Form 3160-3
(July 1992)

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1040-0136
Expires: February 28, 1995

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE*

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR DEEPEN

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO.
UTU-0140740

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME
UTE TRIBE

TYPE OF WORK
DRILL ☑ DEEPEN ☐

7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME
GYPSUM HILLS

TYPE OF WELL
☐ OIL WELL ☑ GAS WELL ☐ OTHER ☐ SINGLE ZONE ☐ MULTIPLE ZONE ☑

8. FARM OR LEASE NAME, WELL NO.
GH 15A-20-8-21

2. NAME OF OPERATOR
QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION, CO.

Contact: Jan Nelson
E-Mail: jan.nelson@questar.com

9.API NUMBER: 43-047-40353

3. ADDRESS
11002 E 17500 S VERNAL, UT 84078

Telphone number
Phone 435-781-4331 Fax 435-781-4395

10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT
GYPSUM HILLS

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with and State requirements*)
At Surface 621647 X 1326' FSL 1343' FEL, SWSE, SECTION 20,T8S, R21E
At proposed production zone 4440178 Y 40.105009 -109.572769

11. SEC.,T, R, M, OR BLK & SURVEY OR AREA
SEC. 20, T8S, R21E Mer SLB

14. DISTANCE IN MILES FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POSTOFFICE*
6+ / - MILES EAST OF OURAY, UTAH

12. COUNTY OR PARISH: Uintah
13. STATE: UT

15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION TO NEAREST PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT. (also to nearest drig,unit line if any)
1343' +/-

16.NO.OF ACRES IN LEASE
800.00

17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED TO THIS WELL
20

18.DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED location to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft
580' +/-

19. PROPOSED DEPTH
16,940

20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file
ESB000024

21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, ect.)
4682.2' GR

22. DATE WORK WILL START
ASAP

23. Estimated duration
70 Days

24. Attachments

The following,completed in accordance with the requirments 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
3. A surface Use Plan (if location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).
4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an exisiting bond on file (see Item 20 above).
5. Operator certification.
6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer.

SIGNED Jan Nelson Name (printed/typed) Jan Nelson DATE 9-3-08

TITLE Regulatory Affairs

(This space for Federal or State office use)

PERMIT NO. 43047403 53 APPROVAL DATE

Application approval does not warrant or certify the applicant holds any legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED BY Brad Hill TITLE BRADLEY G. HILL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER DATE 09-18-08

*See Instructions On Reverse Side

Title 18 U.S.C Section 1001, makes 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 mater within its jurisdiction

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Federal Approval of this Action is Necessary

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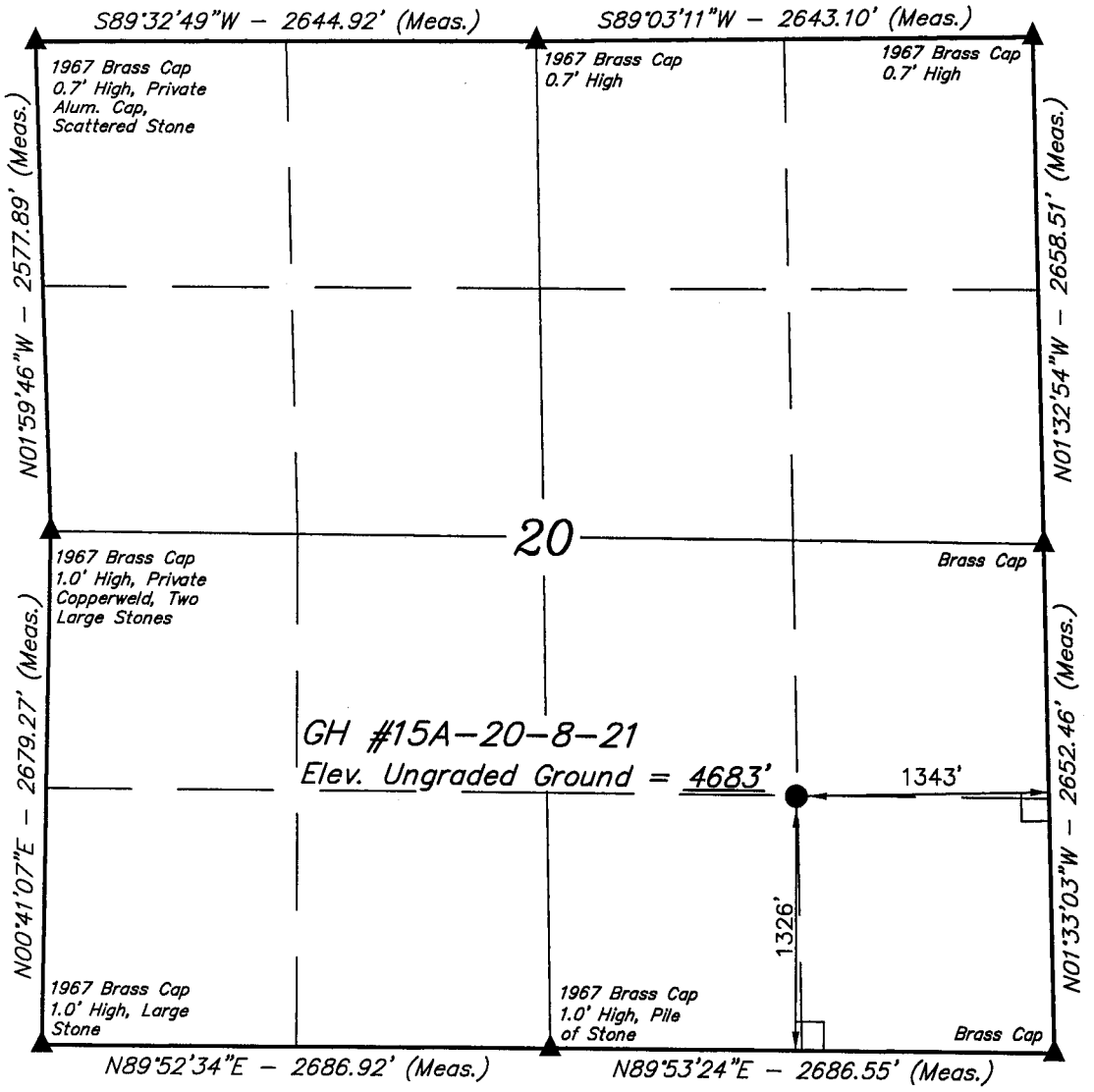

QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.

Well location, GH #15A–20–8–21, located as shown in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 20, T8S, R21E, S.L.B.&M., Uintah County, Utah.

BASIS OF ELEVATION

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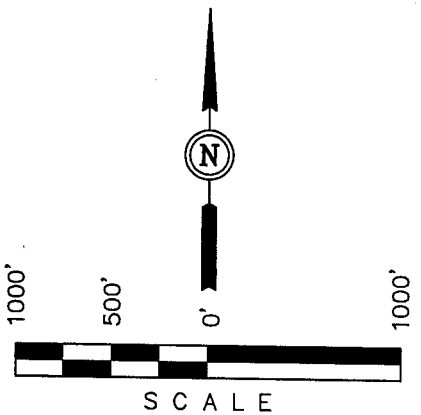

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REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR
REGISTRATION NO. 161319
STATE OF UTAH

REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR No. 161319 ROBERT L. MAY STATE OF UTAH

LEGEND:

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● = PROPOSED WELL HEAD.

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(NAD 83)
LATITUDE = 40°06'18.16" (40.105044)
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UINTAH ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING
85 SOUTH 200 EAST – VERNAL, UTAH 84078
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PARTY J.W. C.G. D.P.	REFERENCES G.L.O. PLAT	
WEATHER WARM	FILE QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.	

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September 3, 2008

Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
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To Whom It May Concern:

In reference to the State Oil and Gas Conservation rule R649-3-3 Questar Exploration & Production, Co. *GH 10BD-21-8-21, GH 11C-20-8-21* and *GH 15A-20-8-21* is an exception to this rule due to Docket # 2008-16, Cause # 173-22. These three (3) wells will be drilled as exploratory test wells to the Dakota Formation drilled on 20 acre spacing.

There are no additional lease owners within 460' of the proposed location. If you have any questions please contact Jan Nelson @ (435) 781-4331 or Nate Koeniger @ 303-672-6906.

Thank you,

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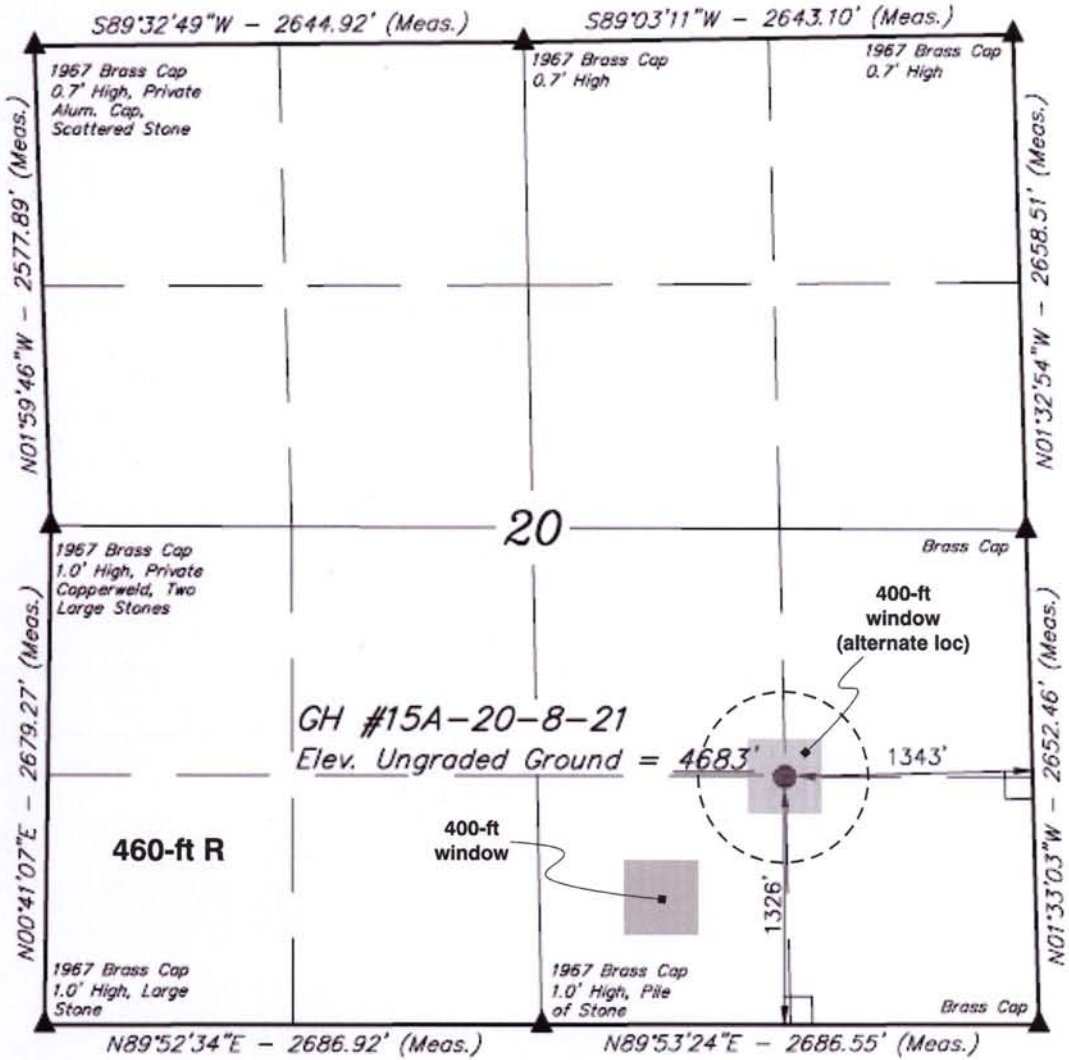

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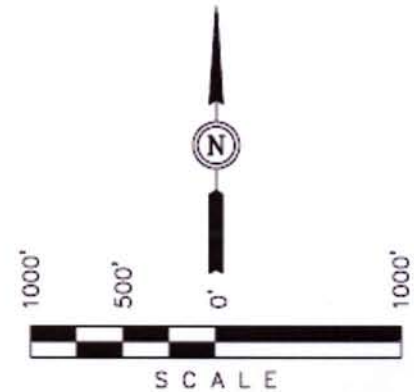

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Additional Operator Remarks

Questar Explor. & Prod. Co. proposes to drill a well to 16,940' to test the Dakota. If productive, casing will be run and the well completed. If dry, the well will be plugged and abandoned as per BLM and State of Utah requirements"

Please see Onshore Oil & Gas Order NO. 1

Please be advised that Questar Explor. & Prod. Co. agrees to be responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the lease lands.

Bond coverage for this well is provided by Bond No.ESB000024. The principal is Questar Explor. & Prod. Co. via surety as consent as provided for the 43 CFR 3104.2.

DRILLING PROGRAM

ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1
Approval of Operations on Onshore
Federal Oil and Gas Leases

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with applicable laws, regulations (43 CFR 3100), Onshore Oil and Gas No. 1, and the approved plan of operations. The operator is fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished the field representative to insure compliance.

1. Formation Tops

The estimated tops of important geologic markers are as follows:

Formation	Depth
Uinta	Surface
Green River	2,520'
Wasatch	6,025'
Mesaverde	9,300'
Sego	11,483'
Castlegate	11,595'
Blackhawk	11,913'
Mancos Shale	12,354'
Mancos B	13,008'
Frontier	15,640'
Dakota Silt	16,540'
Dakota	16,740'
TD	16,940'

2. Anticipated Depths of Oil Gas Water and Other Mineral Bearing Zones

The estimated depths at which the top and bottom of the anticipated water, oil, gas. Or other mineral bearing formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

Substance	Formation	Depth
Gas	Wasatch	6,025'
Gas	Mesaverde	9,300'
Gas	Blackhawk	11,913'
Gas	Mancos Shale	12,354'
Gas	Mancos B	13,008'
Gas	Dakota	16,740'

All fresh water and prospectively valuable minerals encountered during drilling will be recorded by depth and adequately protected. All oil and gas shows will be tested to determine commercial potential.

All water shows and water-bearing sands will be reported to the BLM in Vernal, Utah. Copies of State of Utah form OGC-8-X are acceptable. If flows are detected, samples will be submitted to the BLM along with any water analyses conducted. Fresh water will be obtained from Wonsits Valley water right # A36125 (which was filed on May 7, 1964,) or Red Wash water right # 49-2153 (which was filed on March 25, 1960). It was determined by the Fish and Wildlife Service that any water right number filed before1989 is not depleting to the Upper Colorado River System, to supply fresh water for drilling purposes. All water resulting from drilling operations will be disposed of at Red Wash Central Battery Disposal Site; SWSE, Section 27, T7S, R23E or Wonsits Valley Disposal Site; SWNW, Section 12, T8S, R21E.

3. <u>Operator's Specification for Pressure Control Equipment:</u>

A. 13-5/8" 5000 psi double gate, 5,000 psi annular BOP (schematic included) from surface hole to 9-5/8" casing point. A 13-5/8" 10,000 psi double and single gate may be substituted based on contractor availability and substructure height of the drilling rig.

B. 11" or 13-5/8" 10,000 psi double gate, 10,000 psi single gate, 10,000 psi annular BOP (schematic included) from 9-5/8" casing point to total depth. The choice of BOP stacks is based on the drilling contractor's availability.

C. Functional test daily

D. All casing strings shall be pressure tested (0.2 psi/foot or 1500 psi, whichever is greater) prior to drilling the plug after cementing; test pressure shall not exceed the internal yield pressure of the casing.

E. Ram type preventers and associated equipment shall be tested to approved stack working pressure if isolated by test plug or to 50 percent of internal yield pressure of casing whichever is less. BOP and related equipment shall meet the minimum requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 for equipment and testing requirements, procedures, etc..., for a 10M system and individual components shall be operable as designed.

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4. Casing Design:

Hole Size	Csg. Size	Top (MD)	Bottom (MD)	Mud Weight	Wt. lb/ft	Grade	Thread	Cond.
26"	20"	sfc	40-60'	N/A	Steel	Cond.	None	Used
17-1/2"	13-3/8"	sfc	500'	N/A	54.5	K-55	STC	New
12-1/4"	9-5/8"	sfc	5,305'	9.2	47	HCP-110	Flush Jnt **	New
8-1/2"	7"	Surface	9,000'		26	HCP-110	LTC	New
8-1/2"	7"	9000'	12,414'	13.5	29 SDrift *	HCP-110	LTC	New
6-1/8"	4-1/2"	sfc	13,000'		15.1	P-110	LTC	New
6-1/8"	4-1/2"	13,000'	15,000'		15.1	Q-125	LTC	New
6-1/8"	4-1/2"	15,000'	16,940'	14.8	16.6	Q-125	LTC	New

Casing Strengths:				Collapse	Burst	Tensile (minimum)
13-3/8"	54.5 lb.	K-55	STC	1,130 psi	2,730 psi	547,000 lb.
9-5/8"	47 lb.	HCP-110	LTC	7,100 psi	9,440 psi	1,213,000 lb.
7"	26 lb.	HCP-110	LTC	7,800 psi	9,950 psi	693,000 lb.
7"	29 lb.*	HCP-110	LTC	9,200 psi	11,220 psi	797,000 lb.
4-1/2"	15.1 lb.	P-110	LTC	14,350 psi	14,420 psi	406,000 lb.
4-1/2"	15.1 lb.	Q-125	LTC	15,840 psi	16,380 psi	438,000 lb.
4-1/2"	16.6 lb.	Q-125	LTC	19,010 psi	18,130 psi	493,000 lb.

*** Special Drift**
**** Flush Jnt – VAM SLIJ II or LT&C based on availability**
MINIMUM DESIGN FACTORS:

COLLAPSE: 1.125
BURST: 1.10
TENSION: 1.80

DRILLING PROGRAM

Area Fracture Gradient:	0.9 psi/foot
Maximum anticipated mud weight:	14.8 ppg
Maximum surface treating pressure:	12,500 psi

5. Cementing Program

20" Conductor:
Cement to surface with construction cement.

13-3/8" Surface Casing: sfc – 500' (MD)
Slurry: 0' – 500'. 610 sxs (731 cu ft) Premium cement + 0.25 lbs/sk Flocele + 2% $CaCl_2$. Slurry wt: 15.6 ppg, slurry yield: 1.20 ft^3/sx, slurry volume: 17-1/2" hole + 100% excess.

9-5/8" Intermediate Casing: sfc – 5,305' (MD)
Lead Slurry: 0' – 4,805'. 1185 sks (367 bbls) Foamed Lead 50/50 Poz cement + 0.1 % FDP-C766-05 (Low Fluid Loss Control) + 5 #/sx Silicate Compacted + 20 % SSA-1 + 0.1 % Versaset + 1.5 % Zonesealant 2000 (foamer) Slurry wt: 14.3 ppg, (unfoamed) or 11.0 ppg (foamed). Slurry yield: 1.47 ft^3/sk (unfoamed), Slurry volume: 12-1/4" hole + 35% excess.
Tail Slurry: 4,805' – 5,305'. 115 sks (30 bbls) Tail 50/50 Poz cement + 0.1 % FDP-C766-05 (Low Fluid Loss Control) + 5 #/sx Silicate Compacted + 20 % SSA-1 + 0.1 % Versaset. Slurry wt: 14.3 ppg, Slurry yield: 1.47 ft^3/sk, Slurry volume: 12-1/4" hole + 35% excess.

7" Intermediate Casing: sfc - 12,414' (MD)
Foamed Lead Slurry 2: 0' – 11,914'. 1388 sks (2040 cu ft) 0.1% HALAD-766 (Low Fluid Loss Control); Slurry Yield: 1.47 ft^3/sk; 5 lbm/sk Silicalite Compacted (Light Weight; Additive) Total Mixing Fluid: 6.40 Gal/sk; 20 % SSA-1 (Heavy Weight Additive); 0.1 % Versaset (Thixotropic Additive); 1.5 % FDP-C760-04 (Foamer) 35% excess.
Tail Slurry: 11,914' – 12,414'. 60 sks (79.3 cu ft) 0.1% HALAD-766 (Low Fluid Loss Control) Slurry Yield: 1.47 ft^3/sk; 5 lbm/sk Silicalite Compacted (Light Weight Additive) Total Mixing Fluid: 6.40 Gal/sk; 20 % SSA-1 (Heavy Weight Additive); 0.1% Versaset (Thixotropic Additive); 1.5% FDP-C760-04 (Foamer).

4-1/2" Production Casing: sfc - 16,940' (MD)
Lead/Tail Slurry: 6,000' - 16,940'. 934 sks (1391 cu ft) Premium Cement + 17.5% SSA-1, + 4% Microbond HT, + 0.2% Halad 344 + 0.5% Halad 413, + 0.3% CFR-3, + 0.9% HR-12, + 0.2% Super CBL, + 0.2% Suspend HT, 17.5% SSA-2. Slurry wt: 16.2 ppg, Slurry yield: 1.49 ft^3/sk, Slurry volume: 6-1/8" hole + 35% in open hole section.

*Final cement volumes to be calculated from caliper log with an attempt to be made to circulate cement to the surface on the intermediate strings and 6,000' on the production string. A bond log will be run across the zone of interest and across zones as required by the authorized officer to insure protection of natural resources.

DRILLING PROGRAM

6. Auxiliary Equipment

A. Kelly Cock – yes

B. Float at the bit – yes

C. Monitoring equipment on the mud system – visually and/or PVT/Flow Show

D. Full opening safety valve on the rig floor – yes

E. Rotating Head – yes
If drilling with air the following will be used:

F. Request for Variance

Drilling surface hole with air:

A variance from 43 CFR 3160 Onshore Oil and Gas Order #2, Section III Requirements, subsection E. Special Drilling Operations is requested for the specific operation of drilling and setting surface casing on the subject well with a truck mounted air rig. The variance from the following requirements of Order #2 is requested because surface casing depth for this well is 500 feet and high pressures are not expected.

1. **Properly lubricated and maintained rotating head** – A diverter system in place of a rotating head. The diverter system forces the air and cutting returns to the reserve pit and is used to drill the surface casing.
2. **Blooie line discharge 100 feet from wellbore and securely anchored** – the blooie line discharge for this operation will be located 50 to 70 feet from the wellhead. This reduced length is necessary due to the smaller location size to minimize surface disturbance.
3. **Automatic ignitor or continuous pilot light on blooie line** – a diffuser will be used rather than an automatic pilot/ignitor. Water is injected into the compressed air and eliminates the need for a pilot light and the need for dust suppression equipment.
4. **Compressors located in the opposite direction from the blooie line a minimum of 100 feet from the wellbore** – compressors located within 50 feet on the opposite side of the wellbore from the blooie line and is equipped with a 1) emergency kill switch on the driller's console, 2) pressure relief valves on the compressors, 3) spark arrestors on the motors.
5. **Kill Fluid to control well** – In lieu of having mud products on location to kill the well for an unanticipated kick, Questar will kill the well with water contained in a

400 bbl tank on site. The 400 bbl water tank will also be storage for surface casing cement water.

6. **Deflector on the end of the blooie line** – Questar will mount a deflector unit at the end of the blooie line for the purpose of changing the direction and velocity of the air and cuttings flow into the reserve pit. Changing the velocity and direction of the cuttings and air will preserve the pit liner. In the event the deflector washes out due to erosion caused by the sand blasting effect of the cuttings, there will be no problem because the deflector is mounted on the very end of the blooie. A washed out deflector will be easily replaced.
7. **Flare Pit** – there will be no need of a flare pit during the surface hole air drilling operation because the blooie line is routed directly to the reserve pit. When the big rig arrives for the main drilling after setting surface casing, a flare box will be installed and all flare lines will be routed to the flare box.

G. All other operations and equipment for air/gas drilling shall meet specifications in Onshore Order #2, Section III Requirements, subsection E. Special Drilling Operations and Onshore Order #1.

Surface hole will be drilled with air, air/mist, foam, or mud depending on hole conditions. Intermediate holes will be with water based drilling fluids consisting primarily of fresh water, bentonite, lignite, caustic, lime, soda ash and polymers. The production hole will be drilled with oil base mud (OBM). No chromates will be used. Maximum anticipated mud weight is 14.8 ppg.

No minimum quantity of weight material will be required to be kept on location.

PVT/Flow Show will be used from base of surface casing to TD.

Gas detector will be used from surface casing depth to TD.

7. Testing, logging and coring program

A. Cores – none anticipated

B. DST – none anticipated

C. Logging – Mud logging – 2500' to TD
GR-SP-Induction, Neutron Density, FMI

D. Formation and Completion Interval: Mancos interval, final determination of completion will be made by analysis of logs.
Stimulation – Stimulation will be designed for the particular area of interest as encountered.

8. Anticipated Abnormal Pressures and Temperatures, Other Potential Hazards

No abnormal temperatures or pressures are anticipated. No H2S has been encountered in or known to exist from previous wells drilled to similar depths in the general area. Maximum anticipated bottom hole pressure equals approximately 13,000 psi. Maximum anticipated bottom hole temperature is 310° F.

9. Additional Information For Oil Base Mud

A. See attached diagram of well pad layout. A reserve pit will be constructed for this location. This pit will be constructed so that a minimum of two vertical feet of freeboard exists above the top of the pit at all times and at least one-half of the holding capacity will be below ground level. The pit will be lined with a synthetic reinforced liner, 30 millimeters thick, with sufficient bedding used to cover any rocks prior to putting any fluids into the pit. The pad will be designed so that runoff from adjacent slopes does not flow into the reserve pit. The liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. At the beginning of drilling operations this reserve pit will have an open-ended dike placed in the pit that allows the fluids to migrate from one side of the pit to the other during the drilling of the surface and intermediate hole using water based mud. At the time that operations begin to drill the production hole with oil base mud, this dike will be extended, dividing the pit into two distinct, isolated halves allowing no migration of fluids from one side to the other. At that time all fluids will be removed from the end of the pit to be used as a cuttings pit. This cuttings pit will be used for oil based cuttings generated during drilling of the production hole.

B. Oil-base mud will be mixed in the closed circulating system and transferred to four 500-bbl tanks on location for storage prior to and after drilling operations. Drip pans will be installed below the rotary beams on the substructure and can be viewed on site from the cellar area. As the production section of the hole is drilled, the cuttings transported to the surface with the drilling fluid will be mechanically separated from the drilling fluid as waste by two shale-shakers and then cleaned/dried via a mud cleaner and/or centrifuge. These separated cuttings will be transferred to the cuttings pit nearest the shakers and stored in this cuttings pit for solidification after the rig is released and moved off location.

C. The means to transport the cuttings from the solids control equipment to the OBM cuttings pit will be by 10" PVC pipe or equivalent steel piping. Water will be pumped to the solids control equipment and will convey the OBM cuttings from the solids

control equipment to the OBM cuttings pit via the PVC pipe. The water will be recycled multiple times from the cuttings pit to continue to transport the cuttings to the cuttings pit. The conveyance system will be enclosed on the solids control end to prevent spills. The conveyance piping system at the cuttings pit end will be placed on top of pit liner to eliminate absorption of fluids into the soil.

D. Plastic material will underlay the rig, oil base mud/diesel storage tanks and mud pits. All tanks on location will be placed inside of berms. Any oily waste fluids and sediments generated at the work site during drilling operations or when cleaning the fluid containment system after drilling will also be placed into the cuttings half of the pit.

E. All rig ditches will be lined and directed to a lined sump for fluid recovery. A drip pan will be installed on the BOP stack, a mud bucket will be utilized as needed on connections and a vacuum system will be used on the rig floor for fluid recovery in those areas.

F. Once all waste has been placed in the cuttings portion of the pit and all necessary approvals obtained, the oilfield waste management consultant Soli-Bond or a similar company will mobilize equipment and personnel to the site to perform the cement based solidification/stabilization process in-situ for encapsulation. Soil will be backfilled over the processed material used on the cuttings side of the pit and that portion of the pit area will be returned to the existing grade bordering the pit. Please see the attached Soli-Bond Proposal for Processing and Disposal of Drilling Waste for specific details. The half of the reserve pit containing water base materials will be left to evaporate and will be closed and reclaimed at the time that portion of the pit is dry.

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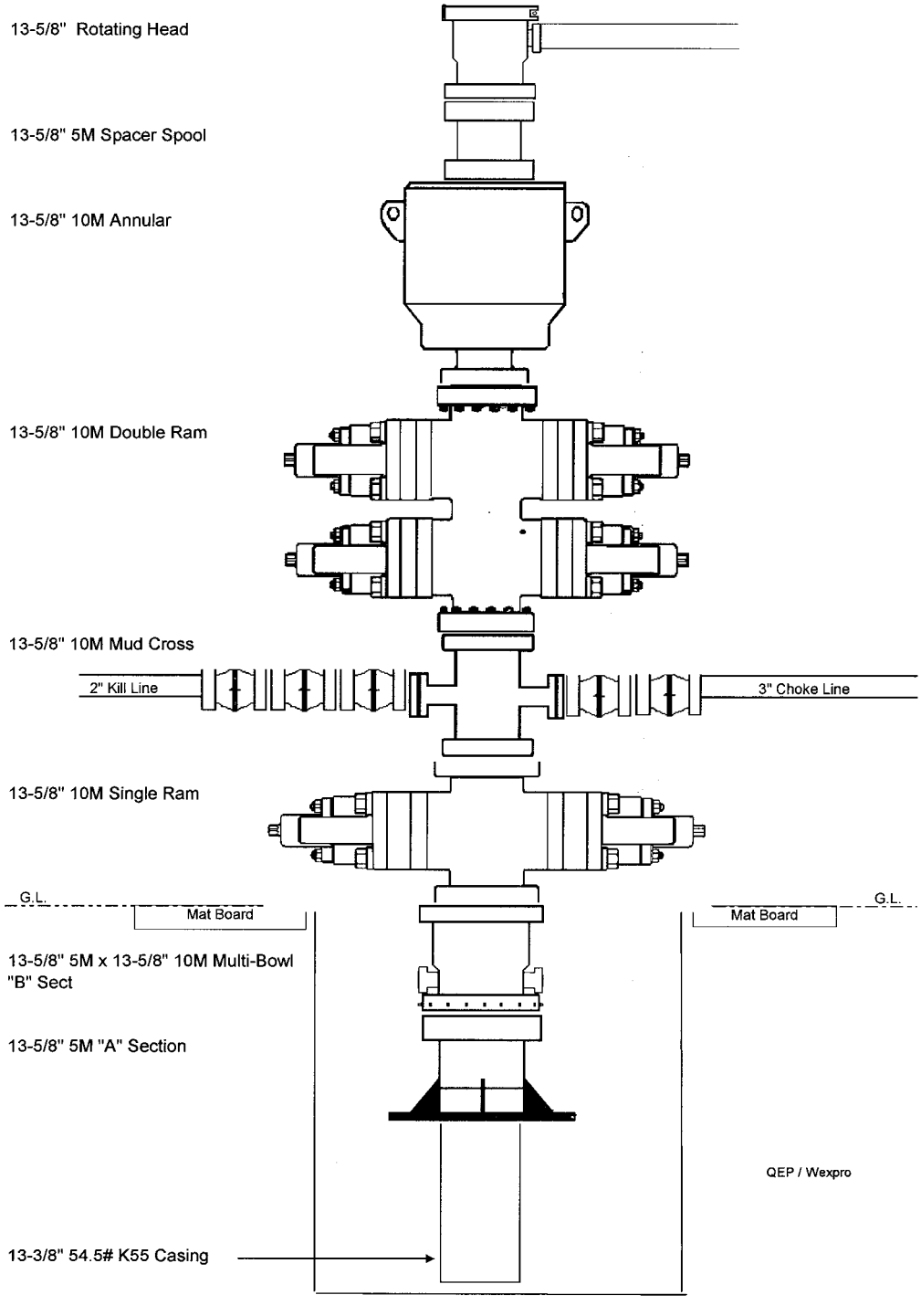
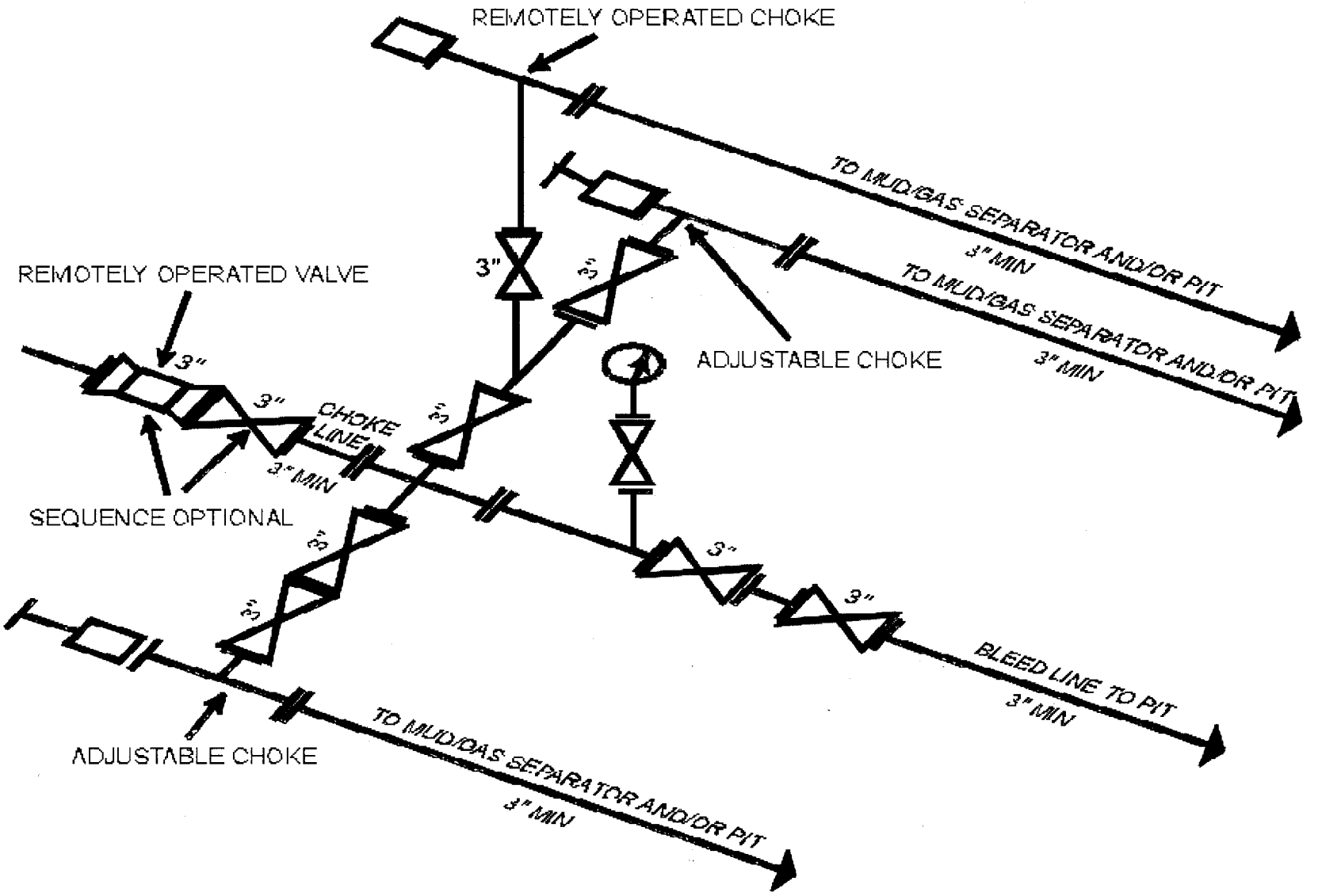
DRILLING PROGRAM

BOP Requirements:



Attachment I. Diagrams of Choke Manifold Equipment



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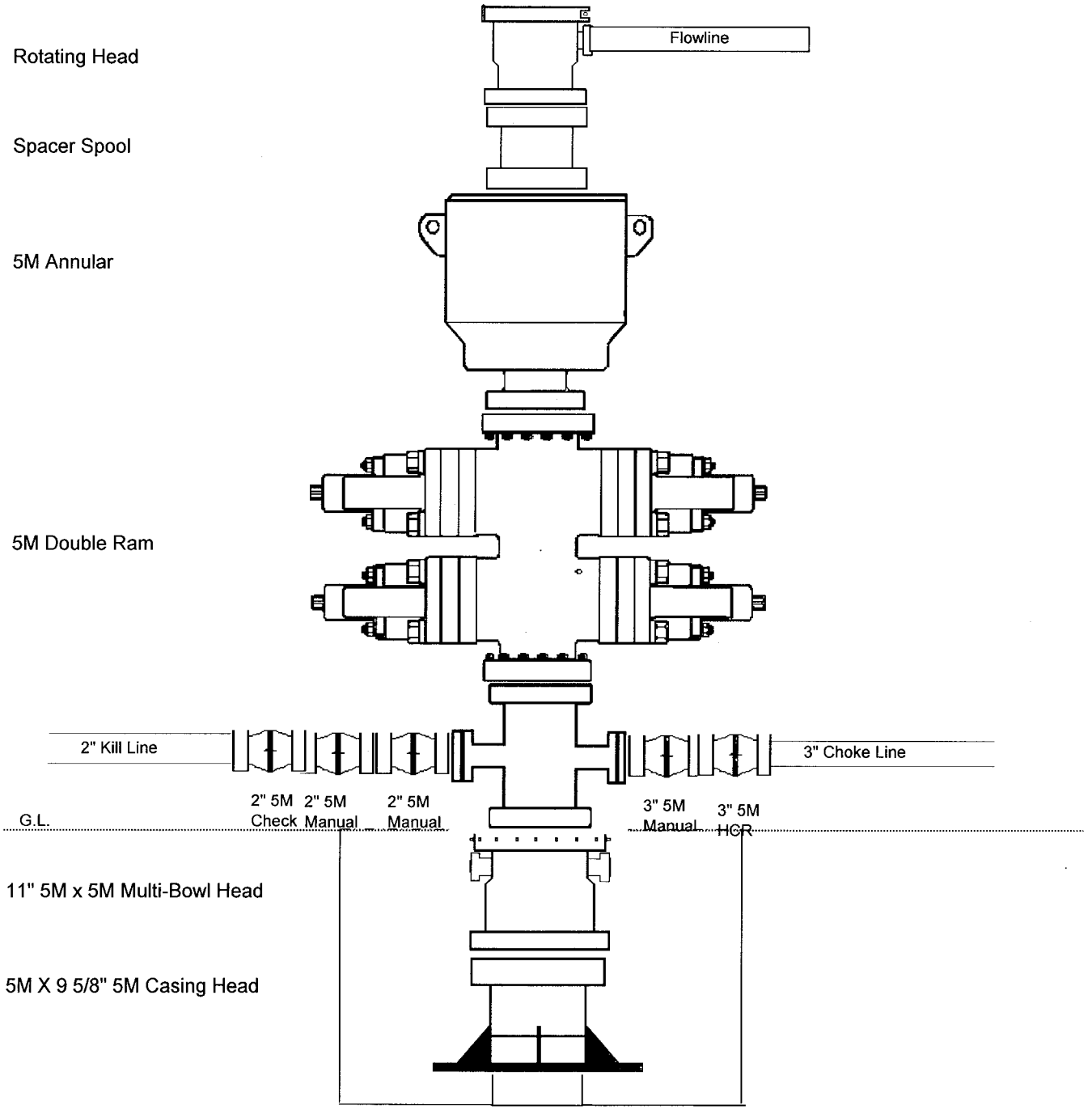
5M BOP STACK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5M Annular
5M Double Ram
2" Kill Line
3" Choke Line
2" 5M Check
2" 5M Manual
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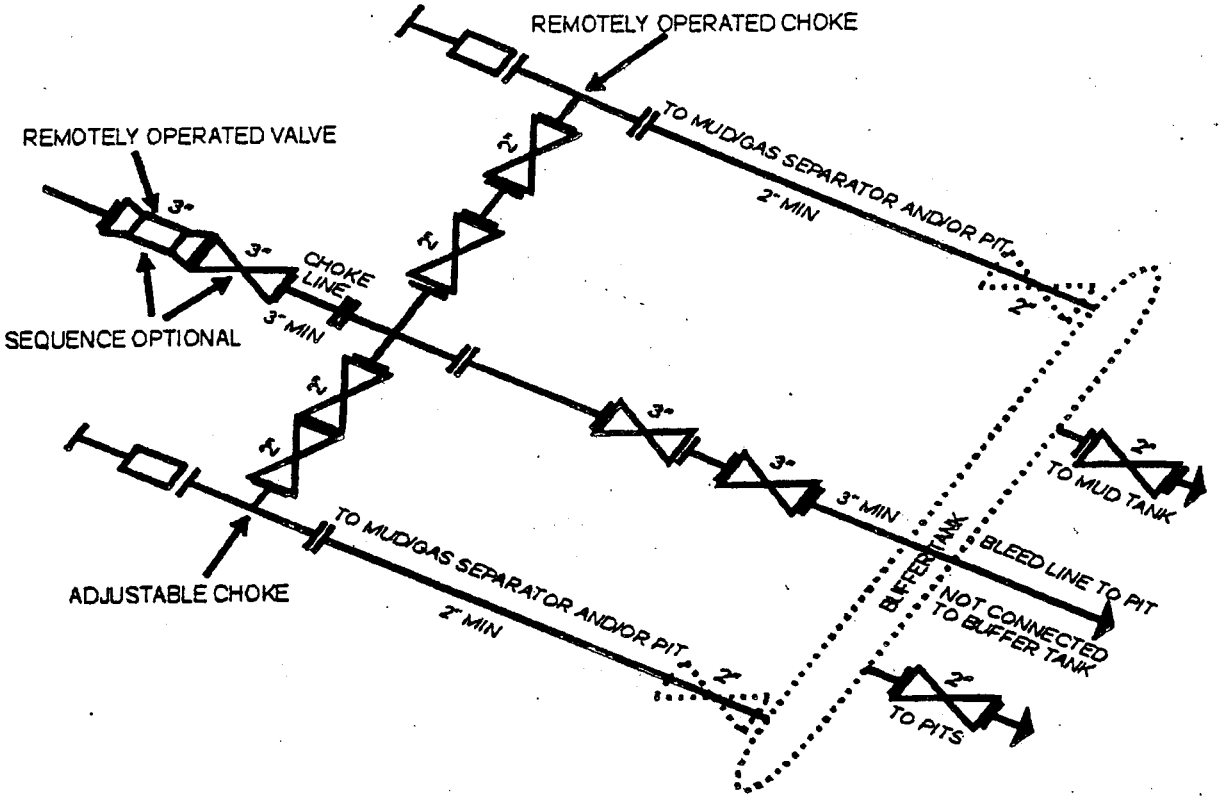
3" 5M HCR
G.L.
11" 5M x 5M Multi-Bowl Head
5M X 9 5/8" 5M Casing Head



5M CHOKE MANIFOLD EQUIPMENT - CONFIGURATION OF CHOKES MAY VARY

Although not required for any of the choke manifold systems, buffer tanks are sometimes installed downstream of the choke assemblies for the purpose of manifolding the bleed lines together. When buffer tanks are employed, valves shall be installed upstream to isolate a failure or malfunction without interrupting flow control. Though not shown on 2M, 3M, 10M, OR 15M drawings, it would also be applicable to those situations.

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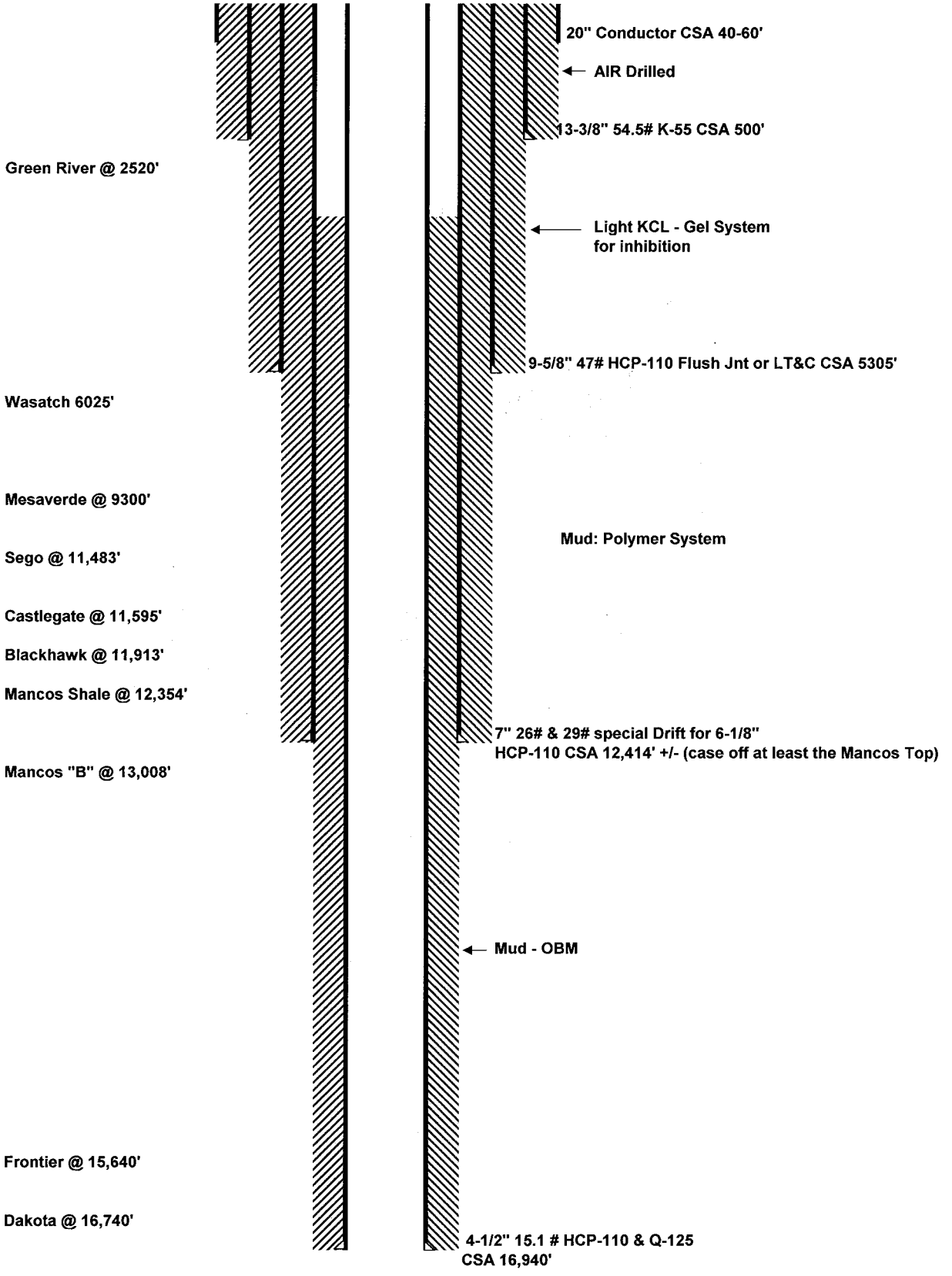
20" Conductor CSA 40-60'
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Green River @ 2520'
Light KCL - Gel System
for inhibition
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Wasatch 6025'
Mesaverde @ 9300'
Mud: Polymer System
Sego @ 11,483'
Castlegate @ 11,595'
Blackhawk @ 11,913'
Mancos Shale @ 12,354'
7" 26# & 29# special Drift for 6-1/8"
HCP-110 CSA 12,414' +/- (case off at least the Mancos Top)
Mancos "B" @ 13,008'
Mud - OBM
Frontier @ 15,640'
Dakota @ 16,740'
4-1/2" 15.1 # HCP-110 & Q-125
CSA 16,940'

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RE: GH 15A -20-8-21
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Mr. Davidson:

Newpark Drilling Fluids, LP is pleased to present the enclosed recommended drilling fluids program for the GH 15A-20-8-21 well to be drilled in Uintah County, Utah. This program is for drilling with KCL Water/FlexFirm and/or light mud in the 1st intermediate to 5,305 ft, a polymer fluid system in the 2nd intermediate interval to 12,414 ft, then to T.D. at 16,940 ft with OBM.

The Surface Interval will be pre-set at a depth of 500 ft.

For the 1st intermediate Interval, a light KCL /Flex Firm drilling fluid is planned. Lightly mud up before drilling into the Trona/Water flood area and/or before Intermediate T.D.

Brine kill pills may be needed for trips, logs, and casing operations, depending on pressure encountered while drilling.
Trona water flows in this area may require a mud weight of 9.5-9.8 ppg to control.
Water flood area's in the Green River may need 10.2-10.5 ppg mud weight to control.
A mud-up will be is recommended before 1st Intermediate T.D. At 4,000'+/-. Mud-up to a NewPHPA/Polymer system.
Required mud weight at interval T.D. at 5,305' is expected to be in the 8.8-9.0 ppg range.

In the 2nd intermediate interval, drill out with the KCL system from the previous interval..
Mud weight in this interval is expected to be in the 10.5-11.0 ppg range at the 12,414 ft 2nd Intermediate interval T.D.
Extreme loses have been encountered in this interval on offset wells.

In the Production interval, displace to a 13.0-14.0 ppg OptiDrill OBM system. Maintain fluid density as low as possible to increase penetration rates and reduce the possibility of lost circulation. Use high weight pills for well control during; trips, logs, and casing operations. Mud weight at T.D. is expected to be at +/-15.5 ppg.

The projected drilling time for this project is 45-50 days with an estimated material and engineering cost of $300,000.00 assuming no unusual delays or problems are encountered. The estimate is based on minimal losses and a 15.0 ppg mud weight at TD. Costs will increase dramatically if severe losses are encountered.

All sack material and bulk barite will be furnished from our Grand Junction, Colorado and Myton, UT facilities with OBM supplied from Newpark's Boulder, WY facility.

If you have any questions following your review of this proposal, please call.

Regards,

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Project Summary

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Depth (ft)	Formations	Interval Comments	Mud Weight (ppg)	Mud Properties
500'	Uinta **Surface T.D.**	**Hole size: 17 1/2"/ Casing: 13 3/8"** **AIR DRILLED**	**NA**	NA
2,520' 5,305'	Green River Birds Nest Mahogany G1 Sand **Intermediate T.D.**	**KCL/FlexFirm** **Hole size: 12-1/4"/ Casing: 9 5/8"** **Drill out with KCL water. Maintain K silicate with 1-3 sks per 100 ft.** **Pump pre-hydrated NewGel or Flowzan /New Gel sweeps for increased hole cleaning and for any tight hole and/or torque.** **For trips, spot heavy brine if needed for trona flow, and at intermediate T.D. check hole conditions and spot high viscosity mud if needed.** **If hole conditions dictate a mud-up, convert the system to a KCL/Polymer system.** **Mud weight required at T.D. is expected to be in the 8.8-9.0 ppg range**	**8.4-8.8** **8.8-9.0**	**Vis (sec/qt): 27-36** **PV (cp): 0-8** **YP (#s/100ft²): 0-10** **FL (ml/30 min): NC-20** **LGS %: < 1%-3%** **pH: 10.5-10.8** **Cl (mg/l): 15-20K** **KCL: 3%**
6,025' 9,300' 11,483' 11,595' 11,913' 12,354' 12,414'+/-	Wasatch Mesa Verde Sego Bucktongue Castlegate Blackhawk Blachawk SS Mancos **Inter. 2 T.D.**	**NewPHPA/Polymer** **Hole size: 8.5 "/ Casing: 7 "** Mud up as hole conditions dictate to a NewPHPA/ Polymer system. Maintain properties as outlined increasing the PHPA concentration to 1 ppb. Lost circulation may be a problem in this interval. If lost circulation is encountered, pump LCM pills as needed. If LCM pills will not control losses, by-pass the shakers and increase the LCM concentration in the system as needed. If severe lost circulation is encountered, consider a New X-Prima squeeze. Hole instability may be encountered in the Mesa Verde. Monitor torque, pump pressure, connection fill, and trip conditions for indications of hole instability and consider adding Asphalt if hole conditions dictate.	**9.1-9.4** **9.2-9.5** **10.0-10.5** **10.5** **10.5-11.0**	**Vis (sec/qt): 40-45** **PV (cp) : 12-20** **YP (#s/100ft²) : 10-12** **FL (ml/30 min): 6-8** **LGS %: 3-5** **pH: 10.0-10.5** **Cl (mg/l): 11-15K** **PHPA: 1.0 ppb**
13,008' 15,640' 16,740' 16,940'	Mancos B Frontier equiv. Dakota Silt Dakota **Total Depth**	**OptiDrill OBM** **Hole size: 6-1/8"/ Casing: 4-1/2"** Drill out with the **OptiDrill** system, treating cement contamination as needed with **OptiWet** to prevent shaker blinding. Maintain hole cleaning during high ROP's with high viscosity sweeps. Use a 1:1 ratio of **OptiVis RM** and **OptiVis.** CO2 in the gas stream while drilling under balanced will require additional Lime, emulsifiers and wetting agent. **Maintain mud weight as needed for well control. Spot high weight ECD pills for trips, logs, and casing operations.**	**14.0** **14.6** **15.0** **15.5**	**PV (cp): 15-25** **YP (lbs/100ft²): 8-10** **HPHT (mls/30 min.) : <20** **O/W : 80:20 - 85:15** **ES: 500+** **Lime: 2-4 ppb** **LGS %: < 6**

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DRILLING FLUID PROPERTIES

Surface Hole: Air Drilled

Hole Size (in)	TVD (ft)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	API Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	Total Solids (%)
17-1/2 "	0-500'	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

1st Intermediate Hole: KCL/FlexFirm

Hole Size (in)	MD (ft)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	API Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	Chloride Mg/l (x1000)	LGS Solids (%)
12-1/4"	500'- 4,000'	8.6-8.8	2-8	0-4	NC-20	15-20	1-3%
12-1/4"	4,000'-5,305'	9.3-9.5	8-12	8-10	10-12	15-20	3-5%

2nd Intermediate Interval: NewPHPA/Polymer

Hole Size (in)	MD (ft)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	API Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	pH	LGS Solids (%)
8-1/2"	5,305' -10,000'	9.3-9.8	6-12	6-10	8-10	10.0-11.0	3-6%
8-1/2 "	10,000'-12,414'	10.5-11.0	12-18	12-15	6-8	10.0-11.0	3-6%

Production Interval: OptiDrill OBM

Hole Size (in)	MD (ft)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	O/W Ratio (%)	HPHT Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	CaCL (mg/l) X 10,000	Electrical Stability (mv)	LGS Solids (%)
6-1/8 "	12,414'-16,940'	15.0-15.5	20-30	8-10	85/15	12-15	250-350	500 +	3-6

- Drilling fluid properties are guidelines only.
- Mud weights for guidelines only, allow hole conditions to dictate actual mud weights.
- Hole conditions should be closely monitored and product mix adjusted accordingly.

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1st Intermediate Interval

12-1/4" Hole (500'- 5,305')

1st Intermediate Interval Drilling Fluid Properties									
Depth Interval (TVD)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Viscosity (sec/qt)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	pH	API Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	KCL (%)	Low Gravity Solids	Chlorides Mg/l (x1000)
500'- 5,305'+/-	9.0-9.5	28-36	2-10	0-8	10.0-11.0	NC-20	3.0	<1.0	15-20

- Drill out with KCL water maintaining KCL % at 3.0.
- Mix FlexFirm at 3 sks per 100 ft drilled for hole stability and reduced bit balling.
- If a water flow is encountered, treat as needed for carbonates.
- Pump pre-hydrated NewGel and/or Flowzan/SaltGel sweeps for increased hole cleaning, along with LCM sweeps for seepage (Paper LCM while drilling with water)
- If water flows are encountered, spot heavy brine pills for trips, logs and casing operations.
- If hole conditions dictate a mud-up, convert the KCL water to a KCL/Polymer system.
- **Shallow gas/overpressure was encountered on some offsets in the area at 3,700-4,000'. A 9.5-9.9 ppg fluid was needed to control pressure.**

Challenges:	*Strategies:*
Gravel/Unconsolidated formation	If encountered, pump sweeps of pre-hydrated NewGel with a viscosity of 150 –300 sec/qt.
Water Flows (Trona)	If water flows become excessive, control hydrostatic as needed with air additions and fluid density.
Lost Circulation	While drilling with water, pump LCM sweeps consisting of paper. If drilling with mud, pump mixed LCM pills in the 20-30% LCM range.
Hole Cleaning	Pump sweeps on a regular basis and for any indications of insufficient hole cleaning. Circulate and pump sweeps before connections and for any anticipated down time.
Increase ROP with PDC Bits	Pump 20-40 bbl. Sweeps with NewEase 203, New100N, DynaDet, and SAPP. (FlexDrill Sweeps)
Hole Instability/Sloughing Shale	Consider a mud-up and Asphalt additions.

1st Intermediate Interval
12-1/4" Hole (500 - 5,305')

Offset Data:

- Wells in this area have encountered major losses in the Birds Nest.
- Gravel/unconsolidated formation has been encountered at 1380 ft.
- Gas/overpressure has been encountered at 3,700'-4,000'.

Fluid Recommendations:

- Drill out cement, float collar and new formation. Test the integrity of the casing seat and squeeze if necessary.
- Drill out with Saltwater, aerating as needed to maintain circulation.
- If water is encountered, control flow with reduced air and fluid density.
- If a Trona Water flow is encountered additions of **Lime** and/or **Calcium Chloride** should be used to adjust alkalinities as needed.
- The use of a premix tank is highly recommended. Pre-Hydrate **NewGel** for use as sweeps and for viscosity when a mud up is needed. Fill premix tank with fresh water. Treat out hardness with **SodaAsh** as needed. Add 0.25-0.5 ppb **Caustic Soda** for a 10.0-10.5 pH. Begin additions of 20-25 ppb **NewGel** allow sufficient circulating time for maximum hydration. Add 1.0-2.0 ppb **CFL II**. Then mix additional **NewGel** (30-40 ppb total) or a 120+ funnel viscosity. The pre-hydrated bentonite can be pumped from the premix to the pill tank and pumped downhole for sweeps or can be added slowly to the **Saltwater** for viscosity and rheology control.
- If penetration rates slow sweeps with **New 100N**, **NewEase 203, SAPP**, and **DynaDet** should be considered. **(1% New 100N, 1% NewEase 203, 0.5-0.75 ppb SAPP, 0.2 % DynaDet).** ***"Flex Sweeps"***
- For trips, an increase in mud weight may be necessary to kill water flows. 9.8-10.0 ppg brine should be considered for this operation.
- Seepage and/or lost circulation may become a problem. For seepage while drilling with water, pump 20-30 bbl pills containing Paper LCM.
- If losses become severe, consider a mud up and LCM sweeps of **Cedar Fiber** and **FiberSeal** should be pumped and incorporated into the system as needed. If losses continue, increase coarse LCM in active system to 15-20%. If losses continue the use of a **New X-Prima** Squeeze is strongly recommended.
- At TD increase funnel viscosity for logs and casing operations as hole conditions dictate. Suggest funnel viscosity be increased to 45-50 sec/qt, before logging operations be attempted.

- At 5,305' (intermediate T.D.) short trip, check hole conditions. If hole conditions dictate, add pre-hydrated **NewGel** from the premix tank to the active system to increase funnel viscosity to 45-50 sec/qt and spot in the open hole for logs and casing operations

DRILL STRING PACK-OFF: Rapid penetration rate during fast drilling often deteriorates to pack-off, a situation which can lead to lost circulation and/or stuck pipe. Pack-off is typically self-induced by exceeding the maximum rate of penetration for a given annular flow rate. The solution to this is to control the penetration rate to a level that the pumps can adequately clean the hole while maintaining rheological properties in line with existing hydraulic parameters.

SOLIDS CONTROL: It is of the utmost importance that the shale shakers and flow line cleaners be equipped with the finest screens possible, and yet handle the flow rate. The desander and desilter units should be evaluated periodically and serviced to maximize performance.

2nd Intermediate Interval

8-1/2" Hole (5,305'- 12,414")

2nd Intermediate Interval Drilling Fluid Properties								
Depth Interval (TVD)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Viscosity (sec/qt)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	pH	API Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	Hardness Mg/l)	Low Gravity Solids
5,305'-10,000'	9.0-9.5	32-36	6-12	6-10	10.0-11.0	8-10	100+	4-6
10,000'-12,414'	10.5-11.0	45-50	10-18	12-14	10.0-11.0	6-8	100+	4-6

- Drill out with water and or mud as hole conditions dictate. After mud-up , allow the system to revert to a fresh water polymer system.
- As mud weight is increased, seepage losses can become severe. Treat with LCM pills as needed. If pill treatments will not contain the losses at reasonable levels, by-pass the shakers, retaining the pills and allowing the LCM concentration to increase as needed.
- Hole instability can occur in the Mesa Verde in this area. If encountered, consider adding Asphalt, building to a 4-6 ppb concentration.
- High pressure may be encountered in the Castlegate/Blackhawk. Monitor closely for increased pressure while drilling and use caution on trips to minimize possible swabbing.
- Mud weight at Intermediate #2 T.D. is expected to be in the 10.5-11.0 ppg range.
- **The use of ECD pills for trips to maintain a low mud weight for drilling has been used successfully on offset wells.**
- **Spotting a LCM pill on bottom during trips has decreased losses in the area.**

Challenges:	*Strategies:*
Hole Instability/Sloughing Shale	Consider 4-6 ppb Asphalt
Increase in Formation pressure	Monitor well conditions and increase density as needed with **NewBar** as needed.
Seepage/Lost Circulation	As mud weight is increased (10.0ppg +) seepage and losses may become a problem. For seepage pump 50 bbl sweeps with 5-10 ppb **DynaFiber** and 10-20 ppb **NewCarb** as needed. For partial or total losses pump sweeps with 10-15 ppb **FiberSeal** and **Cedar Fiber**. Severity of losses will determine size and quantity of LCM added. If losses are not controlled with sweeps consider 10-15% LCM in active system. For severe losses the use of a **New X-Prima** squeeze should be considered.
Differential Sticking	Maintain mud weight as low as possible. Control Low Gravity Solids below 6%, and control fluid loss at 8-10 mls/30 min.
Increase ROP with PDC Bits	Pump 20-40 bbl. Sweeps with NewEase 203, New100N, DynaDet, and SAPP. (FlexDrill Sweeps)

2nd Intermediate Interval

8-1/2" Hole (5,305'-12,414')

Offset Data:

Wells in this area have experienced losses as mud weights are increased to control formation pressure. LCM sweeps are strongly recommended for this reason. Mud weights should be keep as low as practical but increases to 11.2 ppg may be required by 2nd Intermediate TD at 12,414".

- **Loss zones on offset wells were at 9200 ft and 9500 ft.**
- **Losses were encountered at 10,200' on the WV 11AD-14-8-21**

Fluid Recommendations:

- Drill out cement, float collar and new formation with the system from the previous interval. Test the integrity of the casing seat and squeeze if necessary.
- Drill out with water and or mud. If drilling out with water consider a mud up by +/- 7500 ft or as hole conditions dictate.
- Begin additions of 0.5-1.0 ppb **NewPHPA** and maintain throughout the interval.
- Maintain viscosity with PreHydrated **NewGel** until chlorides have dropped below 5000-7000 mg/l. After chlorides have dropped **NewGel** will not need to be pre-hydrated and can be added directly to the system.
- Begin additions of **NewPHPA**. Concentration of **NewPHPA** should be maintained at 0.5-1.0 ppb throughout the interval. As mud weight increases additions of **PHPA** should be switched from **NewPHPA DLMW** to the shorter chain **NewPHPA DSL**.
- If hole conditions dictate, consider 4-6 ppb Asphalt.
- If penetration rates slow sweeps with **New 100N**, **NewEase 203, SAPP**, and **DynaDet** should be considered. **(1% New 100N, 1% NewEase 203, 0.5-0.75 ppb SAPP, 0.2 % DynaDet).** ***"Flex Sweeps"***
- Increase mud weight as needed to control formation pressures as needed. Mud weights should be maintained as low as practical to reduce chance of losses and differential sticking. Increase mud weight as needed with **NewBar**.
- As density increases additions of **NewEdge** and/or **DrillThin** should be added for rheology control.
- As bottom hole temperatures increase and additional fluid loss control is desired supplement the **AquaBlock** with **NewPac** for fluid loss control Lower API filtrate to 6-8 cc's with additions of **NewPAC** and **AquaBlock**.
- As mud weight is increased seepage and/or lost circulation may become a problem. For seepage pump 20-30 bbl pills containing a combination of **NewCarb** and **DynaFiber** mixed at a 2:1 ratio. If partial or total returns are encountered, LCM sweeps with a varied size distribution including **Cedar Fiber** and **Fiber Seal, PhenoSeal** and other assorted sizes should be considered and incorporated into the system as needed. 20-25% LCM in the active system may be required. The type, size and quantity of LCM used will depend on the severity of losses. If losses are severe a **New X-Prima** squeeze should be considered.
- At TD increase funnel viscosity for logs and casing operations as hole conditions dictate. Suggest funnel viscosity be increased to 50-55 sec/qt, before logging or casing operations be attempted.
- While circulating casing it is recommended to reduce Yield Points for cementing operations.

Production Interval
6-1/8" Hole (12,414'-16,940')

Production Interval Drilling Fluid Properties									
Depth Interval (TVD)	Mud Weight (ppg)	Plastic Viscosity (cp)	Yield Point (lb/100ft²)	O/W Ratio %	HPHT Fluid Loss (ml/30min)	Excess Lime (PPB)	Electrical Stability (MV)	Low Gravity Solids	CaCl Mg/l Water
12,414'-16,940'	15.0-15.5	25-35	8-10	85:15	10-20	2-4	500+	< 6	300K

Drilling Fluid Recommendations: (12,414''-16,940')

- Displace to a OptiDrill OBM after finishing the casing job at 12,414'.
- After displacement, maintain the OptiDrill system within the parameters outlined above.
- Offsets in the area have encountered high rates of seepage in this interval. If indications of seepage are observed, sweeps of **NewCarb C**, **Dynafiber C & M**, **NewSeal**, and **CyberSeal** are recommended. Mixing ratios are recommended to be at 5:1 **NewCarb M** to **DynaFiber** , **NewSeal**, and **CyberSeal**. If losses continue to be a problem, consider trying different sizes and combinations until ssepage is slowed.
- Maintain rheology low to reduce ECD values and reduce surge and swab during connections and trips.
- Drill as underbalanced as possible to help prevent losses and increase penetration rates.
- For pressure control, spot high weight pills with an equivalent mud weight to drilling ECD's. On trips in, stage these pills out and divert to storage for further use. High weight pills in excess of the drilling ECD should be avoided due to possible lost circulation.

Challenges	Strategies
Displacement	• Have 1200-1300 bbls of OBM volume on location along with a pump capable of keeping up with displacement rates. • Pump a 10-20 bbl viscosified OBM spacer ahead of the OpyiDrill (enough for 500 ft + separation) • A steady pump rate for either turbulent or plug flow should be used. Reciprocate and rotate to assist in minimizing channeling. • Do not shut down once displacement commences. • Should any contamination occur, isolate the contaminated fluid for reconditioning.
Seepage/lost Circulation.	Pump LCM sweeps when seepage and/or losses are indicated. Sweeps should be a mixture of , NewCarb, DynaFiber, NewSeal, and CyberSeal. If lost returns are encountered, consider a Di-aseal M or cross linked polymer squeeze.
Maintaining Oil wet solids	For every 1.0 ppg mud weight increase, mix 0.02 gal/bbl OptiWet
Pressure control	• Spot weighted pills calculated to give a bottom hole pressure equal to drilling ECD. • Do not exceed drilling bottom hole pressure with the ECD pill. Lost circulation has been a problem on offset wells. • Stage weighted pills out of the hole and recover for future use.

Maintenance Procedure:

HPHT - Maintain HPHT values within programmed parameters. Additions of **OptiMul** and **OptiPlus**, at recommended concentrations should maintain the HTHP at recommended levels. If hole conditions indicate a need for lower HPHT values, **Opti G** at 2-4 ppb is recommended.

Electrical Stability– Electrical stability should be used as a guide not as an absolute in determining maintenance requirements. Actual values are not critical but should be observed for trends or changes. Decreases in electrical stability should be noted along with other mud properties to determine treatments. To increase electrical stability add emulsifiers and wetting agents **OptiMul** and **OptiPlus** or decrease water content.

Oil/Water Ratio - Maintain the oil/water ratio in the 90:10-80:20 range depending on mud weight and condition.. Higher water content will decrease the amount of **OptiVis** needed for rheology.

Mud weight - Maintain minimum fluid densities with solids equipment. Monitor hole conditions and all drilling parameters closely for indications of increases in formation pressures and adjust fluid densities accordingly. Drilling with a minimum amount of overbalance will reduce the possibility of losing returns and/or of differentially sticking the drill string. Mud weight on offset wells was in the 15.0-15.5 ppg range at T.D.

Rheology - Maintain solids as low as possible. Increase rheology as needed for hole cleaning with a combination of **OptiVis (Bentone 910)** and **Opti Vis RM or Opti Vis PS** and water content.

Lime - Maintain the excess Lime at 2-3 ppb excess.

Hole cleaning - Calculate rheology requirements based on ROP, pump rates and hole conditions. Adjust as needed .

Mud losses downhole—Monitor ECD's with Hy-Calc, maintaining the lowest values possible. If losses are encountered; sweeps containing **NewCarb, DynaFiber, Opti-G, and NewSeal** should be circulated to aid in the prevention of losses. If seepage losses continue and/or become severe, consider spotting a pill with **Magma Fiber (Fine & Regular)** and the above formulation. Keep the hole full at all times, and avoid excessive swabbing and/or surge actions when tripping.

Solids Control - Maintain low gravity solids at 4-6 % by volume. The high performance shakers should be equipped with the finest mesh screens that will handle the circulating volume and not cut barite out.

Water Contamination– Keep all water sources off the mud pits. If contamination occurs, treat with emulsifiers and Calcium Chloride as needed.

Production Interval
6-1/8" Hole (12,414'-16,940')

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Exploration & Production
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Sec 20-T8S-R21E
Uintah, County Utah

Recommended materials for relaxed filtrate OptiDrill system :
(85:15 Oil/Water Ratio)

Product	Function	Concentration
NewBar	Weighting material	As needed
OptiVis	Organophilic Clay / Viscosifier	2-4 ppb
OptiMul	Primary Emulsifier	2.0 ppb
OptiPlus	Secondary Emulsifier	4.0 gal/bbl.
OptiVis RM	Low End Rheology Modifier	0.1-0.2 ppb
Calcium Chloride Water	Internal Phase	10.0%-20.0 % by volume
Calcium Chloride	Salinity/Activity	300,000 - 350,000 mg/l
OptiG	Fluid Loss control Additive	1.0-4.0 ppb
Lime	Alkalinity Additive	5 ppb
NewCarb M	Loss Circulation Material	10.0 ppb
NewCarb F	Loss Circulation Material	As required
DynaFiber	Loss Circulation Material	As required

QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY

WELLSITE CUTTINGS MANAGEMENT PLAN

UINTA BASIN PROJECT AREA

GH 15A-20-8-21

Township: 8 South, Range 21 East

Uintah County, Utah

UINTA BASIN CUTTINGS MANAGEMENT PLAN

Solidifying / Stabilizing Cuttings Pits

1. Project Description

We drill and set conductor, then drill, case and cement surface casing, then drill, run casing, and cement intermediate sections, then finally drill the production holes. This insures that surface water is protected and is not exposed to more saline waters and that treatable water is not exposed to oil based mud (OBM). In addition, water and oil is skimmed off during the various phases for reuse and to minimize the fluid levels in the pit.

The wells to be drilled use oil base drilling fluid during the production section of each well. As the production section of the well is drilled, drill cuttings will be generated and separated from the drilling fluid, then deposited in a single on-site waste pit with synthetic liners (cuttings pit). These oil base mud cuttings (OBMC) are expected to contain elevated levels of adhered entrained hydrocarbons due to their prior contact with the OBM. The OBMC will be collected in a steel catch tank as drilling progresses, moved to the cuttings pit by a wheel loader, and mixed with the water based cuttings generated during drilling of the upper sections of the wellbore.

A state approved contractor will treat the waste placed in the cuttings pit using the solidification/stabilization (S/S) process described below. Prior to beginning the S/S process, the contractor will collect samples of the contents of the cuttings pit for criteria verification. The waste will be treated in place inside the pit and contractor will finish by backfilling the pit constituting final disposal of the drilling waste.

2. General Description of the Solidification/Stabilization Process

The S/S process involves the controlled addition of a specially blended Portland-cement-based reagent to the drilled cuttings, OBM and WBM solids and liquids, and makeup water as required followed by through mixing of the reagent with the waste to form homogeneous slurry. Hydrocarbons and chlorides in the waste are broken up into very small droplets or "particles" and these particles are dispersed throughout the reagent/waste mixture during the mixing phase. After the mixing phase, an irreversible chemical reaction occurs between the cementitious reagent and water present in the slurry causing the slurry mixture to rapidly transform into a solid granular material. The previously dispersed and isolated particles are immobilized to a very high degree within the interlocked cementitious lattice of each solidified granule. This waste treatment process prevents the hydrocarbons or chlorides from re-coalescing within the processed waste form and reduces their release to the surrounding environment. Chemical properties imparted by the process also stabilize various metals, if present in the waste, by transforming them into less-soluble forms. This in conjunction with the physical entrapment of metals within each solidified granule greatly reduces their availability to the surrounding environment. In summary S/S rapidly transforms physically unstable waste into a stable solid material and reduces the leaching rate of target constituents to such a degree that they can no longer cause harm to the surrounding environment.

3. Estimated Volumes per Well

Section	Top	Bottom	Size	Volume, ft3	Swell	Excess	Tot Vol, ft3	Tot Vol, bbl
Surface	60	500	17.5	735.01	1.3	1.7	1624.38	289.29
Intermediate	500	5305	12.25	3933.07	1.3	1.4	7158.18	1274.83
Intermediate	5305	12414	8.5	2801.64	1.3	1.4	5098.98	908.10
Production	12414	16940	6.125	926.17	1.3	1.3	1565.23	278.76
Additional Volume							1937.03	345.00
Total per Well							17383.80	3095.98

4. Project Objectives

The S/S objectives are:

1 To permanently reduce the leaching rate of target constituents to at or below prescribed limits for confinement in the soil.

1.1 Leachable Oil and Grease will be less than 10 mg/L.

1.2 Leachable Total Dissolved Solids will be less than 5000 mg/L and/or leachable salts will be below acceptable site-specific guidelines.

1.3 Compliance with the performance criteria will be certified by a third party accredited testing laboratory utilizing the appropriate tests as prescribed. Laboratory test results will be documented in a closure report submitted to the client and to the required regulatory agencies as may be required after completion of the project.

2 To solidify the unconsolidated waste to support backfilling soil cover and resist subsidence.

3 Rapid solidification of the waste to reduce pit closure time.

4 Minimize waste volume increase to maximize depth of native soil cover over processed material.

5. Contractor Activities

1. Contractor will collect samples of the raw waste and bench test to determine S/S reagent formulation and reagent/waste mix ratios necessary to achieve performance criteria.
2. Contractor will deliver equipment and experienced personnel to the site.
3. Contractor supervisor will conduct a job site safety assessment with crew discussing relevant site safety hazards, required PPE, and accident avoidance. Contractor safety meetings will be held prior to each day's work throughout the project.
4. Contractor and client representative will determine the final actual volume of contents to treat in each pit at the subject site prior to commencing operations.
5. Contractor will construct proper storm drainage protection, if necessary, to surround the pit areas during the project.
6. Contractor will perform preliminary admixing of each pit's contents prior to S/S reagent introduction and prepare the site to facilitate waste processing. Care will be taken to maintain waste containment throughout all processing phases.
7. Contractor will prepare and deliver S/S reagents to the site. Reagents will be added to the pit waste utilizing a special filter-equipped discharge hopper.
8. Contractor will perform the S/S on the waste in-situ in order to chemically solidify the waste and immobilize target constituents of concern within the processed material.
9. After processing all the waste, contractor will collect a composite sample of the processed pit material and submit the sample to a certified third party laboratory for analysis to verify the processed material complies with criteria indicated in the Project Objectives, Section 4.
10. Contractor will place a minimum of three feet (3') of native spoil over the S/S material in the pit in order to backfill to the adjacent grade constituting final disposal of the processed material. Spoil for backfilling will be taken from existing excavated spoils at the site.
11. Contractor will then promptly demobilize equipment and personnel concluding site operations.

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LEASE # UTU-0140740

ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1

MULTI – POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN

1. **Existing Roads:**

The proposed well site is approximately 6 miles East of Ouray, Utah.

Refer to Topo Maps A and B for location of access roads within a 2 – mile radius.

2. **Planned Access Roads:**

Refer to Topo Map B for the location of the proposed access road.

3. **Location of Existing Wells Within a 1 – Mile Radius:**

Please refer to Topo Map C.

4. **Location of Existing & Proposed Facilities:**

Refer to Topo Map D for the location of the proposed pipeline.

5. **Location and Type of Water Supply:**

Fresh water will be obtained from Wonsits Valley water right # A36125 (which was filed on May 7, 1964,) or Red Wash water right # 49-2153 (which was filed on March 25, 1960). It was determined by the the Fish and Wildlife Service that any water right number filed before 1989 is not depleting to the Upper Colorado River System, to supply fresh water for drilling purposes.

6. **Source of Construction Materials:**

Surface and subsoil materials in the immediate area will be utilized. Any gravel will be obtained from a commercial source. The use of materials under BLM jurisdiction will conform with 43 CFR 3610.2-3.

7. **Methods of Handling Waste Materials:**

Drill cuttings will be contained and buried in the reserve pit. Drilling fluids, including salts and chemicals, will be contained in the reserve pit. Upon termination of drilling and completion operations, the liquid contents of the reserve pit will be used at the next drill site or will be removed and disposed of at an approved waste disposal facility with 90 days after drilling is terminated. Immediately upon well completion, any hydrocarbons in the pit shall be removed in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.7-1.

After first production, produced wastewater will be confined to the approved pit or storage tank for a period not to exceed 90 days. During the 90 day period, in accordance with Onshore Order #7, all produced water will be contained in tanks on location and then hauled to Wonsits Valley location in SWNW Sec. 12, T8S, R21E; or Red Wash Disposal Well located in NESW, Sec. 28, T7S, R22E or, Red Wash Central Battery Disposal located in SWSE, Section 27, T7S, R23E. Pit reclamation for lined pit will be ruptured when emptied to allow the remaining liquid to be adequately mixed and to promote additional drying of the pit area.

See additional information for oil base mud under the Drilling Program # 9.

8. Ancillary Facilities:

None anticipated.

9. Well Site Layout: (See Location Layout Diagram)

The attached Location Layout Diagram describes drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills and locations of the mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and surface material stockpile(s).

Please see the attached diagram to describe rig orientation, parking areas, and access roads.

A pit liner is required felt if rock encountered.

10. Plans for Reclamation of the Surface:

Topsoil will be stripped and salvaged to provide for sufficient quantities to be respread to a depth of at least 4 to 6 inches over the disturbed areas to be reclaimed. Topsoil shall be stock piled separately from subsoil materials. Topsoil salvaged from the reserve pit shall be stockpiled separately near the reserve pit. Immediately upon well completion, the location and surrounding area will be cleared of all unused tubing, materials, trash, and debris not required for production. Alternatively, the pit will be pumped dry, the liner folded into the pit, and the pit backfilled. The reserve pit will be reclaimed within 90 days from the date of well completion, weather permitting.

11. Surface Ownership:

The well pad and access road are located on lands owned by:

Ute Tribe
P.O. Box 70
Fort Duchesne, UT 84026

12. Other Information:

A Class III archaeological survey was conducted by Montgomery Archaeology Consultants. A copy of this report was submitted directly to the appropriate agencies by Montgomery Archaeology Consultants. Cultural resource clearance was recommended for this location.

Lessee's or Operator's Representative:

Jan Nelson
Red Wash Rep.
Questar Exploration & Production, Co.
11002 East 17500 South
Vernal, Utah 84078
(435) 781-4331

Certification:

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, Onshore Oil & Gas Orders, the approved plan of operations, and any applicable Notice to Lessees.

QEP will be fully responsible for the actions of their subcontractors.

A complete copy of the approved Application for Permit to Drill will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

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 QEP it's contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Jan Nelson
Jan Nelson
Red Wash Representative

3-Sep-08
Date

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SECTION 20, T8S, R21E, S.L.B.&M.

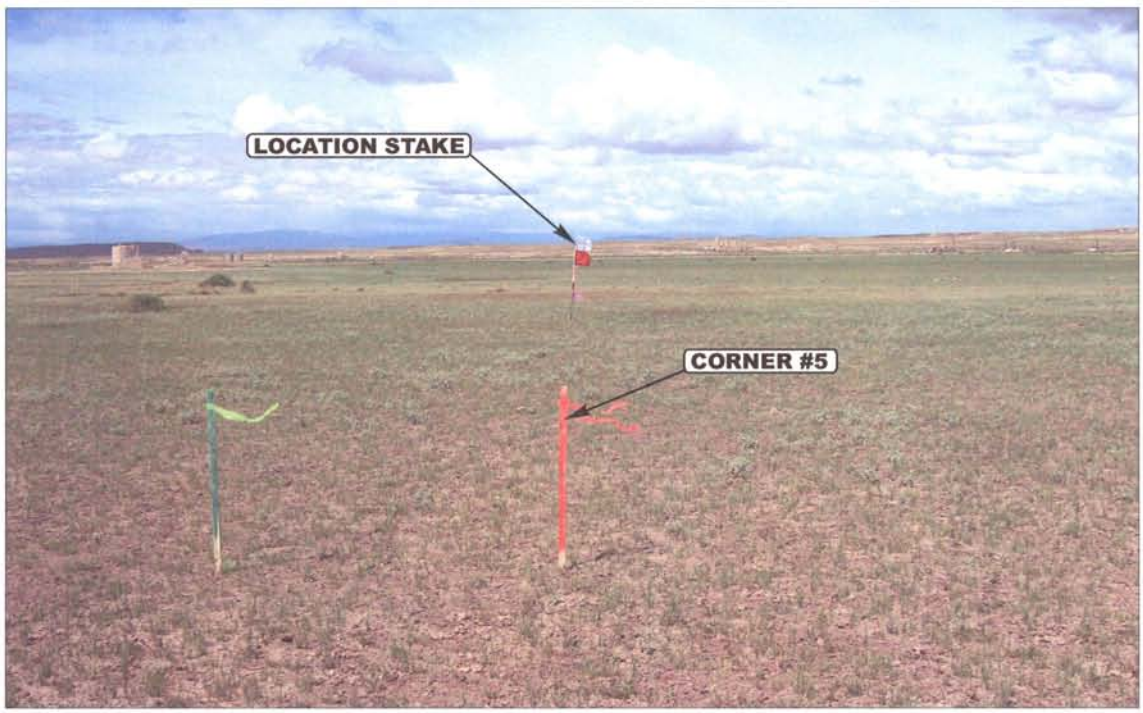

PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE **CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHERLY**

PHOTO: VIEW FROM BEGINNING OF PROPOSED ACCESS **CAMERA ANGLE: EASTERLY**

- Since 1964 -

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LOCATION PHOTOS	06 MONTH	11 DAY	08 YEAR	PHOTO
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LOCATION LAYOUT FOR

GH #15A-20-8-21
SECTION 20, T8S, R21E, S.L.B.&M.
1326' FSL 1343' FEL

FIGURE #1

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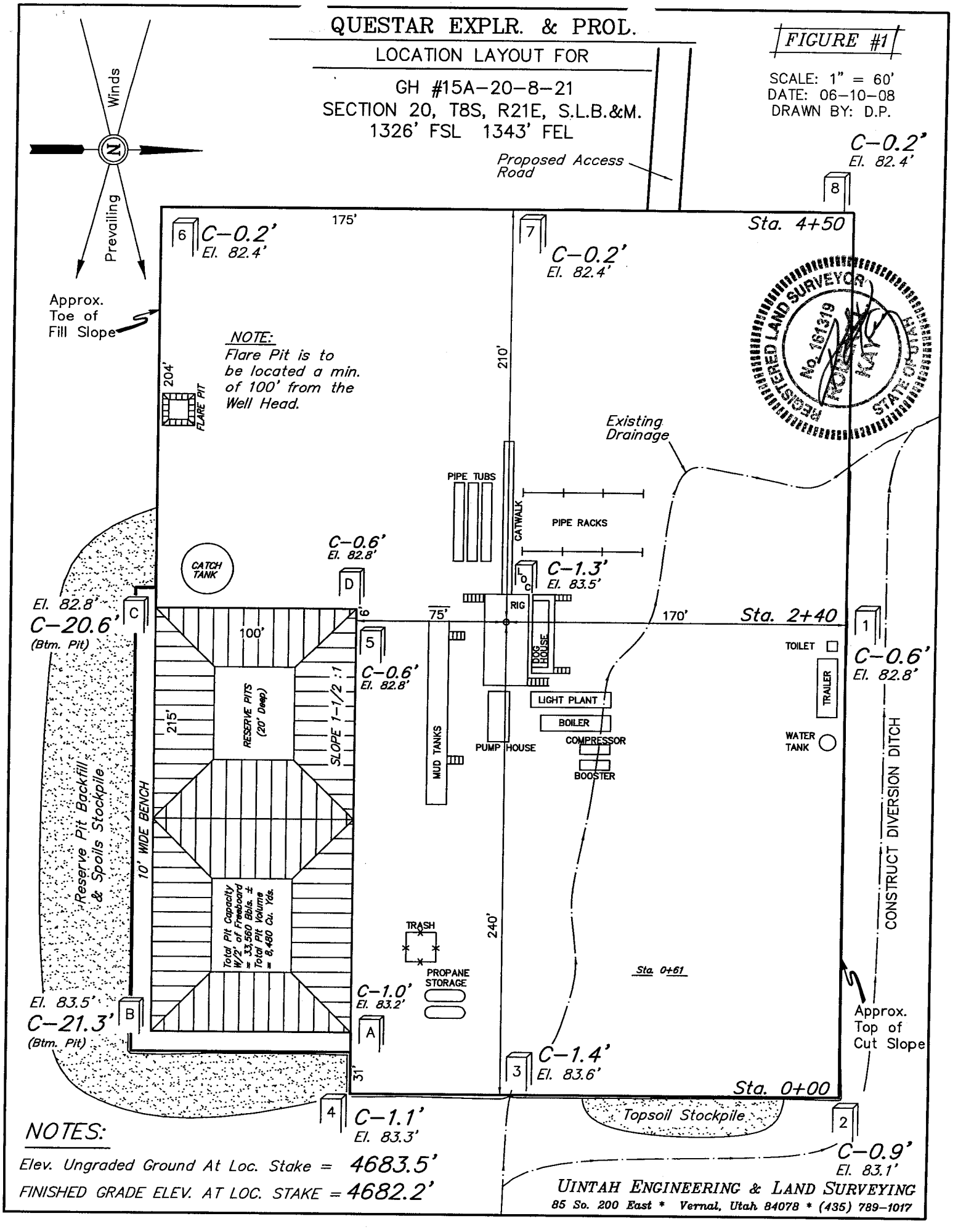

NOTES:

Elev. Ungraded Ground At Loc. Stake = 4683.5'

FINISHED GRADE ELEV. AT LOC. STAKE = 4682.2'

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TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS FOR

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FIGURE #2

1" = 40'
X-Section Scale
1" = 100'

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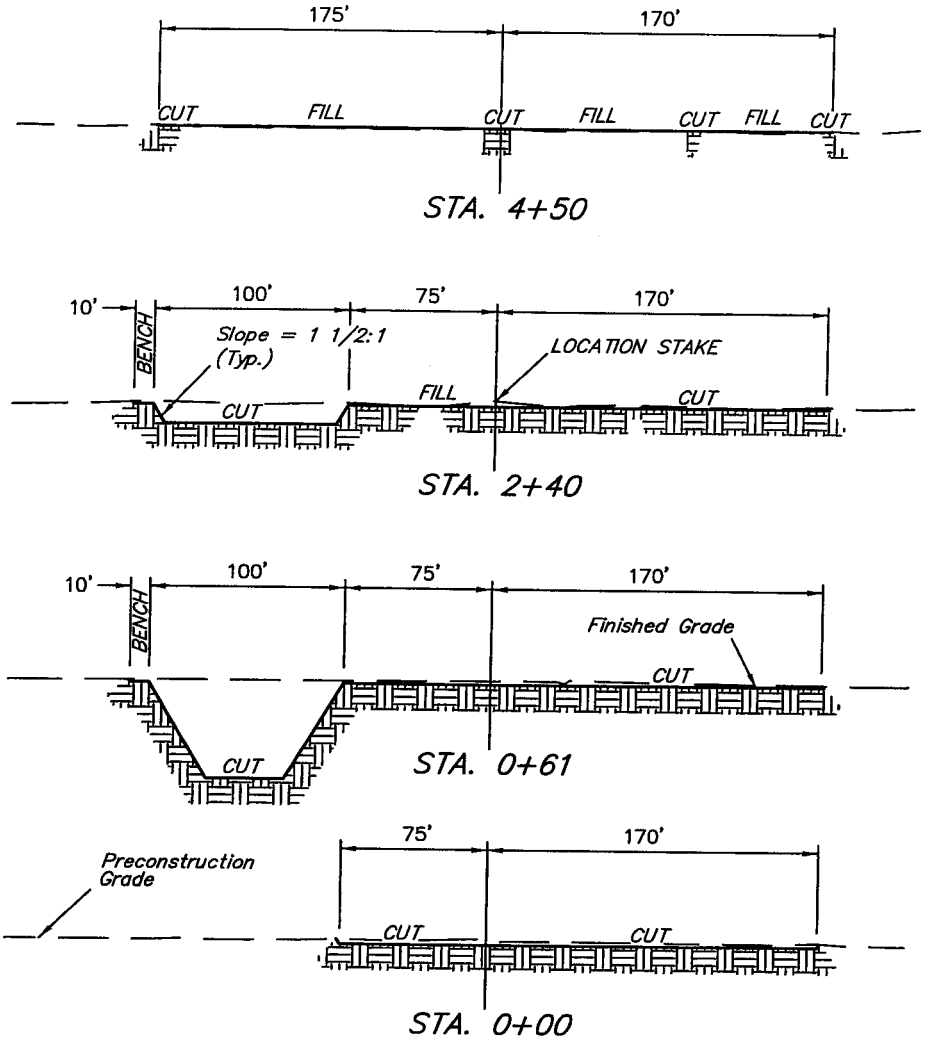

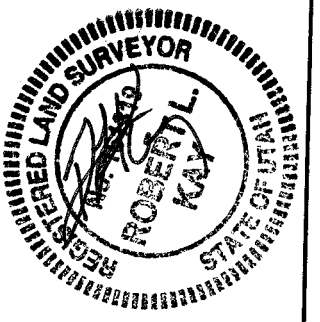

APPROXIMATE ACREAGES

WELL SITE DISTURBANCE	= ± 4.534 ACRES
ACCESS ROAD DISTURBANCE	= ± 0.262 ACRES
PIPELINE DISTURBANCE	= ± 1.947 ACRES
TOTAL	= ± 6.743 ACRES

* NOTE:
FILL QUANTITY INCLUDES 5% FOR COMPACTION

NOTE:
Topsoil should not be Stripped Below Finished Grade on Substructure Area.

APPROXIMATE YARDAGES

CUT

(12") Topsoil Stripping	=	5,970 Cu. Yds.
Remaining Location	=	8,010 Cu. Yds.
TOTAL CUT	=	13,980 CU. YDS.
FILL	=	3,770 CU. YDS.

EXCESS MATERIAL	=	10,210 Cu. Yds.
Topsoil & Pit Backfill (1/2 Pit Vol.)	=	10,210 Cu. Yds.
EXCESS UNBALANCE (After Interim Rehabilitation)	=	0 Cu. Yds.

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INTERIM RECLAMATION PLAN FOR

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FIGURE #3

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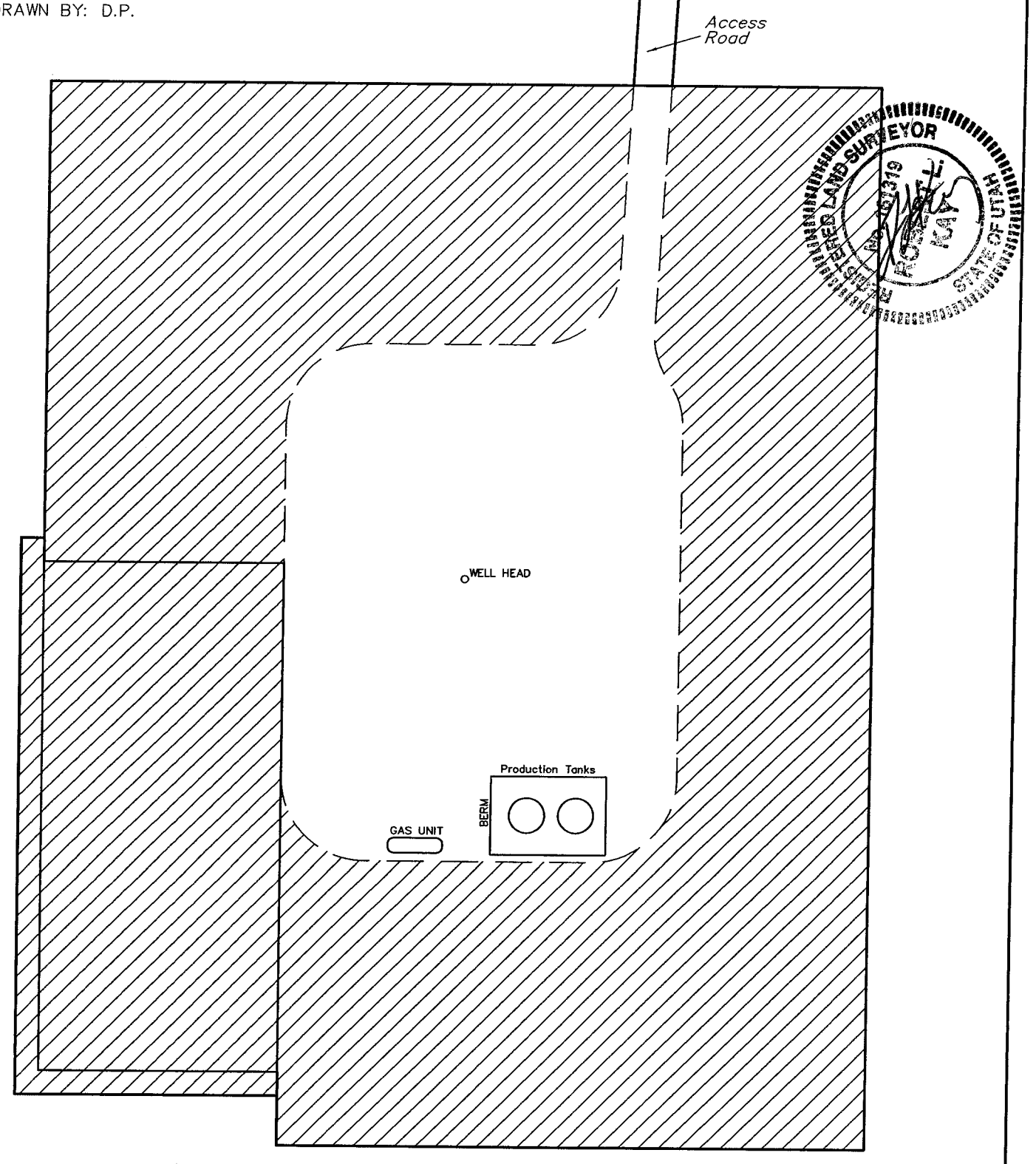

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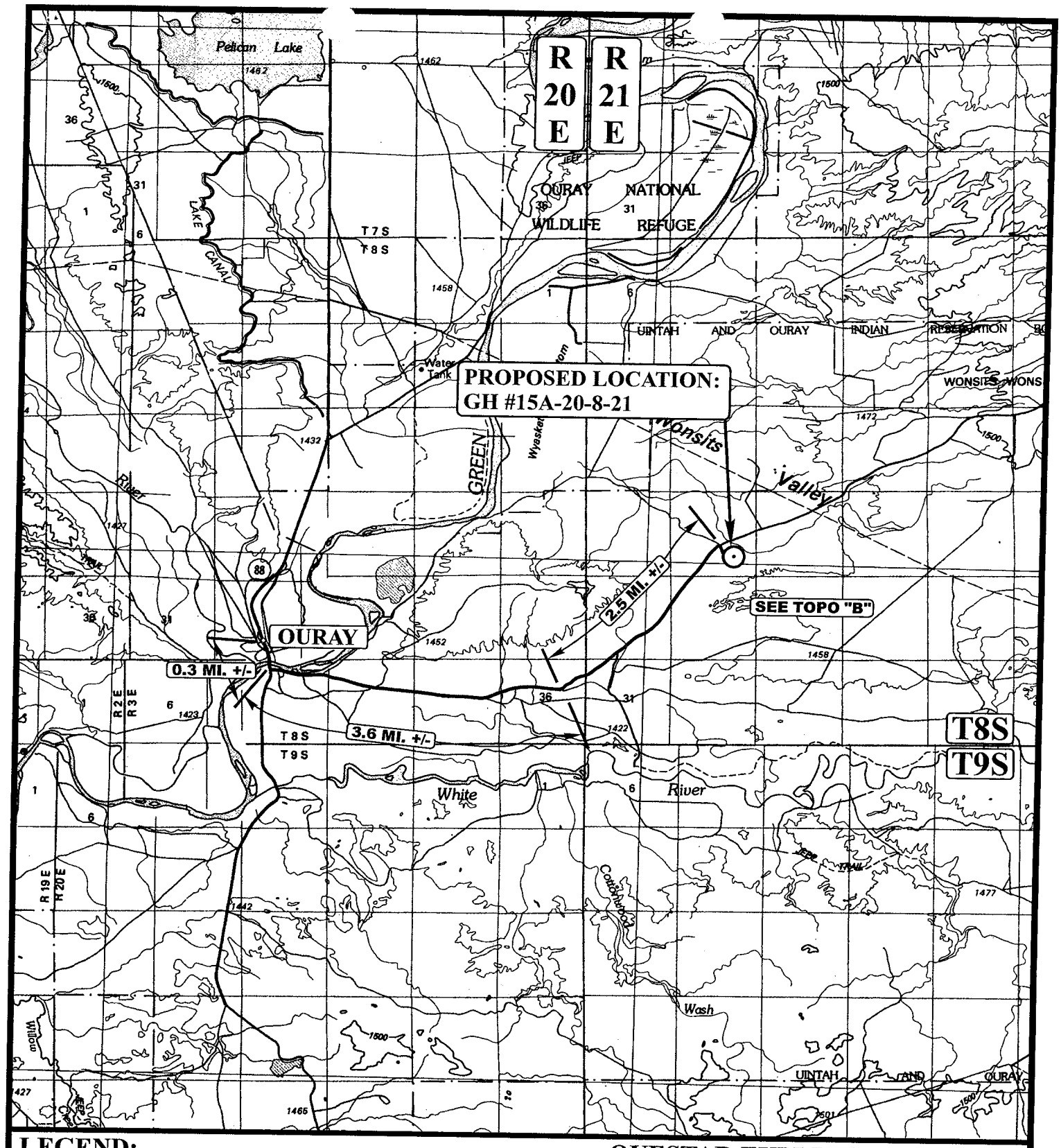

LEGEND:

⊙ PROPOSED LOCATION

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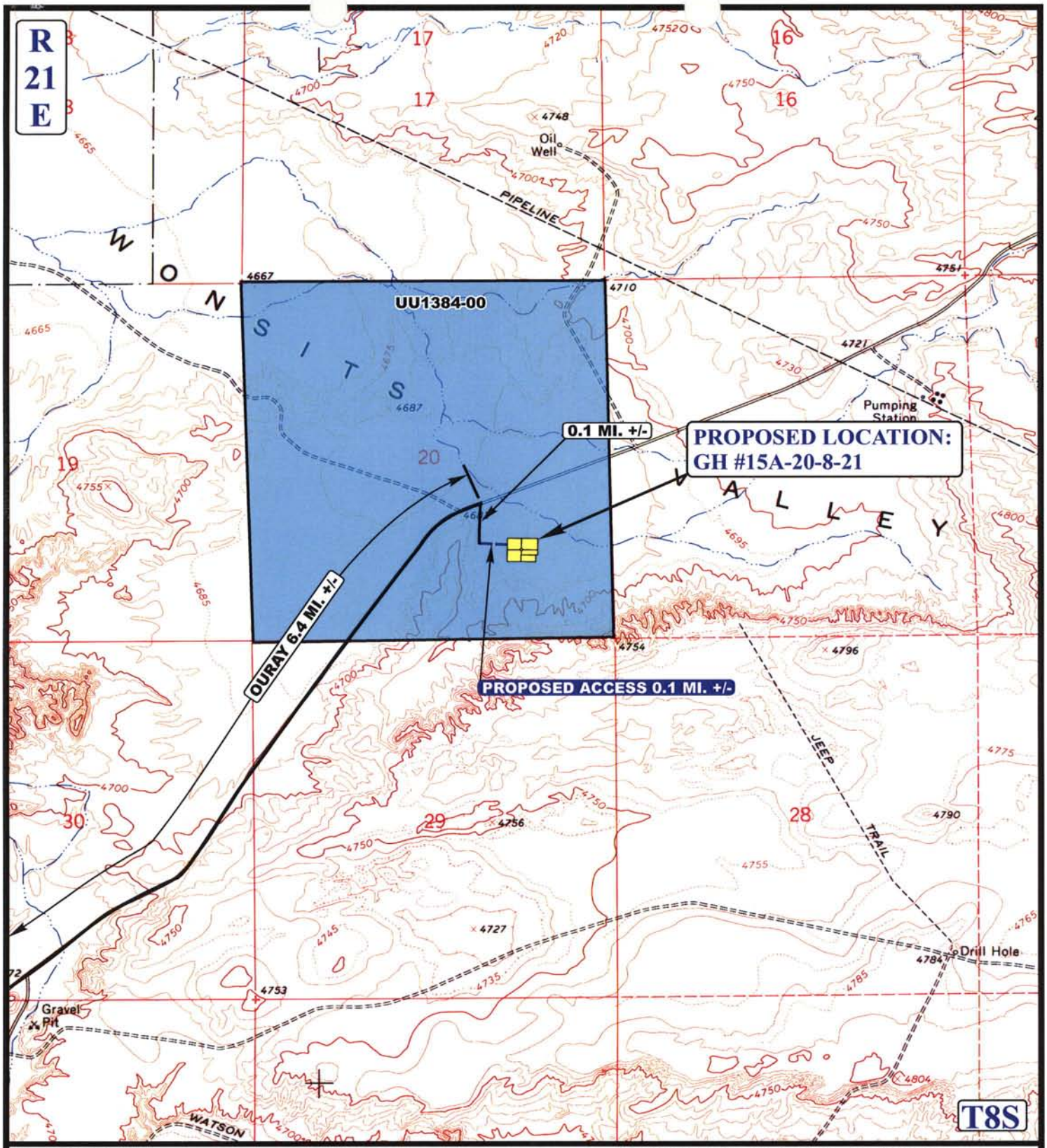

LEGEND:

EXISTING ROAD

PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD

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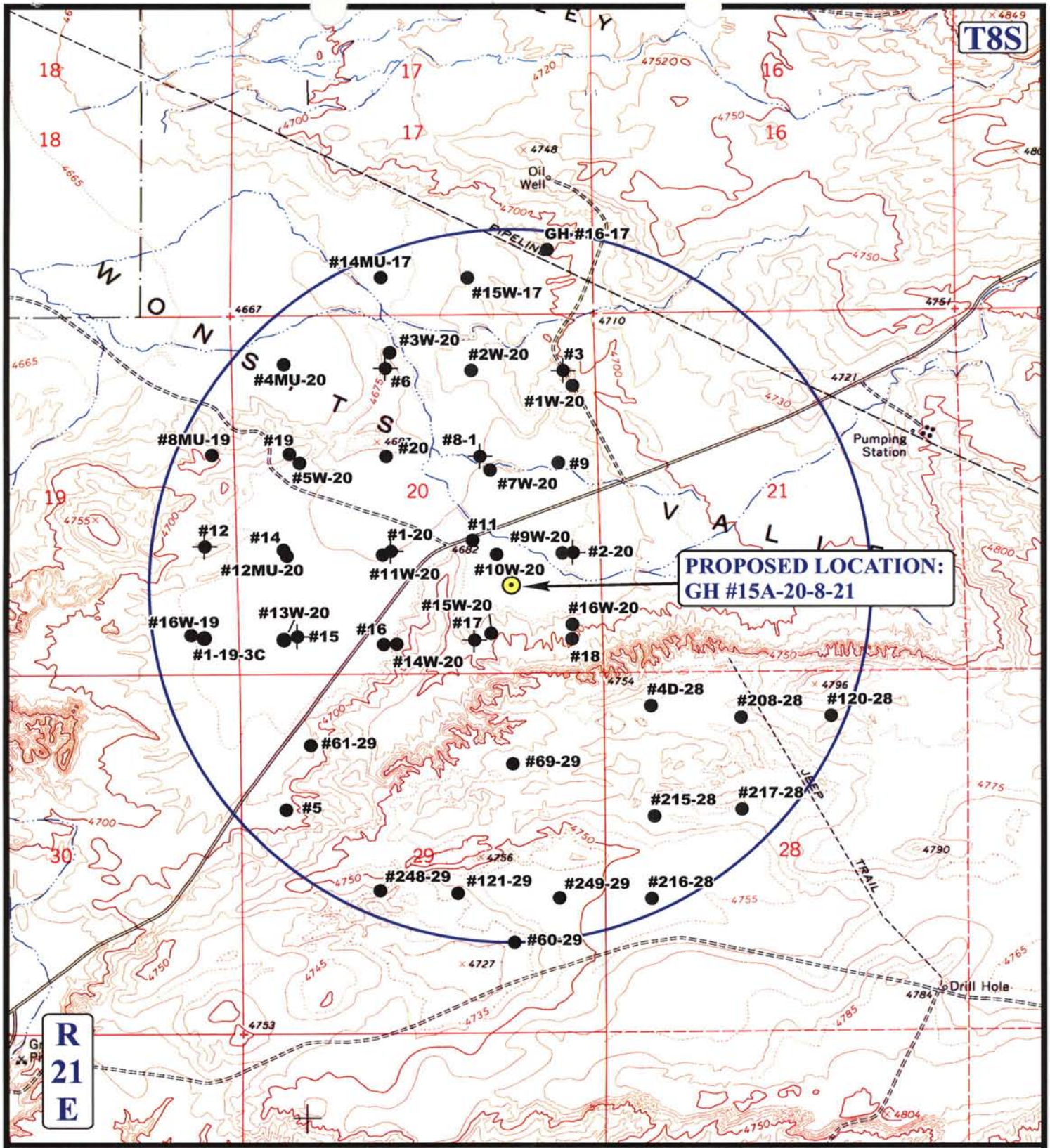

LEGEND:

- DISPOSAL WELLS
- PRODUCING WELLS
- SHUT IN WELLS
- WATER WELLS
- ABANDONED WELLS
- TEMPORARILY ABANDONED

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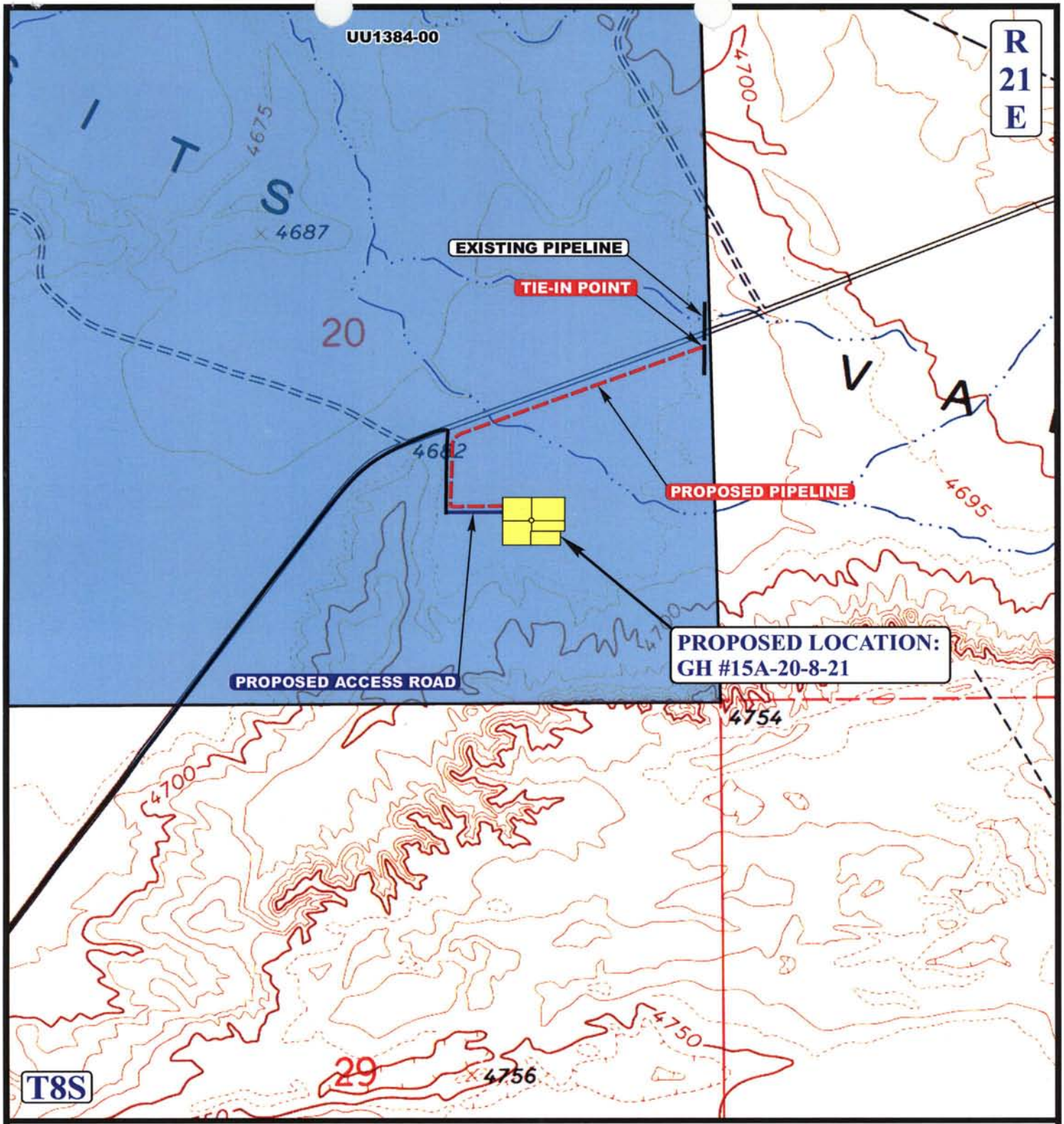

APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 2,851' +/-

LEGEND:

- PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
- EXISTING PIPELINE
- PROPOSED PIPELINE

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WORKSHEET
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

APD RECEIVED: 09/08/2008

API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-40353

WELL NAME: GH 15A-20-8-21
OPERATOR: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & (N5085)
CONTACT: JAN NELSON

PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-4331

PROPOSED LOCATION:
SWSE 20 080S 210E
SURFACE: 1326 FSL 1343 FEL
BOTTOM: 1326 FSL 1343 FEL
COUNTY: UINTAH
LATITUDE: 40.10501 LONGITUDE: -109.5728
UTM SURF EASTINGS: 621647 NORTHINGS: 4440178
FIELD NAME: GYPSUM HILLS (610)

INSPECT LOCATN BY: / /

Tech Review	Initials	Date
Engineering		
Geology		
Surface		

LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal
LEASE NUMBER: UTU-0140740
SURFACE OWNER: 2 - Indian

PROPOSED FORMATION: DKTA
COALBED METHANE WELL? NO

RECEIVED AND/OR REVIEWED:

✓ Plat
✓ Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]
(No. ESB000024)
N Potash (Y/N)
N Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13
✓ Water Permit
(No. 49-2153)
N RDCC Review (Y/N)
(Date:)
NA Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)
NA Intent to Commingle (Y/N)

LOCATION AND SITING:

____ R649-2-3.

Unit: ____

____ R649-3-2. General
Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells

✓ R649-3-3. Exception

✓ Drilling Unit
Board Cause No: 173-22
Eff Date: 9-17-2008
Siting: * See Cause Order

____ R649-3-11. Directional Drill

COMMENTS: ____

STIPULATIONS: 1- Federal Approval

API Number: 4304740353

Well Name: GH 15A-20-8-21

Township 08.0 S Range 21.0 E Section 20

Meridian: SLBM

Operator: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO

Map Prepared:
Map Produced by Diana Mason

Units
STATUS
- ACTIVE
- EXPLORATORY
- GAS STORAGE
- NF PP OIL
- NF SECONDARY
- PI OIL
- PP GAS
- PP GEOTHERML
- PP OIL
- SECONDARY
- TERMINATED

Fields
STATUS
- ACTIVE
- COMBINED
- Sections
- Township

Wells Query Events
- <all other values>

GIS_STAT_TYPE
- <Null>
- APD
- DRL
- GI
- GS
- LA
- NEW
- OPS
- PA
- PGW
- POW
- RET
- SGW
- SOW
- TA
- TW
- WD
- WI
- WS
- Bottom Hole Location

1,300 650 0 1,300 Feet

1:12,000

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State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER
Executive Director

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA
Division Director

September 18, 2008

Questar Exploration & Production Co.
11002 E 17500 S
Vernal, UT 84078

Re: GH 15A-20-8-21 Well, 1326' FSL, 1343' FEL, SW SE, Sec. 20, T. 8 South, R. 21 East, Uintah County, Utah

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann.§ 40-6-1 *et seq.*, Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 *et seq.*, and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

Appropriate information has been submitted to DOGM and administrative approval of the requested exception location is hereby granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-40353.

Sincerely,

Gil Hunt
Associate Director

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Enclosures

cc: Uintah County Assessor
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal Office

1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, PO Box 145801, Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801
telephone (801) 538-5340 • facsimile (801) 359-3940 • TTY (801) 538-7458 • *www.ogm.utah.gov*

UTAH DNR OIL, GAS & MINING

Operator: Questar Exploration & Production Co.

Well Name & Number GH 15A-20-8-21

API Number: 43-047-40353

Lease: UTU-0140740

Location: SW SE **Sec.** 20 **T.** 8 South **R.** 21 East

Conditions of Approval

1. General

   Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

2. Notification Requirements

   Notify the division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

   - Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

   Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

   - Contact Dustin Doucet at (801) 538-5281 (801) 733-0983 home

3. Reporting Requirements

   All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.

API Well No: 43047403530000

STATE OF UTAH
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING

FORM 9

5.LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER: UTU-0140740

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill new wells, significantly deepen existing wells below current bottom-hole depth, reenter plugged wells, or to drill horizontal laterals. Use APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL form for such proposals.

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME: UTE

7.UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME:

1. TYPE OF WELL Gas Well

8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: GH 15A-20-8-21

2. NAME OF OPERATOR: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO

9. API NUMBER: 43047403530000

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 11002 East 17500 South , Vernal, UT, 84078

PHONE NUMBER: 435 781-4362 Ext

9. FIELD and POOL or WILDCAT: GYPSUM HILLS

4. LOCATION OF WELL
FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: 1326 FSL 1343 FEL
QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN: Qtr/Qtr: SWSE Section: 20 Township: 08.0S Range: 21.0E Meridian: S

COUNTY: UINTAH

STATE: UTAH

11. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
✓ NOTICE OF INTENT Approximate date work will start: 9/18/2010	☐ ACIDIZE	☐ ALTER CASING	☐ CASING REPAIR
	☐ CHANGE TO PREVIOUS PLANS	☐ CHANGE TUBING	☐ CHANGE WELL NAME
	☐ CHANGE WELL STATUS	☐ COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS	☐ CONVERT WELL TYPE
☐ SUBSEQUENT REPORT Date of Work Completion:	☐ DEEPEN	☐ FRACTURE TREAT	☐ NEW CONSTRUCTION
	☐ OPERATOR CHANGE	☐ PLUG AND ABANDON	☐ PLUG BACK
	☐ PRODUCTION START OR RESUME	☐ RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE	☐ RECOMPLETE DIFFERENT FORMATION
☐ SPUD REPORT Date of Spud:	☐ REPERFORATE CURRENT FORMATION	☐ SIDETRACK TO REPAIR WELL	☐ TEMPORARY ABANDON
	☐ TUBING REPAIR	☐ VENT OR FLARE	☐ WATER DISPOSAL
☐ DRILLING REPORT Report Date:	☐ WATER SHUTOFF	☐ SI TA STATUS EXTENSION	✓ APD EXTENSION
	☐ WILDCAT WELL DETERMINATION	☐ OTHER	OTHER:

12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.

Questar Exploration and Production Company hereby request one year extension for the APD on the above captioned well.

Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

Date: September 22, 2009

By: [signature]

NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PHONE NUMBER	TITLE
Jan Nelson	435 781-4331	Permit Agent

SIGNATURE	DATE
N/A	9/16/2009

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The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining

- State of Utah
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047403530000

API: 43047403530000
Well Name: GH 15A-20-8-21
Location: 1326 FSL 1343 FEL QTR SWSE SEC 20 TWNP 080S RNG 210E MER S
Company Permit Issued to: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO
Date Original Permit Issued: 9/18/2008

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision. Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

- **If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or rightof- way, which could affect the proposed location?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Has the approved source of water for drilling changed?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well?** ◉ **Yes** ○ **No**

Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

Signature: Jan Nelson **Date:** 9/16/2009
Title: Permit Agent **Representing:** QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO

Date: September 22, 2009

By: [signature]

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OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET (for state use only)

ROUTING
CDW

Change of Operator (Well Sold) **X - Operator Name Change**

The operator of the well(s) listed below has changed, effective: **6/14/2010**

FROM: (Old Operator):	**TO:** (New Operator):
N5085-Questar Exploration and Production Company 1050 17th St, Suite 500 Denver, CO 80265 Phone: 1 (303) 308-3048	N3700-QEP Energy Company 1050 17th St, Suite 500 Denver, CO 80265 Phone: 1 (303) 308-3048

CA No. **Unit:**

WELL NAME	SEC	TWN	RNG	API NO	ENTITY NO	LEASE TYPE	WELL TYPE	WELL STATUS
SEE ATTACHED								

OPERATOR CHANGES DOCUMENTATION

Enter date after each listed item is completed

1. (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **FORMER** operator on: 6/28/2010
2. (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **NEW** operator on: 6/28/2010
3. The new company was checked on the **Department of Commerce, Division of Corporations Database on:** 6/24/2010

4a. Is the new operator registered in the State of Utah: Business Number: 764611-0143

5a. (R649-9-2)Waste Management Plan has been received on: Requested

5b. Inspections of LA PA state/fee well sites complete on: n/a

5c. Reports current for Production/Disposition & Sundries on: ok

6. **Federal and Indian Lease Wells:** The BLM and or the BIA has approved the merger, name change, or operator change for all wells listed on Federal or Indian leases on: BLM 8/16/2010 BIA not yet
7. **Federal and Indian Units:**
   The BLM or BIA has approved the successor of unit operator for wells listed on: 8/16/2010
8. **Federal and Indian Communization Agreements ("CA"):**
   The BLM or BIA has approved the operator for all wells listed within a CA on: N/A
9. **Underground Injection Control ("UIC")** Division has approved UIC Form 5 Transfer of Authority to **Inject,** for the enhanced/secondary recovery unit/project for the water disposal well(s) listed on: 6/29/2010

DATA ENTRY:

1. Changes entered in the **Oil and Gas Database on:** 6/30/2010
2. Changes have been entered on the **Monthly Operator Change Spread Sheet on:** 6/30/2010
3. Bond information entered in RBDMS on: 6/30/2010
4. Fee/State wells attached to bond in RBDMS on: 6/30/2010
5. Injection Projects to new operator in RBDMS on: 6/30/2010
6. Receipt of Acceptance of Drilling Procedures for APD/New on: n/a

BOND VERIFICATION:

1. Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number: ESB000024
2. Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number: 965010693

3a. (R649-3-1) The **NEW** operator of any state/fee well(s) listed covered by Bond Number 965010695

3b. The **FORMER** operator has requested a release of liability from their bond on: n/a

LEASE INTEREST OWNER NOTIFICATION:

4. (R649-2-10) The **NEW** operator of the fee wells has been contacted and informed by a letter from the Division of their responsibility to notify all interest owners of this change on: n/a

COMMENTS:

STATE OF UTAH
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

FORM 9

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

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5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER: See attached

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME: See attached

7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME: See attached

8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: See attached

9. API NUMBER: Attached

10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT: See attached

1. TYPE OF WELL: OIL WELL ☐ GAS WELL ☐ OTHER

2. NAME OF OPERATOR: Questar Exploration and Production Company N5085

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 1050 17th Street, Suite 500 CITY Denver STATE CO ZIP 80265 PHONE NUMBER: (303) 672-6900

4. LOCATION OF WELL

FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: See attached

COUNTY: Attached

QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN:

STATE: UTAH

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TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
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	☐ CASING REPAIR	☐ NEW CONSTRUCTION	☐ TEMPORARILY ABANDON
	☐ CHANGE TO PREVIOUS PLANS	☐ OPERATOR CHANGE	☐ TUBING REPAIR
	☐ CHANGE TUBING	☐ PLUG AND ABANDON	☐ VENT OR FLARE
☐ SUBSEQUENT REPORT (Submit Original Form Only)	☐ CHANGE WELL NAME	☐ PLUG BACK	☐ WATER DISPOSAL
Date of work completion:	☐ CHANGE WELL STATUS	☐ PRODUCTION (START/RESUME)	☐ WATER SHUT-OFF
	☐ COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS	☐ RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE	☑ OTHER: Operator Name Change
	☐ CONVERT WELL TYPE	☐ RECOMPLETE - DIFFERENT FORMATION	

12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.

Effective June 14, 2010 Questar Exploration and Production Company changed its name to QEP Energy Company. This name change involves only an internal corporate name change and no third party change of operator is involved. The same employees will continue to be responsible for operations of the properties described on the attached list. All operations will continue to be covered by bond numbers:
Federal Bond Number: 965002976 (BLM Reference No. ESB000024) N3700
Utah State Bond Number: ~~965003033~~ 965010695
Fee Land Bond Number: ~~965003033~~
BIA Bond Number: ~~799446~~ 965010693

The attached document is an all inclusive list of the wells operated by Questar Exploration and Production Company. As of June 14, 2010 QEP Energy Company assumes all rights, duties and obligations as operator of the properties as described on the list

NAME (PLEASE PRINT): Morgan Anderson TITLE: Regulatory Affairs Analyst

SIGNATURE: Morgan Anderson DATE: 6/23/2010

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Earlene Russell
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Earlene Russell, Engineering Technician

(5/2000) (See Instructions on Reverse Side)

Questar Exploration Production Company (N5085) to QEP Energy Company (N3700)
effective June 14, 2010

well_name	sec	twp	rng	api	entity	mineral lease	type	stat	C
WEST RIVER BEND 3-12-10-15	12	100S	150E	4301331888	14542	Federal	OW	P	C
WEST RIVER BEND 16-17-10-17	17	100S	170E	4301332057	14543	Federal	OW	P	
WEST DESERT SPRING 11-20-10-17	20	100S	170E	4301332088	14545	Federal	OW	S	
GD 8G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333821		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 9G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333822		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 10G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333823		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 11G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333824		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 12G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333825		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 13G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333826		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 1G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333827	16920	Federal	OW	P	
GD 2G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333828		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 7G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333829		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 7G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333830		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 14G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333831		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 15G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333832		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 16G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333833	16921	Federal	OW	P	
GD 1G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333834		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 2G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333835		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 3G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333836		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 4G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333837		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 5G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333838		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 6G-35-9-15	35	090S	150E	4301333839		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 8G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333840		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 9G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333841		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 10G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333842		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 15G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333843		Federal	OW	APD	C
GD 16G-34-9-15	34	090S	150E	4301333844		Federal	OW	APD	C
GOVT 18-2	18	230S	170E	4301930679	2575	Federal	OW	P	
FEDERAL 2-29-7-22	29	070S	220E	4304715423	5266	Federal	GW	TA	
UTAH FED D-1	14	070S	240E	4304715936	10699	Federal	GW	S	
UTAH FED D-2	25	070S	240E	4304715937	9295	Federal	GW	S	
PRINCE 1	10	070S	240E	4304716199	7035	Federal	GW	P	
UTAH FED D-4	14	070S	240E	4304731215	9297	Federal	GW	S	
ISLAND UNIT 16	11	100S	180E	4304731505	1061	Federal	OW	S	
EAST COYOTE FED 14-4-8-25	04	080S	250E	4304732493	11630	Federal	OW	P	
PRINCE 4	03	070S	240E	4304732677	7035	Federal	OW	P	
GH 21 WG	21	080S	210E	4304732692	11819	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 6-14-8-22	14	080S	220E	4304732746	11944	Federal	GW	S	
FLU KNOLLS FED 23-3	03	100S	180E	4304732754	12003	Federal	OW	P	
GH 22 WG	22	080S	210E	4304732818	12336	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 12W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304733249	13488	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 15-18-8-22	18	080S	220E	4304733364	12690	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 3W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304733513	12950	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304733514	12873	Federal	GW	P	
WV 9W-8-8-22	08	080S	220E	4304733515	13395	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 9W-18-8-22	18	080S	220E	4304733516	12997	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 3W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304733526	13514	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 12W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304733670	13380	Federal	GW	P	
WV 10W-8-8-22	08	080S	220E	4304733814	13450	Federal	GW	P	
GH 7W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304733845	13050	Federal	GW	P	
GH 9W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304733846	13074	Federal	GW	P	

Bonds: BLM = ESB000024
BIA = 956010693
State = 965010695

Questar Exploration Production Company (N5085) to QEP Energy Company (N3700)
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well_name	sec	twp	rng	api	entity	mineral lease	type	stat	C
GH 11W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304733847	13049	Federal	GW	P	
GH 15W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304733848	13051	Federal	GW	P	
WV 2W-9-8-21	09	080S	210E	4304733905	13676	Federal	GW	P	
WV 7W-22-8-21	22	080S	210E	4304733907	13230	Federal	GW	P	
WV 9W-23-8-21	23	080S	210E	4304733909	13160	Federal	GW	P	
GH 14W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304733915	13073	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 4W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304733945	13372	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 9W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304733946	13393	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 10W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304733947	13389	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 12W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304733948	13388	Federal	GW	P	
GB 9W-25-8-21	25	080S	210E	4304733960	13390	Federal	GW	P	
SU 1W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304733985	13369	Federal	GW	P	
SU 3W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304733987	13321	Federal	OW	S	
SU 7W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304733988	13235	Federal	GW	P	
SU 9W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304733990	13238	Federal	GW	P	
SU 13W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304733994	13236	Federal	GW	TA	
SU 15W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304733996	13240	Federal	GW	P	
WV 8W-8-8-22	08	080S	220E	4304734005	13320	Federal	GW	P	
WV 14W-8-8-22	08	080S	220E	4304734007	13322	Federal	GW	S	
OU GB 6W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734018	13518	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734025	13502	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 11W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734039	13413	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 4W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734043	13520	Federal	GW	P	
GH 5W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734147	13387	Federal	GW	P	
GH 6W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734148	13371	Federal	GW	P	
GH 8W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734149	13293	Federal	GW	P	
GH 10W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734151	13328	Federal	GW	P	
GH 10W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734152	13378	Federal	GW	P	
GH 12W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734153	13294	Federal	GW	P	
GH 14W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734154	13292	Federal	GW	P	
GH 16W-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304734157	13329	Federal	GW	P	
WV 2W-3-8-21	03	080S	210E	4304734207	13677	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734209	13414	Federal	GW	P	
WV 6W-22-8-21	22	080S	210E	4304734272	13379	Federal	GW	P	
GH 1W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734327	13451	Federal	GW	P	
GH 2W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734328	13527	Federal	GW	P	
GH 3W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734329	13728	Federal	GW	P	
GH 7W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734332	13537	Federal	GW	P	
GH 9W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734333	13411	Federal	GW	P	
GH 11W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734334	13410	Federal	GW	P	
GH 15W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734335	13407	Federal	GW	P	
GH 16W-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304734336	13501	Federal	GW	P	
WV 12W-23-8-21	23	080S	210E	4304734343	13430	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 13W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734348	13495	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 14W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734349	13507	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 11W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734350	13526	Federal	GW	P	
SU PURDY 14M-30-7-22	30	070S	220E	4304734384	13750	Federal	GW	S	
WVX 11G-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304734388	13422	Federal	OW	P	
WVX 13G-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304734389	13738	Federal	OW	P	
WVX 15G-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304734390	13459	Federal	OW	P	
SU BRENNAN W 15W-18-7-22	18	070S	220E	4304734403	13442	Federal	GW	TA	

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SU 16W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304734446	13654	Federal	GW	P	
SU 2W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304734455	13700	Federal	GW	P	
SU 10W-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304734456	13540	Federal	GW	P	
WV 16W-8-8-22	08	080S	220E	4304734470	13508	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 16WX-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734506	13431	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 1W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734512	13469	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 2W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734513	13461	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734514	13460	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 7W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734515	13462	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 8W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734516	13489	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 11W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734517	13467	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 16W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734522	13476	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 1W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734528	13487	Federal	GW	S	
OU GB 3W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734529	13493	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 6W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734530	13519	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 7W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734531	13494	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 8W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734532	13483	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 9W-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734533	13500	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 6W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734534	13475	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 10W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734535	13479	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 13W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734536	13478	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 14W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734537	13484	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 15W-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734538	13482	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 12W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734542	13543	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 6W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734543	13536	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 13W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734544	13547	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 6W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734545	13535	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 3W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734546	13509	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 13W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734547	13506	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 4W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734548	13534	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734549	13505	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 14W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734550	13550	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 11W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734553	13671	Federal	GW	P	
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OU GB 16W-18-8-22	18	080S	220E	4304734563	13559	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 1W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734573	13562	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 7W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734574	13564	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 8W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734575	13609	Federal	GW	S	
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OU GB 15W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734578	13569	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 2W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734599	13664	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 2W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734600	13691	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 15W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734601	13632	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 16W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734602	13639	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 16W-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734603	13610	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 1W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734604	13612	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 1W-17-8-22	17	080S	220E	4304734623	13701	Federal	GW	P	
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OU GB 10W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734631	13682	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 15W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734632	13613	Federal	GW	P	
OU WIH 15MU-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734634	13991	Federal	GW	P	
OU WIH 13W-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734646	13745	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 11W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734648	13822	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 13W-9-8-22	09	080S	220E	4304734654	13706	Federal	GW	P	
OU WIH 14W-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734664	13720	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 12WX-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734668	13555	Federal	GW	P	
OU WIH 10W-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734681	13662	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 4G-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734685	13772	Federal	OW	P	
OU GB 3W-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734686	13746	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 16SG-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304734688	13593	Federal	GW	P	
OU WIH 7W-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734689	13716	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5W-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734690	13770	Federal	GW	P	
WIH 1MU-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734693	14001	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5G-19-8-22	19	080S	220E	4304734695	13786	Federal	OW	P	
OU GB 7W-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304734705	13710	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 14W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734710	13821	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 15W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734711	13790	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 16W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734712	13820	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 4W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734713	13775	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 12W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734714	13838	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 5MU-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734715	13900	Federal	GW	P	
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OU SG 10W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734719	13722	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 2MU-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734721	13887	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 7W-15-8-22	15	080S	220E	4304734722	13920	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 14SG-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734743	14034	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 16SG-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304734744	13771	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 13W-10-8-22	10	080S	220E	4304734754	13774	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 6MU-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304734755	14012	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 10W-10-8-22	10	080S	220E	4304734764	13751	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 14M-10-8-22	10	080S	220E	4304734768	13849	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 9W-10-8-22	10	080S	220E	4304734783	13725	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 16W-10-8-22	10	080S	220E	4304734784	13781	Federal	GW	P	
SU BW 6M-7-7-22	07	070S	220E	4304734837	13966	Federal	GW	P	
GB 3M-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304734900	14614	Federal	GW	P	
WVX 11D-22-8-21	22	080S	210E	4304734902	14632	Federal	GW	P	
GB 11M-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304734952	13809	Federal	GW	P	
GB 9D-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304734956	14633	Federal	GW	P	
GB 1D-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304734957	14634	Federal	GW	P	
WRU EIH 2M-35-8-22	35	080S	220E	4304735052	13931	Federal	GW	P	
GH 12MU-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304735069	14129	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 4W-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735071	14814	Federal	GW	OPS	C
OU SG 5W-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735072	14815	Federal	GW	OPS	C
SG 6ML-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735073	14825	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 5MU-14-8-22	14	080S	220E	4304735076	13989	Federal	GW	P	
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OU SG 9MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735091	13967	Federal	GW	P	
SG 11SG-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735099	13901	Federal	GW	TA	
OU SG 14W-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735114	14797	Federal	GW	OPS	C
SG 5MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735115	14368	Federal	GW	P	
SG 6MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735116	14231	Federal	GW	P	
SG 14MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735117	14069	Federal	GW	P	
SG 12MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735188	14412	Federal	GW	P	
SG 13MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735190	14103	Federal	GW	P	
WH 7G-10-7-24	10	070S	240E	4304735241	14002	Federal	GW	S	
GB 4D-28-8-21	28	080S	210E	4304735246	14645	Federal	GW	P	
GB 7M-28-8-21	28	080S	210E	4304735247	14432	Federal	GW	P	
GB 14M-28-8-21	28	080S	210E	4304735248	13992	Federal	GW	P	
SG 11MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735257	13973	Federal	GW	P	
SG 15MU-14-8-22	14	080S	220E	4304735328	14338	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 14MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735330	14501	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 11MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735331	14470	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 12ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304735333	14260	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 13ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304735334	14000	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 4ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304735335	14215	Federal	GW	P	
SG 7MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735374	14635	Federal	GW	S	
SG 1MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735375	14279	Federal	GW	P	
OU SG 13W-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735377	14796	Federal	GW	OPS	C
SG 3MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735379	14978	Federal	GW	P	
SG 8MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735380	14616	Federal	GW	P	
SG 2MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735381	14636	Federal	GW	P	
SG 10MU-11-8-22	11	080S	220E	4304735382	14979	Federal	GW	P	
SU 11MU-9-8-21	09	080S	210E	4304735412	14143	Federal	GW	P	
OU GB 8MU-10-8-22	10	080S	220E	4304735422	15321	Federal	GW	OPS	C
EIHX 2MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735427	14666	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 1MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735428	14705	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 7MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735429	14682	Federal	GW	P	
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EIHX 16MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735434	14502	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 15MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735435	14571	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 10MU-25-8-22	25	080S	220E	4304735436	14537	Federal	GW	P	
GB 3MU-3-8-22	03	080S	220E	4304735457	14575	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 15M-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304735463	14423	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 7ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304735464	14232	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 3ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304735465	14276	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 11M-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304735466	14431	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 10ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304735650	14377	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 6ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304735651	14422	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 12ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304735652	14278	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 6ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304735664	14378	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 11ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304735665	14340	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 15ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304735666	14326	Federal	GW	P	
SG 4MU-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304735758	14380	Federal	GW	P	
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OU SG 14MU-14-8-22	14	080S	220E	4304735950	14479	Federal	GW	P	
COY 12ML-24-8-24	24	080S	240E	4304736039	14592	Federal	OW	P	
WIH 1AMU-21-8-22	21	080S	220E	4304736060	14980	Federal	GW	P	
SU 8M-12-7-21	12	070S	210E	4304736096	16610	Federal	GW	OPS	C
NBE 4ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736098	15732	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 8ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736099	15733	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 16ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736100	14728	Federal	GW	S	
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NBE 8ML-12-9-23	12	090S	230E	4304736143	15859	Federal	GW	S	
GB 16D-28-8-21	28	080S	210E	4304736260	14981	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 5ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736353	15227	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 7ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736355	15850	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 3ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736356	15393	Federal	GW	P	
EIHX 4MU-36-8-22	36	080S	220E	4304736444	14875	Federal	GW	P	
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EIHX 1MU-36-8-22	36	080S	220E	4304736447	14861	Federal	GW	P	
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NBE 8ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736588	15689	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 1ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736589	15880	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 2ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736590	15898	Federal	GW	S	
NBE 3ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736591	15906	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 5ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736592	15839	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 9ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736593	15438	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 11ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736594	15228	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 15ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304736595	15439	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 2ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304736614	15126	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 4ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304736615	15177	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 6ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304736616	15127	Federal	GW	S	
NBE 10ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304736617	15128	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 14ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304736618	15088	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 9ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736619	15322	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 10D-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736620	15975	Federal	GW	S	
NBE 12ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736621	15840	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 13ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736622	15690	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 14ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736623	15262	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 16ML-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304736624	15735	Federal	GW	P	
WF 1P-1-15-19	06	150S	200E	4304736781	14862	Indian	GW	P	
SG 3MU-23-8-22	14	080S	220E	4304736940	15100	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 5ML-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304736941	15101	Federal	GW	P	
TU 14-9-7-22	09	070S	220E	4304737345	16811	Federal	GW	OPS	C
WF 14C-29-15-19	29	150S	190E	4304737541	15178	Indian	GW	P	
NBE 2ML-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304737619	15860	Federal	GW	P	
GB 16ML-20-8-22	20	080S	220E	4304737664	15948	Federal	GW	P	
WVX 8ML-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304738140		Federal	GW	APD	C
WVX 6ML-5-8-22	05	080S	220E	4304738141		Federal	GW	APD	C
WVX 1MU-17-8-21	17	080S	210E	4304738156		Federal	GW	APD	C
GH 8-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304738157		Federal	GW	APD	C
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WF 8C-15-15-19	15	150S	190E	4304738405	17142	Indian	GW	OPS	C
WVX 1MU-18-8-21	18	080S	210E	4304738659		Federal	GW	APD	C
WVX 9MU-18-8-21	18	080S	210E	4304738660		Federal	GW	APD	C
GB 12SG-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304738766	16096	Federal	GW	S	
GB 10SG-30-8-22	30	080S	220E	4304738767	16143	Federal	GW	S	
FR 14P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739168	16179	Federal	GW	P	
SU 11M-8-7-22	08	070S	220E	4304739175		Federal	GW	APD	C
HB 2M-9-7-22	09	070S	220E	4304739176		Federal	GW	APD	C
SUMA 4M-20-7-22	20	070S	220E	4304739177		Federal	GW	APD	C
SU 16M-31-7-22	31	070S	220E	4304739178		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 13P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739226	16719	Federal	GW	P	
SG 11BML-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304739230		Federal	GW	APD	C
SG 12DML-23-8-22	23	080S	220E	4304739231		Federal	GW	APD	C
GB 1CML-29-8-22	29	080S	220E	4304739232		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 8CD-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304739341	16513	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 15AD-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304739342		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 6DD-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304739343		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 6AD-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304739344		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 6BD-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304739345		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 5DD-10-9-23	10	090S	230E	4304739346	16574	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 7BD-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304739347		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 4DD-17-9-23	17	090S	230E	4304739348	16743	Federal	GW	P	
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NBE 8BD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739351	16617	Federal	GW	P	
NBE 3DD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739352		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 3CD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739353		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 7DD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739354		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 12AD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739355		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 5DD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739356		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 13AD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739357		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 14AD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739358		Federal	GW	APD	C
NBE 9CD-26-9-23	26	090S	230E	4304739359		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 9P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739461	17025	Federal	GW	S	
FR 13P-17-14-20	17	140S	200E	4304739462		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 9P-17-14-20	17	140S	200E	4304739463	16829	Federal	GW	P	
FR 10P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739465		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 5P-17-14-20	17	140S	200E	4304739509		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 15P-17-14-20	17	140S	200E	4304739510		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 11P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739587		Federal	GW	APD	
FR 5P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739588		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 9P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304739589		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 13P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304739590		Federal	GW	APD	C
GB 7D-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304739661		Federal	GW	APD	C
GB 15D-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304739662	16830	Federal	GW	P	
WV 13D-23-8-21	23	080S	210E	4304739663	16813	Federal	GW	P	
WV 15D-23-8-21	23	080S	210E	4304739664	16924	Federal	GW	P	
FR 14P-17-14-20	17	140S	200E	4304739807		Federal	GW	APD	C
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Questar Exploration Production Company (N5085) to QEP Energy Company (N3700)
effective June 14, 2010

well_name	sec	twp	rng	api	entity	mineral lease	type	stat	C
FR 6P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304739809	16925	Federal	GW	P	
FR 3P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304739810		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 4P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304739811	16771	Federal	GW	P	
FR 8P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304739812		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 15P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304739815		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 2P-20-14-20	20	140S	200E	4304740053		Federal	GW	APD	
FR 2P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304740200		Federal	GW	APD	C
WV 11-23-8-21	23	080S	210E	4304740303		Federal	GW	APD	C
GB 12-27-8-21	27	080S	210E	4304740304		Federal	GW	APD	C
GH 11C-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304740352		Federal	GW	APD	C
GH 15A-20-8-21	20	080S	210E	4304740353		Federal	GW	APD	C
GH 10BD-21-8-21	21	080S	210E	4304740354		Federal	GW	APD	C
FR 11P-21-14-20	21	140S	200E	4304740366		Federal	GW	APD	C
MELANGE U 1	09	140S	200E	4304740399		Federal	GW	APD	C
OP 16G-12-7-20	12	070S	200E	4304740481	17527	Federal	OW	DRL	C
OP 4G-12-7-20	12	070S	200E	4304740482		Federal	OW	APD	C
WF 8D-21-15-19	21	150S	190E	4304740489		Indian	GW	APD	C
WF 15-21-15-19	21	150S	190E	4304740490		Indian	GW	APD	
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Bonds: BLM = ESB000024
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http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en.html

TAKE PRIDE IN AMERICA

IN REPLY REFER TO:
3100
(UT-922)

JUL 28 2010

Memorandum

To: Vernal Field Office, Price Field Office, Moab Field Office

From: Chief, Branch of Minerals Roger L Bankert

Subject: Name Change Recognized

Attached is a copy of the Certificate of Name Change issued by the Texas Secretary of State and a decision letter recognizing the name change from the Eastern States Office. We have updated our records to reflect the name change in the attached list of leases.

The name change from **Questar Exploration and Production Company** into **QEP Energy Company** is effective June 8, 2010.

cc: MMS
UDOGM

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Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

Date: September 20, 2010

By:

NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PHONE NUMBER	TITLE
Jan Nelson	435 781-4331	Permit Agent
SIGNATURE N/A		**DATE** 9/15/2010

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Signature: Jan Nelson **Date:** 9/15/2010
Title: Permit Agent **Representing:** QEP ENERGY COMPANY

Date: September 20, 2010
By:

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Date: 09/27/2011

By: [signature]

NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PHONE NUMBER	TITLE
Valyn Davis	435 781-4369	Regulatory Affairs Analyst

SIGNATURE	DATE
N/A	9/20/2011

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Signature: Valyn Davis **Date:** 9/20/2011
Title: Regulatory Affairs Analyst **Representing:** QEP ENERGY COMPANY

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Date: September 17, 2012

By:

NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PHONE NUMBER	TITLE
Valyn Davis	435 781-4369	Regulatory Affairs Analyst

SIGNATURE	DATE
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Signature: Valyn Davis **Date:** 9/17/2012
Title: Regulatory Affairs Analyst **Representing:** QEP ENERGY COMPANY

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Date: September 18, 2013

By:

NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Valyn Davis

PHONE NUMBER 435 781-4369

TITLE Regulatory Affairs Analyst

SIGNATURE N/A

DATE 9/18/2013

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Green River District
Vernal Field Office
170 South 500 East
Vernal, UT 84078
http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en/fo/vernal.html

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IN REPLY REFER TO:
3160 (UTG011)

Jan Nelson
QEP Energy Company
11002 East 17500 South
Vernal, UT 84078

43 047 40353

Re: Request to Return APD
Well No. GH 15A-20-8-21
SWSE, Sec. 20, T8S, R21E
Uintah County, Utah
Lease No. UTU-0140740

Dear Jan:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the above referenced well received in this office on September 3, 2008, is being returned unapproved per your request to this office in an email message to Land Law Examiner Robin R. Hansen received on August 7, 2014. If you intend to drill at this location at a future date, a new APD must be submitted.

If you have any questions regarding APD processing, please contact Robin R. Hansen at (435) 781-3428.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jerry Kenczka

Jerry Kenczka
Assistant Field Manager
Lands & Resource Minerals

Enclosures

cc: UDOGM

bcc: Well File

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SIGNATURE	DATE
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- **Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or rightof- way, which could affect the proposed location?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Has the approved source of water for drilling changed?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation?** ○ **Yes** ◉ **No**
- **Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well?** ◉ **Yes** ○ **No**

Signature: Valyn Davis **Date:** 9/18/2014
Title: Regulatory Affairs Analyst **Representing:** QEP ENERGY COMPANY

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September 17, 2015

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Re: APD Rescinded – GH 15A-20-8-21, Sec. 20, T. 8S, R. 21E
Uintah County, Utah API No. 43-047-40353

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) on September 18, 2008. On September 22, 2009, September 20, 2010, September 27, 2011, September 17, 2012, September 18, 2013 and September 23, 2014 the Division granted a one-year APD extension. On September 16, 2015, you requested that the division rescind the state approved APD. No drilling activity at this location has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill the well is hereby rescinded, effective September 16, 2015.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

Diana Mason
Environmental Scientist

cc: Well File
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