

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD Hobbs

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: July 31, 2010**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**
*Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.***SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.**

1. Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM2386A
2. Name of Operator COG OPERATING LLC		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
Contact: MAYTE X REYES E-Mail: mreyes1@concho.com		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. NMNM70796X
3a. Address ONE CONCHO CENTER 600 W ILLINOIS AVENUE MIDLAND, TX 79701-4287	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 575-748-6945	8. Well Name and No. BRINNINSTOOL UNIT 4H
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 20 T23S R33E SESE 0330FSL 0752FEL 32.283741 N Lat, 103.587757 W Lon		9. API Well No. 30-025-41803-00-X1
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory CRUZ
		11. County or Parish, and State LEA COUNTY, NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	Change to Original A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	PD

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

COG Operating LLC, respectfully requests approval to install a flexible choke line instead of a straight choke line prescribed in Onshore Order No. 2, III.A.2.b Minimum standards and enforcement provisions for choke manifold equipment. This request is made under the provision of Onshore Order No. 2, IV Variances from Minimum Standard. The rig to be used to drill this well is equipped with a flexible choke line therefore request the variance be approved if it is determined that the proposed alternative meets the objectives of the applicable minimum standards.

Justifications

Use of the flexible choke line will reduce the number of target tees required to make up from the choke line valve to the choke manifold. This configuration will facilitate ease of rig up and BOPE Testing.

**SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.	
Electronic Submission #283667 verified by the BLM Well Information System For COG OPERATING LLC, sent to the Hobbs Committed to AFMSS for processing by JENNIFER MASON on 12/17/2014 (15JAM0015SE)	
Name (Printed/Typed) MAYTE X REYES	Title REGULATORY ANALYST
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 12/01/2014
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE	
Approved By	Title
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.	Office
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE	
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.	

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Additional data for EC transaction #283667 that would not fit on the form

32. Additional remarks, continued

Attachments:
Attachment #1: Test Certification and Pressure Chart from Manufacturer



POWERING PROGRESS®

MTR DATA BOOK

CUSTOMER: AUSTIN DISTRIBUTUNG

DATE: 11/3/2014

Purchase Order: 4055857

Sales Order #: 204799

Product Description: 10K3.536.0CK4.1/1610KFLGE/E L/E

Hose S/N: D-110314-7

CONTENTS INCLUDED

1 GMCO FITTINGS

13-368-1	INSERT STEM
12-146-3	INSERT HEAD
13-237-1	FERRULE

2 EDWARDS FABRICATION LIFT EYE CLAMPS

3207, 3203 Individual Test Certificates for Each Clamp

3 4 1/16 10K FLANGES

J-A-039-20 Heat Numbers

4 WELDING SPECIFICATIONS

Certification and Procedure for welding

5 NDE RESULTS

174414 Ultrasonic Test Results and Imaging

6 TEST CHART

Chart Recording of Hydrostatic Test

7 TEST CERTIFICATE

Document Product Details & Positive Results of Hydrostatic Testing

8 CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE

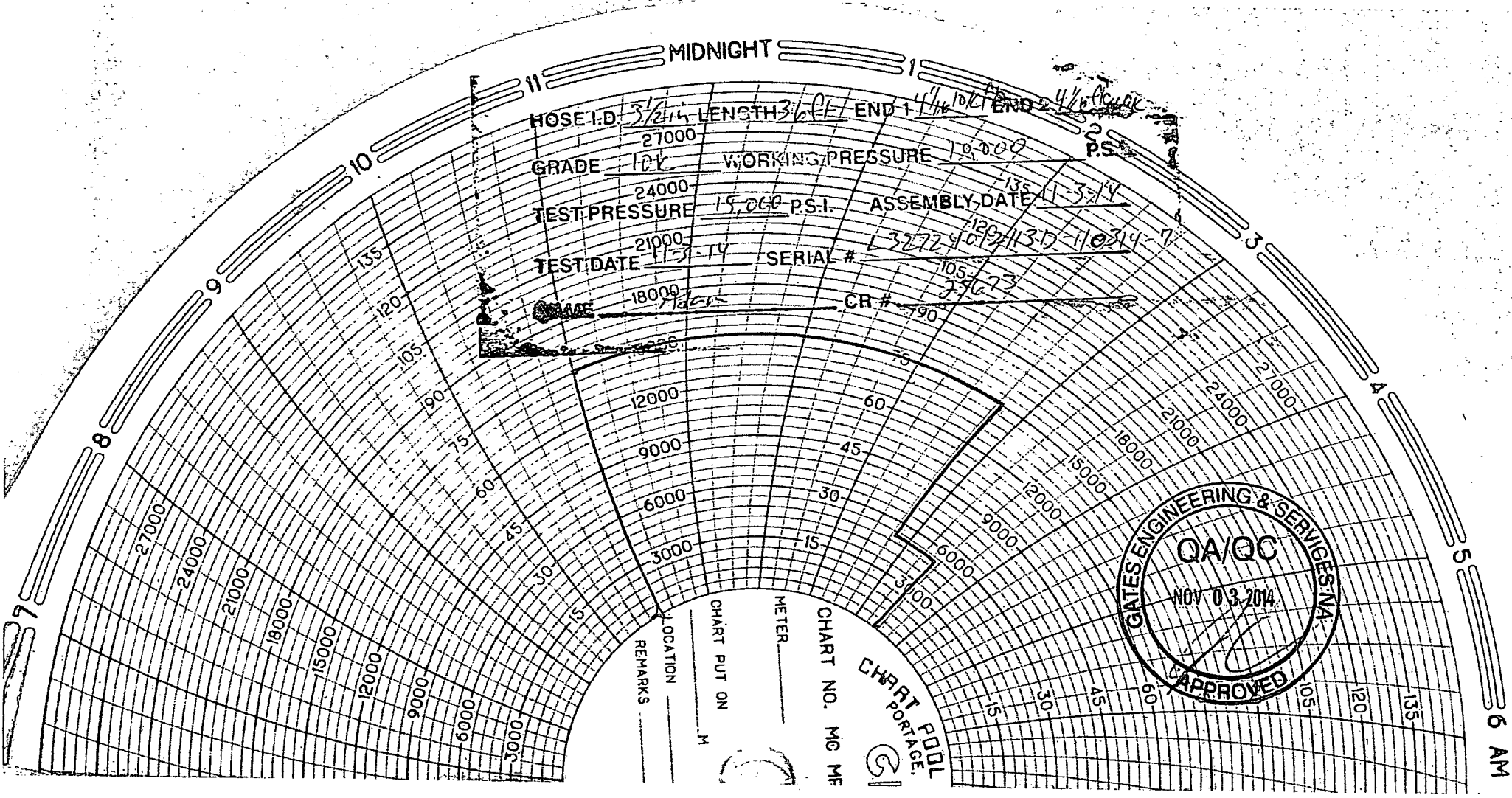
A Declaration of the conformity with the type approval

9 IMAGES

Images of the product prior to shipping.

10 PACKING LIST

Details of Shipping Contents, Dimensions and Weights



MIDNIGHT

HOSE I.D. 3 1/2 LENGTH 36 FT END 1 4 1/2 END 2 4 1/2

GRADE 10K WORKING PRESSURE 15000 PS

TEST PRESSURE 15,000 PS.I. ASSEMBLY DATE 11-3-14

TEST DATE 11-3-14 SERIAL # 132724072113D-110314-7

CR # 73673



CHART NO. MC MF

METER _____

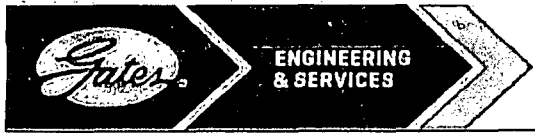
CHART PUT ON _____

REMARKS _____

LOCATION _____

CHART PORTAGE

6 AM



GATES E & S NORTH AMERICA, INC.
134 44TH STREET
CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS 78405

PHONE: 361-887-9807
FAX: 361-887-0812
EMAIL: Tim.Cantu@gates.com
WEB: www.gates.com

10K CHOKE & KILL ASSEMBLY PRESSURE TEST CERTIFICATE

Customer :	AUSTIN DISTRIBUTUNG	Test Date:	11/3/2014
Customer Ref. :	4055857	Hose Serial No.:	D-110314-7
Invoice No. :	204799	Created By:	NORMA MATA
Product Description:	10K3.536.0CK4.1/1610KFLGE/E L/E		
End Fitting 1 :	10K 4.1/16 FLG	End Fitting 2 :	10K 4.1/16 FLG
Gates Part No. :	4774-8001	Assembly Code :	L32724012113D-110314-7
Working Pressure :	10,000 PSI	Test Pressure :	15,000 PSI

Gates E & S North America, Inc. certifies that the following hose assembly has been tested to the Gates Oilfield Roughneck Agreement/Specification requirements and passed the 15 minute hydrostatic test per API Spec 7K/Q1, Fifth Edition, June 2010, Test pressure 9.6.7 and per Table 9 to 15,000 psi in accordance with this product number. Hose burst pressure 9.6.7.2 exceeds the minimum of 2.5 times the working pressure per Table 9.

Quality Manager :
Date :
Signature :

QUALITY
11/3/2014
<i>[Signature]</i>

Technical Supervisor :
Date :
Signature :

PRODUCTION
11/3/2014
<i>[Signature]</i>

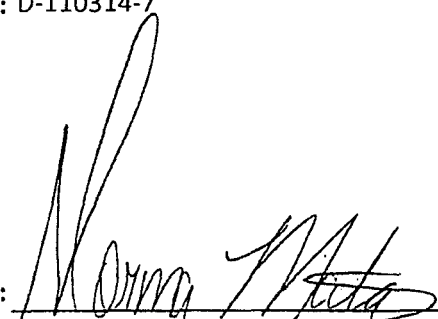


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CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS 78405
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CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE

This is to verify that all Parts and/or Materials included in this shipment have been manufactured and/or processed in Conformance with applicable drawings and specifications, and that Records of Required Tests are on file and subject to examination. The following items were assembled at Gates E & S, North America Inc., facilities in Corpus Christi, TX, USA. This hose assembly was designed and manufactured to meet all the requirements of API Spec 7K.

CUSTOMER: AUSTIN DISTRIBUTUNG
CUSTOMERS P.O.#: 4055857
PART DESCRIPTION: 10K3.536.0CK4.1/1610KFLGE/E L/E
SALES ORDER #: 204799
QUANTITY: 1
SERIAL #: D-110314-7

SIGNATURE: 
TITLE: _____ QUALITY
DATE: _____ 11/3/2014

PECOS DISTRICT
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

OPERATOR'S NAME:	COG Operating LLC
LEASE NO.:	NMNM-2386A
WELL NAME & NO.:	Brinninstool Unit 4H
SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE:	0330' FSL & 0752' FEL
BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE	0330' FNL & 0752' FEL
LOCATION:	Section 20, T. 23 S., R 33 E., NMPM
COUNTY:	Lea County, New Mexico
API:	30-025-41803

The original COAs still stand with the following drilling modifications:

I. DRILLING

A. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS

The BLM is to be notified in advance for a representative to witness:

- a. Spudding well (minimum of 24 hours)
- b. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings (minimum of 4 hours)
- c. BOPE tests (minimum of 4 hours)

☒ **Lea County**

Call the Hobbs Field Station, 414 West Taylor, Hobbs NM 88240,
(575) 393-3612

1. A Hydrogen Sulfide (H₂S) Drilling Plan shall be activated 500 feet prior to drilling into the **Delaware** formation. **As a result, the Hydrogen Sulfide area must meet Onshore Order 6 requirements, which includes equipment and personnel/public protection items. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, please provide measured values and formations to the BLM. Operator has stated that they will have monitoring equipment in place prior to drilling out of the surface shoe.**
2. 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. **If the drilling rig is removed without approval – an Incident of Non-Compliance will be written and will be a “Major” violation.**
3. Floor controls are required for 3M or Greater systems. These controls will be on the rig floor, unobstructed, readily accessible to the driller and will be operational at all times during drilling and/or completion activities. Rig floor is defined as the area immediately around the rotary table; the area immediately above the substructure on which the draw works is located, this does not include the dog house or stairway area.

4. The record of the drilling rate along with the GR/N well log run from TD to surface (horizontal well – vertical portion of hole) shall be submitted to the BLM office as well as all other logs run on the borehole 30 days from completion. If available, a digital copy of the logs is to be submitted in addition to the paper copies. The Rustler top and top and bottom of Salt are to be recorded on the Completion Report.

B. CASING

Changes to the approved APD casing program need prior approval if the items substituted are of lesser grade or different casing size or are Non-API. The Operator can exchange the components of the proposal with that of superior strength (i.e. changing from J-55 to N-80, or from 36# to 40#). Changes to the approved cement program need prior approval if the altered cement plan has less volume or strength or if the changes are substantial (i.e. Multistage tool, ECP, etc.). The initial wellhead installed on the well will remain on the well with spools used as needed.

Centralizers required on surface casing per Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.f.

Wait on cement (WOC) time prior to drilling out for a primary cement job will be a minimum 18 hours for a water basin, 24 hours in the potash area, or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater for all casing strings. DURING THIS WOC TIME, NO DRILL PIPE, ETC. SHALL BE RUN IN THE HOLE. Provide compressive strengths including hours to reach required 500 pounds compressive strength prior to cementing each casing string. IF OPERATOR DOES NOT HAVE THE WELL SPECIFIC CEMENT DETAILS ONSITE PRIOR TO PUMPING THE CEMENT FOR EACH CASING STRING, THE WOC WILL BE 30 HOURS. See individual casing strings for details regarding lead cement slurry requirements.

No pea gravel permitted for remedial or fall back remedial without prior authorization from the BLM engineer.

Possibility of water flows in the Salado and Castile.

Possibility of lost circulation in the Rustler and Delaware.

Abnormal pressures may be encountered in the 3rd Bone Spring and Wolfcamp formations.

1. The **13-3/8** inch surface casing shall be set at approximately **1400** feet (a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface. **If salt is encountered, set casing at least 25 feet above the salt.**
 - a. If cement does not circulate to the surface, the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey utilizing an electronic type temperature survey with surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Temperature survey will be run a minimum of six hours after pumping cement and ideally between 8-10 hours after completing the cement job.
 - b. **Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry.**
 - c. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a remedial job will be a minimum of 4 hours after bringing cement to surface or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater.
 - d. If cement falls back, remedial cementing will be done prior to drilling out that string.
2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the **9-5/8** inch intermediate casing, which shall be set at approximately **5100** feet, is:

☒ Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a, c-d above.

Formation below the 9-5/8" shoe to be tested according to Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.i. Test to be done as a mud equivalency test using the mud weight necessary for the pore pressure of the formation below the shoe (not the mud weight required to prevent dissolving the salt formation) and the mud weight for the bottom of the hole. Report results to BLM office.

Centralizers required on horizontal leg, must be type for horizontal service and a minimum of one every other joint.

Pilot hole is required to have a plug at the bottom of the hole. If two plugs are set, the BLM is to be contacted (575-393-3612) prior to tag of bottom plug, which must be a minimum of 200' in length. Operator can set one plug from bottom of pilot hole to kick-off point and save the WOC time for tagging the first plug.

3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the **7** inch production casing is:

☒ Cement should tie-back at least 500 feet into previous casing string. Operator shall provide method of verification.

4. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 4-1/2 inch production Liner is:

☒ Cement as proposed by operator. Operator shall provide method of verification. **Excess calculates to 13% - Additional cement may be required.**

5. If hardband drill pipe is rotated inside casing, returns will be monitored for metal. If metal is found in samples, drill pipe will be pulled and rubber protectors which have a larger diameter than the tool joints of the drill pipe will be installed prior to continuing drilling operations.

C. PRESSURE CONTROL

1. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 and API RP 53 Sec. 17.
2. Variance approved to use flex line from BOP to choke manifold. Check condition of flexible line from BOP to choke manifold, replace if exterior is damaged or if line fails test. Line to be as straight as possible with no hard bends and is to be anchored according to Manufacturer's requirements. The flexible hose can be exchanged with a hose of equal size and equal or greater pressure rating. **Anchor requirements, specification sheet and hydrostatic pressure test certification matching the hose in service, to be onsite for review. These documents shall be posted in the company man's trailer and on the rig floor.** If the BLM inspector questions the straightness of the hose, a BLM engineer will be contacted and will review in the field or via picture supplied by inspector to determine if changes are required (operator shall expect delays if this occurs).
3. **In the case where the only BOP installed is an annular preventer, it shall be tested to a minimum of 2000 psi (which may require upgrading to 3M or 5M annular).**
4. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be **2000 (2M) psi.**
5. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the 9-5/8 intermediate casing shoe shall be **5000 (5M) psi. 5M system requires an HCR valve, remote kill line and annular to match. The remote kill line is to be installed prior to testing the system and tested to stack pressure.**

6. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
- a. In a water basin, for all casing strings utilizing slips, these are to be set as soon as the crew and rig are ready and any fallback cement remediation has been done. The casing cut-off and BOP installation can be initiated four hours after installing the slips, which will be approximately six hours after bumping the plug. For those casing strings not using slips, the minimum wait time before cut-off is eight hours after bumping the plug. BOP/BOPE testing can begin after cut-off or once cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified), whichever is greater. However, if the float does not hold, cut-off cannot be initiated until cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified).
 - b. The tests shall be done by an independent service company utilizing a test plug **not a cup or J-packer**.
 - c. The test shall be run on a 5000 psi chart for a 2-3M BOP/BOP, on a 10000 psi chart for a 5M BOP/BOPE and on a 15000 psi chart for a 10M BOP/BOPE. If a linear chart is used, it shall be a one hour chart. A circular chart shall have a maximum 2 hour clock. If a twelve hour or twenty-four hour chart is used, tester shall make a notation that it is run with a two hour clock.
 - d. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
 - e. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. **A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.**
 - f. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug. This test shall be performed prior to the test at full stack pressure.
 - g. BOP/BOPE must be tested by an independent service company within 500 feet of the top of the **Wolfcamp** formation if the time between the setting of the intermediate casing and reaching this depth exceeds 20 days. This test does not exclude the test prior to drilling out the casing shoe as per Onshore Order No. 2.

D. DRILL STEM TEST

If drill stem tests are performed, Onshore Order 2.III.D shall be followed.

E. WASTE MATERIAL AND FLUIDS

All waste (i.e. drilling fluids, trash, salts, chemicals, sewage, gray water, etc.) created as a result of drilling operations and completion operations shall be safely contained and disposed of properly at a waste disposal facility. No waste material or fluid shall be disposed of on the well location or surrounding area.

Porto-johns and trash containers will be on-location during fracturing operations or any other crew-intensive operations.

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