SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN Melrose Operating Co. Closson B Federal # 39 2310' FNL, 2310' FEL Unit G, Sec. 30, T22S, R36E Lea Co., NM

1. <u>Existing Roads:</u>

- A. The well site and elevation plat for the proposed well is shown in Exhibit #1. It was staked by Dan Reddy, Carlsbad, New Mexico.
- B. All roads to the location are shown in Exhibit #3A& B. The existing roads are labeled and upgrading of the road prior to drilling will be done where necessary as determined during the onsite inspection.
- C. Directions to location: S. of Eunice on Hwy. 207 ~ 4 M to Delaware Basin Road . Turn right & go 13 M on Delaware Basin. Turn left at Melrose gate # 4 (combo 0001). Stay left and go immediately N. Go .25 M and turn right and go straight (East) and follow road to Closson # 25. Go straight to location.
- D. Routine grading and maintenance of existing roads will be conducted as necessary to maintain their condition as long as any operations continue on this lease.
- 2. <u>Proposed Access Road:</u>

Exhibit #3A&B show the existing road.

~859' of new road will be needed. Access road is shown on Exhibit #3 A & B.

3. Location of Existing Wells:

Exhibit #4 shows all existing wells within a one-mile radius of this well.

- 4. Location of Existing and/or Proposed Facilities and ROW's:
 - A. If the well is productive:
 - 1. The well will be tested and a flowline will be laid to the existing Closson B battery # 2 beside the existing road. ROW shown in exhibit 3C.
 - 2. Any battery improvements necessary will be done on the existing battery #2 . The location of the battery is shown in exhibit 3D.
 - 3. A Power line will be built to location from the existing line shown in exhibit 3C. ROW is shown in exhibit 3C.
 - B. If the well is productive, rehabilitation plans are as follows:

1. The reserve pit will be back-filled after the contents of the pit are dry (within 120 days after the well is complete).

2. Topsoil removed from the drill site will be used to raconteur the pit area to the original natural level, as nearly as possible, and reseeded as per BLM specifications.