Form 3160-3 (September 2001)

## N.M. Oil Cons. DIV-Dist. 2 1301 W. Grand Avenue

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0136 Expires January 31, 2004

UNITED STATES 5. Lease Serial No. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIORITES IN 88210 M 93460 BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT 6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER 7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No. la. Type of Work: ☑ DRILL ■ REENTER 8. Lease Name and Well No. Oil Well Gas Well Other ✓ Single Zone 1b. Type of Well: ... Multiple Zone Josey Federal #3 2. Name of Operator 9. API Well\_No. 34 S*i* 30-015-Nadel and Gussman Permian, L.L.C 3a Address 3b. Phone No. (include area code) 601 N. Marienfeld, TX 79701 (432) 682-4429 Chester 4. Location of Well (Report location clear SUBJECT drog Like APPROVAL BY STATE 11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. and Survey or Area At surface UL N Sec. 30 T20S R23E 660' FSL & 2,280' FWL At proposed prod. zone UL N Sec. 30 T20S R23E 660' FSL & 1,980' FWL Sec. 30, T20S-R23E 14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office\* 12. County or Parish 13. State NM 20 miles South of Hope, NM Eddy County 15. Distance from proposed\* 17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 16. No. of Acres in lease location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 660' FSL 1,279.36 acres 320 (W/2) RECEIVED 18. Distance from proposed location\* 19. Proposed Depth 20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file to nearest well, drilling, completed, DEC 2 8 7005 applied for, on this lease, ft. 1,320' 21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 22. Approximate date work will start\* 23. Estimated duration December 14, 2005 GL4.390' 24. Attachments The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No.1, shall be attached to this form: 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see 2. A Drilling Plan. Item 20 above). 5. Operator certification. 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the 6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office). authorized officer. 25. Signature Name (Printed Typed) Josh Fernau 11/01/05 Title Staff Engineer Name (Printed Typed, Approved by (Signature) DEC 2 3 2005 /s/ Joe G. Lara /s/ Joe G. Lara

Title

CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

ELD MANAGER

Office

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon. APPROVAL FOR 1 YEAR

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

\*(Instructions on reverse)

Witness Surface Casing

Roswell Controlled Water Basin

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO General requirements at SPECIAL STIPULATIONS ATTACHED - 1 - is

If earthen pits are used in association with the drilling of this well, an OCD pit permit must be obtained prior to pit construction.

DISTRICT I 1986 M. Procch Dr. Hobbs. No. 68849 DISTRICT II 811 South First, Artesia, NM 88810

DISTRICT III

## State of New Mexico

Form C-102 Ervised Harch 17, 1989

Submit to Appropriate District Office

State Lease - 4 Copies Foe Lease - 3 Copies

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

8040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

AMENDED REPORT

#### DISTRICT IV 2049 South Punkson, Santa Fe, MK 87605

1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Artes, NM 87410

#### WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number	Paul Code	Pool Name
Property Code	Property Nume	Well Mumber
	JOSEY FEDERAL	3
OGRIB No.	Operator Name	Heration
	NADEL AND GUSSMAN PI	ERMIAN 4390

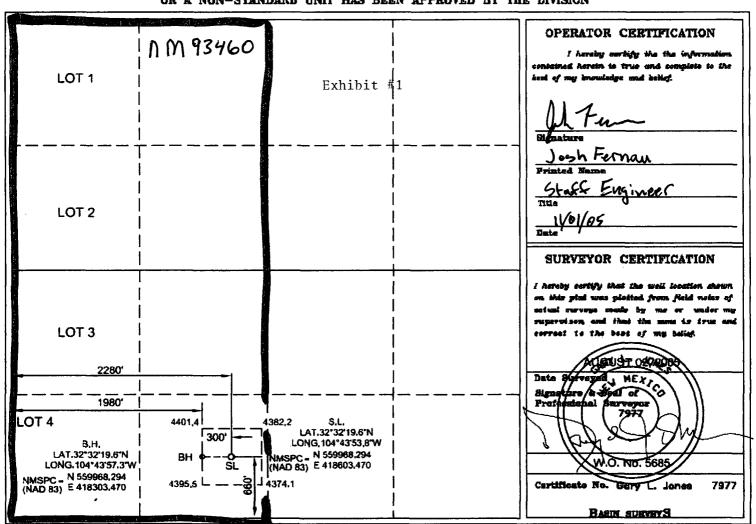
#### Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Man	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet Dress the	East/West line	County
N	30	20 <b>-</b> S	23-E		660	SOUTH	2280	WEST	EDDY

#### Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or let No.	Section 30	Township 20-S	Range 23-E	Let Ide	Feet from the 660	North/South line SOUTH	Feet from the 1980	East/West line WEST	EDDY
Dedicated Acre	a Joint o	r Infili Co	nealidation.	Çode Or	der No.				:

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



District 1
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

# State of New Mexico Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505 For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Form C-144

June 1, 2004

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure
Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☐ No ☒

Type of action: Registration of a pit of	or below-grade tank 🛛 Closure of a pit or below-gr	rade tank
Operator:Nadel and Gussman Permian, LLCTelephone:432-68	22 4420 a mail address: iacht@na	miss com
		guss.com
Address:601 N. Marienfeld, Suite 508 Midland, TX 70701  Facility or well name:Josey Federal #3API #:30-015		205 P 23E
County:Eddy, NM LatitudeN32 deg 32' 19.6" Longitude W104		
County:Eddy, N/M Latitude N32 deg 32 19.6 Longitude w 104	deg 43 55.6 NAD: 1927   1985 \(\text{\square}\) Surface O	where redetal & State   Trivate   Indian
Pit	Below-grade tank	
Type: Drilling ⊠ Production □ Disposal □	Volume:bbl Type of fluid:	
Workover  Emergency	Construction material:	
Lined 🖾 Unlined 🗆	Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes  If n	
Liner type: Synthetic M Thickness12mil Clay []	Boable-walled, with leak detection. Tes [] IT is	RECEIVED
Pit Volume20,000bbl		No. of the control of
1 it volume20,000001	Less than 50 feet	DEC 1 6 2005
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(20 points) (10 points)
high water elevation of ground water.)	100 feet or more	( 0 points)X
	100 feet of more	( o pontes)A
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic	Yes	(20 points)
water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	No	( 0 points)X
	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas,	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	1000 feet or more	( 0 points)X
		0
	Ranking Score (Total Points)	U
If this is a pit closure: (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit	s relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Ind	icate disposal location: (check the onsite box if
your are burying in place) onsite 🔲 offsite 🔲 If offsite, name of facility_	. (3) Attach a genera	l description of remedial action taken including
remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No 🗌	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
(5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excava		•
Additional Comments:		
Additional Comments.		
I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best	of my knowledge and belief. I further cortify the	t the above described pit or below grade tank
has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guideline		
Date:11/01/05	<b>M</b> I 1	
Printed Name/TitleJosh Fernau Staff Engineer	Signature # F	
Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve to regulations.	not relieve the operator of liability should the conter the operator of its responsibility for compliance with	nts of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or n any other federal, state, or local laws and/or
Approval: Gerry Guye	Signature Semy dem	
Printed Name/Title Compliance Officer	Signature /	Date: 1270-05
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#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management Roswell Field Office 2909 West Second Street Roswell, New Mexico 88201-1287

#### **Statement Accepting Responsibility for Operations**

Operator Name:

Nadel and Gussman Permian, L.L.C.

Address:

601 N. Marienfeld, Suite 508

City, State:

Midland, Texas

Zip Code:

79701

The undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land, or portion thereof, as described below:

Lease Name:

Josey Federal #3

Lease Number: Federal Lease NM 93460

Legal Description of Land: (SHL) 660' FSL & 2,280' FWL, (BHL) 660' FSL & 1,980' FWL,

Sec. 30, T20S-R23E, Eddy Co., NM

Lease Covers: All of section 19 & 30 20S-23E Eddy Co., NM

Formations: Morrow, Atoka, Strawn, and Wolfcamp

Bond Coverage: Statewide

BLM Bond File Number: NM2812 ALL Sec.30

Land is federally owned.

Authorized Signature:

Name: Josh Fernau

Title: Staff Engineer

Date: 11/01/05

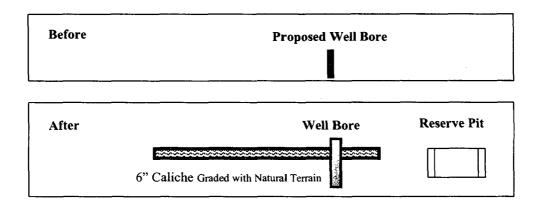
#### 13 Point Land Use Plan

- 1. Existing Roads This location is located in UL N Sec. 30 T20S R23E, SHL 660' FSL & 2,280' FWL and BHL 660' FSL & 1,980' FWL. A small scale vicinity map is attached (Exhibit #4) which shows the location of this well in relation to an aerial view of surrounding townships and ranges. A larger scale topographical map is (Exhibit #5) shows the location of the well. From the intersection of Highway 285 and County Rd 23 go west on County Rd 23 18.5 miles to the intersection of County Roads 23 and 12, go south on County Rd 12 for 3.1 miles to leas road intersection. Then east on lease road 0.5 miles, then south on lease road 1.4 miles to proposed road west.
- 2. <u>Planned Access Roads</u> There is an existing access road from the location to the nearest exit leaving the lease, which is shown on (**Exhibit #3**). The lease is not fenced and a cattle guard or gate will not be needed.
- 3. <u>Location of Existing Wells</u>—The Josey Federal #1, operated by Nadel and Gussman Permian, LLC is located in Section 30, T20S-R23E, 780' FSL & 710' FEL.
- 4. Location of Tank Batteries, Production Facilities & Lines -
  - We anticipate gas production from the Morrow, Atoka and Strawn, with possible volumes of produced oil or water. We will build a battery with a minimum of two 210 Bbl steel tanks, one for oil and one for water.
  - Pipe lines will be used to transport the sales of natural gas using the permitted access road to location.
  - We will also have a Stack-Pack separator or line heater and separator on location. All produced fluids from the Morrow, Atoka or Strawn will be hauled off lease by road. There are no initial plans for oil pipelines, LACT units or SWD lines.
  - We do not anticipate a need for electrical service on the lease at this time.
- 5. <u>Location & Type- of Water Supply</u> Fresh and salt water will be trucked from Carlsbad by a third-party contractor.
- 6. <u>Source of Construction Material</u> Primary source of caliche will be the closed most economical existing pit used followed by the proper documentation and approval.
- 7. Methods of Handling Waste Disposal A 12 mil lined reserve pit will be dug to handle drill cuttings and fluids. The pit will be lined in accordance with BLM specifications. After sufficient time has elapsed to allow drilling fluids to dry, all pits will be closed and leveled. All trash and debris will be removed from the location.

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- 8. Ancillary Facilities There are no camps or airstrips planned.
- 9. Well Site Layout The well site (see Exhibit #1 NMOCD C-102 Form) has been staked and is also indicated on the enclosed maps (Exhibits #1, #3, #4 & #5). The drilling site is mainly caliche rock and some soil, covered by sparse native vegetation. The drilling pad will be graded and cut to the north and to the south and covered by 6" caliche and native rock from grade cut. The drilling pad will blend in with the terrain since the topography is generally flat.

Cross section - Before and After is shown below:



#### 10. Plans for Restoration of Surface - Commercial Well:

- Reshaped Topography Rubbish will be hauled off upon completion of drilling operations. All future rubbish will be removed by the subcontractor generating same.
- <u>Caliche Pad</u> Caliche drilling pad will remain intact until well is abandoned.
- Road The road will remain intact as long as there is production on the lease.
- <u>Timetable</u> This well is expected to produce for several years.
- Plans for Restoration of Surface Plugged and Abandoned Well:
   Surface will be restored in accordance with all regulations in effect at the time of abandonment.

#### 11. Other Information -

- <u>Topography</u> Tributaries of Box Canyon which is major drainage in the area.
- <u>Soil Characteristics</u> Classified as Ector-Reagon association with silty loams.
- <u>Flora</u> Little-leaf sumac, and dense grasses (drainages) algerita, cholla cactus, creosote bush, tarbush, sotel, yucca, cat claw, lechiguilla, prickly pear cactus and sparse grasses (slope).
- Fauna rabbits, mice, rats, birds, deer and snakes.
- Other Surface Use Activities Ranching.
- Surface Ownership Federal.
- Water Wells No windmills within 1000' of the location.
- <u>Lakes, Streams, Ponds</u> –There is a body east 1,320' of this location (Man Made body of water stock pond). There are several draws (**Exhibit** #5).

- <u>Dwellings</u> There are no inhabited structure within 1,000' of the location.
- Archeological Summary Drilling location and lease roads are covered under sent BLM report
  completed by Don Clifton. The report was negative and the cultural resource use permit holder
  recommends clearance for this operation. Drilling and production will be conducted in a manner
  so as not to disturb the surrounding environment.

#### 12. Operator's Representative -

Josh Fernau	Office Phone Home Phone Mobile Phone	(432) 682-4429 (806) 978-1523 (432) 238-2874
Teddy Rowland	Office Phone Home Phone Mobile Phone	(505) 746-1428 (505) 746-4970 (505) 513-1499
Joel Martin	Office Phone Home Phone Mobile Phone	(432) 682-4429 (432) 694-2569 (432) 238-9969

13. <u>Certification</u> - I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drilling site and access route; that I am familiar with the condition which presently exists; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Diamond Back Disposal Company or their contractors and sub-contractors in conformity with this plan.

Josh Fernau Staff Engineer Date: 11/01/05

### 13 Point Drilling Plan:

- 1. <u>Location:</u> (SHL) 660' FSL & 2,280' FWL, (BHL) 660' FSL & 1,980' FWL, UL N Sec. 30, T-20-S, R-23-E, Eddy County, New Mexico (Form C-102).
- 2. Elevation: 4,390' GL.
- 3. Geological Name of Surface Formation: Quaternary Rock.
- 4. Type of Drilling Tools to be utilized: Rotary Tools.
- 5. Proposed Drilling Depth: 9,300' TVD.
- 6. Tops of Important Geological Markers: TVD

Glorieta	1,578'	Wolfcamp	4,692'	Atoka	7,596'
Yeso	1,748'	Cisco	5,880'	Morrow	8,087
Abo	3,598'	Strawn	6,838'	Chester	8,328'

7. Estimated Depth of Anticipated Water, Oil or Gas: TVD

Oil and Gas	-Wolfcamp	4,692°
Gas	-Strawn	6,838'
Gas	-Atoka	7,596
Gas	- Morrow	8.328

8. Casing Program:

•	9 5/8"	40#	N-80	@ 2,000°	2000 sx, circulated to surface
•	5 1/2"	17#	P-110	@ 9,300'	TOC to be determined

The 9 5/8" casing strings will be cemented to the surface. The TOC on the 5 1/2" casing will be determined after running open hole logs.

9. Specifications for Pressure Control Equipment: (Exhibit #6)

This rig will have a 13 5/8" 5M BOP Shaffer with pipe rams and blind rams, kill line, 10,000 psi choke manifold, Camron hydraulic controls, and accumulator with remote controls. When setting up, will test casing, BOP and choke to 1,500psi with 3<sup>rd</sup> party tester, will operate BOP once a day or as directed by the company representative. The surface and intermediate will be witnessed by a BLM representative.

#### 10. Mud Program:

Spud and drill with fresh water or air to a depth of approx 2,000'. Control lost circulation with paper and LCM pills and maintain a Ph of 10. Drill from 2,000' to 9,200' with cut brine at approximately 9.2 to 10 PPG. Use starch and XCD polymer for filtrate control and mix pre-hydrated freshwater gel slurry to clean and condition hole prior to running electric logs.

#### 11. Testing, Logging & Coring Program:

- a. Testing: No DST's are expected.
- b. Coring: no coring is planned.
- c. Logging: open hole logs will be run prior to running production casing. The standard suite will be a Dual Lateral/ ML and GR/Density/Neutron combination.
- d. Depending on the sand quality, a FMI and/or formation tester may be run.
- e. Open hole logs will not be run through the surface hole section.

#### 12. Potential Hazards:

No significant hazards are expected. Lost circulation may occur, no  $H_2S$  expected, but the operator will utilize a  $3^{rd}$  party  $H_2S$  monitoring package from 2,000' to TD.

#### 13. Anticipated starting date & duration:

Plans are to begin drilling operations about December 14, 2005; approximately 30 days will be required to drill the well and 10 days will be needed for the completion.

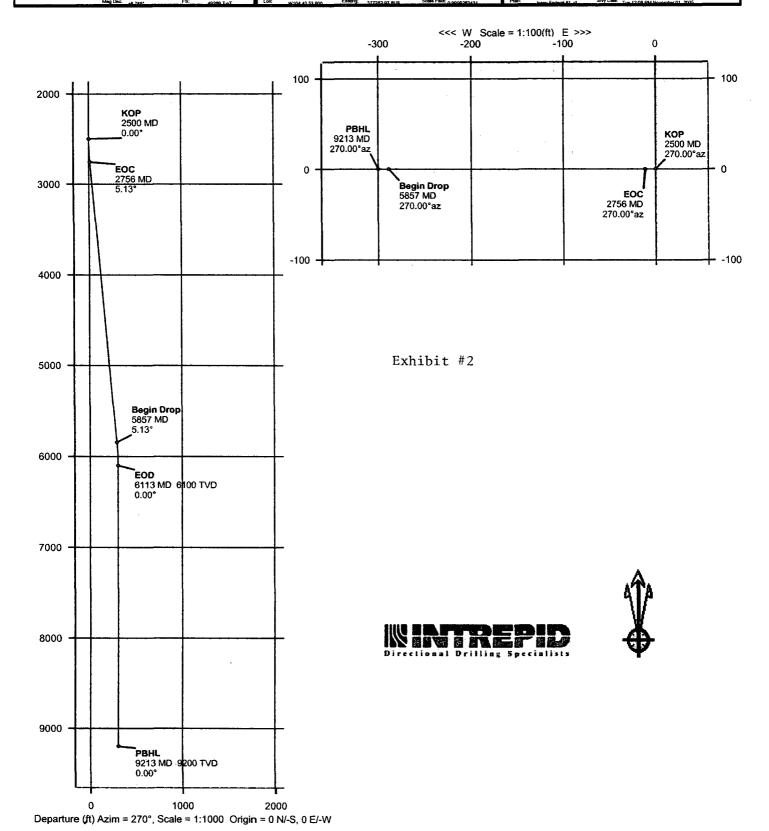
Josh Fernau Staff Engineer Date: 11/01/05

#### Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operations Plan

- 1. Company and Contract personnel admitted on location should be trained by a qualified H<sub>2</sub>S safety instructor to the following:
  - A. Characteristics of H<sub>2</sub>S.
  - B. Physical Effects and Hazards.
  - C. Proper Use of Safety Equipment and Life Support Systems.
  - D. Principle and Operation of H<sub>2</sub>S Detectors, Warning System and Briefing.
  - E. Evacuation Procedure, Routes and First Aid.
  - F. Proper Use of 30 minute Pressure Demand Air Pack.
- 2. H<sub>2</sub>S Detection and Alarm Systems
  - A. H<sub>2</sub>S Detectors and Audio Alarm System to be Located at Bell Nipple, End of Blooie Line (mud pit) and on Derrick floor or doghouse.
- 3. Windsock and/or Wind Streamers
  - A. Windsock at Mud Pit Area Should be High Enough to be Visible.
  - B. Windsock at Briefing Area Should be High Enough to be Visible.
  - C. There Should be a Windsock at Entrance to Location.
- 4. Condition Flags and Signs
  - A. Warning Sign on Access Road to Location.
  - B. Flags to be Displayed on Sign at Entrance to Location.
    - 1. Green Flag, Normal Safe Condition.
    - 2. Yellow Flag, Indicates Potential Pressure and Danger.
    - 3. Red Flag, Danger H<sub>2</sub>S Present in Dangerous Concentration Only Emergency Personnel Admitted to Location.
- 5. Well Control Equipment
  - A. See Exhibit #6.
- 6. Communication
  - A. While Working Under Masks Chalkboards Will be Used for Communication.
  - B. Hand Signals will be Used Where Chalk Board is Inappropriate.
  - C. Two Way Radio or Cell Phone will be Used to Communicate off Location in Case of Available at Most Drilling Foreman's Trailer or Living Quarters.
- 7. Drillstem Testing
  - A. Exhausts will be Watered.
  - B. Flare Line will be Equipped with an Electric Igniter or a propane pilot light in case gas reaches the surface.
  - C. If Location is near any Dwelling a Closed DST will be Performed.
- 8. Drilling Contractor Supervisor will be Required to be Familiar with the Effects H<sub>2</sub>S has on tubular goods and other mechanical equipment.
- 9. If H<sub>2</sub>S Encountered, Mud system will be Altered if Necessary to Maintain Control of Formation. A Mud Gas Separator will be Brought into Service Along with H<sub>2</sub>S Scavengers if Necessary.

# Nadel and Gussman Permian

| Victor | V





## **Proposal**

Report Date: November 1, 2005

Client: Nadel and Gussman Permian

Field: Eddy County, NM

Structure / Slot: Josey Federal #3 / Josey Federal #3

Well: Josey Federal #3
Borehole: Josey Federal #3

UWI/API#:

Survey Name / Date: Josey Federal #3\_r1 / November 1, 2005 Tort / AHD / DD1 / ERD ratio: 10.255° / 300.00 ft / 3.489 / 0.033

Grid Coordinate System: NAD27 New Mexico State Planes, Eastern Zone, US Feet

Location Lat/Long: N 32 32 19.600, W 104 43 53.800 Location Grid N/E Y/X: N 559949.047 ftUS, E 377262.968 ftUS

Grid Convergence Angle: -0.21422427° Grid Scale Factor: 0.99992634 Survey / DLS Computation Method: Minimum Curvature / Lubinski

Vertical Section Azimuth: 270.000°

 $\mbox{ Vertical Section Origin:} \quad \mbox{N 0.000 ft, E 0.000 ft}$ 

TVD Reference Datum: RKB
TVD Reference Elevation: 0.0 ft relative to
Sea Bed / Ground Level Elevation: 0.000 ft relative to

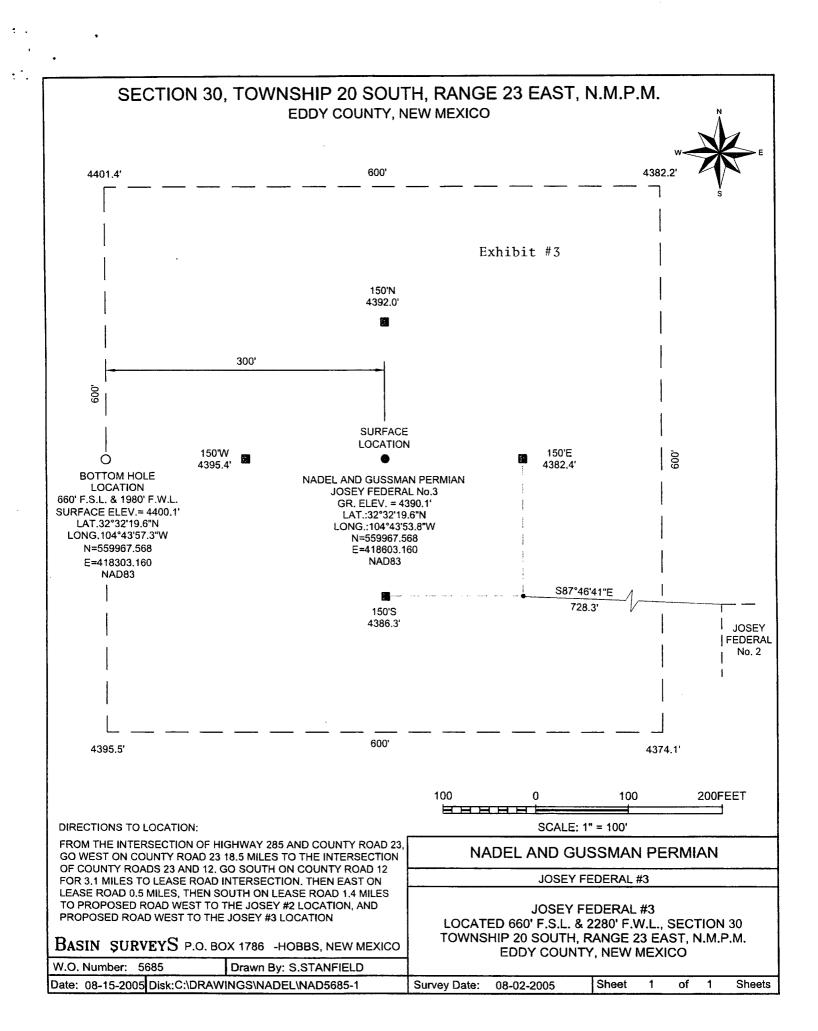
Magnetic Declination: 8.786°
Total Field Strength: 49269.736 nT
Magnetic Dip: 60.404°

Declination Date: November 01, 2005

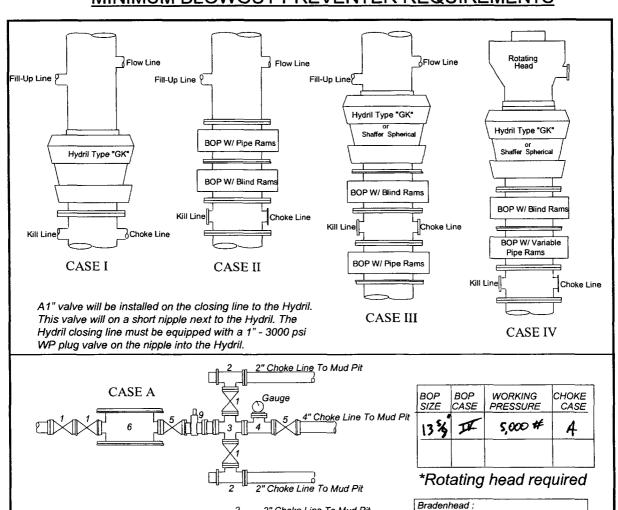
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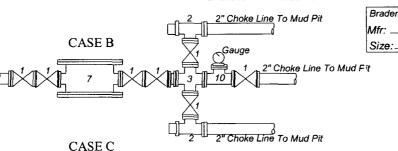
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Local Coordinates Referenced To: Well Head

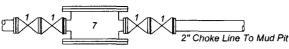
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	(ft)	(deg)	(deg)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(deg)	(deg/100 ft)	(deg)
Tie-In	0.00	0.00	270.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-90.00M
KOP	2500.00	0.00	270.00	2500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-90.00M
	2600.00	2.00	270.00	2599.98	1.75	-0.00	-1.75	1.75	270.00	2.00	-90.00M
	2700.00	4.00	270.00	2699.84	6.98	-0.00	-6.98	6.98	270.00	2.00	-90.00M
EOC	2756.36	5.13	270.00	2756.02	11.46	-0.00	-11.46	11.46	270.00	2.00	0.00 <b>G</b>
Begin Drop	5856.73	5.13	270.00	5843.98	288.54	-0.00	-288.54	288.54	270.00	0.00	180.00G
	5900.00	4.26	270.00	5887.11	292.08	-0.00	-292.08	292.08	270.00	2.00	-90.00M
	6000.00	2.26	270.00	5986.94	297.77	-0.00	-297.77	297.77	270.00	2.00	-90.00M
	6100.00	0.26	270.00	6086.91	299.97	-0.00	-299.97	299.97	270.00	2.00	-90.00M
EOD	6113.09	0.00	270.00	6100.00	300.00	-0.00	-300.00	300.00	270.00	2.00	-90.00M
PBHL	9213.09	0.00	270.00	9200.00	300.00	-0.00	-300.00	300.00	270.00	0.00	0.00M



### Nadel and Gussman Permian MINIMUM BLOWOUT PREVENTER REQUIREMENTS







#### Legend

- 1. 2" flanged all steel valve must be either Cameron "F", Halliburton Low Torque or Shaffer Flo-Seal.
- 2. 2" flanged adjustable chokes, min. 1" full opening & equiped with hard trim.
- 3. 4" x 2" flanged steel cross.
- 4. 4" flanged steel tee.
- 5. 4" flanged all steel valve (Type as in no. 1).
- 6. Drilling Spool with 2" x 4" flanged outlet.
  7. Drilling Spool with 2" x 2" flanged outlet.
- 8. 2" x 2" flanged steel cross.
- 9. 4" pressure operated gate valve.
- 10. 2" flanged steel tee.

#### Notes

Choke manifold may be located in any convenient position. Use all steel fittings throughout. Make 90° turns with bull plugged tees only. No field welding will be permitted on any of the components of the choke manifold and related equipment upstream of the chokes. The choke spool and all lines and fittings must be at least equivalent to the test pressure of the preventers required. Independent closing control unit with clearly marked controls to be located on derrick floor near driller's position.

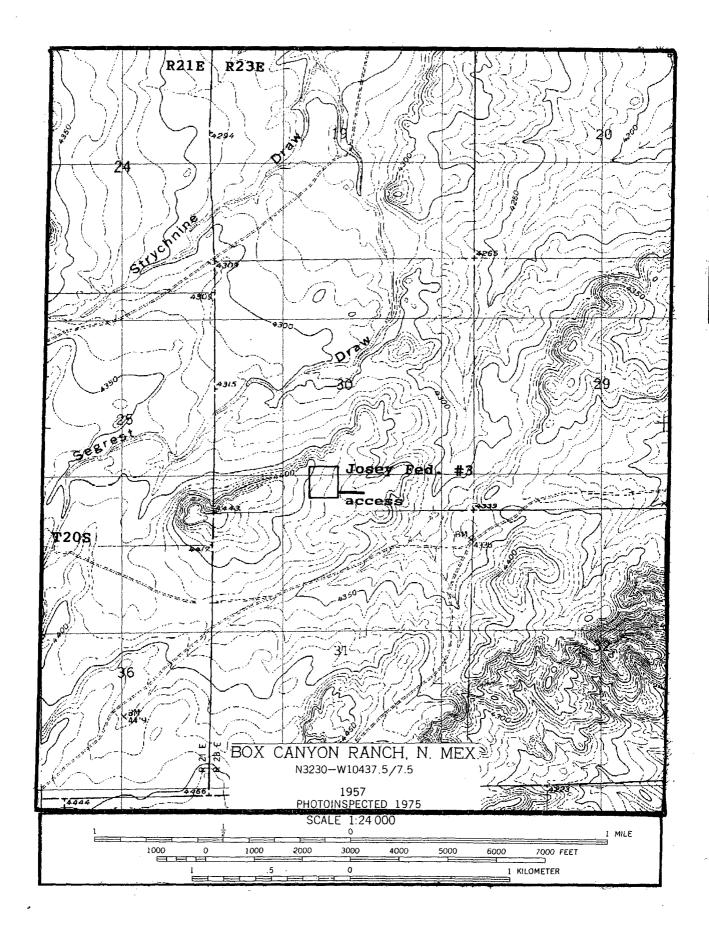
Type:

(10-31-96) WTXBOPS.PPT

160 20' 3' High 6' High 12' 25' 10' Wide 120' 80, 20, 25' 10, 9 100 40, 148'

Exhibit #9 Not to Scale

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#### **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - DRILLING**

Operator's Name:

Nadel and Gussman Permian, L.L.C.

Well Name & No.

Josey Federal #3

Surface Location: Bottom Location:

660' FSL, 2280' FWL, Section 30, T. 20 S., R. 23 E., Eddy County, New Mexico 660' FSL, 1980' FWL, Section 30, T. 20 S., R. 23 E., Eddy County, New Mexico

Lease:

NM-93460

#### I. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified at the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822 for wells in Eddy County in sufficient time for a representative to witness:

- A. Well spud
- B. Cementing casing: 9-5/8 inch 5-1/2 inch
- C. BOP tests
- 2. Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval.
- 3. Submit a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5, one original and five copies) for each casing string, describing the casing and cementing operations. Include pertinent information such as; spud date, hole size, casing (size, weight, grade and thread type), cement (type, quantity and top), water zones and problems or hazards encountered. The Sundry shall be submitted within 15 days of completion of each casing string. The reports may be combined into the same Sundry if they fall within the same 15-day time frame.
- 4. The API No. assigned to the well by NMOCD shall be included on the subsequent report of setting the first casing string.

#### II. CASING:

- 1. The <u>9-5/8</u> inch surface casing shall be set at <u>approximately 2000 feet</u> and cement circulated to the surface. If cement does not circulate to the surface the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey or cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Remedial cementing shall be completed prior to drilling out that string.
- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the <u>5-1/2</u> inch production casing is <u>to reach at least 500 feet above the top of the uppermost hydrocarbon productive interval.</u>

#### **III. PRESSURE CONTROL:**

- 1. All BOP systems and related equipment shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2. The BOP and related equipment shall be installed and operational before drilling below the <u>9-5/8</u> inch casing shoe and shall be tested as described in Onshore Order No. 2. Any equipment failing to test satisfactorily shall be repaired or replaced.
- 2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) shall be 3000 psi.
- 3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness the tests.
- The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
- The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- Testing fluid must be water or an appropriate clear liquid suitable for sub-freezing temperatures. Use of drilling mud for testing is not permitted since it can mask small leaks.
- Testing must be done in a safe workman-like manner. Hard line connections shall be required.

#### **1V. DRILLING MUD:**

Mud system monitoring equipment, with derrick floor indicators and visual and audio alarms, shall be operating before drilling into the **Wolfcamp** formation, and shall be used until production casing is run and cemented. Monitoring equipment shall consist of the following:

- Recording pit level indicator to indicate volume gains and losses.
- Mud measuring device for accurately determining the mud volumes necessary to fill the hole during trips.
- Flow-sensor on the flow-line to warn of abnormal mud returns from the well.

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