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January 31, 2012

David Bauer
Weld County
1111 H Street
Greeley, CO 80632

Re: 30 Day Notice Requirement (Rule 305)
Advance Notice of Drilling Operations

Crow Valley 7-62-30-2H Well
SESW Section 30, Township 7N, Range 62W
437' FSL and 2137' FWL
Weld County, Colorado

Crow Valley 7-62-31-2H Well
SESW Section 30, Township 7N, Range 62W
407' FSL and 2142' FWL
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Bauer:

Marathon Oil Company ("Marathon") is filing Applications for Permit to Drill with the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission for the above referenced wells.

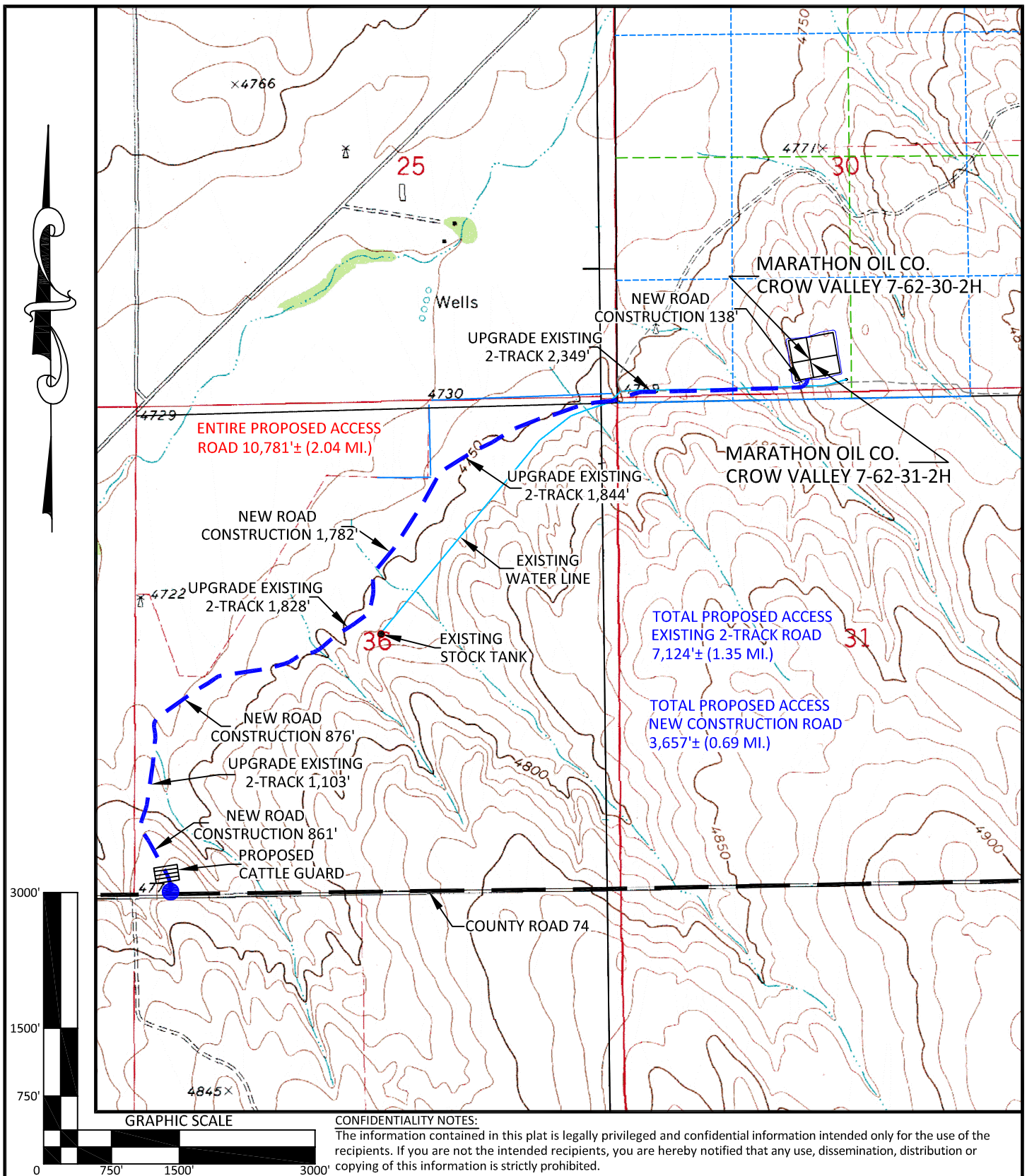
The enclosed notification, pursuant to Rule 305, is required as part of the filing process. Please contact Greg Ralston, Marathon Land Representative, at 713-296-2409 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Erin Bibeau'.

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Enclosures: Well Location Plat
Pad & Road Location Plats



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DRAWN BY: BW CHECKED BY: RAW
 PROJECT NO: 762302H JOB NO: 2011001
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LEGEND

PROPOSED ACCESS ———
 EXISTING 2-TRACK ———
 EXISTING ROAD ———
 1/16 LINE ———
 1/4 LINE ———
 SECTION LINE ———

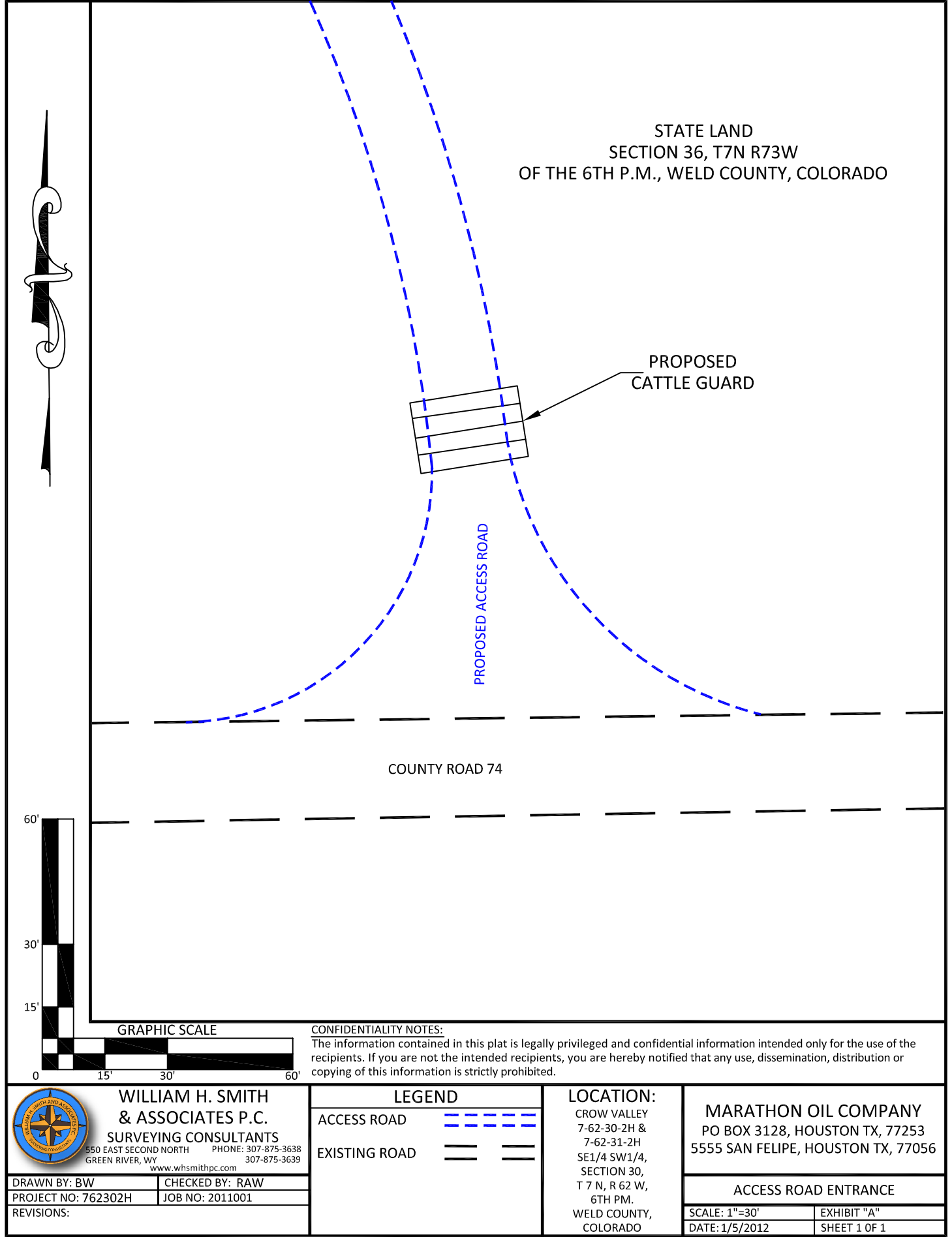
LOCATION:

CROW VALLEY
 7-62-30-2H &
 7-62-31-2H
 SE1/4 SW1/4,
 SECTION 30,
 T 7 N, R 62 W,
 6TH PM.
 WELD COUNTY,
 COLORADO

MARATHON OIL COMPANY
 PO BOX 3128, HOUSTON TX, 77253
 5555 SAN FELIPE, HOUSTON TX, 77056

ACCESS ROAD MAP

SCALE: 1"=1500' EXHIBIT "E"
 DATE: 1/5/2012 SHEET 4 OF 15



Site plan for Marathon Oil Co. Crow Valley 7-62-30-2H and 7-62-31-2H. The plan shows a proposed pad at elevation 4811.0' with two center points (C 1.8). It includes a proposed access road, a proposed culvert, and a proposed expansion area. Key features include a spoil pile, area for snow removal, and an earthen berm. The plan also shows existing buried water lines, a water valve, and an existing 2-track line. A Colorado License stamp for Rodney A. Watts, No. 16847, is visible in the bottom right corner.

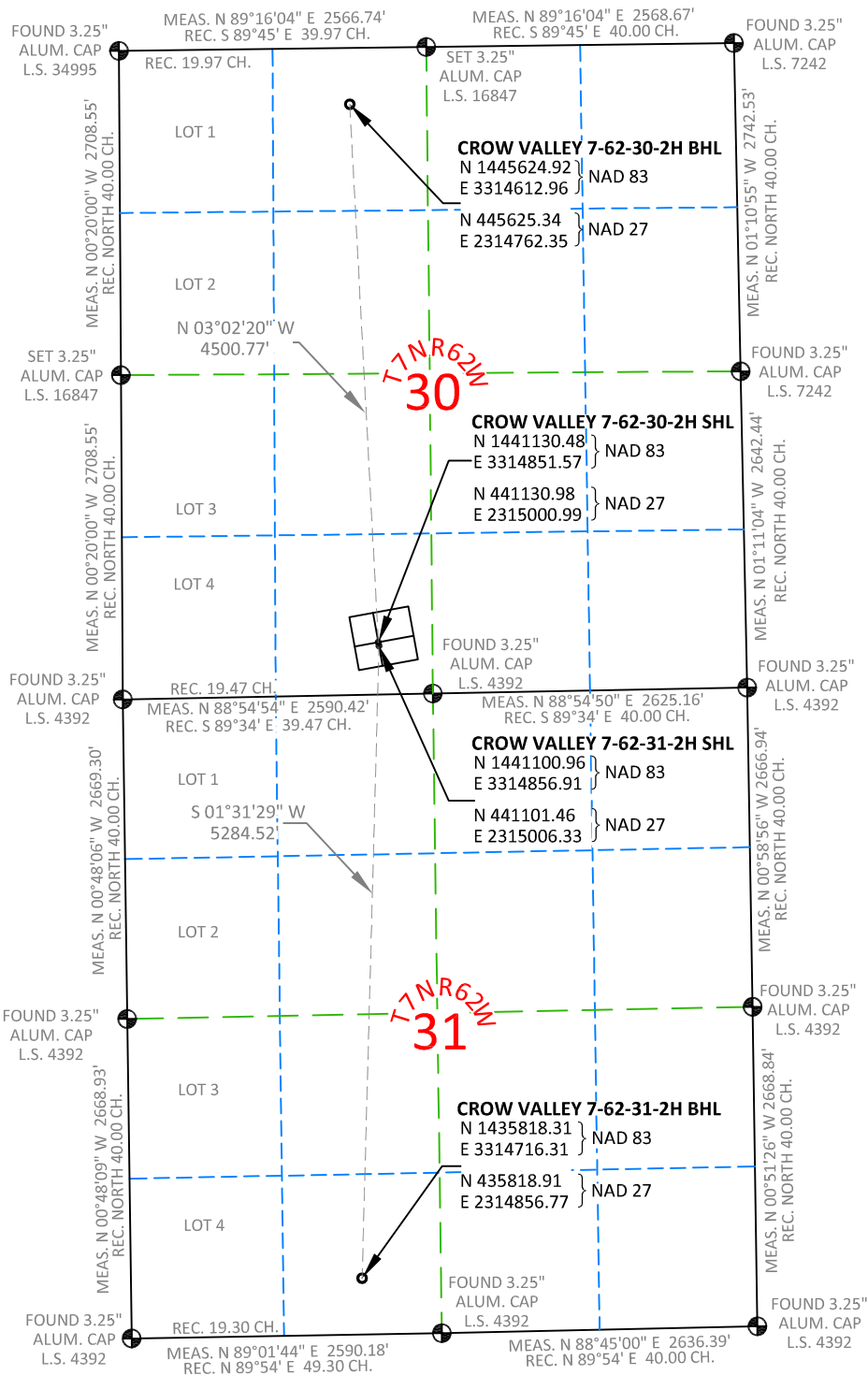
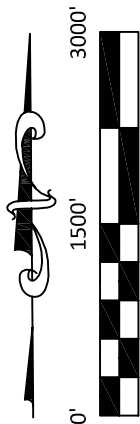
- Elevation of pad shown on plans are to constructed pad without final gravel padding placement. Depth, volume, and padding material to be determined by operator.
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CUT SLOPE:	3:1
FILL SLOPE:	3:1
TOTAL CUT:	24,807 CU. YDS.
TOTAL FILL:	19,212 CU. YDS.
TOP SOIL AT 6"	5,008 CU. YDS.
SPOIL	587 CU. YDS.
DISTURBED AREA	270,441 SQ. FT.
DISTURBED AREA	6.21 ACRES

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407' FSL	2137' FWL
SCALE: 1"=100'	EXHIBIT "I"
DATE: 11/30/2011	SHEET 8 of 15



NOTES:

- All bearings and distances are **GRID**, based on the Colorado State Plane Coordinate System, North Zone, North American Datum 1983 from GPS observations occupying a WHS control point (5/8" rebar) and having the Location and Elevation derived from an Opus Solution.
- Vertical Datum used is of NAVD 88.
- Record Bearings and Distances as shown are based on the General Land Office Survey plat approved on the 16th day of December 1872.



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MULTI WELL PAD

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