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DISTRICT III 1000 Rie Brazos Rd., Axtec, NM 57410

DISTRICT IV
1880 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Pa, 101 87505

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

AMENDED REPORT

#### WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

| API Number       |         |           | 7  | Pool Code<br>49 CC |                 |                  |                   |   |        |
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| ogrid n<br>16268 |         | CIA       | Operator Name CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF COLORADO |                    |                 |                  | Elevation<br>3464 |   |        |
|                  |         |           | ·· •   |                    | Surface Loc     | ation            |                   | • |        |
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED
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| 3467.7°_2 3468.4°<br>990°-1   | Tank 29 Fed #1 |              |           |              | OPERATOR CERTIFICATION  I hereby certify that the information comfained herein is true and complete to the test of my knowledge and holid, and that this organization either some a wereing interest or unlessed mineral interest to the lead including the proposed bettern hole leading pursuand it a contract with an easier of such a mineral or writing interest, or to a columnary posting agreement or a computary posting order hereinger outered by the division.  |
| Let N32'06'23.0"<br>Long W104'19'13.3"<br>NMSPCE-N 402444.1<br>E 545352.9<br>(NAD-83) |                |              |           |              | Zeno Farris  Zeno Farris  Printed Name  |
|   |                |              |           |              | SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION  I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was pictled from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervison, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.  |
|   |                |              |           |              | JANUARY 9 2007  Date Survey 1 L. Same Profesion Listers 9 8 MR 1 Profesion Listers 9 MR |
|   |                |              | <u> </u>  |              | Certificate No. Gary L. Jones 7977  BASIN SURVEYS   |

## **Application to Drill**

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado Tank 29 Federal No. 1 Unit D Section 29 T25S R26E Eddy County, NM

In response to questions asked under Section II B of Bulletin NTL-6 the following information is provided for your consideration:

1 Location:

660' FNL & 990' FWL

2 Elevation above sea level:

GR 3464'

3 Geologic name of surface formation:

**Quaternery Alluvium Deposits** 

4 Drilling tools and associated equipment:

Conventional rotary drilling rig using fluid as a circulating medium for solids

removal.

5 Proposed drilling depth:

12650'

6 Estimated tops of geological markers:

| Base Salt          | 1581 | Cisco-Canyon  | 10131 |
|--------------------|------|---------------|-------|
| Delaware           | 1812 | Strawn        | 10436 |
| Bone Spring        | 5331 | Atoka         | 10653 |
| 1st Bone Spring Ss | 6203 | Morrow        | 11180 |
| 2nd Bone Spring Ss | 7516 | Middle Morrow | 11677 |
| 3rd Bone Spring Ss | 8004 | Lower Morrow  | 11981 |
| Wolfcamp           | 8406 |               |       |

## 7 Possible mineral bearing formation:

Wolfcamp Oil Cisco-Canyon Oil Morrow Gas

## 8 Casing program:

| <br>Hole Size | Interval | Casing OD | Weight | Thread | Collar | Grade |
|---------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| 17-1/2"       | 0-220'   | 13-3/8"   | 48#    | 8-R    | ST&C   | H-40  |
| 12-1/4"       | 0-2700'  | 9-5/8"    | 40#    | 8-R    | LT&C   | J-55  |
| 8-3/4"        | 0-10000' | 7"        | 26#    | 8-R    | LT&C   | N-80  |
| 6-1/8"        | 0-12650' | 4-1/2"    | 11.6#  | 8-R    | LT&C   | P-110 |

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#### 9 Cementing & Setting Depth:

|         |                | · ·   |
|---------|----------------|---|
| 13-3/8" | Surface        | Set 220' of 13-3/8" H-40 48 # ST&C casing. Cement with 220 Sx. Of Class "C" cement + additives, circulate cement to surface.  |
| 9-5/8"  | Intermediate   | Set 2700' of 9-5/8" J-55 40# LT&C casing. Cement with 775 Sx. Of Class POZ/C Cement + additives. Circulate cement to surface. |
| 7"      | Intermediate 2 | Set 10000' of 7" N-80 26# LT&C casing. Cement with 570 Sx. Super H + additives. Circulate cement to surface.                  |
| 4-1/2"  | Production     | Set 12650' of 4-1/2" P-110 11.6# LT&C casing. Cement with 250 Sx. Super H + additives. TOC 7880'.                             |

#### 10 Pressure control Equipment:

Exhibit "E". A 13 3/8" 5000 PSI working pressure B.O.P. consisting of one set of blind rams and one set of pipe rams and a 5000 # annular type preventer. A choke manifold and 120 gallon accumulator with floor and remote operating stations and auxiliary power system. Rotating head below 6000'. A kelly cock will be installed and maintained in operable condition and a drill string safety valve in the open position will be available on the rig floor. BOP unit will be hydraulically operated. BOP will be nippled up on the 9 5/8" casing and will be operated at least once a day while drilling and the blind rams will be operated when out of hole during trips. No abnormal pressure or temperature is expected while drilling.

### 11 Proposed Mud Circulating System:

| Depth           | Mud Wt     | Viscosity | Fluid Loss     | Type Mud   |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|----------------|--|
| 0 - 220'        | 8.4 - 8.6  | 30 - 32   | May lose circ. | Fresh water spud mud. Add paper to control seepage and high viscosity sweeps to clean hole.                                      |
| 220' - 2700'    | 9.7 - 9.9  | 28 - 29   | May lose circ. | Brine water. Add paper as needed to control seepage and add lime to control pH (9-10).  Use high viscosity sweeps to clean hole. |
| 2700' - 8300'   | 8.4 - 9.9  | 28 - 29   | NC             | Brine water. Paper for seepage. Lime for PH (9 - 9.5)  |
| 8300' - 10000'  | 8.45 - 8.9 | 28 - 29   | NC             | Cut brine. Caustic for pH control.   |
| 10000' - 12650' | 8.9 - 9.7  | 29 - 45   | NC             | Cut Brine. Caustic for pH control.   |

Sufficient mud materials will be kept on location at all times in order to combat lost circulation, or unexpected kicks. In order to run DSTs, open hole logs, and casing, the viscosity and water loss may have to be adjusted in order to meet these needs. Mud system monitoring equipment with derrick floor indicators and visual/audio alarms shall be installed and operative prior to drilling into the Wolfcamp formation. This equipment will remain in use until production casing is run and cemented.

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#### 12 Testing, Logging and Coring Program:

- A. Mud logging program: Two-man unit from 2700' to TD
- B. Electric logging program: CNL/LDT/CAL/GR, DLL/CAL/GR
- C. No DSTs or cores are planned at this time.

#### 13 Potential Hazards:

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are expected. The area has a potiential H2S hazard. An H2S drilling plan is attached. Adequate flare lines will be installed off the mud / gas separator where gas may be flared safely. All personnel will be familiar with all aspects of safe operation of equipment being used. Estimated BHP 6000 PSI, estimated BHT 175.

#### 14 Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations:

Road and location construction will begin after BLM approval of APD. Anticipated spud date as soon as approved. Drilling expected to take <u>35-45</u> days. If production casing is run an additional 30 days will be required to complete and construct surface facilities.

### 15 Other Facets of Operations:

After running casing, cased hole gamma ray neutron collar logs will be run from total depth over possible pay intervals. The <u>Morrow</u> pay will be perforated and stimulated. The well will be tested and potentialed as a gas well.

## **Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operations Plan**

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado Tank 29 Federal No. 1 Unit D Section 29 T25S R26E Eddy County, NM

- 1 All Company and Contract personnel admitted on location must be trained by a qualified H2S safety instructor to the following:
  - A. Characteristics of H2S
  - B. Physical effects and hazards
  - C. Proper use of safety equipment and life support systems.
  - Principle and operation of H2S detectors, warning system and briefing areas.
  - E. Evacuation procedure, routes and first aid.
  - F. Proper use of 30 minute pressure demand air pack.
- 2 H2S Detection and Alarm Systems
  - A. H2S detectors and audio alarm system to be located at bell nipple, end of flow line (mud pit) and on derrick floor or doghouse.
- 3 Windsock and/or wind streamers
  - A. Windsock at mudpit area should be high enough to be visible.
  - B. Windsock at briefing area should be high enough to be visible.
- 4 Condition Flags and Signs
  - A. Warning sign on access road to location.
  - B. Flags to be displayed on sign at entrance to location. Green flag indicates normal safe condition. Yellow flag indicates potential pressure and danger. Red flag indicates danger (H2S present in dangerous concentration). Only emergency personnel admitted to location.
- 5 Well control equipment
  - A. See exhibit "E"
- 6 Communication
  - A. While working under masks chalkboards will be used for communication.
  - B. Hand signals will be used where chalk board is inappropriate.
  - C. Two way radio will be used to communicate off location in case of emergency help is required. In most cases cellular telephones will be available at most drilling foreman's trailer or living quarters.
- 7 Drillstem Testing not anticipated.

## **Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling Operations Plan**

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- 8 Drilling contractor supervisor will be required to be familiar with the effects H2S has on tubular goods and other mechanical equipment.
- 9 If H2S is encountered, mud system will be altered if necessary to maintain control of formation. A mud gas seperator will be brought into service along with H2S scavengers if necessary.

#### Surface Use Plan

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado Tank 29 Federal No. 1 Unit D Section 29 T25S R26E Eddy County, NM

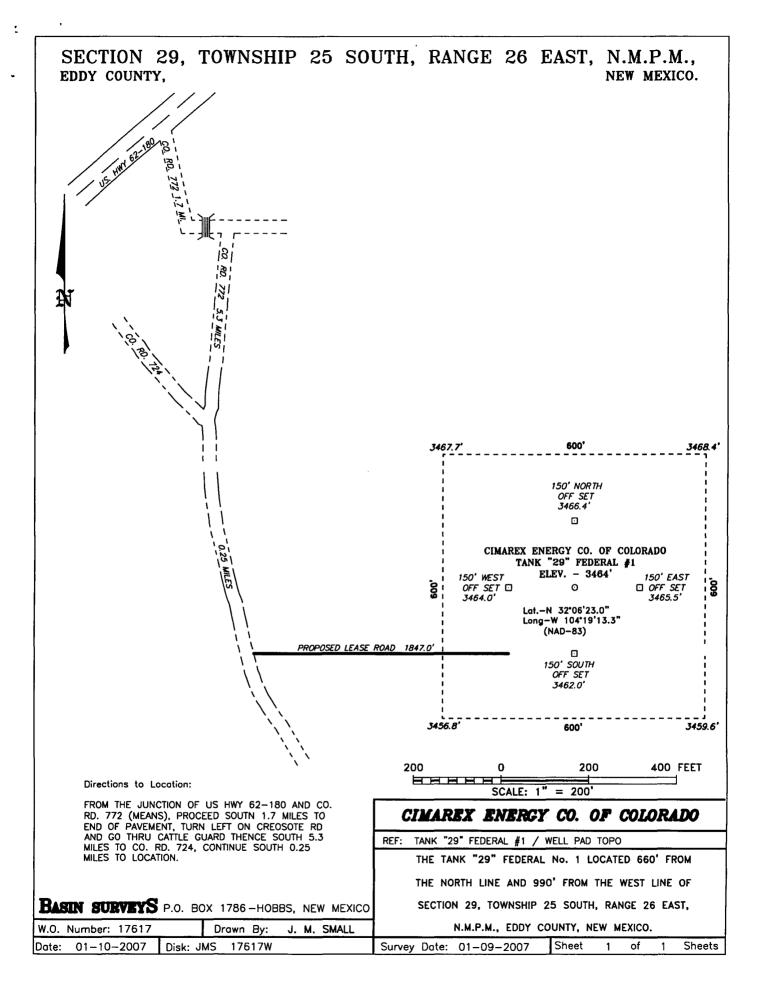
- 1 Existing Roads: Area maps, Exhibit "B" is a reproduction of Lea Co. General Highway Map. Exhibit "C" is a reproduction of a USGS Topographic Map, showing existing roads and proposed roads. All existing roads will be maintained in a condition equal to or better than current conditions. Any new roads will be constructed to BLM specifications.
  - A. Exhibit "A" shows the proposed well site as staked.
  - B. From the junction of US Hwy 62-180 and Co Rd 772 (Means), proceed South 1.7 miles to end of pavement. Turn left on Creosote Rd and go through cattle guard. Thence South 5.3 miles to Co Rd 724. Continue South 0.25 miles to location.
- 2 PLANNED ACCESS ROADS: 814' of proposed road will be constructed in Section 29 and 1033' of proposed road will be constructed in Section 30. All proposed road will be on-lease.
- 3 LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS IN A ONE-MILE RADIUS EXHIBIT "A"

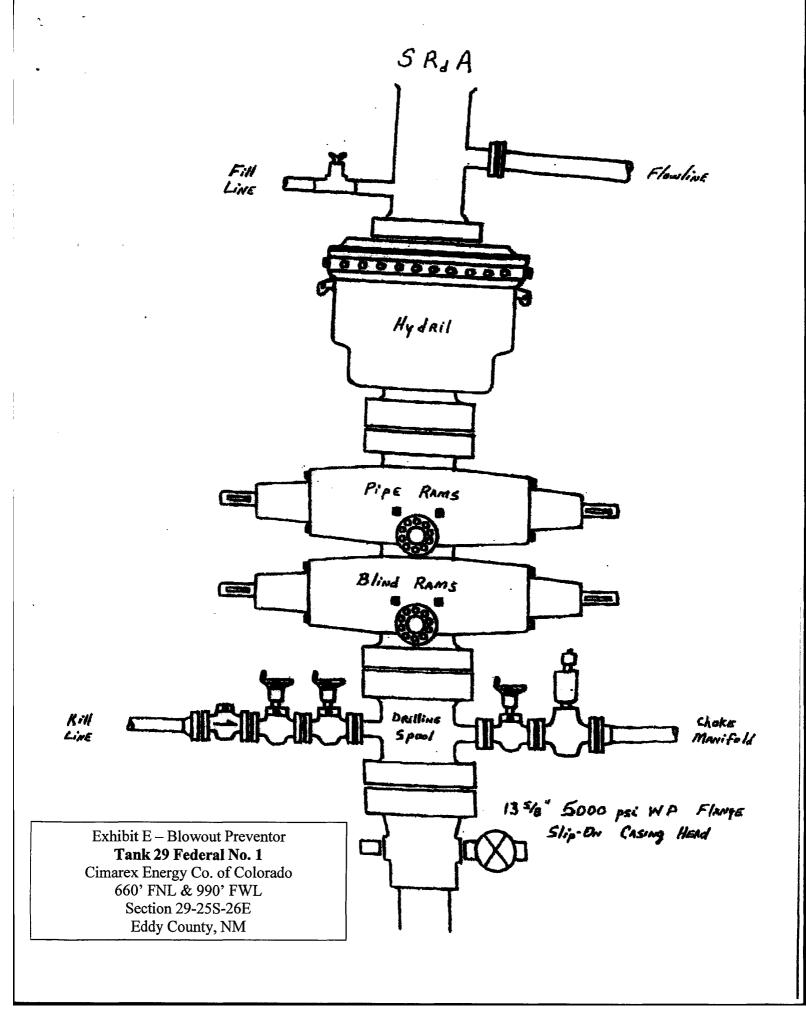
A. Water wells - None known
B. Disposal wells - None known
C. Drilling wells - None known

D. Producing wells -

E. Abandoned wells - As shown on Exhibit "A"

As shown on Exhibit "A"





## ORILLING OPERATIONS CHOKE MANIFOLD 5M SERVICE

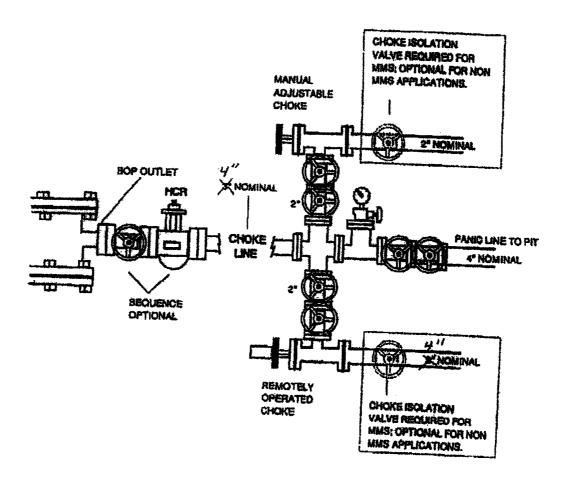


Exhibit E1 – Choke Manifold Diagram **Tank 29 Federal No. 1** 

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado 660' FNL & 990' FWL Section 29-25S-26E Eddy County, NM

## Conditions of Approval Cave and Karst

EA#: NM-080-07-0342 Lease #: NM-101097

## Cimarex Energy Company of Colorado Dozer 30 Fed. #1, Morpheus 19 Fed. #1 & Tank 29 Fed. #1

## Cave/Karst Surface Mitigation

The following stipulations will be applied to minimize impacts during construction, drilling and production.

## Berming:

Any tank batteries will be constructed and bermed large enough to contain any spills that may occur.

Bermed areas will be lined with rip-stop padding to prevent tears or punctures in liners and lined with a permanent 20 mil plastic liner.

## **Closed Mud System with Buried Cuttings Pit:**

All fluids will be in steel tanks and hauled off. A cuttings pit will be utilized for this location. The cuttings pit will be lined with 4 oz. felt and a layer of 20 mil. plastic. Upon completion of the well all excess fluids will be vacuumed off the cuttings pit and allowed to dry. The pit liner will then be folded over the cuttings, covered with a 20 mil plastic cover and then covered with at least three feet of top soil.

### Cave/Karst Subsurface Mitigation

The following stipulations will be applied to protect cave/karst and ground water concerns:

#### **Rotary Drilling with Fresh Water:**

Rotary drilling techniques in cave or karst areas will include the use of fresh water as a circulating medium in zones where caves or karst features are expected. See geologist report for depth.

## Casing:

All casing will meet or exceed National Association of Corrosion Engineers specifications pertaining to the geology of the location and be run to American Petroleum Institute and BLM standards.

#### Cementing:

All casing strings will be cemented to the surface.

#### Lost Circulation:

ALL lost circulation zones from the surface to the base of the cave occurrence zone will be logged and reported.

Regardless of the type of drilling machinery used, if a bit drops of four feet or more and circulation losses greater then 75 percent occur simultaneously while drilling in any cavebearing zone, drilling operations will immediately stop and the BLM will be notified by the operator. The BLM will assess the consequences of the situation and work with operator on corrective actions to resolve the problem.

## **Delayed Blasting:**

Any blasting will be a phased and time delayed.

## **Abandonment Cementing:**

Upon well abandonment the well bore will be cemented completely from 100 feet below the bottom of the cave bearing zone to the surface.

#### **Pressure Tests:**

Annual pressure tests will be performed by the Operator on all casing annuli. If the test results indicated a casing failure, remedial actions approved by the BLM will be undertaken to correct the problem.

## **Record Keeping:**

The Operator will track customary drilling activities, including the rate of penetration, pump pressure, weight on bit, bit drops, percent of mud returns, and presence of absence of cuttings returning to the surface. As part of customary record keeping, each detectable void or sudden increase in the rate of penetration not attributable to a change in the formation type should be documented and evaluated as it is encountered.

#### CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - DRILLING

Well Name & No.

1-Tank 29 Federal

Operator's Name:

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado

Location:

0660FNL, 0990FWL, Section 29, T-25-S, R-26-E

Lease:

NM-101097

## I. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified at the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822 - for wells in Eddy County in sufficient time for a representative to witness:

#### A. Spudding

B. Cementing casing:  $\underline{13-3/8}$  inch  $\underline{9-5/8}$  inch  $\underline{7}$  inch  $\underline{4-1/2}$  inch

#### C. BOP tests

- 2. A Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) Drilling Plan should be activated prior to drilling into the <u>Delaware</u> Formation. A copy of the plan shall be posted at the drilling site. Hydrogen Sulfide has been reported in Sec. 11 and 14 measuring 1200-1500 ppm in STVs. Canyon formation carries a high potential for H2S.
- 3 Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval.
- 4. Submit a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5, one original and five copies) for each casing string, describing the casing and cementing operations. Include pertinent information such as; spud date, hole size, casing ( size, weight, grade and thread type), cement (type, quantity and top), water zones and problems or hazards encountered. The Sundry shall be submitted within 15 days of completion of each casing string. The reports may be combined into the same Sundry if they fall within the same 15 day time frame.
- 5. The API No. assigned to the well by NMOCD shall be included on the subsequent report of setting the first casing string.
- 6. A Communitization Agreement covering the acreage dedicated to this well must be filed for approval with the BLM. The effective date of the agreement shall be prior to any sales.
- 7. Gamma-Ray/Neutron logs shall be run from the base of the Salado Formation to the surface; cable speed not to exceed 30 feet per minute.

## II. CASING:

1. The <u>13-3/8</u> inch surface casing shall be set at <u>220 feet</u>, below usable water and cement circulated to the surface. If cement does not circulate to the surface the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey or cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Remedial cementing shall be completed prior to drilling out that string.

Possible lost circulation in the Delaware. High cave/karst area. Possible abnormal pressures in the Wolfcamp and high pressure gas in the Pennsylvanian Section (Cisco-Canyon, Strawn, Atoka, and Morrow).

- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the <u>9-5/8</u> inch intermediate casing is <u>circulate cement to</u> the surface.
- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 7 inch second intermediate casing is circulate cement to the surface. Set above high pressured Cisco.
- 4. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 4-1/2 inch production casing is cement shall extend a minimum of 200 feet into the 7 inch casing.

#### **III. PRESSURE CONTROL:**

- 1. All BOP systems and related equipment shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2. The BOP and related equipment shall be installed and operational before drilling below the 13-3/8 inch casing shoe and shall be tested as described in Onshore Order No. 2. Any equipment failing to test satisfactorily shall be repaired or replaced.
- 2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling the surface and intermediate casing shall be <u>5M</u> psi. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the <u>9-5/8</u> inch casing shall be <u>5M</u> psi.
- 3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness the tests.
- A variance to test the <u>BOP, BOPE, and 13-3/8 inch surface casing</u> to the reduced pressure of <u>1000</u> psi with the rig pumps instead of an independent service company is approved. Remainder of testing steps to be completed. Independent service company to perform full test prior to drilling out of 9-5/8 inch casing.
- The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
- The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- Testing fluid must be water or an appropriate clear liquid suitable for sub-freezing temperatures. Use of drilling mud for testing is not permitted since it can mask small leaks.
- Testing must be done in a safe workman-like manner. Hard line connections shall be required.
- BOPE must be tested prior to drilling into the **Wolfcamp** Formation by an independent service company.

## **IV. DRILLING MUD:**

Mud system monitoring equipment, with derrick floor indicators and visual and audio alarms, shall be operating before drilling into the **Wolfcamp** Formation, and shall be used until production casing is run and cemented. Monitoring equipment shall consist of the following:

- 1. Recording pit level indicator to indicate volume gains and losses.
- 2. Mud measuring device for accurately determining the mud volumes necessary to fill the hole during trips.
- 3. Flow-sensor on the flow line to warn of abnormal mud returns from the well.

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