

DEVIATION REPORT

Name of Company
MERIDIAN OIL INC

Address
PO BOX 4289, FARMINGTON, NM

Lease Name & Number
MCCONNELL #501

Unit Letter
1330 ' FSL, 1330 ' FWL

Sec.
13

Twn
026N

Rge
009W

Pool and Formation
Basin Fruitland Coal

County
SAN JUAN

Depth (Ft.)

Deviation (Degrees)

143

0.25

777

0.50

1266

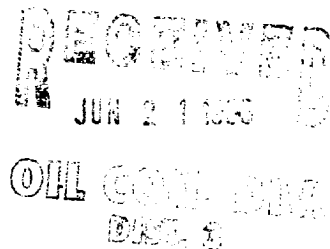
0.75

1764

1.00

2200

0.50



I, the undersigned, certify that I, acting in my capacity as Petroleum Engineer for MERIDIAN OIL INC., am authorized by said Company to make this report; and that this report was prepared under my supervision and directions, and that the facts stated herein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Kurt A. S. J.", written over a horizontal line.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of April, 1996

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Randy B. Schaefer", written over a horizontal line.

Notary Public in and for San Juan County, New Mexico

My commission expires August 17, 1996.