a storm water run-off plan for OCD approval.
- 24. <u>Capacity/ Cavity Configuration and Subsidence Survey</u>: The operator shall provide information on the size and extent of the solution cavern and geologic/engineering data demonstrating that continued brine extraction will not cause surface subsidence, collapse or damage to property, or become a threat to public health and the environment. This information shall be supplied in each annual report. OCD may require the operator to perform additional well surveys, test, and install subsidence monitoring in order to demonstrate the integrity of the system. If the operator cannot demonstrate the integrity of the subsidence the integrity of the site and properly plug and abandoned the well.
- 25. <u>Monitor Well:</u> The monitor well shall be located along the local groundwater flow direction and directly down-gradient of the brine well and situated within 50 feet of the brine well. The well shall be constructed, developed, purged and samples analyzed pursuant to approved EPA methods. Except for the initial well sampling event as proposed in the discharge plan, the monitor well shall be sampled and analyzed for general chemistry twice a year with the results submitted in the annual report. Discovery of groundwater contamination shall be reported pursuant to Item #18 above.

- 26. <u>Area of Review:</u> The Hobbs State #5 well (UL F Section 29-Ts 18s-R38e), located approximately 300-400 feet northwest of the proposed brine well, shall be properly plugged and abandoned. H.R.C. Inc. shall re-enter and plug this well pursuant to OCD District I approval. This work shall be completed within 90 days after discharge plan approval and all OCD required forms shall be submitted within 30 days after work has been completed.
- 27. <u>Certification:</u> **H.R.C. Inc.** by the officer whose signature appears below, accepts this permit and agrees to comply with all terms and conditions contained herein. **H.R.C. Inc.** further acknowledges that these conditions and requirements of this permit may be changed administratively by the Division for good cause shown as necessary to protect fresh water, human health and the environment.

Conditions accepted by:

H.R.C. Inc. GARY MI SCHUBERT Company Representative- print name ___Date Acles Company Representative- Sign

114-5. Title



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

BILL RICHARDSON Governor Joanna Prukop Cabinet Secretary Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. Director Oil Conservation Division

September 26, 2006

Mr. David A. Pyeatt Liquid Resource Services, LLC. 1819 N. Turner, Suite B Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Dear Mr. Pyeatt:

It has come to the Oil Conservation Division's (OCD) attention that Liquid Resource Services, LLC. (LRS) has acquired or is acquiring the Hobbs State No. 10 brine well (API# 30-025-35915) from H.R.C. Inc. (HRC). In order for the OCD to transfer ownership and release the HRC bond on the Hobbs State No. 10 brine well from HRC to LRS, the OCD is requesting certification with signature from LRS confirming that it accepts the terms and conditions of the existing attached HRC discharge plan permit. Please sign and return the attached certification if LRS accepts the above conditions within 14 days of the above date. If the OCD does not receive a signed certification for the Hobbs State No. 10 from LRS, the OCD cannot transfer ownership and release HRC from its bond.

An Internet link to the Underground Injection Control Manual

(<u>http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/emnrd/ocd/documents/UICManual.pdf</u>) is provided for you to consider the transfer of ownership and bonding requirements for Class III brine wells in New Mexico. In addition, I have attached the "WQCC Transfer of Discharge Permit Regulations."

Please contact Carl Chavez of my staff at (505) 476-3491 or via E-mail (<u>CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us</u>) if you have questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Wayne Price, OCD Environmental Bureau Chief

Attachments: Certification HRC Discharge Plan Permit WQCC Transfer of Discharge Permit Regulations

LWP:cc

CC: District I/File

OCD CERTIFICATION

Liquid Resource Services, LLC. (LRS) hereby accepts the terms and conditions of the attached H.R.C. Inc. discharge plan permit (BW-030) and agrees to comply with the terms and conditions. LRS acknowledges that the Oil Conservation Division (OCD) may change the terms and conditions for good cause shown as necessary to protect fresh water, human health, and the environment. The undersigned also attests to the fact that he or she understands 19.15.1.41 NMAC which states "Any person who conducts any activity pursuant to a permit, administrative order or other written authorization or approval from the division shall comply with every term, condition and provision of such permit, administrative order, authorization or approval."

Accepted.

LIQUID RESOURCE SERVICES, LLC. 1819 N. Turner, Suite B Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Signature_____ Date_____

WQCC Transfer of Discharge Permit Regulations

20.6.2.3104 DISCHARGE PERMIT REQUIRED: Unless otherwise provided by this Part, no person shall cause or allow effluent or leachate to discharge so that it may move directly of indirectly into ground water unless he is discharging pursuant to a discharge permit issued by the secretary. When a permit has been issued, discharges must be consistent with the terms and conditions of the permit. In the event of a transfer of the ownership, control, or possession of a facility for which a discharge permit is in effect, the transferee shall have authority to discharge under such permit, provided that the transferee has complied with Section 20.6.2.3111 NMAC, regarding transfers.

[2-18-77, 12-24-87, 12-1-95; Rn & A, 20.6.2.3104 NMAC - 20 NMAC 6.2.III.3104, 1-15-01; A, 12-1-01]

20.6.2.3111 TRANSFER OF DISCHARGE PERMIT: No purported transfer of any discharge permit shall be effective to create, alter or extinguish any right or responsibility of any person subject to this Part, unless the following transfer requirements are met:

A. Prior to any transfer of ownership, control, or possession (whether by lease, conveyance or otherwise) of a facility with a discharge permit, the transferror shall notify the transferee in writing of the existence of the discharge permit, and shall deliver or send by certified mail to the department a copy of such written notification, together with a certification or other proof that such notification has in fact been received by the transferee.

B. Upon receipt of such notification, the transferee shall have the duty to inquire into all of the provisions and requirements contained in such discharge permit, and the transferee shall be charged with notice of all such provisions and requirements as they appear of record in the department's file or files concerning such discharge permit.

C. Until both ownership and possession of the facility have been transferred to the transferee, the transferor shall continue to be responsible for any discharge from the facility.

D. Upon assuming either ownership or possession of the facility, the transferee shall have the same rights and responsibilities under the discharge permit as were applicable to the transferor.

E. Nothing in this section or in this part shall be construed to relieve any person of responsibility or liability for any act or omission which occurred while that person owned, controlled or was in possession of the facility.

[2-18-77, 12-24-87, 12-1-95, 11-15-96; 20.6.2.3111 NMAC - Rn, 20 NMAC 6.2.III.3111, 1-15-01; A, 12-1-01]

20.6.2.5101 DISCHARGE PERMIT AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS FOR CLASS I NON-HAZARDOUS WASTE INJECTION WELLS AND CLASS III WELLS:

H. Transfer of Class I non-hazardous waste injection well and Class III well Discharge Permits.

(1) The transfer provisions of Section 20.6.2.3111 NMAC do not apply to a discharge permit for a Class I non-hazardous waste injection well or Class III well.

(2) A Class I non-hazardous waste injection well or Class III well discharge permit may be transferred if:

(a) The secretary receives written notice 30 days prior to the transfer date; and

(b) The secretary does not object prior to the proposed transfer date. The secretary may require modification of the discharge permit as a condition of transfer, and may require demonstration of adequate financial responsibility.

(3) The written notice required by Subparagraph (b) of Paragraph (2) of Subsection I above shall:

(a) Have been signed by the discharger and the succeeding discharger, including an acknowledgement that the succeeding discharger shall be responsible for compliance with the discharge permit upon taking possession of the facility; and

(b) Set a specific date for transfer of discharge permit responsibility, coverage and liability; and

(c) Include information relating to the succeeding discharger's financial responsibility required by Paragraph (17) of Subsection B of Section 20.6.2.5210 NMAC.