1625 N. French Drive

Hobbs, NM 88248

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0137 Expires March 31, 2007

Lease Serial No.

# (April 2004)

la. Type of work:

lb. Type of Well:

At surface

15. Distance from proposed\*

location to nearest

Name of Operator

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

NM 01135 BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT 6. If Indian, Allotee or Tribe Name APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER 7 If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No. **✓** DRILL REENTER 8. Lease Name and Well No. Gas Well Single Zone Multiple Zone ✓ Oil Well Lusk 33 Federal #7 9. API Well No. Cabal Energy Corporation 3D- () 3a. Address 415 West Wall Street, Suite 1700 10. Field and Pool, or Explorate Midland, Texas 79701 432-682-0440 East Lusk Delaware 11. Sec., T. R. M. or Blk. and Survey or Area 4. Location of Well Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requ 1650' FNL & 660' FEL Sec 33, T-19S, R-32E Secretary's Potests At proposed prod. zone Same as above 12. County or Parish 13. State 14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office\* 18 miles south of Maljamar, New Mexico Lea County NM 16. No. of acres in lease 17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) SE/4 NE/4 of Sec 33 Distance from proposed location\* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. 19. Proposed Depth 20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file NM 2860 22. Approximate date work will start\* 21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 23. Estimated duration 20 Days 09/30/2005 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.
- 2. A Drilling Plan.

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- 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).
- Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
- Operator certification
- Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer.

25. Signature	Name (Printed/Typed)	Date	
and say musally	Lindsay Truesdell	09/07/2005	
Title Consultant			
Approved by (Signature)		Date FFR 0 7 2	2006
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ACTING STATE DIRECTOR	Office NM STATE 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 page 2)

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO **Ge**neral requirements and Special stipulations ATTACHED

#### State of New Mexico

DISTRICT I 1625 N. PRENCH DR., HOBBS, NM 88240

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

DISTRICT II

1301 W. GRAND AVENUE, ARTESIA, NM 88210

DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

#### OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Revised JUNE 10, 2003 Submit to Appropriate District Office State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

Form C-102

DISTRICT IV 1220 S. ST. FRANCIS DR., SANTA FE, NM 87505	WELL LOCATION AND	ACREAGE DEDICATIO	N PLAT	□ AMENDED RI	EPORT
API Number	Pool Code		Pool Name		
30-025-37787	41500	Lush	Delan	9are	
Property Code 35429	<del>-</del>	erty Name 3 FEDERAL		Well Number 7	·
OGRID No. 194930		ator Name Y CORPORATION		Elevation 3552'	
	Surfac	e Location		117	

#### UL or lot No. Section Township Range Lot Idn Feet from the North/South line Feet from the East/West line County Н 33 19-S 32-E 1650 **NORTH** 660 **EAST LEA**

#### Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface UL or lot No. North/South line Section Township Range Feet from the Feet from the East/West line County Joint or Infill Dedicated Acres Consolidation Code Order No. 40

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED

OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS	BEEN APPROVED BY TH	IE DIVISION
GEODETIC COORDINATES	3555.5'	OPERATOR CERTIFICATION  I hereby certify the the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and betief.  Signature  Lindsay Truesdell  Printed Name  Consultant Title  September 7, 2005  Date  SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION  I hereby certify that the well location shown
NAD 27 NME  Y=589541.5 N  X=675222.0 E  LAT.=32*37'10.07" N		on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervison, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my bettef.
LONG.=103'45'51.25" W		AUGUST 26, 2005  Date Surveyed Salfold Surveyor Of ME A S

#### MULTI POINT SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN FOR

# Cabal Energy Corporation Lusk 33 Federal #7

Surface Location: 1650' FNL & 660' FEL Section 33, T-19-S, R-32-E Eddy County, New Mexico Lease No.: NM 01135

This plan is submitted with the Application for Permit to Drill the above described well. The purpose of the plan is to describe the location of the proposed well, the proposed construction activities and operations plan to be followed in rehabilitating the surface and environmental effects associated with the operation.

## 1. **EXISTING ROADS**:

- A. Exhibit "A" is a location verification map showing the location of the proposed well as staked.
- B. Directions: From the Intersection of St. Hwy #243 and Co. Rd. #126 (Maljamar Rd) go North on Maljamar Rd for approximately 3.9 miles. Turn right (East) and go approximately 1.1 miles. Turn right (South) and go approximately 0.8 miles, veer southeast and go approximately 0.3 miles, veer east and go approximately 0.5 miles. This location is approximately 50' North.

### 2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:

- A. Length and Width: Exhibit "C" is the proposed access road.
- B. Construction: None required.
- C. Turnouts: None required.
- D. Culverts: None necessary.
- E. Cuts and Fills: 1' cut to the north with 1' fill to the south.
- F. Gates and Cattle Guards: None necessary.
- G. Off lease right of way: None required.

#### 3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS:

Existing wells in the immediate area are shown on the Vicinity Map, Exhibit "B".

#### 4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES:

- A. Cabal Energy Corporation has no production facilities on the lease at this time.
- B. If the well proves to be commercial, the necessary production facilities, gas separation-process equipment and tank battery, if required, will be installed on the drilling pad.

#### 5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY:

It is planned to drill the proposed well with fresh water that will be obtained from private or commercial sources and will be transported over the existing and proposed access roads.

#### 6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL:

Caliche for surfacing the proposed access road and well site pad will be obtained from the location, if available, or from an approved Federal pit. No surface materials will be disturbed except those necessary for actual grading and leveling of the drill site and access road.

#### 7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL:

- A. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the reserve pits.
- B. Drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate in the drilling pits until the pits are dry.
- C. All pits will be fenced with normal fencing materials to prevent livestock from entering the area.
- D. Water produced during operations will be collected in tanks until hauled to an approved disposal system, or a separate disposal application will be submitted to the BLM for approval.
- E. Oil Produced during tests will be stored in test tanks.
- F. Current laws and regulations pertaining to the disposal of human waste will be complied with.
- G. All trash and debris will be removed from the well site within 30 days after finishing drilling and/or completion operations.

#### 8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES:

None required.

#### 9. WELL SITE LAYOUT:

- A. Exhibit "D" shows the relative location and dimensions of the well pad, reserve pits, and major rig components. The pad and pit area has been staked and flagged 500' x 500'.
- B. Mat Size: 225' x 300', plus 150' x 150' reserve pit on the north.
- C. Cut & Fill: 1' cut to the north with 1' fill to the south.
- D. The surface will be topped with compacted caliche and the reserve pits will be plastic lined.

#### 10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF THE SURFACE:

- A. After completion of drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for operations will be removed. The well site will be cleaned of trash leaving the site aesthetically pleasing to the extent possible.
- B. If the proposed well is non-productive, all rehabilitation and/or vegetation requirements of the Bureau of Land Management will be complied with and will be accomplished as expeditiously as possible. All pits will be filled and leveled as soon as they are dry enough to be worked.

#### 11. OTHER INFORMATION:

- A. Surface Ownership Bureau of Land Management
- B. Boone Archeological Services, 2030 North Canal Street; Carlsbad, NM 88220, conducted an archaeological survey. No significant archaeological resources were found in the area of the planned access road or of the proposed well site.
- **C.** Oil & Gas Lease: NM 01135

Township 19 South, Range 32 East SE/4 NE/4 of Section 33

#### D. RECORD LESSEE:

Pure Energy Group Chisos

50% 50%

#### E. BOND COVERAGE:

\$25,000 Statewide Oil & Gas Surety Bond BLM Bond #: NM 2860

### 12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE:

The field representative for assuring compliance with the approved use and operations plan is as follows:

R. K. Ford & Associates 415 West Wall, Suite 1700 Midland, Texas 79701 432-682-0440 (Office) 432-682-0441 (Fax) 432-570-7216 (Home) 432-559-2222 (Cell) Randell@rkford.com (E-mail)

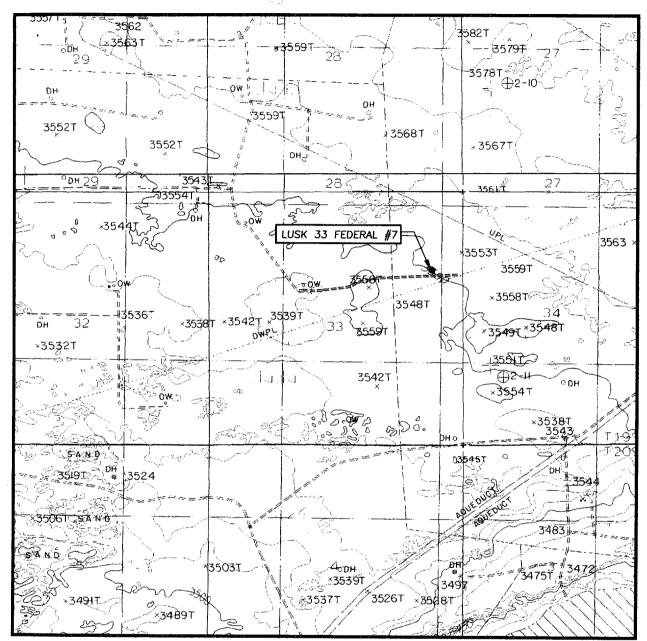
#### 13. **CERTIFICATION**:

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; 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 Cabal Energy Corporation and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

September 7, 2005

Lindsay Truesdello Consultant

# LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP



SCALE: 1" = 2000'

SEC. 33 TWP. 19-S RGE. 32-E

SURVEY\_\_\_\_ N.M.P.M.

COUNTY LEA

DESCRIPTION 1650' FNL & 660' FEL

ELEVATION\_ 3552'

CABAL ENERGY CORPORATION OPERATOR

LEASE LUSK 33 FEDERAL

U.S.G.S. TOPOGRAPHIC MAP WILLIAMS SINK, N.M.

CONTOUR INTERVAL: WILLIAMS SINK, N.M. - 10' GREENWOOD LAKE, N.M. - 10'

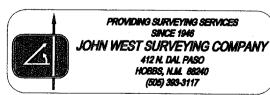


Exhibit "A"



# VICINITY MAP

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SCALE: 1" = 2 MILES

SEC. <u>33</u>	TWP. <u>19-S</u> RGE. <u>32-E</u>
SURVEY	N.M.P.M.
COUNTY	LEA
DESCRIPTION	N 1650' FNL & 660' FEL
ELEVATION_	3552'
OPERATOR_	CABAL ENERGY CORPORATION
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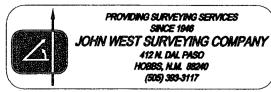
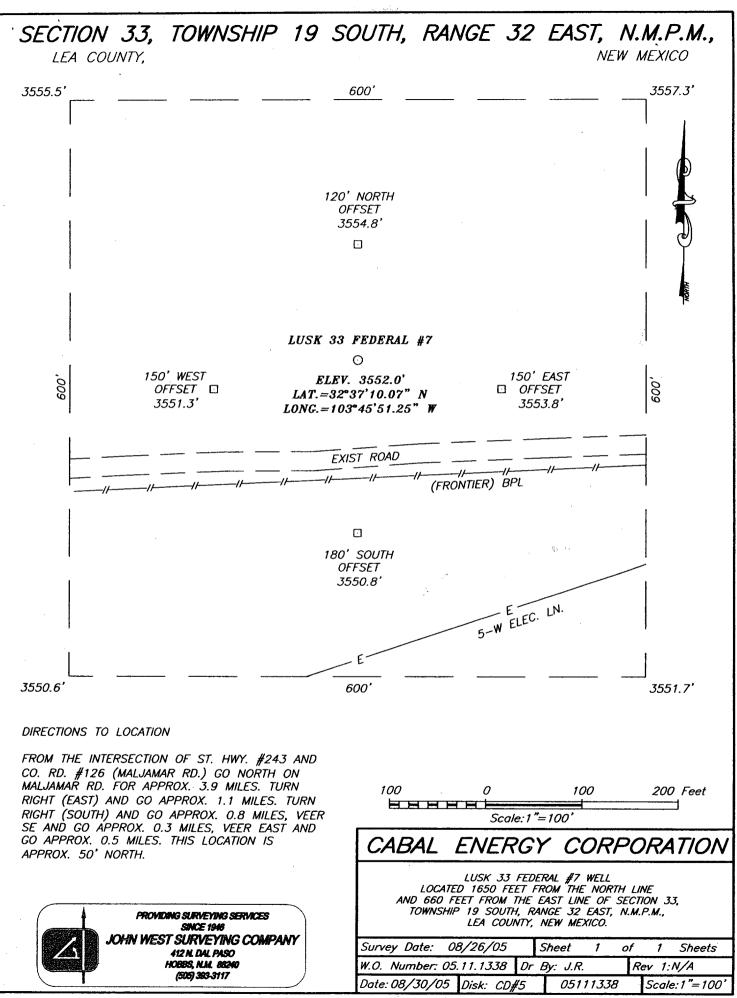


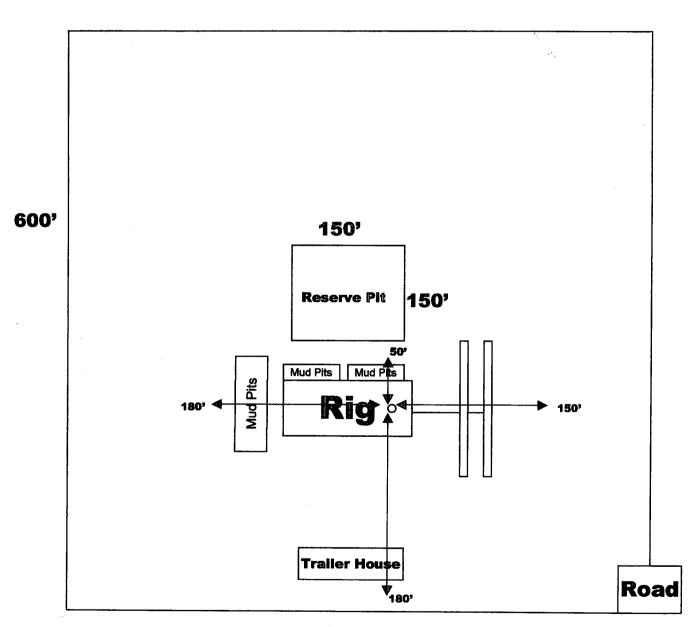
Exhibit "B"





# DRILLING RIG LAYOUT Cabal Energy Corporation Lusk 33 Federal #7





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Exhibit D Surface Use & Operations Plan

#### **DRILLING PROGRAM**

# CABAL ENERGY CORPORATION LUSK 33 FEDERAL #7 Section 33, T-19-S, R-32-E Eddy County. New Mexico

The following items supplement Form 3160-3 in accordance with instructions contained in Onshore Oil and Gas Orders #1 and #2, and all other applicable federal and state regulations.

#### 1. <u>ESTIMATED TOPS OF GEOLOGIC MARKERS (TVD):</u>

Anhydrite	890'
Yates	2,695'
Capitan	3,062'
Delaware	4,270'
Cherry Canyon	4,755'
Brushy Canyon	6,580'
Total Depth	7,800'

#### 2. <u>ESTIMATED DEPTHS TO WATER, OIL, OR GAS FORMATIONS:</u>

Fresh Water

Above 200'

Oil and Gas

Delaware, Atoka Sand

3. Pressure control equipment: The blow out preventer equipment (BOP) shown in Exhibit #1 will consist of a 3000 psi double ram type preventer for drilling the 12-1/4" hole. The blow out preventer equipment (BOP) shown in Exhibit #2 will consist of a 3000 psi double ram type preventer for drilling the 9-1/2" hole. The blowout preventer stack for the production (6-1/2") hole as shown on Exhibit #3 will consist of at least a double-ram blowout preventer and annular preventer rated to 3000 psi working pressure. A diagram of the BOPs and choke manifold is attached. All BOPs and accessory equipment will be tested according to Onshore Order #2 before drilling out.

#### 4. PROPOSED CASING PROGRAM:

Hole Size	<u>Interval</u>	Casing Size	Weight	Grade, Joint
26"	0 – 40'	20"	94#	K-55, BTC
17-1/2"	0 - 890	13-3/8"	54.5#	K-55, BTC
12-1/4"	0 - 3,080'	10-3/4"	40.5#	K-55, BTC
9-1/2"	0 - 4,270	7-5/8"	29.7#	K-55, LTC
6-1/2"	0 - 7,500	4-1/2"	11.6#	N-80, LTC

Equivalent or adequate grades and weights of casing may be substituted at time casing is run, depending on availability. Changes will be relayed to BLM prior to running.

#### 5. PROPOSED CEMENTING PROGRAM

20" conductor

cemented with ready mix to surface

13-3/8" surface

500 sxs Premium Plus cement, 2% calcium chloride 10-3/4" intermediate 1050 sxs Premium Plus cement, 2% calcium chloride

7-5/8" intermediate 630 sxs interfill "C" cement

175 sxs Premium Plus cement

4-1/2" production

280 sxs Light Cement

280 sxs Super "H" cement .5% Halad, .4% CFR-3, 3# per sx

Gilsonite

#### 6. PROPOSED MUD SYSTEM:

<u>DEPTH</u>	DESCRIPTION	MUD WEIGHT	VISCOSITY	WATER LOSS
0 – 890'	fresh water	8.6 – 8.8 ppg	28 – 30	NC
890' – 3,080'	brine water	10.0 – 10.2 pp	g 28 – 34	NC
3,080' - 4,270'	fresh water	8.4 – 8.6 ppg	28 – 29	NC
4,270' – 7,500'	fresh/brine/mud	8.4 – 10.4 ppg	28 – 40	6-8 cc

#### 7. TESTING, LOGGING AND CORING PROGRAM:

Samples

10' Samples from 4,300'

DST's

Possible Delaware, Atoka Sands

Logging

Density, Lateral, Resistivity

Corina

Possible sidewall core

#### 8. **ABNORMAL PRESSURES AND TEMPERATURES:**

None anticipated. Maximum bottom hole pressure should not exceed 5,200 psi.

This area has a potential H<sub>2</sub>S hazard. An H<sub>2</sub>S drilling plan is attached.

# **ANTICIPATED STARTING DATE AND DURATION OF OPERATIONS:**

It is planned that operations will commence on September 15, 2005. Drilling should be completed within 20 days followed by completion operations.

# HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN

# Cabal Energy Corporation Lusk 33 Federal #7

#### I. HYDROGEN SULFIDE TRAINING

- A. All regularly assigned personnel, contracted or employed by Cabal Energy Corporation, will receive training from a qualified instructor in the following areas prior to commencing drilling potential hydrogen sulfide bearing formations in this well:
  - 1. The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S).
  - 2. The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.
  - 3. The proper use of H<sub>2</sub>S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing areas, evacuation procedures and prevailing winds.
  - 4. The proper techniques for first aid and rescue procedures.
- B. In addition, supervisory personnel will be trained in the following areas:
  - 1. The effects of H<sub>2</sub>S on metal components. If high tensile tubulars are to be used, personnel will be trained in their special maintenance requirements.
  - Corrective action and shut-in procedures when drilling or reworking a well and blowout prevention and well control procedures.
  - 3. The contents and requirements of the H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan.
- C. There will be an initial training session just prior to encountering a known or probable H<sub>2</sub>S zone (within 3 days or 500 feet) and weekly H<sub>2</sub>S and well control drills for all personnel in each crew. The initial training session shall include a review of the site specific H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan. This plan shall be available at the well site. All personnel will be required to carry documentation that they have received the proper training.

#### II. H<sub>2</sub>S SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS

Note: All H<sub>2</sub>S safety equipment and systems will be installed, tested and operational when drilling reaches a depth of 500 feet above, or three days prior to penetrating the first zone containing or reasonably expected to contain H<sub>2</sub>S.

- A. Well Control Equipment.
  - 1. Flare line with continuous pilot.
  - 2. Choke manifold with a minimum of one remote choke.
  - 3. Blind rams and pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes with properly sized closing unit.
  - **4.** Auxiliary equipment to include: annular preventer, mud-gas separator, rotating head and flare.
- B. Protective Equipment for Essential Personnel:

Mark II Surviveair 30-minute units located in the doghouse and at briefing areas, as indicated on well site diagram.

- C. H<sub>2</sub>S Detection and Monitoring Equipment:
  - 1. Two portable H<sub>2</sub>S monitors positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H<sub>2</sub>S levels of 20 ppm are reached.
  - 2. One portable SO<sub>2</sub> monitor positioned near flare line.
- D. Visual Warning Systems
  - 1. Wind direction indicators are shown on well site diagram.
  - 2. Caution/Danger signs shall be posted on roads providing direct access to location. Signs will be painted a high visibility yellow with black lettering of sufficient size to be readable at a reasonable distance form the immediate location. Bilingual signs will be used when appropriate. See example attached.

## E. Mud Program

1. The Mud Program has been designed to minimize the volume of H<sub>2</sub>S circulated to the surface. Proper mud weights, safe drilling practices and the use of H<sub>2</sub>S scavengers will minimize hazards when penetrating H<sub>2</sub>S bearing zones.

2. A mud-gas separator will be utilized as needed.

#### F. Metallurgy:

All drill strings, casing, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventers, drilling spool, kill lines, choke manifold and line and valves shall be suitable for H<sub>2</sub>S service.

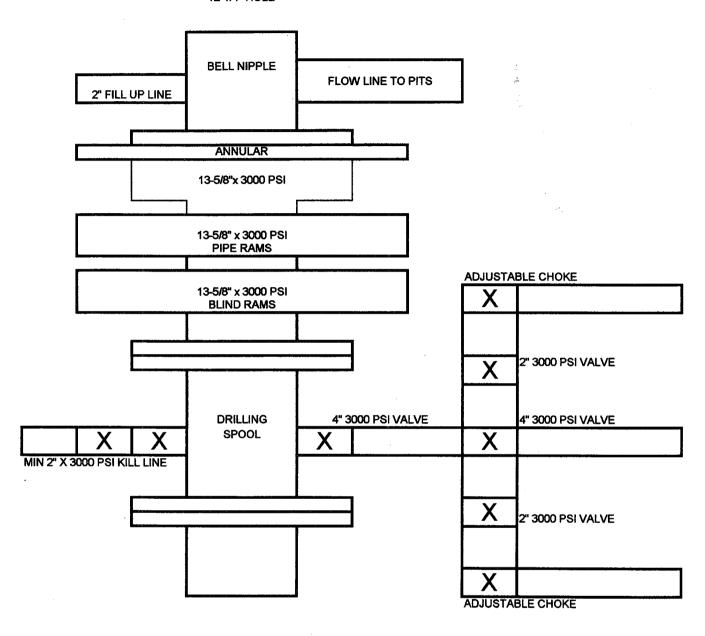
#### G. Communication:

Cellular telephone communications in company vehicles, rig floor and mud logging trailer.

#### H. Well Testing:

Drill stem testing will be performed with a minimum number of personnel in the immediate vicinity, which are necessary to safely and adequately conduct the test. The drill stem testing and an  $H_2S$  environment will be conducted during the daylight hours.

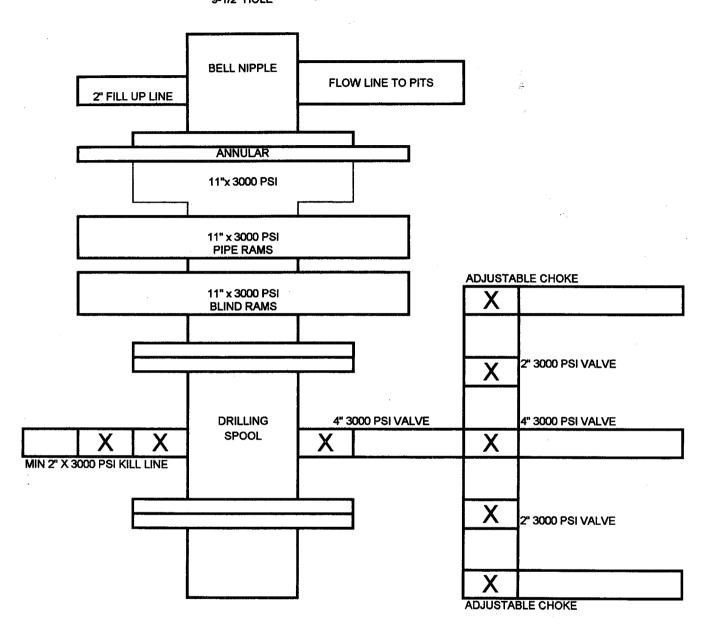
# BOP SCHEMATIC FOR 12-1/4" HOLE



Cabal Energy Corporation Lusk 33 Federal #7 Lea County, New Mexico

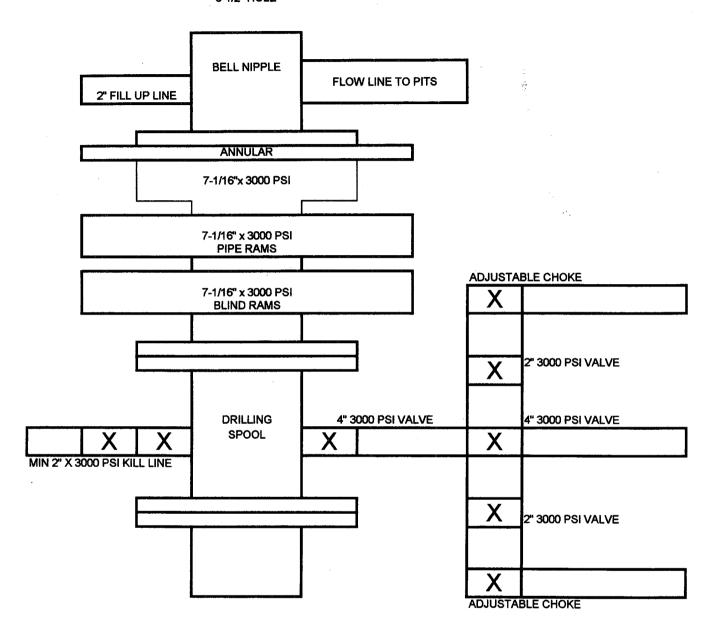
Exhibit 1

#### BOP SCHEMATIC FOR 9-1/2" HOLE



Cabal Energy Corporation Lusk 33 Federal #7 Lea County, New Mexico

#### BOP SCHEMATIC FOR 6-1/2" HOLE



Cabal Energy Corporation Lusk 33 Federal #7 Lea County, New Mexico

Exhibit 3

## United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management Roswell Field Office 2909 Second Street Roswell, New Mexico 88201-1287

## Statement Accepting Responsibility for Operations

Operator Name:

Cabal Energy Corporation

Street or Box:

415 West Wall Street, Suite 1700

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 No:

NM 01135

Legal Description of Land:

Township 19 South, Range 32 East, Lea, New Mexico

SE/4 NE/4 of Section 33

**Bond Coverage:** 

Statewide Oil and Gas Surety Bond, Cabal Energy Corporation.

**BLM Bond File No.:** 

NM 2860

Lindsay Truesdell

Consultant

September 7, 2005

# SPECIAL DRILLING STIPULATIONS

# THE FOLLOWING DATA IS REQUIRED ON THE WELL SIGN

Uperator's Name: <u>Cabal Energy Corporation</u> Well N	ame: Lusk 33 Federal #7
Location:         1650         FNL & 660         FEL Sec           Lease:         NM-01135         County:         L	<u>33</u> , T <u>19</u> _S., R <u>32</u> _E. .eaState: <u>New Mexico</u>
drill is conditioned upon compliance with such stipulations be familiar with the General Requirements, a copy of which	e to the above described well and approval of this application to in addition to the General Requirements. The permittee should his available from a Bureau of Land Management office.  ATIVE APPEAL TO THESE STIPULATIONS PURSUANT
This permit is valid for a period of one year from the date of shorter.	of approval or until lease expiration or termination whichever is
I. SPECIAL ENVIRONMENT REQUIREMENTS	
(X) Lesser Prairie Chicken (stips attached) ( ) San Simon Swale (stips attached) ( ) C	Flood plain (stips attached) Other
II. ON LEASE - SURFACE REQUIREMENTS PRIC	OR TO DRILLING
(X) The BLM will monitor construction of this drill site. Hobbs Office (505) 393-3612, at least 3 working days prior	Notify the (X) Carlsbad Field Office at (505) 234-5972 () to commencing construction.
( $X$ ) Roads and the drill pad for this well must be surfaced	with 6 inches of compacted caliche.
( ) All topsoil and vegetation encountered during the const available for resurfacing of the disturbed area after complet approximatelyinches in depth. Approximatelyinches approximatelyinches in depth.	ion of the drilling operation. Topsoil on the subject location is
( $X$ ) Other. Restrict south edge of pad to 80 feet frandall Ford)	from the center hole to avoid Frontier pipe line. ( per
WELL COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS	
( ) A Communitization Agreement covering the acreage d The effective date of the agreement must be prior to any sale	edicated to the well must be filed for approval with the BLM.
the original contours of the surrounding terrain, and tonsoil	rve pit(s) will be backfilled when dry, and cut-and-fill slopes in not necessary for production must be re-contoured to resemble must be re-distributed and re-seeded with a drill equipped with seed mixture, in pounds of Pure Live Seed (PLS), per acre.  - November 15, before freeze up, or early as possible the ture. See attached seed mixture.
) A. Seed Mixture 1 (Loamy Sites) Side Oats Grama (Bouteloua curtipendula) 5.0 Sand Dropseed (Sporobolus cryptandrus) 1.0	(x) B. Seed Mixture 2 (Sandy Sites) Sand Dropseed (Sporobolus crptandrus) 1.0 Sand Lovegrass (Eragostis trichodes) 1.0 Plains Bristlegrass (Setaria magrostachya) 2.0
) C. Seed Mixture 3 (Shallow Sites) Side oats Grama (Boute curtipendula) 1.0	( ) D. Seed Mixture 4 (Gypsum Sites) Alkali Sacaton (Sporobollud airoides) 1.0 Four-Wing Saltbush (Atriplex canescens) 5.0
) OTHER	

# RESERVE PIT CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS

The reserve pit shall be constructed entirely in cut material and lined with 6-mil plastic. Mineral material extracted from within the boundary of the APD during construction of the well pad and reserve pits and be used for the construction of this well pad and its immediate access road only, as long as that portion of the access road it is use on remains on-lease. Removal of any additional material from this location for construction or improvement of other well pads and other access or lease roads must first be purchased from BLM.

Reclamation: Reclamation of this type of deep pit will consist of pushing the pit walls into the pit when sufficiently dry to support track equipment. The pit liner is NOT TO BE RUPTURED to facilitate drying; a ten month period after completion of the well is allowed for drying of the pit contents.

The pit area must be contoured to the natural terrain with all contaminated drilling mud buried with at least 3 feet of clean soil. The reclaimed area will then be seeded as specified in this permit.

#### OPTIONAL PIT CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS

The reserve pit may be constructed in predominantly fill material if:

- (1) Lined as specified above and
- (2) A temporary or emergency pit may be constructed immediately adjacent to the reserve pit as long as the pit remains within the APD boundary. Mineral material removed from this pit may be used for the construction of this well pad only and its immediate access road, as long as that portion of the access road the material is used on remains on-lease. Removal of any material from the APD boundary for use on other well locations or roads must first be purchased from BLM.

Reclamation of the reserve pit consists of bulldozing all reserve pit contents and contaminants into the borrow pit and covering with a minimum of 3 feet of clean soil material. The entire area must be re-contoured, all trash removed, and reseeded as specified in this permit.

#### CULTURAL

Whether or not an archaeological survey has been completed and notwithstanding that operations are being conducted as approved, the lessee/operator/grantee shall notify the BLM immediately if previously unidentified cultural resources are observed during surface disturbing operations. From the time of the observation, the lessee/operator/grantee shall avoid operations that will result in disturbance to these cultural resources until directed to process by BLM.

#### TRASH PIT STIPS

All trash, junk, and other waste material shall be contained in trash cages or bins to prevent scattering and will be removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. Burial on site is

#### PRAIRIE CHICKENS

No surface use is allowed during the following time periods; unless otherwise specified, this stipulation does not apply to operation and maintenance of production facilities.

On the following lands: All of Section 33 T. 19 S., R. 32 E.

For the purpose of: Protecting Prairie Chickens:

Drilling for oil and gas, and 3-D geophysical exploration operations will not be allowed in Lesser Prairie Chicken Habitat during the period of March 15 through June 15, each year. During that period, other activities that produce noise or involve human activity, such as the maintenance of oil and gas facilities, geophysical exploration other than 3-D operations, and pipeline, road, and well pad construction, will be allowed except between 3:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. The 3:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during the period. Additionally, no new drilling will be allowed within up to 200 meters of leks know at the time of permitting. Normal vehicle use on existing roads will not be restricted. Exhaust noise from pump jack engines must be muffled or otherwise controlled so as not to exceed 75 db measured at 30 feet from the source of the noise.

Bureau of Land Management Carlsbad Field Office SENM-S-22 December 1997

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

Operator's Name: Cabal Energy Corporation Well Name & No: Lusk 33 Federal No 07

Location: Surface: 1650' FNL & 660' FEL, Sec.33, T. 19 S. R. 32 E.

Lease: NMNM 01135 Lea County, New Mexico

The County, 17011 1202200

#### I. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified at the Roswell Field Office, 2909 West Second St., Roswell, NM 88201, (505) 627-0272 for wells in Chaves and Roosevelt Counties; the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822 for wells in Eddy County; and the Hobbs Field Station, 414 West Taylor, Hobbs NM 88240, (505) 393-3612 for wells in Lea County, in sufficient time for a representative to witness:

- A. Spudding
- B. Cementing casing: 13 % inch; 10 % inch; 7 % inch, 4 ½ inch
- C. BOP Tests
- 2. A Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) Drilling Plan is not required for this wellbore.
- 3. 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.
- 4. 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.
- 5. 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 13 % inch shall be set at 890 Feet with 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 10 ¾ inch Intermediate casing is to circulate to surface.
- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 7 ½ inch 2<sup>nd</sup> Intermediate casing is to circulate to surface.
- 4. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 4 ½ inch Production casing is to tie back to the 7 % inch shoe by at least 200 feet.

#### **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 13 ½ 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 2 M psi.

# III. Pressure Control (continued):

- 3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness the test.
- -The test 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 safe workman-like manner. Hard line connections shall be required.
- -Both low pressure and high pressure testing of BOPE is required.

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BLM Serial Number: NM-01135

Company Reference: Cabal Energy Corp. Well No. & Name: Lusk 33 Federal #7

# STANDARD STIPULATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESOURCE ROADS CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

A copy of the grant and attachments, including stipulations, survey plat and/or map, will be on location during construction. BLM personnel may request to you a copy of your permit during construction to ensure compliance with all stipulations.

The holder/grantee/permittee shall hereafter be identified as the holder in these stipulations. The Authorized Officer is the person who approves the Application for Permit to Drill (APD) and/or Right-of-Way (ROW).

#### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The holder shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damage to life or property arising from the occupancy or use of public lands under this grant.
- B. The holder shall comply with all applicable Federal laws and regulations existing or hereafter enacted or promulgated. In any event, the holder shall comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976, as amended (15 U.S.C. 2601, et. seq.) with regard to any toxic substances that are used, generated by or stored on the right-of-way or on facilities authorized by this grant. (See 40 CFR, Part 702-799 and especially, provisions on polychlorinated biphenyls, 40 CFR 761.1-761.193.) Additionally, any release of toxic substances (leaks, spills, etc.) in excess of the reportable quantity established by 40 CFR, Part 117 shall be reported as required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, Section 102b. A copy of any report required or requested by any Federal agency or State government as a result of a reportable release or spill of any toxic substances shall be furnished to the Authorized Officer concurrent with the filing of the reports to the involved Federal agency or State government.
- C. The holder agrees to indemnify the United States against any liability arising from the release of any hazardous substance or hazardous waste (as these terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9601, et. seq. or the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. 6901, et. seq.) on the right-of-way (unless the release or threatened release is wholly unrelated to the right-of-way holder's activity on the right-of-way). This agreement applies without regard to whether a release is caused by the holder, its agent, or unrelated third parties.

- D. If, during any phase of the construction, operation, maintenance, or termination of the road, any oil or other pollutant should be discharged, impacting Federal lands, the control and total removal, disposal, and cleaning up of such oil of other pollutant, wherever found, shall be the responsibility of the holder, regardless of fault. Upon failure of the holder to control, dispose of, or clean up such discharge on or affecting Federal lands, or to repair all damages to Federal lands resulting there from the Authorized Officer may take such measures as deemed necessary to control and cleanup the discharge and restore the area, including, where appropriate, the aquatic environment and fish and wildlife habitats, at the full expense of the holder. Such action by the Authorized Officer shall not relieve the holder of any liability or responsibility.
- E. The holder shall minimize disturbance to existing fences and other improvements on public domain surface. The holder is required to promptly repair improvements to at least their former state. Functional use of these improvements will be maintained at all times.

The holder will make a documented good-faith effort to contact the owner of any improvements prior to disturbing them. When necessary to pass through a fence line, the fence shall be braced on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting of the fence.

F. The Holder shall ensure that the entire right-of-way, including the driving surface, ditching and drainage control structures, road verges and any construction sites or zones, will be kept free of the following plant species: Malta starthistle, African rue, Scotch thistle and salt cedar. The Holder agrees to comply with the following stipulations:

#### ROAD WIDTH AND GRADE

The road will have a driving surface of 14 feet (all roads shall have a minimum driving surface of 12 feet, unless local conditions dictate a different width). The maximum grade is 10 percent unless the box below is checked. Maximum width of surface disturbance from construction will be 30 feet.

/\_\_/ Those segments of road where grade is in excess of 10% for more than 300 feet shall be designed by a professional engineer.

#### CROWNING AND DITCHING

Crowning with materials on site and ditching on one side of the road on the uphill side will be required. The road cross-section will conform to the cross section diagrams in Figure 1. If conditions dictate, ditching may be required for both sides of the road; if local conditions permit, a flat-bladed road may be considered (if these conditions exist, check the appropriate box below). The crown shall have a grade of approximately 2% (i.e., 1" crown on a 12' wide road).

/_X_/ Ditching will be required on both sides of the roadway as shown on the attached map or as staked in the field.	
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#### 3. DRAINAGE

Drainage control shall be ensured over the entire road through the use of borrow ditches, out-sloping, in-sloping, natural rolling topography, lead-off (turnout) ditches, culverts, and/or drainage dips.

A. All lead-off ditches shall be graded to drain water with a 1 percent minimum to 3 percent maximum ditch slope. The spacing interval for lead-off ditches shall be determined according to the following table, but may be amended depending upon existing soil types and centerline road slope (in %):

SPACING INTERVAL FOR TURNOUT DITCHES

Percent slope	Spacing interval	
0% - 4%	400' - 150'	
4% - 6%	250' - 125'	
6% - 8%	200' - 100'	
8% - 10%	150' - 75'	

A typical lead-off ditch has a minimum depth of 1 foot below and a berm 6 inches above natural ground level. The berm will be on the down-slope side of the lead-off ditch. The ditch end will tie into vegetation whenever possible.

For this road the spacing interval for lead-off ditches shall be at

foot intervals.

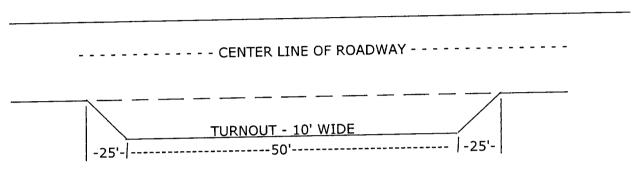
- B. Culvert pipes shall be used for cross drains where drainage dips or low water crossings are not feasible. The minimum culvert diameter must be 18 inches. Any culvert pipe installed shall be of sufficient diameter to pass the anticipated flow of water. Culvert location and required diameter are shown on the attached map (Further details can be obtained from the Roswell District Office or the appropriate Resource Area Office).
- C. On road slopes exceeding 2%, drainage dips shall drain water into an adjacent lead-off ditch. Drainage dip location and spacing shall be determined by the formula:

Example: 4% slope: spacing interval = 400 + 100 = 200 feet

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#### 4. TURNOUTS

Unless otherwise approved by the Authorized Officer, vehicle turnouts will be required. Turnouts will be located at 2000-foot intervals, or the turnouts will be intervisible, whichever is less. Turnouts will conform to the following diagram:



STANDARD TURNOUT - PLAN VIEW

#### 5. SURFACING

Surfacing of the road or those portions identified on the attached map may, at the direction of the Authorized Officer, be required, if necessary, to maintain traffic within the right-of-way with caliche, gravel, or other surfacing material which shall be approved by the Authorized Officer. When surfacing is required, surfacing materials will be compacted to a minimum thickness of six inches with caliche material. The width of surfacing shall be no less than the driving surface. Prior to using any mineral materials from an existing or proposed Federal source, authorization must be obtained from the Authorized Officer.

A sales contract for the removal of mineral materials (caliche, sand, gravel, fill dirt, etc.) from an authorized pit, site, or on location must be obtained from the BLM prior to using any such mineral material from public lands. Contact the BLM solid minerals staff for the various options to purchase mineral material.

#### 6. CATTLEGUARDS

Where used, all cattleguard grids and foundation designs and construction shall meet the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) Load Rating H-20, although AASHTO U-80 rated grids shall be required where heavy loads (exceeding H-20 loading), are anticipated (See BLM standard drawings for cattleguards). Cattleguard grid length shall not be less than 8 feet and width of not less than 14 feet. A wire gate (16-foot minimum width) will be provided on one side of the cattleguard unless requested otherwise by the surface user.

#### 7. MAINTENANCE

The holder shall maintain the road in a safe, usable condition. A maintenance program shall include, but not be limited to blading, ditching, culvert installation, culvert cleaning, drainage installation, cattleguard maintenance, and surfacing.

#### 8. PUBLIC ACCESS

Public access along this road will not be restricted by the holder without specific written approval being granted by the Authorized Officer. Gates or cattleguards on public lands will not be locked or closed to public use unless closure is specifically determined to be necessary and is authorized in writing by the Authorized Officer.

#### 9. CULTURAL RESOURCES

Any cultural and/or paleontological resource (historic or prehistoric site or object) discovered by the holder, or any person working on the holder's behalf, on public or Federal land shall be immediately reported to the authorized officer. The holder shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the authorized officer. An evaluation of the discovery will be made by the authorized officer to determine appropriate actions to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values. The holder will be responsible for the cost of evaluation and any decision as to the proper mitigation measures will be made by the authorized officer after consulting with the holder.

#### 10. SPECIAL STIPULATIONS:

District J
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

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Form C-144

March 12, 2004

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

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure
Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes \( \subseteq \text{No} \subseteq \)

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank L Closure of a pit or below-grade tank L		
Operator: PURE ENERGY GROUP, INC.  Telephone: 210 226-6700 c-mail address:		
Facility or well name: LUSK "33" FEDERAL API #:30-025-3778 J/L or Qtr/Qtr H Sec 33 r195 R32E		
County: LEA Latitude 32°37'10.1" Longitude 103°	43 31 NAD: 1927   1983   Surface O	wner Federal 🖪 State 🗌 Private 🔲 Indian 🗌
<u>Pit</u>	Below-grade tank	
Type: Drilling Troduction Disposal	Volume:bbl Type of fluid:	
Workover	Construction material:	
Lined 🔯 Unlined 🗌	Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes   If not, explain why not.	
Liner type: Synthetic X Thickness 12 mil Clay Volume		
<u>18M</u> _bbi		
Double to ground visitor (visital distance from bottom - frois to	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)
water elevation of ground water.)  100 †+	100 feet or more 0	( 0 points) 0
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic	Yes	(20 points)
•	No 0	( 0 points) 0
water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)		
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas,	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
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	Ranking Score (Total Points)	0
If this is a pit closure: (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location:		
onsite offsite If offsite, name of facility		
date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No 🗌 Yes 🔲 If yes, show depth below ground surfaceft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a		
diagram of sample locations and excavations.		
I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and best of. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines KX a general permit \(\begin{array}{c} \text{, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan } \equiv.		
Date: 04/07/06		
Printed Name/Title Joe T. Janica (Agent) Signature & J. J. Company of the Printed Name/Title Joe T. Janica (Agent)		
Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.		
Approval:		
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Mull, Donna, EMNRD

From:

Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRD

To:

Mull, Donna, EMNRD

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Subject:

RE: Financial Assurance Requirement

**Attachments:** 

Occidental Permian LTD 157984 \$50,000 Blanket COG Operating LLC - \$50,000 Blanket Yates Petroleum Corp - \$50,000 Blanket XTO Energy Inc. - \$50,000 Blanket Gruy Petrolem Management - \$50,000 Blanket

Cabal Energy Corp - One a one well bond to cover API 30-025-36822

None of these operators appear on Jane's list.

From: Mull, Donna, EMNRD

Sent: Monday, April 10, 2006 8:57 AM

To: Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRD

Cc: Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD; Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD

**Subject:** Financial Assurance Requirement

Dorothy, Is the Financial Assurance Requirement for these Operators OK?

Occidental Permian LP (157984) COG Operating LLC ( 229137) Yates Petroleum Corp (25575) XTO Energy Inc (5380) Gruy Petroleum Management Co (162683) Cabal Energy Corp (194930)

Please let me know. Thanks and have a nice day. Donna.