



PERMIT NO.: <u>97-0009</u>	
SHOT HOLE OPERATIONS: <u>60 ft</u> <u>10*</u>	*NON-EXPLOSIVE OPERATIONS:

SECTION 1

GEOPHYSICAL CONTRACTOR: <u>Reliable Exploration INC</u>	
PROJECT NAME AND NUMBER: <u>Choctaw - Moline Lake 3D</u>	COUNTY(S): <u>McKenzie</u>
TOWNSHIP(S): <u>T 148, 149 N</u>	RANGE(S): <u>R 102, 103 W</u>
DRILLING & PLUGGING CONTRACTORS:	
DATE COMMENCED: <u>12-15-97</u>	DATE COMPLETED: <u>12-19-97</u>

SECTION 2

FIRST S.P. #: <u>Total 496 holes</u>	LAST S.P. #:
LOADED HOLES (UNDETONATED SHOT POINTS)	
S.P. #'s:	
CHARGE SIZE:	
DEPTH:	
REASONS HOLES WERE NOT SHOT: <u>None</u>	

SECTION 3

FLOWING HOLES AND/OR BLOWOUTS: S.P.#'s <u>See attached</u> <u>Blow-out 519148 (527147?)</u>
PROCEDURE FOR PLUGGING FLOWING HOLES: AND/OR BLOWOUTS:

Include a 7.5 minute USGS topographic quadrangle map or a computer generated post-plot facsimile of the approximate scale displaying each individual shot hole, SP #, line #, and legal location.

*Non-Explosive Operations - Complete Section 1 and Affidavit.

AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLETION (GEOPHYSICAL CONTRACTOR)

STATE OF ~~NORTH DAKOTA~~ ^{Montana})
)
COUNTY OF Yellowstone)

Before me, Marybeth Barnby, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, this day personally appeared Allen Rein who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that (s)he is employed by Reliable Exploration Inc., that (s)he has read North Dakota Century Code Section 38-08.1, that the foregoing seismic project has been completed in accordance with North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43-02-12 and that the statements on the reverse side of this document are true.

Allen Rein
Geophysical Contractor Representative

Subscribed in my presence and sworn before me this 22 day of JANUARY, 1998.

Notary Public Marybeth Barnby

My Commission Expires 4-15-00

PERMIT NUMBER: 97-0009

AFFIDAVIT OF PLUGGING (HOLE PLUGGER)



STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA)
)
COUNTY OF McKenzie)

Before me, George Ray Louis Oberfell a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, this day personally appeared George Ray who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that (s)he is employed by Buckskin Services, Inc., that (s)he has read North Dakota Century Code Section 38-08.1 and that the foregoing seismic project has been plugged in accordance with North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43-02-12 and that the statements on the attached documents are true.

George Ray
Hole Plugger Representative

Subscribed in my presence and sworn before me this 20th day of January, 1998.

Notary Public George M. Oberfell

My Commission Expires 6-26-99



SUNDRY NOTICE
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA
OIL AND GAS DIVISION
 SFN 51458 (11-97)

PERMIT # 97-0009
 600 E BOULEVARD AVE
 BISMARCK, ND 58505

Project Name: Christaw Oilfield Moline 3-1

County: McKenzie Co. W.D.

Supplemental Information:

Buckskin started plugging the Moline prospect on 11-7-97 and finished 11-25-97. Buckskin plugged all 490 holes and used 1247 bags of cement plug. Averaging 2.5 bags per hole. average hole depth 65 feet. H. log pluggers included on this prospect were as follows: Don't Flippo, Jack Henderson, Mike Reitz, Ron Barand. This prospect was drilled out with two conventional rigs.

B.S.

Company: Buckskin Services

Address: B 919-12th SW

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City: <u>Sidney</u>	State: <u>MT.</u>	Zip Code: <u>59270</u>	Date Received: <u>1-20-98</u>
By: <u>Jaime Day</u>	Date: <u>1/20/98</u>	By: <u>David E. Hill</u>	
Title: <u>President</u>	Telephone Number: <u>406-482-1143</u>	Title: <u>Geophysical Regulatory Supv.</u>	

NORTH DAKOTA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

Wesley D. Norton
DIRECTOR

F.E. Wilborn
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

January 14, 1998

Mr. Allen Rein
Reliable Exploration Corporation
868 Parkway Lane
Billings, MT 59101

RE: Completion Information
Choctaw-Moline Lake 3D
ND Permit No. 97-0009

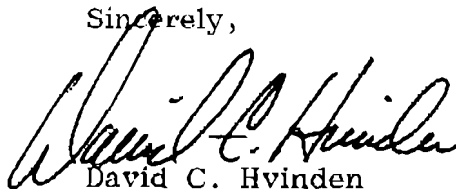
Dear Allie:

Please be advised that pursuant to North Dakota Administrative Code Section 43-02-12-06 (enclosed) any person performing geophysical exploration shall file a seismic completion report within thirty days of completion of the project.

For your convenience I have enclosed a few copies of our seismic completion reports. Please complete and submit the report and affidavit along with the required post-plot map.

Should you have any questions with regard to this matter, feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,



David C. Hvinden
Geophysical Regulation Supervisor

DCH/th
enc.



968 Parkway Lane
 Billings, Montana 59101

(406) 259-1860
 FAX (406) 259-8589

FAX TRANSMITTAL FORM

DATE: 10/29/97

TO: Dave Hvinden

FROM: Betsy Barnby

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MESSAGE:

Dave - Enclosed please ^{find} a revised program for Choctaw - Moline Lake 3-D

Program had to be shifted to the East due to Sather Lake Area turning into wilderness area as per the Forest Service.



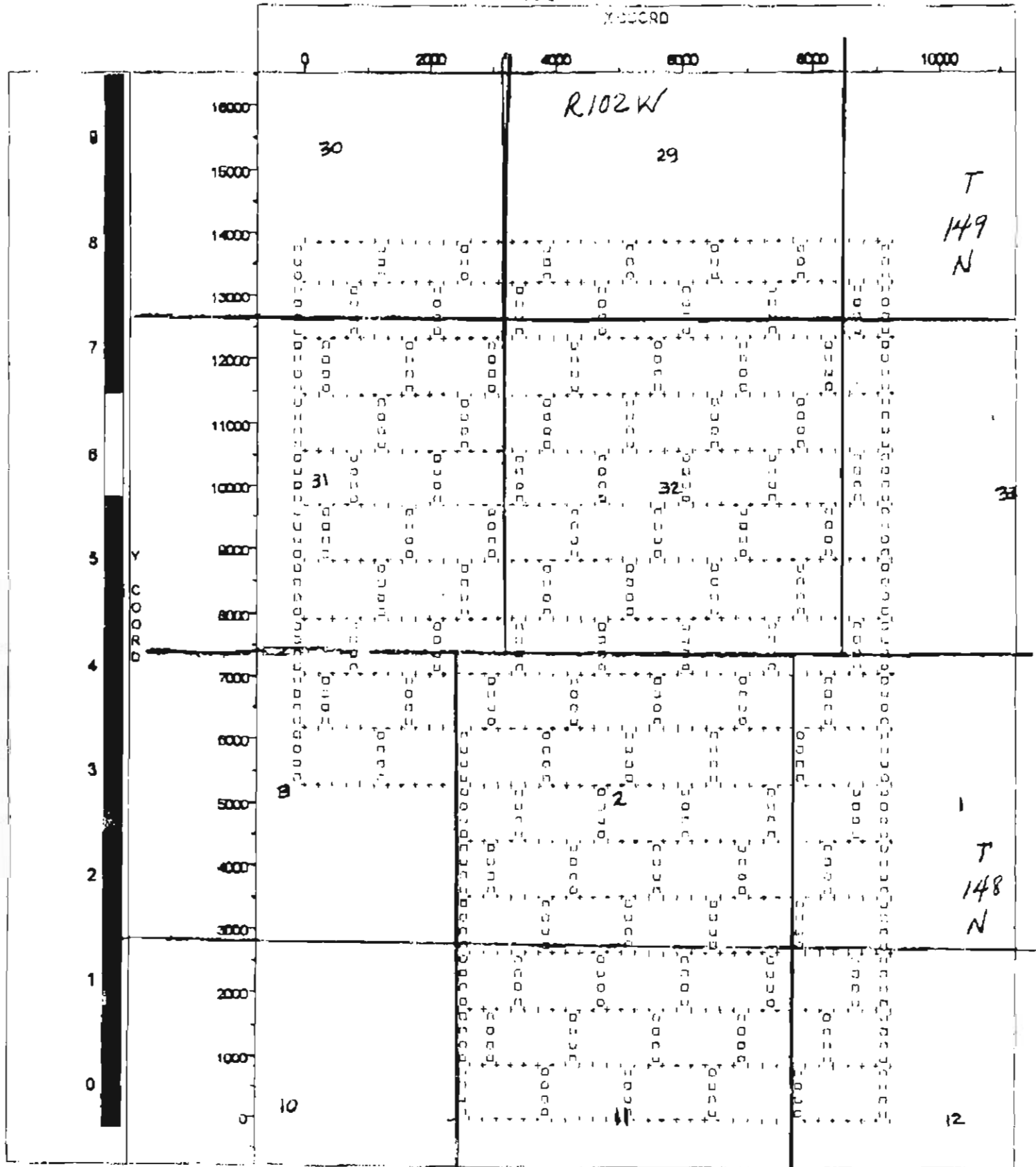
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CHOCTAW - MOline Lake #3, 659 stn, 496 sp, 110'x110' bins

Scale: X: 2000.00ft/in Y: 2000.00ft/in



R103W

- Revised -

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NORTH DAKOTA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

Wesley D. Norton
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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

September 22, 1997

The Honorable Frances M. Olson
McKenzie County Auditor
P.O. Box 543
Watford City, ND 58854

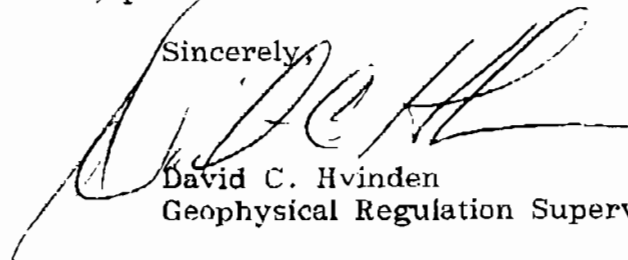
RE: Geophysical Exploration
Permit #97-0009

Dear Mr. Olson:

Pursuant to Section 38-08.1-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, please be advised that Reliable Exploration Inc. was issued the above captioned permit on September 22, 1997 and will remain in effect for a period of one year.

Should you have any question, please contact our office.

Sincerely,



David C. Hvinden
Geophysical Regulation Supervisor

DCH/dh

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ENGAGE IN GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION
 INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA
 OIL AND GAS DIVISION

OIL AND GAS DIVISION
 600 E BOULEVARD AVE
 BISMARCK, ND 58505



1) a. Company
RELIABLE EXPLORATION, INC.

b. Permanent Address & Telephone Number
868 Parkway Lane Billings, MT 59101

c. Name & Telephone Number of Company Representative
Allen Rein (406)259-1860

2) Registered Agent & Address
Fred E. Whisenand P.O. Box 1206 Williston, ND 58802 (701) 572-2200

3) a. Surety Company & Address
Amwest Surety Co. Woodland Hills, CA

b. Bond Type & Number
 Shot-Hole Non-Explosive Driller/Hole Plugger
\$50,000 No. 1140460 \$25,000 No. \$10,000 No.

c. Bond Expiration _____

4) a. Subcontractor (check)
 Driller XX Hole Plugger XX

b. Permanent Address & Telephone Number
X

c. Name & Telephone Number of Company Representative
X

5) a. Surety Company & Address
X

b. Bond Number _____ Expiration _____
X

6) Location of Proposed Project
 County(s) Mc Kenzie

Section(s), Township(s) & Range(s)	Sec. <u>23,24,25,26,35,36</u>	T <u>T 149 N</u>	R <u>103 W</u>
	Sec. <u>19,20,21,28,29,30,31,32,33</u>	T <u>T 149 N</u>	R <u>102 W</u>
	Sec. <u>1,2,3,4</u>	T <u>T 148 N</u>	R <u>103 W</u>

7) Size of Hole	Amount of Charge	Depth	Shots Per Mile	Number of Miles	Identifying Marks Used on Non-metallic Plug
<u>4 3/4</u>	<u>10#</u>	<u>60 ft or shale</u>	<u>approx. 1020 SPS</u>	<u>approx. 10 sq miles</u>	<u>REL</u>

8) a. Proposed hole plugging procedure.
 b. If other than shot-hole describe method of geophysical operation.

9) a. Project Name or Line Numbers <u>CHOCIAW - MOLINE LAKE 3-D PROSPECT</u>	b. Approx. Date Work Will Start <u>10/15/97</u>	c. Approx. Date of Completion <u>11/15/97</u>
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10) Enclose a Bureau of Land Management Map (1" = 2 Miles) with proposed line on it.

SIGNED Allen Rein TITLE President DATE 9/18/97

(This space for State office use)

11) NO. 97-0009 DATE 9/22/97

APPROVAL DATE 9-22-97

APPROVED BY [Signature]
 Geophysical Regulation Supervisor

12) Approvals sent McKenzie 9/22/97

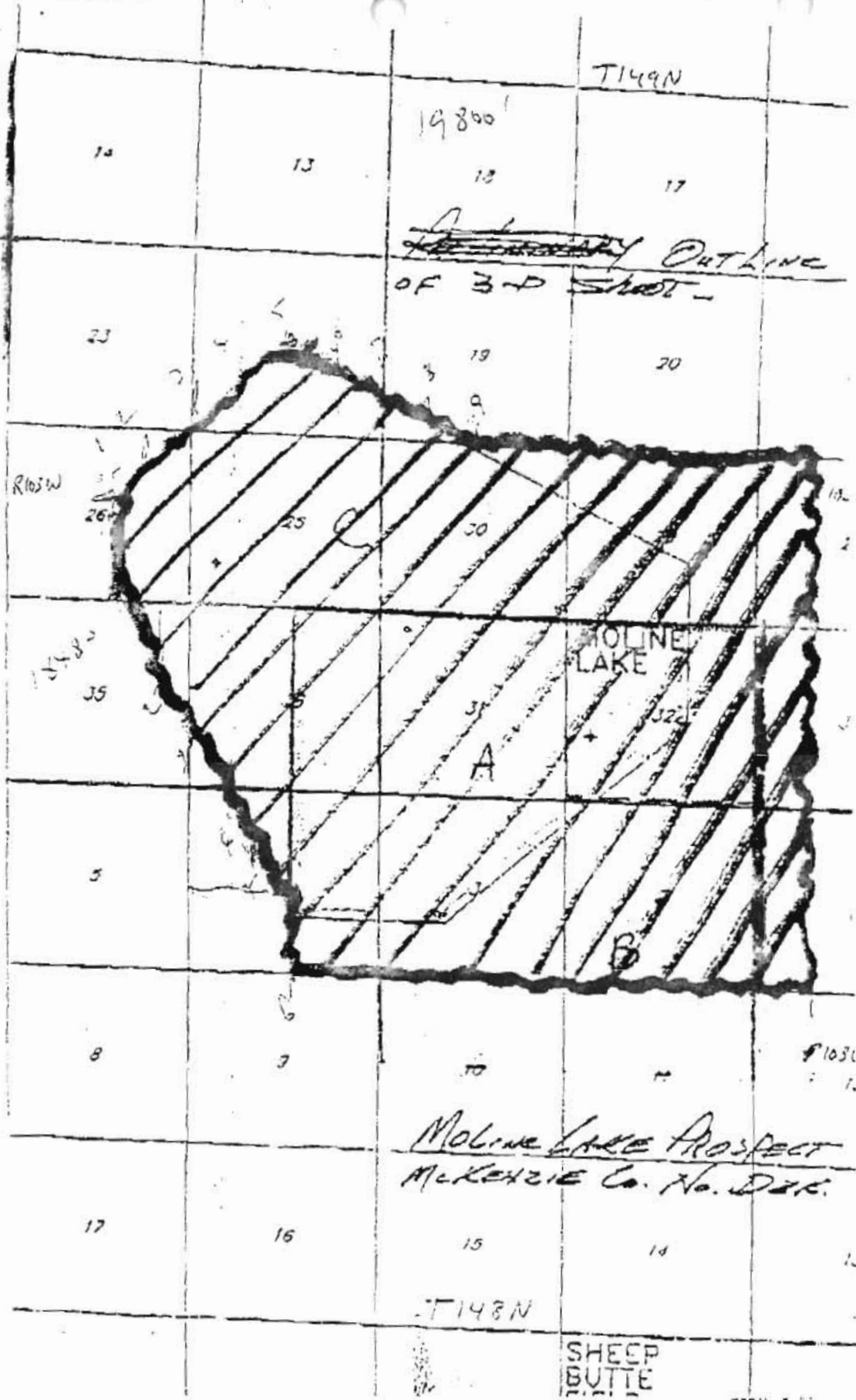
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL IF ANY:
 Permit approved on condition that subsequent maps to be submitted describe the land in good standing and submitted prior to commencement of any drilling or geophysical operations.
[Signature]

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FROM T149N GEOPHYSICAL LOGS

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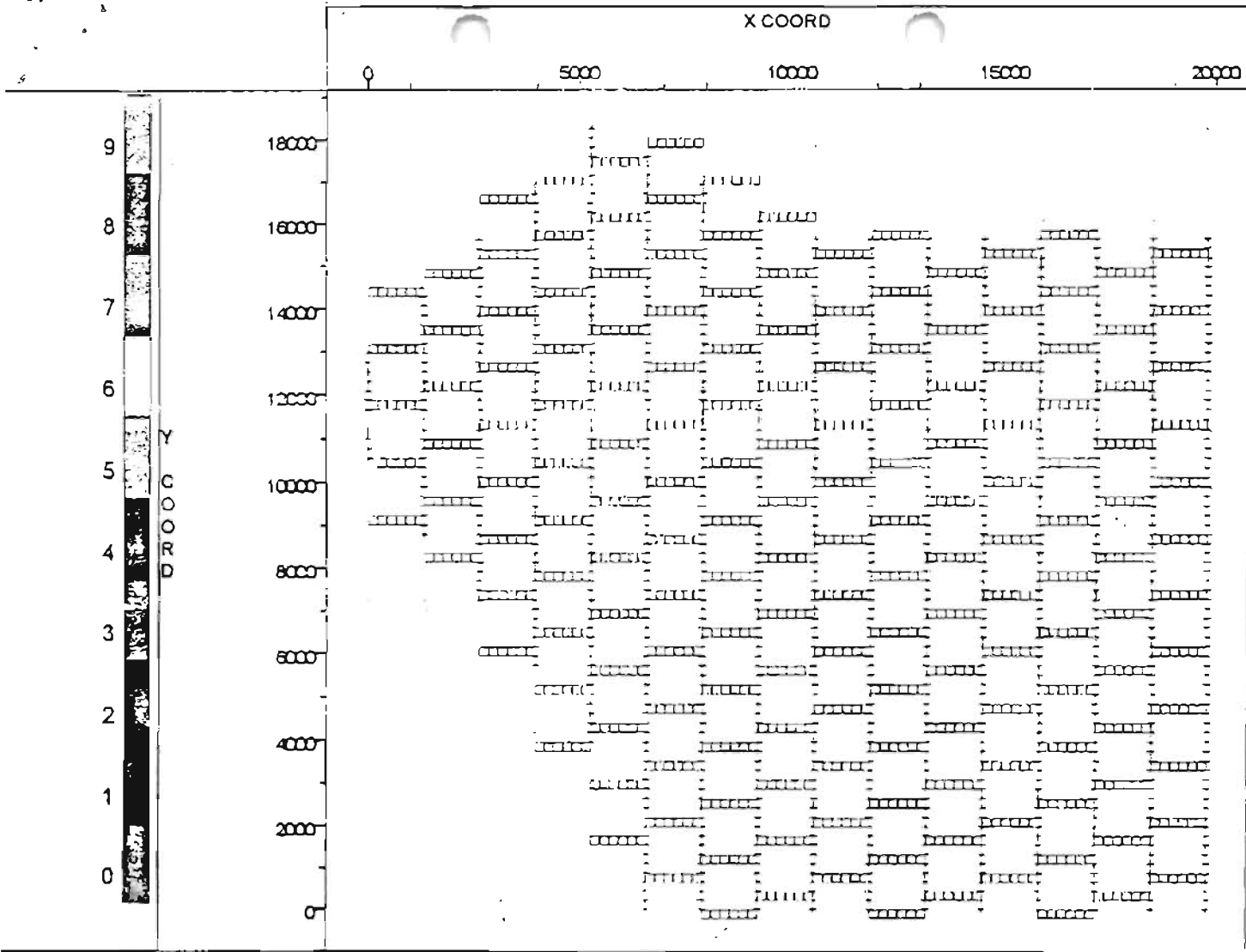


1008 rec
1020 some

1035 SP
1026 SP

Moline Lake Prospect
McKENZIE Co. No. D&K.

SHEEP BUTTE



Alice -
 I think this is the one we will
 go with - we may want to go with an
 8 line patch if possible - please call
 and let me know.

Sharon



NORTH DAKOTA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

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September 22, 1997

Allen Rein
Reliable Exploration, Inc.
868 Parkway Lane
Billings, MT 59101


**RE: GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT NO. 97-0009
CHOCTAW-MOLINE LAKE 3-D PROSPECT**

Dear Mr. Rein:

This letter will verify the approval of the above-captioned Geophysical Permit effective September 22, 1997.

Please feel free to contact Mr. David Hvinden, Geophysical Regulation Supervisor if you should have any questions.

Sincerely,


Marge Rixen
Legal Assistant

/mr

Enc.