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December 14, 1979

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P. O. Box 1860
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Gentlemen:

MORANCO

Western Reserves Fed "34" No. 2 330 FNL 830 FEL Sec. 34 T.7S R.31E Chaves County Lease NM 046153-A

Above Data Required on Well Sign

Your APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL the above-described well to a depth of 4,200 feet to test the San Andres formation is hereby approved subject to compliance with the OIL AND GAS OPERATING REGULATIONS (30 CFR 221) and the following conditions:

- Drilling operations authorized are subject to compliance with the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS ON FEDERAL LEASES, dated July 1, 1978.
- Prior to commencing construction of road, pad, or other associated developments, operator will provide the dirt contractor with a copy of the SURFACE USE PLAN and this approval including the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
- 3. Submit a Daily Report of Operations from spud date until the Well Completion Report (form 9-330) is filed. The progress report should be not less than 8" x 5" in size and each page should identify the well.
- 4. All permanent above-ground structures and equipment shall be painted in accordance with the attached Painting Requirements. The color used should simulate Sandstone Brown (Federal Standard No. 595A, color 20318 or 30318).
- 5. Cement behind the 8-5/8" casing must be circulated.
- 6. Please have anyone contacting the Survey in regard to this well to identify the well with all of the information required above for the well sign.

Sincerely yours,

LIORGE H. STEWANT

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George H. Stewart Acting District Engineer

CONDUCTIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

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SUBMIT IN TRIPLICE.
(Other instructions on

reverse side)

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Form approved. Budget Bureau No. 42-R1425.

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| | AS OTHER | | SINGLE ZONE | MULT ZONE | IPLE | 8. FARM OR LEASE NAM | |
| 2. NAME OF OPERATOR MORANCO | | | | | | Reserves Fe | CESTE 34 |
| 3. Address of Oterator | | | | | | 2 | De |
| P. O. Box 1860, Hobbs, NM 88240 | | | | | | 10. FIELD AND POOL, OF | R WILDCAT |
| 4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.*) At surface Section 34, T-7-S, R-31-E, Chaves County, NM | | | | | | Tom-Tom (Sa | |
| 330' FNL & 830' FEL | | | | | | 11. SEC., T., B., M., OR B AND SURVEY OR ARI | |
| At proposed prod. zone San Andres | | | | | | 34-7S-31E | |
| 14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE* | | | | | | 12. COUNTY OR PARISH | 13. STATE |
| 11.5 miles | s south of Ker | nna, NM | | | | Chaves | NM |
| 15. DISTANCE FROM PROPULOCATION TO NEARES | | | | | OF ACRES ASSIGNED HIS WELL | | |
| PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT. 830/E (Also to nearest drig, unit line, if any) | | | 80 | | | 40 | |
| 18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION* TO NEXCEST WELL, DRILLING, COMPLETED, OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT. West | | | 19. PROPOSED DEPTH 4200'± | | 20. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS | | |
| 21. ELEVATIONS (Show wh | | 25 C | 1 420 | ,0 - | _ - | ROTATY 22. APPROX. DATE WOL | K WILL START* |
| GR 4340.5' | | | | | | December 1 | 2, 1979 |
| 23. | P | ROPOSED CASI | NG AND CEN | MENTING PROG | RAM | | |
| SIZE OF HOLE | SIZE OF CASING | WEIGHT PER F | тоот | SETTING DEPTH | | QUANTITY OF CEMENT | |
| 12 1/4 | 8 5/8" | 24# | | .700' [±] | 700 : | sx - Circ to | surface |
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NEW ICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102 Supersedes C-128 Effective 1-1-65

Operator MORANCO Western Reserves 34 Township Unit Lette 34 7 South 31 East Chaves Actual For tage Location of Well: 330 North 830 fee! from the line and teet from the East Ground Level Elev. Producing Formation Dedicated Arreage ANDRES 4340.5 Tom-Tom 1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or RECEIV or hachure marks on the plat below. 2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty). DEC 17 1979 3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc? ARTESIA, OFFICE If answer is "yes," type of consolidation If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.)_ No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commis-CERTIFICATION 830 I hereby certify that the informat an conerry W. Franklin DEC 3 1979 U.S. GEULUGICAL SURVEY ARTEŞIA, NEW MEXICO RECEIVED DEC 1 0 1979 U.S. Litulugical Survey ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO November

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Application to Drill

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Western Reserves Federal '34' #2 Section 34, T-7-S, R-31-E Chaves County, New Mexico

In response to questions asked under Section II B of Bulletin NTL-6, the following answers are provided for your consideration:

- Location: 330' FNL & 830' FEL, Section 34, T-7-S, R-31-E, Chaves County, New Mexico.
- 2. Elevation Above Sea Level: 4340.5'
- 3. Geologic Name of Surface Formation: Alluvium
- 4. <u>Drilling Tools and Associated Equipment:</u> Conventional rotary drilling rig using mud for the circulation medium.
- 5. Proposed Drilling Depth: 4200'±
- 6. Estimated Geological Marker Tops: Yates 2020'; San Andres 3140'; Pi Marker 3680'; San Andres porosity 3920'.
- 7. Mineral Bearing Formation: Water bearing none; gas bearing none; oil bearing San Andres at 3940'.
- 8. Casing Program: (A) Surface casing 8 5/8" 24#/ft K-55 new casing. (B) Production casing 4 1/2" 10.5#/ft K-55 new casing.
- 9. Setting Depth of Casing and Cement for Same: (A) 8 5/8" casing set at 1700'. Cement will be circulated to surface using 500 sacks of Halliburton light with 3# gilsonite/sack, 1/4# flocele/sack, 0.2% CaCl. Followed by 200 sacks Class 'C' 0.2% CaCl. (B) 4 1/2" casing set at 4200' and will be cemented with 300 sacks Class 'C', 50-50 pozmix, 8# salt/sack, 3% CFR-2, 1/4# flocele/sack.
- 10. Pressure Control Equipment: Blowout preventers will be installed on the surface casing. They will be 10" API Series 900 Dual preventers adapted for the drilling contractor's 4 1/2" and 5 1/2" drill pipe. They will be capable of closing off on all

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- 10. Pressure Control Equipment (Continued): open areas. The blowout preventers will be hydraulically actuated by an 80-gallon Payne accumulator. The blowout preventers will be tested to 2000 psig after they are installed on the surface casing, prior to drilling out and each time they are removed or rearranged on the wellhead.
- 11. Proposed Circulation Medium: Mud will be used for the circulating medium for all depths in this well. The following mud properties will be maintained: Viscosity sufficient to clean hole; weight 9.5-10.0 ppg; viscosity through pay zone 45 to 50 for good samples.
- 12. Testing, Logging and Coring Programs: (A) Testing All testing will be commenced after the well is drilled and casing has been set and cemented. (B) Logging At total depth the following logs will be run: 0-4000' sidewall neutron porosity with gamma ray and caliper, dual laterolog, micro-SFL. (C) No coring.
- 13. Potential Hazards: No abnormal pressure or temperature zones are anticipated. Hydrogen sulfide gas is not expected to be a problem; however, the drilling rig will be so situated as to allow all gas vapors to be expelled away from all personnel gathering sites and engine exhausts.
- 14. Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations: Commence December 10, 1979. Three weeks to completion on December 31, 1979.
- 15. Other Facets of Operation: After running 4 1/2" casing, cased hole gamma ray collar correlation logs will be run from total depth to 3300'±. The San Andres porosity pay will be perforated and acidized. The well will then be swab tested and a pumping unit will be installed to potential and produce the well.

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Effective 1-1-65 All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section Operator Well No. MORANCO Western Reserves 2 Township 7 South 31 East Chaves North feet from the 830 line and feet from the East Ground Lyrei Elev. Producing Formation Dedicated Acresger 4340.5 1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below. 2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty). 3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc? No. If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _ If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commis-CERTIFICATION 830 I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief Nane DEC 3 | 1979 Position U.S. GEULUGICAL SURVEY Company ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO Date Date Surveyed November 19,1979

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