

12. Surface Ownership:

Bureau of Land Management (Federal)

13. Operators Representatives:

Field representatives (Responsible for compliance with approved surface use and operations plan):

Meridian Oil Inc.
P. O. Box 837
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240
Office: 505-393-5844

Mr. Johnny Ellis, Drilling Foreman, or a consultant
Hobbs, New Mexico
Home: 505-393-8150

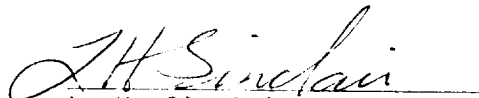
Mr. Bill Dawson, Drilling Superintendent
Midland, Texas Office: 915-686-5600
Home: 915-682-9037

14. Certification:

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with conditions which presently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Meridian Oil Inc. and its contractors and sub-contractors in uniformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

Date: _____

12/18/89



L. H. Sinclair
Senior Drilling Engineer
Meridian Oil Inc.