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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-101
May 27, 2004

Submit to appropriate District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, RE-ENTER, DEEPEN, PLUGBACK, OR ADD A ZONE

¹ Operator Name and Address Pogo Producing Company 300 North Marienfeld, Suite 600 Midland, TX 79701		² OGRID Number 17891
		³ API Number 30-045-33737
⁴ Property Code 28108 300787	⁵ Property Name Golden Bear	⁶ Well No. #5T
⁹ Proposed Pool 1 Basin Fruitland Coal		¹⁰ Proposed Pool 2

⁷ Surface Location

UL or lot no. D	Section 2	Township 29 N	Range 13 W	Lot Idn 4	Feet from the 490'	North/South line North	Feet from the 1015'	East/West line West	County San Juan
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⁸ Proposed Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
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Additional Well Information

¹¹ Work Type Code N	¹² Well Type Code G	¹³ Cable/Rotary Rotary	¹⁴ Lease Type Code S	¹⁵ Ground Level Elevation 5586'
¹⁶ Multiple N	¹⁷ Proposed Depth +/- 1665'	¹⁸ Formation Basin Fruitland Coal	¹⁹ Contractor Availability	²⁰ Spud Date ASAP
Depth to groundwater >100'		Distance from nearest fresh water well +/- 2000' >1000'		Distance from nearest surface water +/- 5000' >200'
²¹ Proposed Casing and Cement Program				

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Hole Size	Casing Size	Casing weight/foot	Setting Depth	Sacks of Cement	Estimated TOC
8- 3/4"	7"	20#	390'	150sx	Surface
6- 1/4"	4- 1/2"	10.5#	1665'	200sx	Surface

²² Describe the proposed program. If this application is to DEEPEN or PLUG BACK, give the data on the present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. Describe the blowout prevention program, if any. Use additional sheets if necessary.

Pogo plans to drill a vertical well with a 8-3/4" surface hole to approx. 390' with spud mud and set and cement to surface 7", 20# casing with 150sx (175 cu.ft.) of type 5 with additives. A double ram, 2000 pound psi rated BOP will be installed and pressure tested to 1000 psi. A 6-1/4" hole will be drilled using clear water, natural mud, and water loss control additives to approximately 1665'. New 4-1/2" 10.5# casing will be set and cemented to surface. with type 5 with additives. Cement volumes will be determined based on open hole logs.

KB elevation: approx. +5586'

Surface formation: Ojo Alamo

Top Kirtland Formation: 468' (+5122') Top Fruitland Formation: 1168' (+4422') Top Pictured Cliffs Formation: 1515' (+4075') Top Lewis Shale: 1680' (+3910')

²³ I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the drilling pit will be constructed according to NMOCD guidelines ☒ a general permit ☐, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Printed name: Bradley Salzman

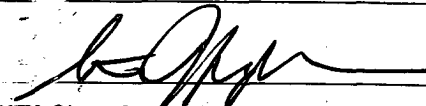
Title: Drilling Consultant

E-mail Address: brads@titusconsulting.net

Date: 5-4-06

Phone: 486-1701

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by: 

Title:

DEPUTY OIL & GAS INSPECTOR, DIST. 3

Approval Date: MAY 10 2006

Expiration Date: MAY 10 2007

Conditions of Approval Attached ☐

NSL-5375

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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

*API Number 30-045-33737		*Pool Code 71629	*Pool Name BASIN FRUITLAND COAL
*Property Code 300777	*Property Name GOLDEN BEAR		*Well Number 5T
*GRID No. 17891	*Operator Name POGO PRODUCING COMPANY		*Elevation 5586

10 Surface Location

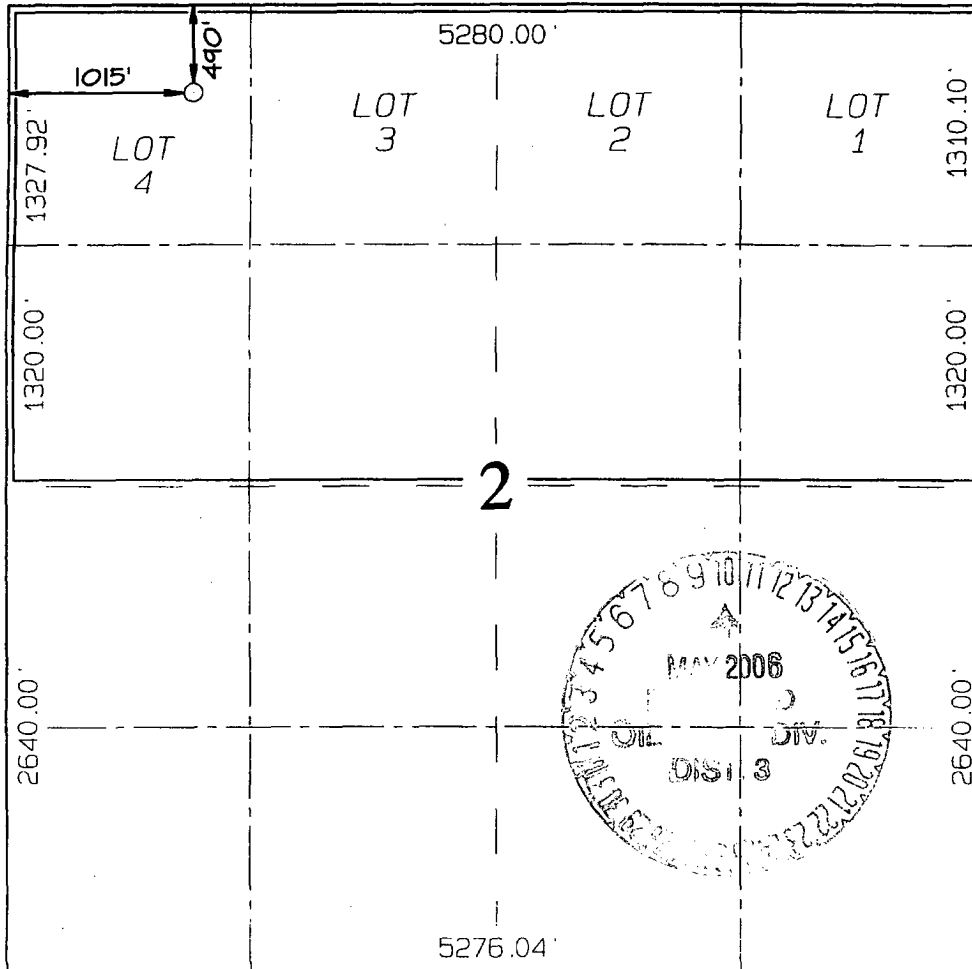
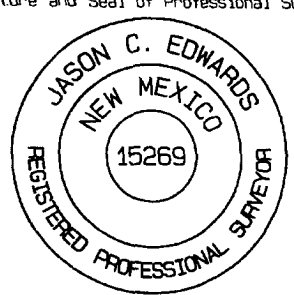
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
D	2	29N	13W	(4)	490	NORTH	1015	WEST	SAN JUAN

11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County

12 Dedicated Acres 322.92 Acres - (N/2)	13 Joint or Infill	14 Consolidation Code	15 Order No. NSL-6375
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

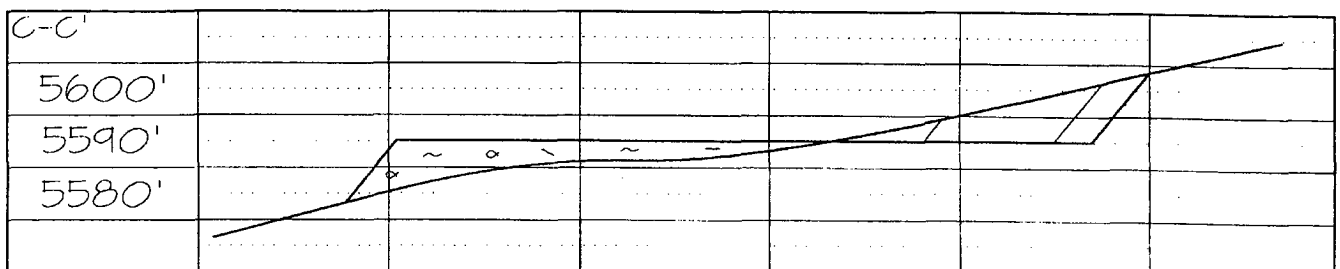
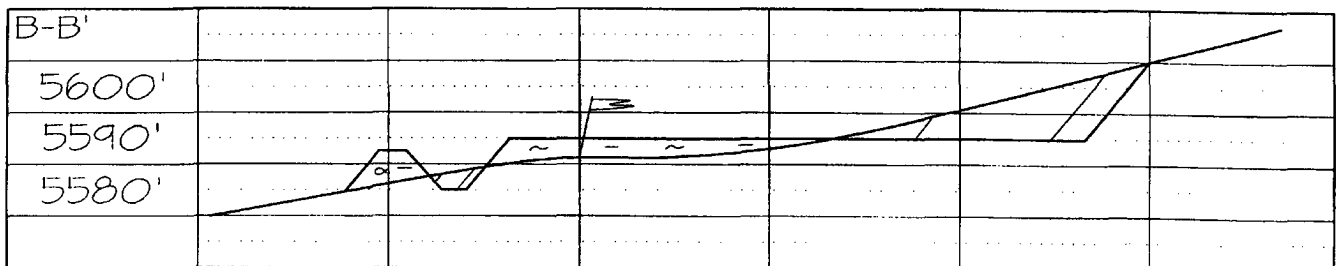
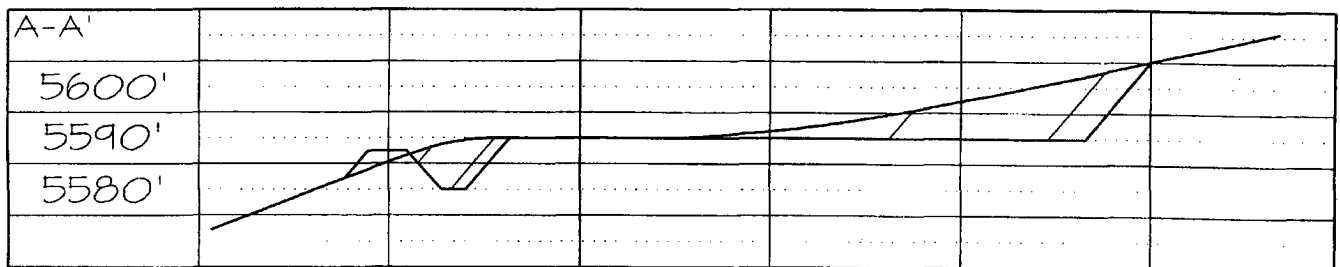
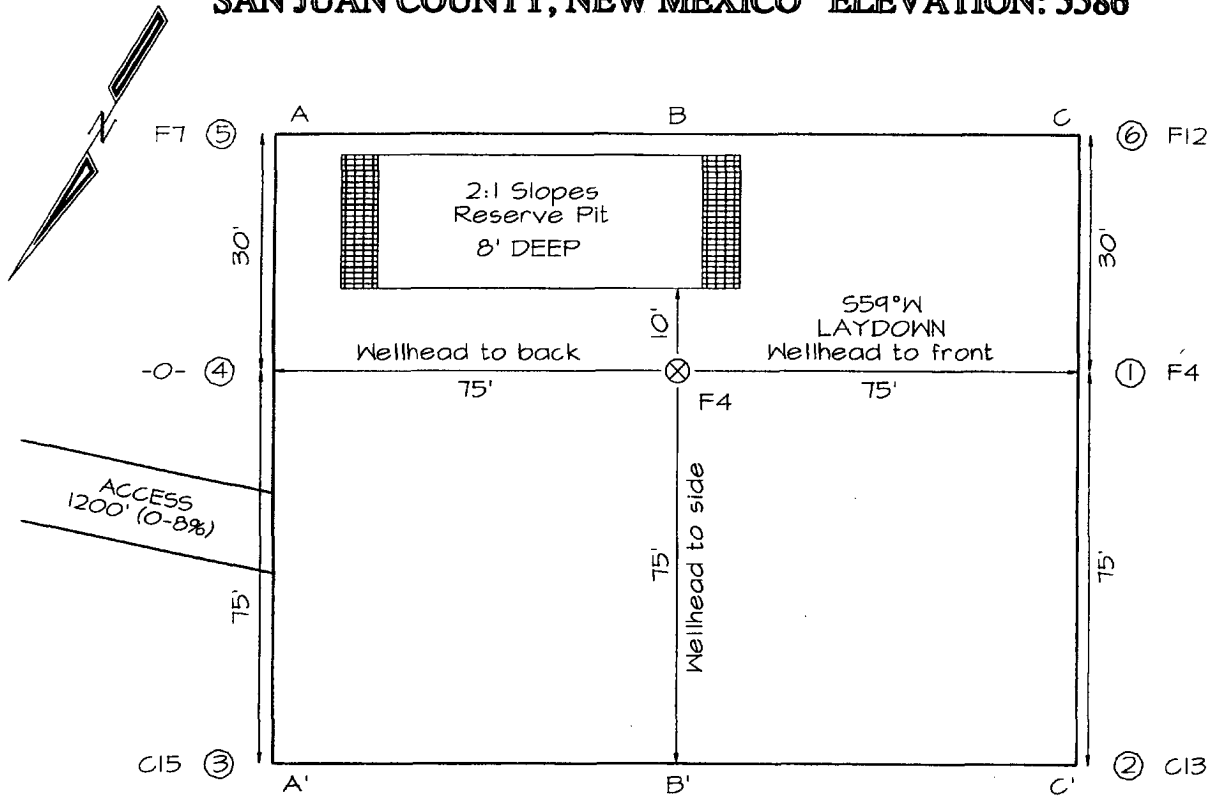
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17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. <i>Bradley W. Salzman</i> Signature BRADLEY W. SALZMAN Printed Name AGENT Title 5-5-4-06 Date			
18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief. Survey Date: JANUARY 28, 2005 Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor  JASON C. EDWARDS Certificate Number 15269			

POGO PRODUCING COMPANY GOLDEN BEAR #5T
490' FNL & 1015' FWL, SECTION 2, T29N, R13W, NMPM
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ELEVATION: 5586'

LATITUDE: 36°45'40"
LONGITUDE: 108°10'48"
 DATUM: NAD1927

PLAT NOTE:

SURFACE OWNER
 State of New Mexico



Note: Contractor should call One-Call for location of any marked or unmarked buried pipelines or cables on well pad and/or access road at least two (2) working days prior to construction

TEN-POINT PROGRAM/ OPERATIONS PLAN POGO PRODUCING COMPANY

Well name: Golden Bear #5T
Location: 490' FNL & 1015' FWL, Section 2, T-29-N, R-13-W, NMPM
San Juan County, NM
Formation: Basin Fruitland Coal

1. The geological surface formation is: Ojo Alamo

2. The tops of important geological markers: (based on existing log information)

- KB elevation: approx. +5586'
- Surface formation: Ojo Alamo
- Depth to ground water: approx. 35'
- Top Kirtland Formation: 468' (+5122')
- Top Fruitland Formation: 1168' (+4422')
- Top Pictured Cliffs Formation: 1515' (+4075')
- Top Lewis Shale 1680' (+3910')

3. Estimated depths of anticipated water, oil, gas, or minerals:

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Formation</u>	<u>Anticipated Depth</u>
Gas	Fruitland Coal	1665'

4. The Casing Program:

<u>Depth</u>	<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>Casing O.D.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>New/Used</u>
0-390'	8 3/4"	7"	20#	J-55	ST&C	New
0-1665'	6 1/4"	4-1/2"	10.5#	J-55	ST&C	New

Proposed Cement Program: To effectively isolate and seal off all water, oil, gas and coal bearing strata encountered by the utilization of spacer, centralizers and swirling centralizers at the base of the Ojo Alamo formation as specified by NTL-FRA 90-1 III.B and API standards; and by using cement volumes as follows: (Exact volumes to be determined from logs):

Surface: Type 5 w-025 pps celloflake and 2 % CaCl
Final volumes will be calculated using 100% excess.

Production: Type 5 with 2% metasilicate and 0.25 pps celloflake @ 12.5 ppg lead. Type 5 with 0.25 pps celloflake and 2% CaCl @ 15.6 ppg tail. Final volumes will be determined using 35% excess and tail will provide 500' cover over basal coal.

5. Operators Minimum Specifications for pressure control:

Attached is a schematic of the blowout preventer used by a local contractor for other wells in the area. The BOP to be used is an annular BOP with screwed connections with high-pressure inlet and outlet hoses, all tested to 2000 psi minimum.

**TEN-POINT PROGRAM
POGO PRODUCING COMPANY**

Well name: Golden Bear #5T
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San Juan County, NM
Formation: Basin Fruitland Coal

6. The type and characteristic of the proposed circulating muds:

Surface Casing: Spud flocculating bentonite with lime.

Production Casing: Low solids non- disbursing system.

<u>Interval</u>	<u>Mud Weight</u>	<u>Viscosity</u>	<u>Fluid Loss</u>	<u>Ph</u>	<u>Additives</u>
0-390'	9.0	45	-----	9	Gel, Lime
390'-TD	8.6 - 9.2	30-50	<15cc	9	Chemicals needed

7. Auxiliary Equipment to be used is as follows:

- a. Float valve above bit.
- b. Monitoring of mud system will be visual.
- c. A safety valve and subs to fit all drill strings will be used.

8. Testing, logging and coring will be as follows:

- a. Cores: None
- b. Drill stem tests: none anticipated.
- c. Logs will include: High Resolution Induction w/ Gamma Ray, SP, Caliper, Microlog, Spectral Density and Dual Spaced Neutron Microlog; all from total depth to the surface casing shoe.

9. Anticipated Abnormal Pressures and temperatures:

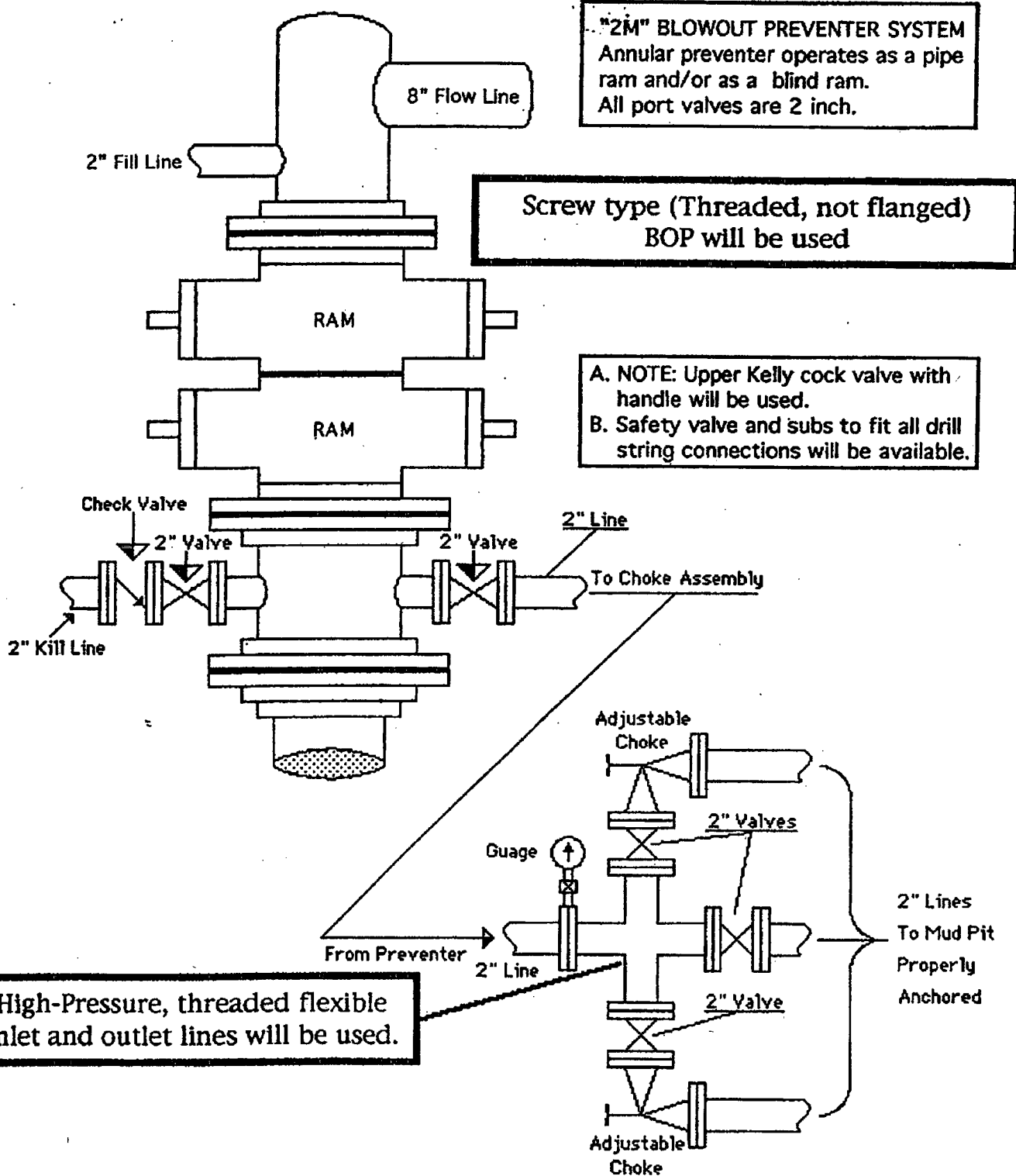
No abnormal pressures, temperatures, or Hydrogen Sulfide gases are anticipated during the completion of this well.

10. Anticipated starting date and duration of operations:

The anticipated starting date is July 1, 2006. The drilling operations should be completed within 10 days after rig-up date. Completion will be done as equipment availability and weather permit.

Date: 5-4-06 Drilling Engineer: Bradley T. Salzman

"2M" BLOWOUT PREVENTER SYSTEM





NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

BILL RICHARDSON

Governor

Joanna Prukop

Cabinet Secretary

May 2, 2006

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.

Director

Oil Conservation Division

Pogo Producing CompanyAttention: **Ms. Leslyn Wallace (telefax No. 432-685-8150)****P. O. Box 10340****Midland, Texas 79702-7340*****Administrative Order NSL-5375***

Dear Ms. Wallace:

Reference is made to the following: (i) your application dated January 19, 2006 that was not submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("Division") in Santa Fe, New Mexico until March 8, 2006 (*administrative application reference No. pTDS0-606831494*); (ii) the Division's initial response by letter dated March 10, 2006 from Mr. Michael E. Stogner, Engineer, requesting additional data and comments concerning this application; (iii) Ms. Becky Heath's, Ellis & Associates, Inc. of Farmington, New Mexico, telephone conversations with Mr. Stogner on Monday, May 1, 2006; (iv) Mr. Stogner's telefax to Ms. Heath Monday afternoon, May 1st; (v) Ms. Heath's response by telefax Monday evening, May 1st with the necessary information and supplemental data to complete your application; and (vi) the Division's records in Aztec and Santa Fe: all concerning Pogo Producing Company's request for an exception to the well location requirements provided within the "*Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool*," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8768, as amended [Rule 7 (a) (1)], for a non-standard infill gas well location within an existing 322.92-acre lay-down gas spacing unit for the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool (71629) comprising Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 and the S/2 N/2 (N/2 equivalent) of Section 2, Township 29 North, Range 13 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Your application has been duly filed under the provisions of: (i) Rule 7 (b) of the "*Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool*;" and (ii) Division Rules 104.F and 1210.A (2) [formerly Division Rule 1207.A (2), see Division Order No. R-12327-A, issued by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission in Case No. 13482 on September 15, 2005].

This unit is currently dedicated to Pogo's Golden Bear Well No. 5 (*API No. 30-045-30765*), located at a standard coal gas well location 1420 feet from the North line and 1850 feet from the East line (Unit G) of Section 2.

By the authority granted me under the applicable provisions of the special pool rules governing the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool and Division Rule 104.F (2), the following described unorthodox infill coal gas well location to be drilled within the above-described 322.92-acre gas spacing unit is hereby approved:

**Golden Bear Well No. 5-T
490' FNL & 1015' FWL (Lot 4/Unit D).**

Pogo Producing Company

May 2, 2006

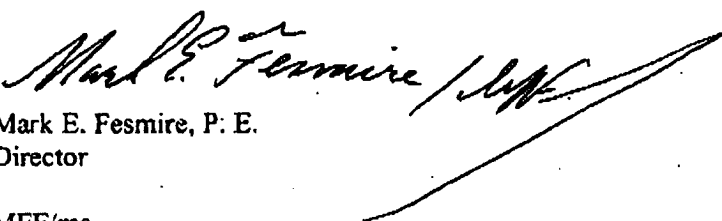
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Division Administrative Order NSL-5375

Further, Pogo is hereby authorized to simultaneously dedicate production attributed to the Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas) Pool from both the above-described Golden Bear Wells No. 5 and 5-T.

Jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Sincerely,



Mark E. Fesmire, P. E.
Director

MEF/ms

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division – Aztec
New Mexico State Land Office – Santa Fe
Ms. Becky Heath, Ellis & Associates, Inc. (telefax No. 505-327-3974) -- Farmington
