District I

1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District III
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

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

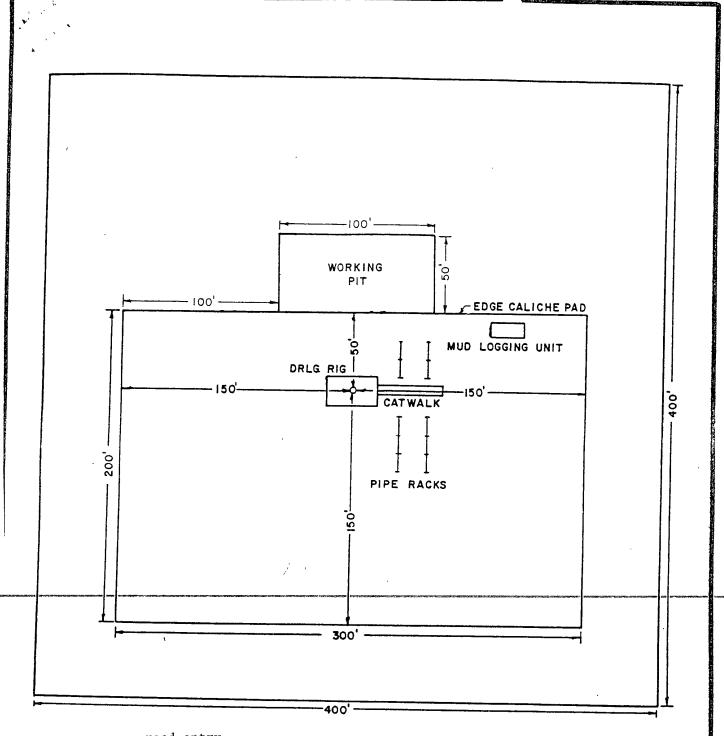
Form C-144

June 1, 2004

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 \(\sigma\) No \(\sigma\)

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank Closure of a pit or below-grade tank		
Operator: Sthata Production Company Telephone: (575) 622-1127 e-mail address: FMorgan@stratanm.com Address: P.O. Box 1030 Roswell, New Mexico 88202-1030		
Facility or well name: Cuervo Federal #3 API #: 30-025-386800/L or Qtr/Qtr F Sec 14 T 23-S R 32-E		
County: <u>Lea</u> Latitude <u>N32.30653</u> Longitude <u>W103.64872</u> NAD: 1927 [] 1983 []		
Surface Owner: Federal 🖾 State 🗌 Private 🗎 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 not, explain why not.	
Liner type: Synthetic 🛽 Thickness 12 mil Clay 🗌		
Pit Volume 10700bbl		
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.) 440	Less than 50 feet	. (20 points)
	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)
	100 feet or more	(0 points)
	Yes	(20 111)
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic	No	(20 points)
water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	140	(0 points)
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)
gavon canais, enones, and perennal and opnomeral watercourses.)	1000 feet or more	(0 points)
	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: (check the onsite box if your are burying in place) onsite offsite If offsite, name of facility (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No Yes If yes, show depth below ground surface ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.		
Additional Comments.		
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I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines, a general permit, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan		
Date: 11/08/2007		
Printed Name/Title Frank SymMorgan Vice President Signature Frank Www.		
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. Printed Name/Title CHC15 WILLIAMS/DIST. SUN. Signature Chuis Usiliam. Date: 1/7/07		

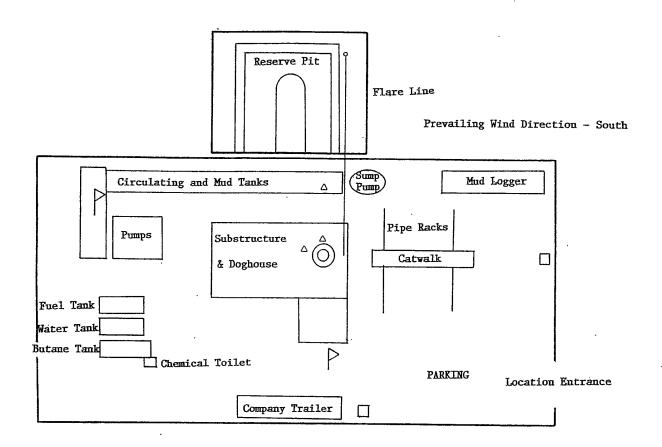


road entry

STRATA PRODUCTION COMPANY

DRILLING RIG LAYOUT PLAN

CUERVO FEDERAL #3 1650' FWL & 1980' FNL Section 14, T23S-R32E Lea County, NM



 Δ ALARM ON RIG FLOOR WITH SENSORS AT THE FLOOR, BELL NIPPLE& SHAKER

WIND DIRECTION INDICATORS

SAFE BRIEFING AREAS WITH CAUTION SIGNS & PROTECTIVE BREATHING EQUIPMENT

Exhibit "D"