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March 11, 1991

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
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Attention: Mr. David Catanach

RE: Administrative Amendment Request
Order No. SWD - 225
Gallegos Canyon Unit #306 (SWD)
NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 19, T29N, R12W
San Juan County, New Mexico

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OIL CON. DIV.,
DIST. 3

Dear Mr. Catanach:

BHP Petroleum respectfully requests that the above referenced Order be administratively amended to allow disposal of water produced from the Fruitland Coal formation along with the Pictured Cliffs produced water into the Mesaverde formation.

I recently discussed with you over the phone my written request of February 28, 1991, concerning BHP Petroleum's desire to increase the perforation density in the subject well. I appreciated your verbal approval to do the requested work conditioned by reducing the surface injection pressure back to 600 psi.

It now has come to my attention that the subject well is the closest salt water disposal well to some of our recently completed Fruitland Coal wells.

I've enclosed several water analyses representative of the water produced from our coal wells. I've also enclosed representative analysis of the water from the Mesaverde formation.

As you will notice the quality of the water produced from both the Pictured Cliffs and Fruitland Coal formations are quite similar.

Your earliest review and response would be greatly appreciated.

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Please don't hesitate to call me at (713) 780-5448, if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Sincerely,



for
Chuck Williams
Administrator, Field Services
Inland Business Unit

CW:rm

Enclosures - Water analyses

cc: Ernie Busch, NMOCD in Aztec, NM.
Well file

API WATER ANALYSIS REPORT FORM

Laboratory No. 25-9103000-4B

Company <u>BHP Petroleum</u>		Sample No.		Date Sampled	
Field	Legal Description <u>Sec. 25, T21N, R13W</u>	County or Parish <u>SAN JUAN</u>		State <u>NM</u>	
Lease or Unit	Well <u>GLU 393</u>	Depth	Formation <u>Fairview Lm</u>	Water, B/D	
Type of Water (Produced, Supply, etc.)			Sampling Point	Sampled By	

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

Sodium, Na (calc.)	mg/l	me/l
Calcium, Ca	<u>25035</u>	<u>1088.5</u>
Magnesium, Mg	<u>224</u>	<u>18.4</u>
Barium, Ba	<u>262</u>	<u>21.6</u>

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH 6.51
 Specific Gravity, 60/60 F. 1.042
 Resistivity (ohm-meters) 68° F. 2.129

WATER PATTERNS — me/l

ANIONS

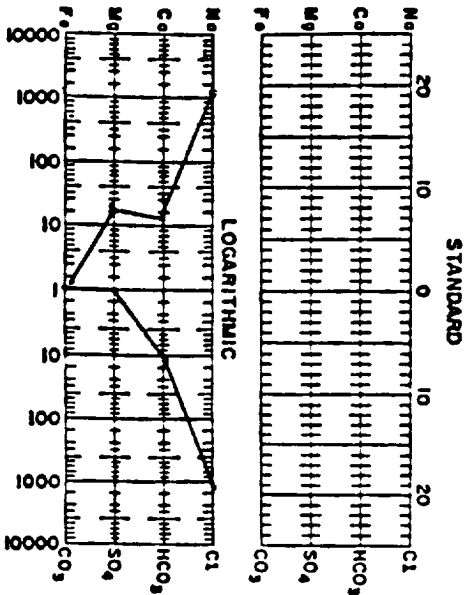
Chloride, Cl	<u>39586</u>	<u>1117</u>
Sulfate, So ₄		
Carbonate, CO ₃		
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃	<u>702</u>	<u>11.5</u>

Total Dissolved Solids (calc.)

65807

Iron, Fe (total)
 Sulfide, as H₂S

REMARKS & RECOMMENDATIONS:



Date Received <u>2-6-91</u>	Preserved	Date Analyzed <u>2-8-91</u>	Analyzed By <u>HKC</u>
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API WATER ANALYSIS REPORT FORM

Laboratory No.

Company BHP		Sample No. 2		Date Sampled	
Field	Legal Description	County or Parish	State		
	Sec 20 T29N R2W	SJ	NM		
Lease or Unit	Well	Depth	Formation	Water, B/D	
Gallinas Canyon	#381		Ft. Coal		
Type of Water (Produced, Supply, etc.)	Sampling Point	Sampled By			
	Production Unit	J.C. Harris			

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

	mg/l	me/l
Sodium, Na (calc.)	14,730	640
Calcium, Ca	421	21.0
Magnesium, Mg	183	19.0
Barium, Ba		

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH	7.55
Specific Gravity, 60/60 F.	1.0301
Resistivity (ohm-meters) 72° F.	0.200

ANIONS

Chloride, Cl	24,430	660
Sulfate, So ₄	0	0
Carbonate, CO ₃	0	0
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃	1010	16.5

Total Dissolved Solids (calc.)

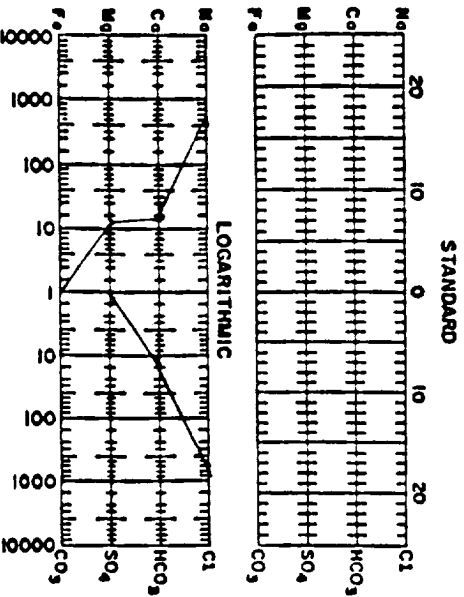
40,770

Iron, Fe (total)
Sulfide, as H₂S

0

REMARKS & RECOMMENDATIONS:

WATER PATTERNS — me/l



Date Received	Preserved	Date Analyzed	Analyzed By
7/31/90		8/1/90	B.T.



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Farmingington
New Mexico
87401
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API WATER ANALYSIS REPORT FORM

2503-3048

Laboratory No.

Company BAP		Sample No.		Date Sampled 3/24
Field	Legal Description	County or Parish		State
Lease or Unit	Well PCW 385	Depth	Formation St Crat	Water, B/D
Type of Water (Produced, Supply, etc.)		Sampling Point Heat. Limit	Sampled By	

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

	mg/l	me/l
Sodium, Na (calc.)	<u>15441</u>	<u>6830</u>
Calcium, Ca	<u>321</u>	<u>14.0</u>
Magnesium, Mg	<u>170</u>	<u>14.0</u>
Barium, Ba		

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH 7.45
 Specific Gravity, 60/60 F. 1.014
 Resistivity (ohm-meters) 120

WATER PATTERNS — me/l

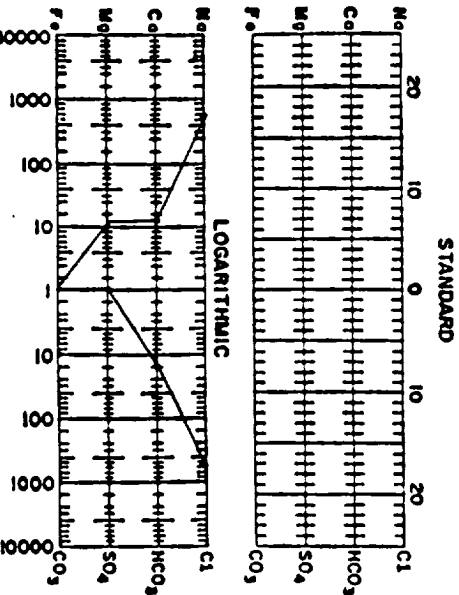
ANIONS

Chloride, Cl	<u>24673</u>	<u>6830</u>
Sulfate, So ₄	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>
Carbonate, CO ₃	<u>1098</u>	<u>18.0</u>
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃		

Total Dissolved Solids (calc.)

31,900

Iron, Fe (total)
 Sulfide, as H₂S



REMARKS & RECOMMENDATIONS:

Date Received	Preserved	Date Analyzed 3/29/90	Analyzed By Jacques Wheat
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API WATER ANALYSIS REPORT FORM

Laboratory No. 25-91011-2c

Company BHP Petroleum		Sample No.		Date Sampled 1-9-91
Field	Legal Description NE/NE S13-T29N-R13W	County or Parish Sas Joas	State NH	
Lease or Unit	Well CCU 386	Depth	Formation FRUITLAND	Water, B/D
Type of Water (Produced, Supply, etc.)			Sampling Point	Sampled By

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

Sodium, Na (calc.)	mg/l	me/l
Calcium, Ca	<u>12.896</u>	<u>540.7</u>
Magnesium, Mg	<u>637</u>	<u>31.8</u>
Barium, Ba	<u>207</u>	<u>17</u>

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH	<u>6.63</u>
Specific Gravity, 60/60 F.	<u>1.032</u>
Resistivity (ohm-meters) <u>64° F.</u>	<u>0.19</u>

ANIONS

Chloride, Cl	<u>21412</u>	<u>604</u>
Sulfate, So ₄		<u>ND</u>
Carbonate, CO ₃		
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃	<u>336</u>	<u>55</u>

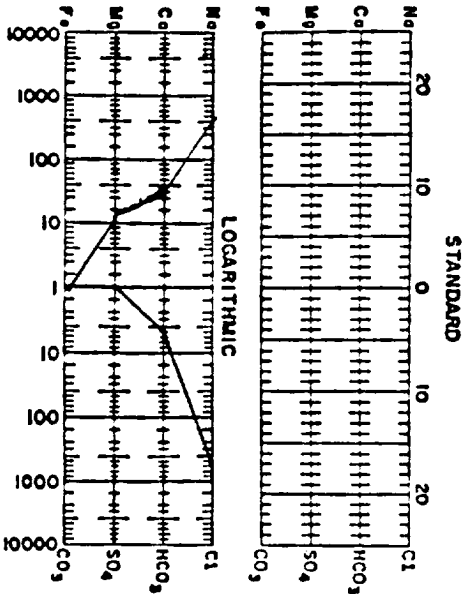
Total Dissolved Solids (calc.)

35488

Iron, Fe (total)
Sulfide, as H₂S

REMARKS & RECOMMENDATIONS:

WATER PATTERNS — me/l



Date Received 1-11-91	Preserved	Date Analyzed 1-14-91	Analyzed By HLK
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WATER ANALYSIS REPORT

OPERATOR Energy Reserves Group, Inc.
 WELL NO. Well No. 288
 FIELD Kutz-PC
 COUNTY San Juan
 STATE New Mexico

DATE 8-19-80 LAB NO. 34974-2
 LOCATION _____
 FORMATION Pictured Cliffs
 INTERVAL _____
 SAMPLE FROM Separator (7-30-80)

REMARKS & CONCLUSIONS:

Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Sodium	16284	708.35
Potassium	80	2.05
Lithium	-	-
Calcium	659	32.88
Magnesium	325	26.72
Iron	present	
Total Cations		770.00

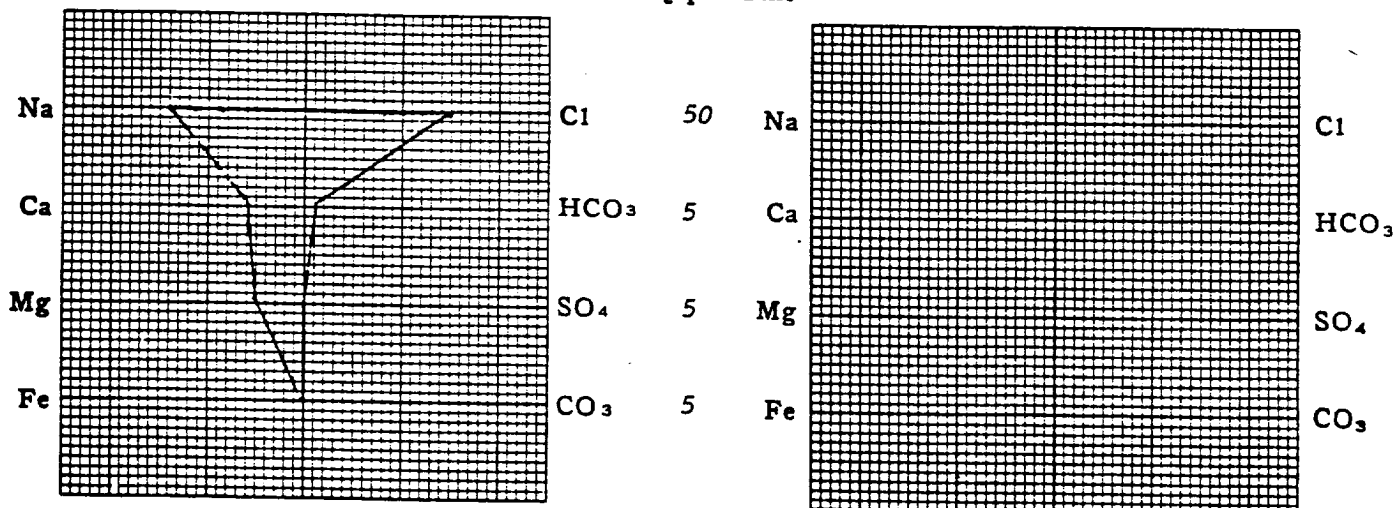
Anions	mg/l	meq/l
Sulfate	0	0.00
Chloride	27000	761.40
Carbonate	0	0.00
Bicarbonate	525	8.60
Hydroxide	-	-
Hydrogen sulfide	-	-
Total Anions		770.00

Total dissolved solids, mg/l 44606
 NaCl equivalent, mg/l 44782
 Observed pH 6.7

Specific resistance @ 68°F.:
 Observed 0.164 ohm-meters
 Calculated 0.155 ohm-meters

WATER ANALYSIS PATTERN

Sample above described

Scale
MEQ per Unit

(Na value in above graphs includes Na, K, and Li)
 NOTE: Mg/l=Milligrams per liter Meq/l= Milligram equivalents per liter
 Sodium chloride equivalent=by Dunlap & Hawthorne calculation from components

API WATER ANALYSIS REPORT FORM

Laboratory No. 25-910214-4A

Company B.H.P. Petroleum		Sample No.		Date Sampled 2-8-91
Field	Legal Description Sec 7, T28N, R11W	County or Parish		State
Lease or Unit	Well G.C.U. 516	Depth	Formation Petroleum Cliff	Water, B/D
Type of Water (Produced, Supply, etc.) PSI: 200 * Temp: 58°F		Sampling Point		Sampled By

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

	mg/l	me/l
Sodium, Na (calc.)	15,338	668
Calcium, Ca	1137	56.72
Magnesium, Mg	331	27.28
Barium, Ba		

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH

6.9

Specific Gravity, 60/60 F.

1.0344

Resistivity (ohm-meters) 71.6 F.

0.17

WATER PATTERNS — me/l

ANIONS

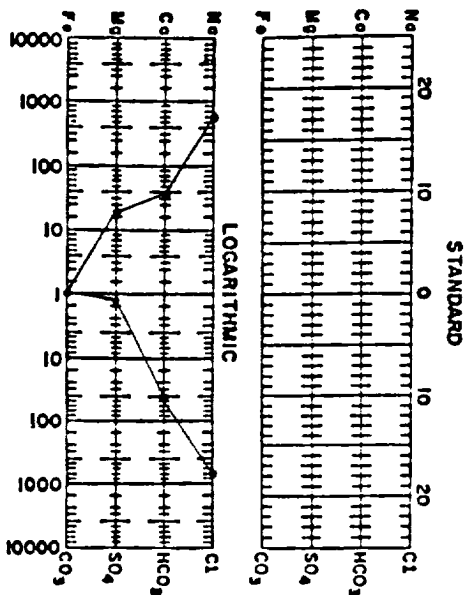
Chloride, Cl	26410	745
Sulfate, SO ₄	14	0.3
Carbonate, CO ₃		
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃	428	7.02

Total Dissolved Solids (calc.)

43658

Iron, Fe (total)
Sulfide, as H₂S

REMARKS & RECOMMENDATIONS:



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Date Rec'd 2-14-91	Date Rec'd 2-14-91	Date Rec'd 2-14-91
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BAROID DIVISION
NL Industries, inc.
P.O. Box 1675 Houston, Texas 77001

WATER ANALYSIS TEST REPORT

BAROID TREATING CHEMICALS

Exhibit D

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SHEET NUMBER

DATE
6-10-77

STATE
N MEXICO

GAS, MMCF/DAY

WATER, BBL/DAY

OIL, BBL/DAY

TEMP, F

SAMPLE SOURCE

BHT, F

DEPTH, FT.

LEASE OR UNIT

FIELD

COMPANY

Energy Reserves

BASIN DAKOTA

King Gas Corp.

#1

SAN JUAN

MESAVERDE - CLIFFHOUSE

PRODUCED WATER

INJECTION WATER

OTHER

WATER ANALYSIS PATTERN (NUMBER BESIDE ION SYMBOL INDICATES mg/l * SCALE UNIT)

Na ⁺ 20	15	10	5	0	5	10	15	20 Cl ⁻
Ca ⁺⁺								HCO ₃ ⁻
Mg ⁺⁺								SO ₄ ⁼⁼
Fe ⁺⁺⁺								CO ₃ ⁼⁼

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

Total Hardness

Sodium, Na⁺ (calc.)

Calcium, Ca⁺⁺

Magnesium, Mg⁺⁺

Iron (Total), Fe⁺⁺⁺

ANIONS

Chloride, Cl⁻

Sulfate, SO₄⁼⁼

Carbonate, CO₃⁼⁼

Bicarbonate, HCO₃⁻

Hydroxyl, OH⁻

Sulfide, S⁼

Phosphate - Meta, PO₃⁼

Phosphate - Ortho, PO₄⁼

mg/l *

10,600

90

1,200

14,152

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DISSOLVED GASES

Hydrogen Sulfide, H₂S

Carbon Dioxide, CO₂

Oxygen, O₂

mg/l *

mg/l *

mg/l *

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

pH

8.4

Eh (Redox Potential)

MV

Specific Gravity

Turbidity, JTU Units

Total Dissolved Solids (Calc.)

mg/l *

Stability Index

@ F

@ F

CaSO₄ Solubility

@ F

@ F

Max. CaSO₄ Possible (Calc.)

mg/l *

Max. BaSO₄ Possible (Calc.)

mg/l *

Residual Hydrocarbons

ppm (Vol/Vol)

SUSPENDED SOLIDS (QUALITATIVE)

Iron Sulfide ☐

Iron Oxide ☐

Calcium Carbonate ☐

Acid Insoluble ☐

REMARKS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

* NOTE: me/l and mg/l are commonly used interchangeably for epm and ppm respectively. Where epm and ppm are used, corrections should be made for specific gravity.

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