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February 12, 2010

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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: 11,400' Zone, Reservoir G
Dulac Zone, Reservoir C
Tex W Zone, Reservoir B
Big Hum Zone, Reservoir B
Golden Meadow Field
Lafourche Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **APACHE CORPORATION** for the calling of public hearings, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the following: 11,400' Zone, Reservoir G, Dulac Zone, Reservoir C, Tex W Zone, Reservoir B, and Big Hum Zone, Reservoir B all in the Golden Meadow Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, said proposed units designated 11400 RG SUA, DULAC RC SUA, TEX W RB SUA, and BIG HUM RB SUA, all as shown on the plats attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the proposed intervals reference Item No. 1, in Golden Meadow Field, within or outside of the units created herein, should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
5. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The 11,400' Zone, Reservoir G, in the Golden Meadow Field is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 11,232 feet and 13,793 feet (electrical log measurements) in The Texas Company – LL&E No. 63 Well, located in Section 71, Township 19 South, Range 21 East, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

The Dulac Zone, Reservoir C, in the Golden Meadow Field is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 13,793 feet and 15,610 feet (electrical log

measurements) in The Texas Company – LL&E No. 63 Well, located in Section 71, Township 19 South, Range 21 East, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

The Tex W Zone, Reservoir B, in the Golden Meadow Field is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 11,974 feet and 14,261 feet (electrical log measurements) (true vertical depths of 11,194 feet and 12,377 feet) in the Apache Corporation – LL&E No. 236 ST No. 2 Well, located in Section 23, Township 19 South, Range 21 East, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

The Big Hum Zone, Reservoir B, in the Golden Meadow Field is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 14,261 feet and 16,294 feet (electrical log measurements) (true vertical depths of 12,377 feet and 13,266 feet) in the Apache Corporation – LL&E No. 236 ST No. 2 Well, located in Section 23, Township 19 South, Range 21 East, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

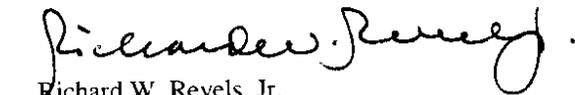
Any pertinent data, including well logs, not available from the Office of Conservation, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Bill Dale of W. H. Robbins & Associates, L.L.C., 302 La Rue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone Number (337) 232-5004.

Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for February 25, 2010, **WILL NOT BE HELD**.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals, along with a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the list of parties is being furnished **ONLY** to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$3,020.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

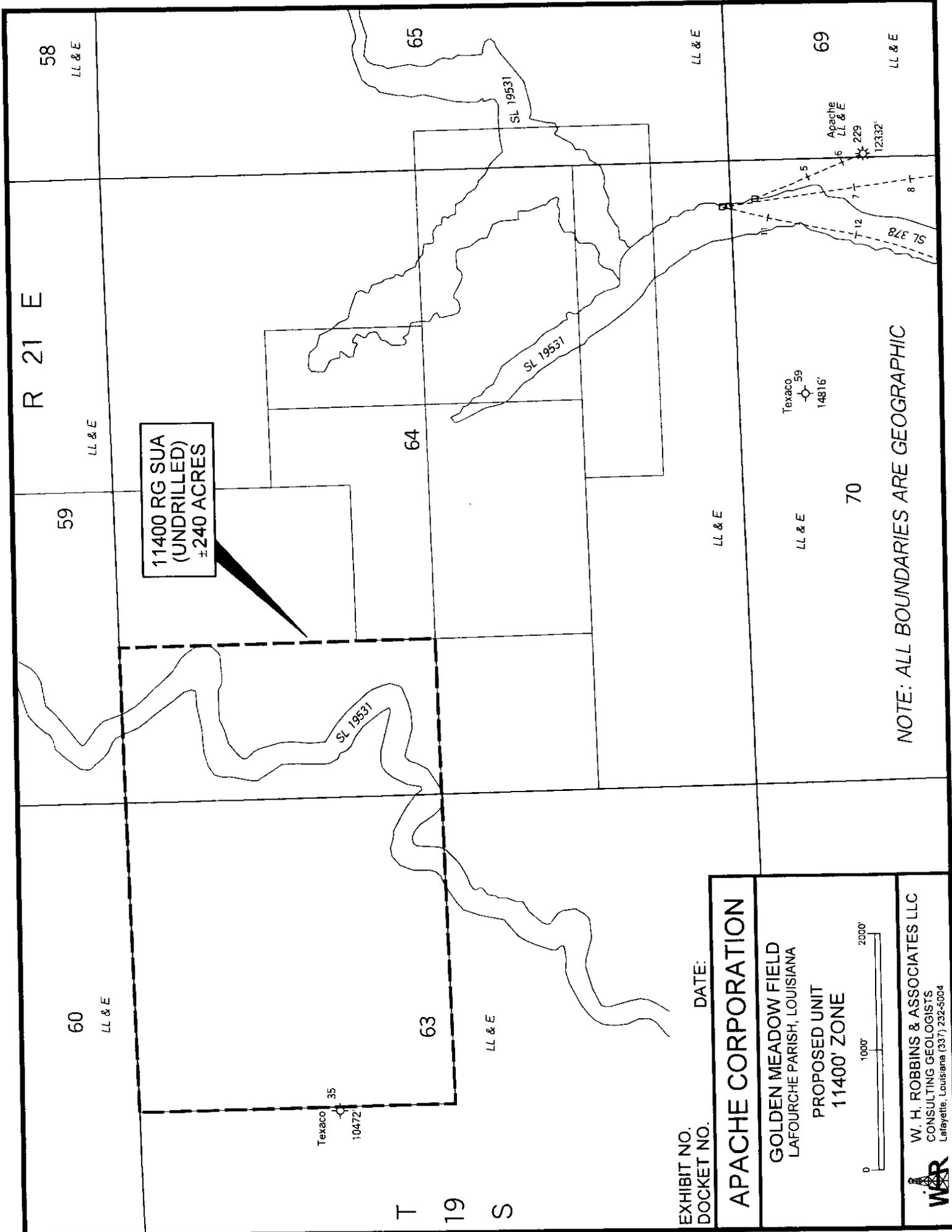
Very truly yours,


Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Enclosures

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cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties



11400 RG SUA
(UNDRILLED)
±240 ACRES

EXHIBIT NO. _____ DATE: _____
 DOCKET NO. _____

APACHE CORPORATION

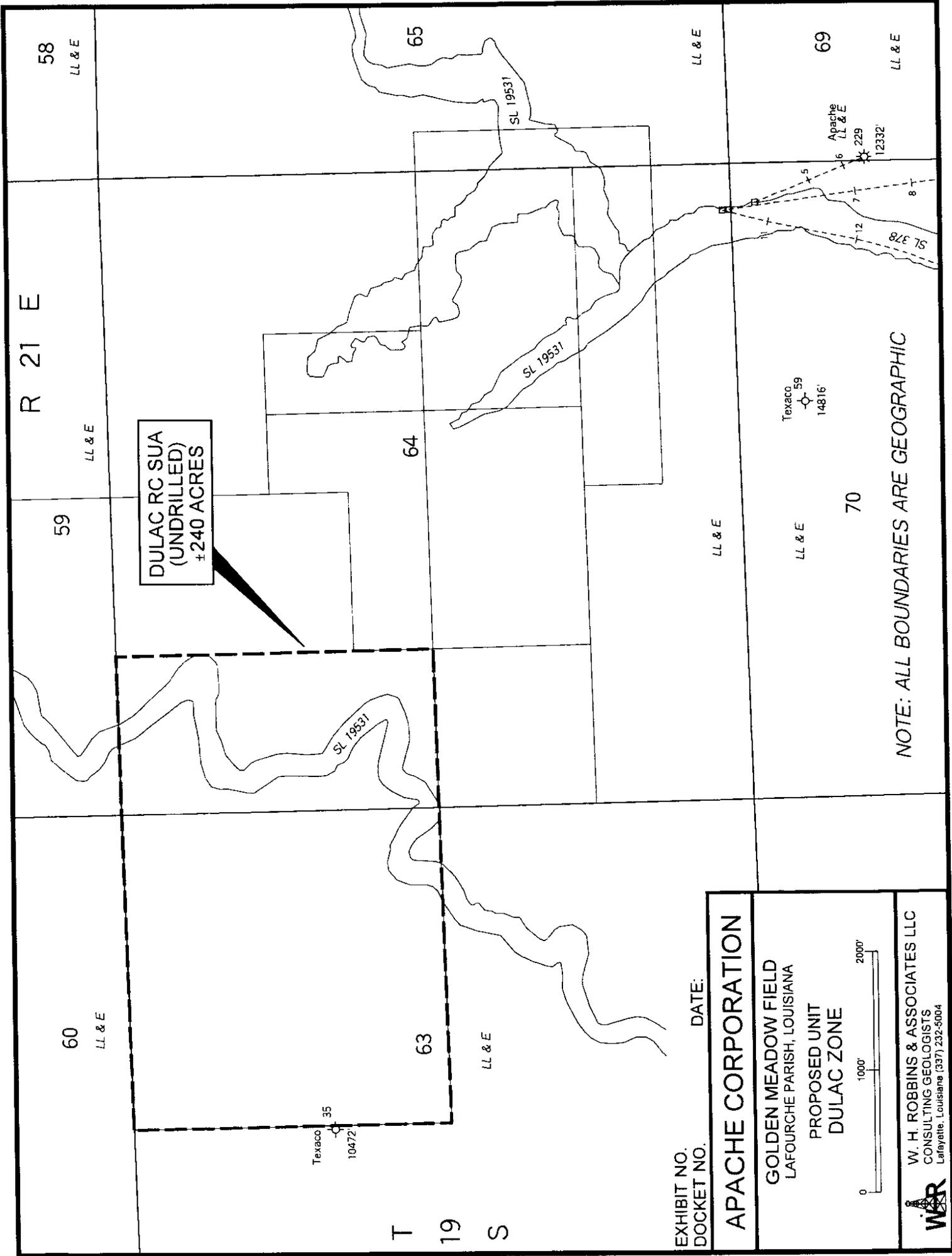
GOLDEN MEADOW FIELD
 LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
 11400' ZONE

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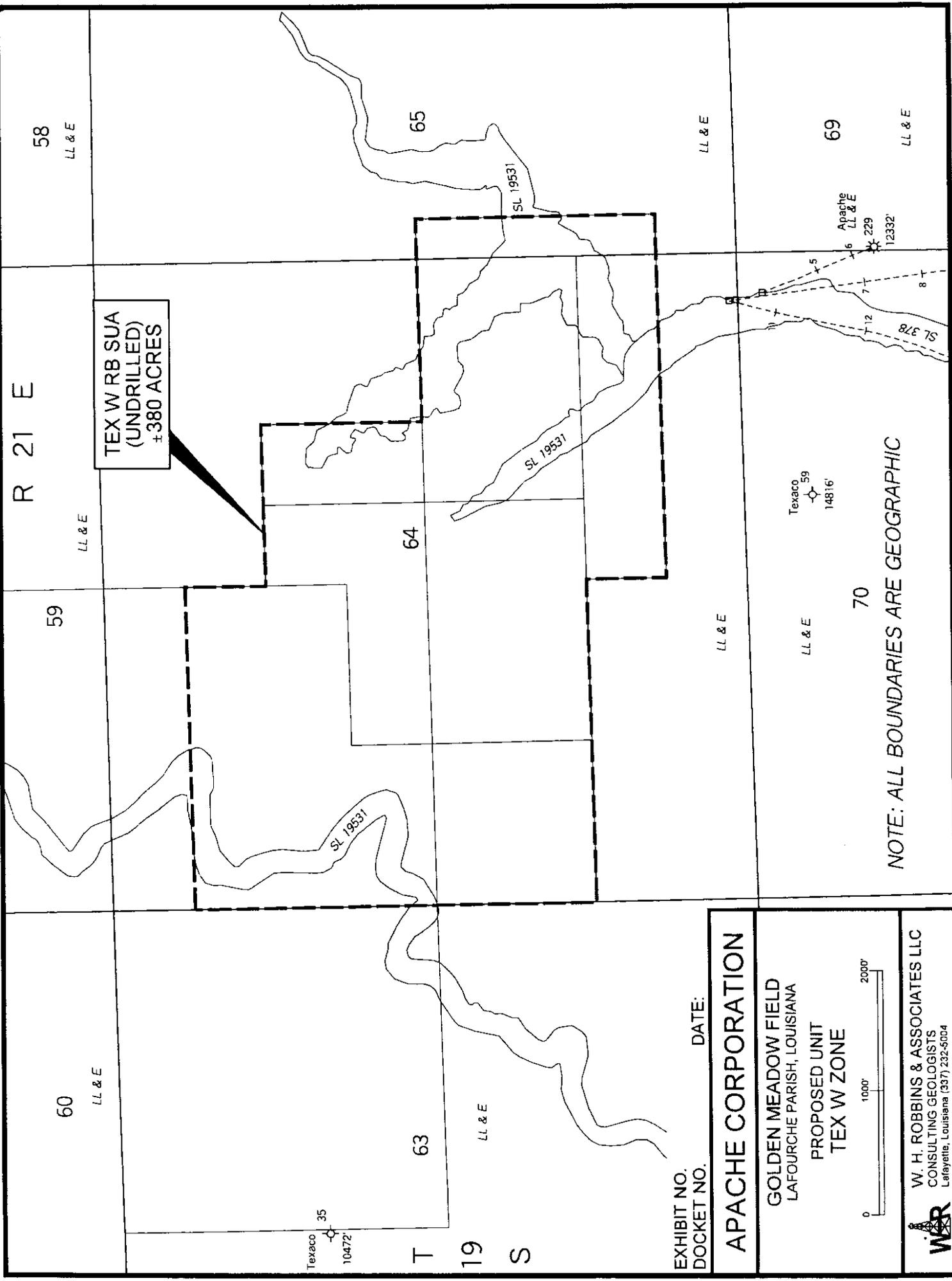
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GOLDEN MEADOW FIELD
 LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
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R 21 E

58
LL & E

59
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60
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TEX W RB SUA
(UNDRILLED)
±380 ACRES

64
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70
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Texaco 35
10472'

Texaco 59
14816'



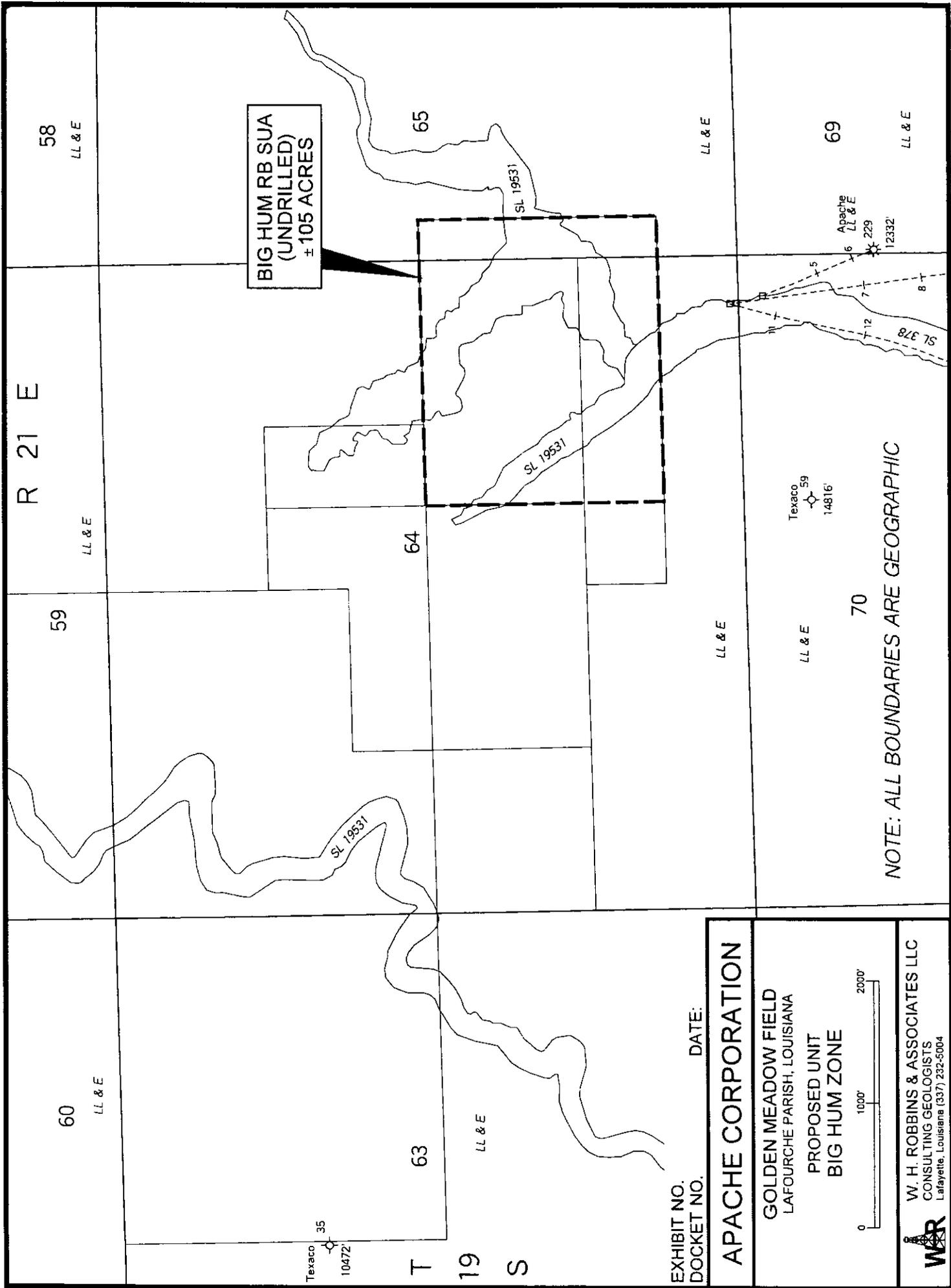
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LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
TEX W ZONE

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**BIG HUM RB SUA
(UNDRILLED)
± 105 ACRES**

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LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
BIG HUM ZONE

0 1000' 2000'

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