ARCHEOLOGICAL RESOURCES

On August 18, 1989, Pecos Archeological Consultants performed a literature search to determine if any archeological sites had already been recorded in the vicinity of the project area. Current BLM files and the National Register of Historic Places were consulted in this endeavor. Nine previously-recorded sites were found to occur in the project area. These are LA Site No.s: LA 34152--this is located 1300 m from the project area. LA 43693--this is located 800 m from the project area. LA 43692--this is located 900 m from the project area. LA 39153--this is located 500 m from the project area. LA 48974--this is located 550 m from the project area. LA 49047--this is located 550 m from the project area. LA 49407--this is located 600 m from the project area. LA 49818--this is located 700 m from theproject area. LA 47174--this is located 700 m from the project area. LA 47675--the project area is included within the boundries of this large, dispersed artifact scatter.

Observed Archeological Manifestations:

One archeological site, LA 47675, was encountered during this survey. However, the density of this surface assemblage is highly variable and the well pad, as staked, is in an area of extremely low artifact density. One piece of undiagnostic chipped stone per 100-200