

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P. O. Box 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

NFL 4INFILL DRILLING FINDINGS AND WELL-SPACING WAIVER
MADE PURSUANT TO SECTION 271.305(b) OF THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION REGULATIONS,
NATURAL GAS POLICY ACT OF 1978 AND OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
ORDER NO. R-6013

I.

Operator ARCO Oil and Gas Co. Well Name and No. Frederick H. Curry WN Well No. 2
Location: Unit N Sec. 1 Twp. 24S Rng. 36E Cty. Lea

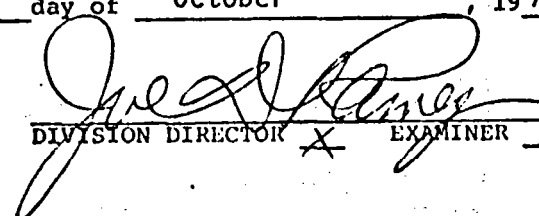
II.

THE DIVISION FINDS:

- (1) That Section 271.305(b) of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Interim Regulations promulgated pursuant to the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 provides that, in order for an infill well to qualify as a new onshore production well under Section 103 of said Act, the Division must find, prior to the commencement of drilling, that the well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the proration unit which cannot be so drained by any existing well within that unit, and must grant a waiver of existing well-spacing requirements.
- (2) That by Order No. R-6013, dated June 7, 1979, the Division established an administrative procedure whereby the Division Director and the Division Examiners are empowered to act for the Division and find that an infill well is necessary.
- (3) That the well for which a finding is sought is to be completed in the Jalmat Gas Pool, and the standard spacing unit in said pool is 640 acres.
- (4) That a 320-acre proration unit comprising the S/2 of Sec. 1, Twp. 24S, Rng. 36E, is currently dedicated to the Frederick H. Curry Well No. 1 located in Unit P of said section.
- (5) That this proration unit is () standard (X) nonstandard; if nonstandard, said unit was previously approved by Order No. R-2889.
- (6) That said proration unit is not being effectively and efficiently drained by the existing well(s) on the unit.
- (7) That the drilling and completion of the well for which a finding is sought should result in the production of an additional 2.92 BCF of gas from the proration unit which would not otherwise be recovered.
- (8) That all the requirements of Order No. R-6013 have been complied with, and that the well for which a finding is sought is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir covered by said proration unit which cannot be so drained by any existing well within the unit.
- (9) That in order to permit effective and efficient drainage of said proration unit, the subject application should be approved as an exception to the standard well spacing requirements for the pool.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicant is hereby authorized to drill the well described in Section I above as an infill well on the existing proration unit described in Section II(4) above. The authorization for infill drilling granted by this order is an exception to applicable well spacing requirements and is necessary to permit the drainage of a portion of the reservoir covered by said proration unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by any existing well thereon.
- (2) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 1st day of October, 1979.
DIVISION DIRECTOR ☒ EXAMINER ☐

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DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this _____ day of _____, 19_____.

DIVISION DIRECTOR _____ EXAMINER _____

ARCO Oil and Gas Company
Permian District
Post Office Box 1610
Midland, Texas 79702
Telephone 915 684 0100



September 20, 1979

Oil Conservation Division
of New Mexico Department of
Energy & Minerals
P. O. Box 2088
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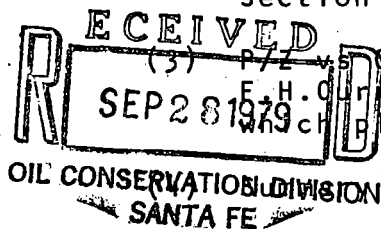
RE: Frederick Curry WN #2
Non-Standard Proration Unit
Jalmat Tansil Yates Seven Rivers Gas Pool
1980' FWL & 660' FSL
Section 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. R. Stamets

In support of our original request on August 9, 1979 for an infill finding under Order R-6013 we submit the following evidence. The volume of increased ultimate recovery from the drilling of the subject well is estimated to be 2.92 BCF. The reserve calculations and supporting data are attached.

Included with this letter are the following:

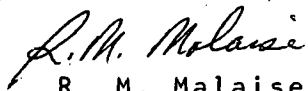
- (1) Isopach map of Jalmat Gas zone plus calculations of average net pay.
- (2) East-West cross-section of Jalmat zone on S/2 section 1 - 320 acre proration unit. Section shows net pay on logs.
- (3) P/Z vs Sp plot of recoverable reserves for F.H. Curry No. 1. Also, data sheet from which plot was drawn.
- (4) Plot of the Reserve Calculation.
- (5) Summary sheet of wells used in Isopach map.



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Mr. R. Stamets

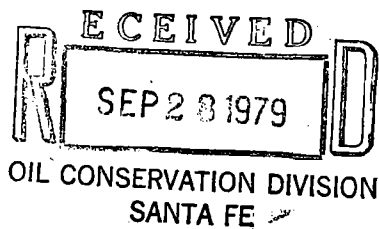
Please accept this additional information in support of our original request. If you need additional information, please advise.

Sincerely,


R. M. Malaise

RMM:ad

cc: Offset Operators
George Ricks - Hobbs
Phil Tomlinson - Midland



LIST OF OFFSET OPERATORS

CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY
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MOBIL OIL CORP.
GREENWAY PLAZA
SUITE 2700
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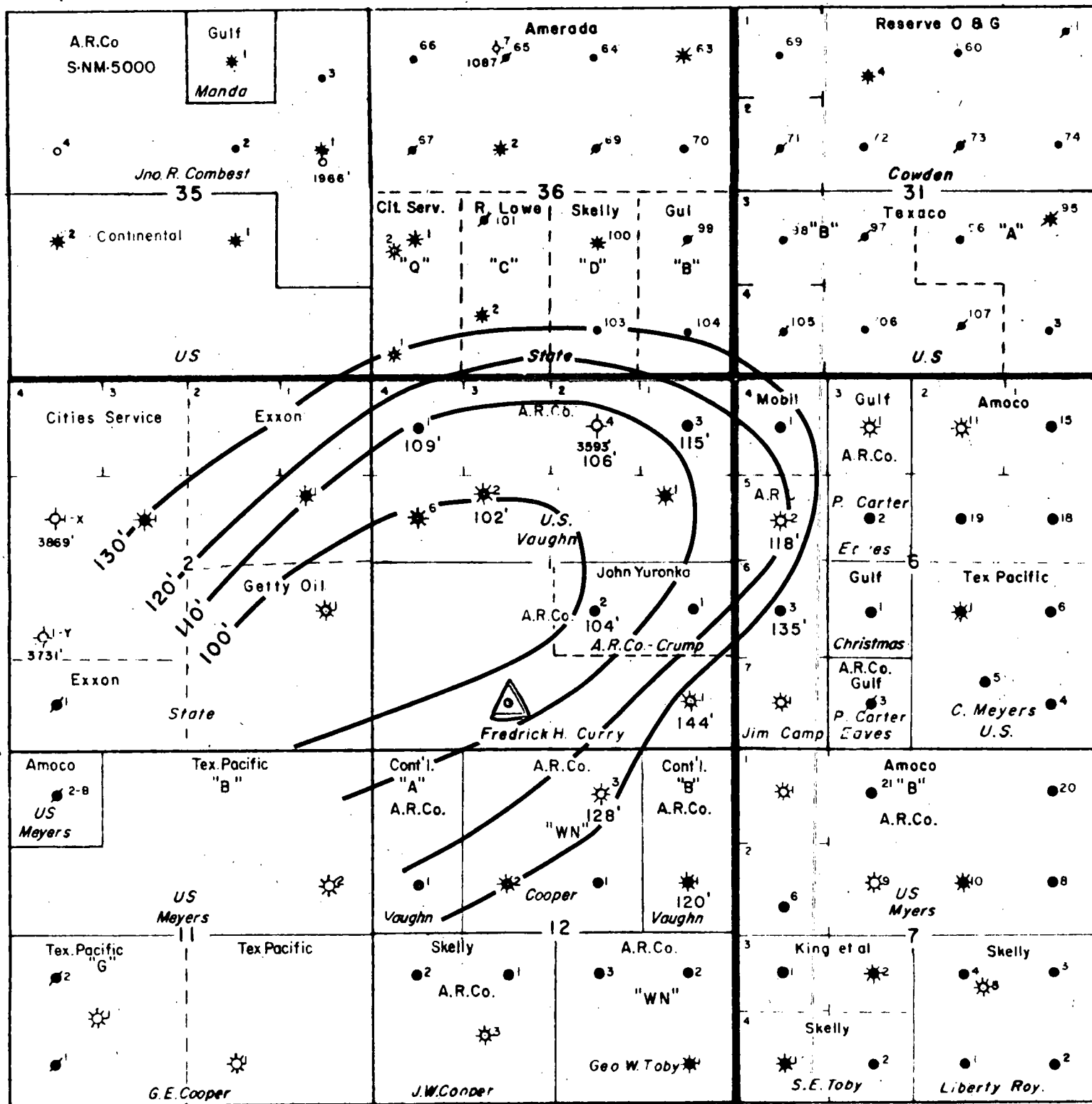
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EXXON BUILDING
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

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500 W. TEXAS
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

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ARCO Oil and Gas Company

Division of Atlantic Richfield Company

Permian District Midland, Texas

F. H. CURRY LEASE
JALMAT GAS ZONE
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

NET PAY MAP
5% Ø CUTOFF

SCALE 1" = 2000'

By: R. M. MALAISE	Drawn By: BS	Date: 8-79
Date: 9-79	Revised By:	Date: 9-79
Dept: WEST AREA ENGR.	Drawn No:	

F. H. CURRY LEASE
JALMAT GAS ZONE

<u>ISOPACH</u>	<u>PLANIMETER AREA</u>	<u>AREA, ACRES</u>
100	.030	109
100-110	.027	98
110-120	.018	66
120-130	.005	29
130-140	<u>.008</u>	<u>18</u>
	.088	320

.088 = 320 Acres

	V, acre-ft
100 (109)	10900
105 (98)	10290
115 (66)	7590
125 (29)	3625
135 (18)	<u>2430</u>
	34835

$$\frac{34835 \text{ acre-ft}}{320 \text{ acre}} = 109 \text{ ft}$$

F. H. CURRY LEASE JALMAT GAS AREA

LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

EAST - WEST CROSS SECTION

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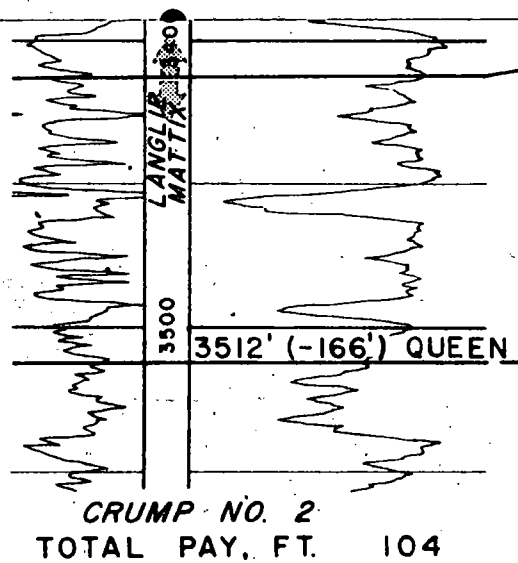
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ARCO CRUMP NO. 2
SEC. 1, T24S - R36E
1650' FSL & 1650' FEL

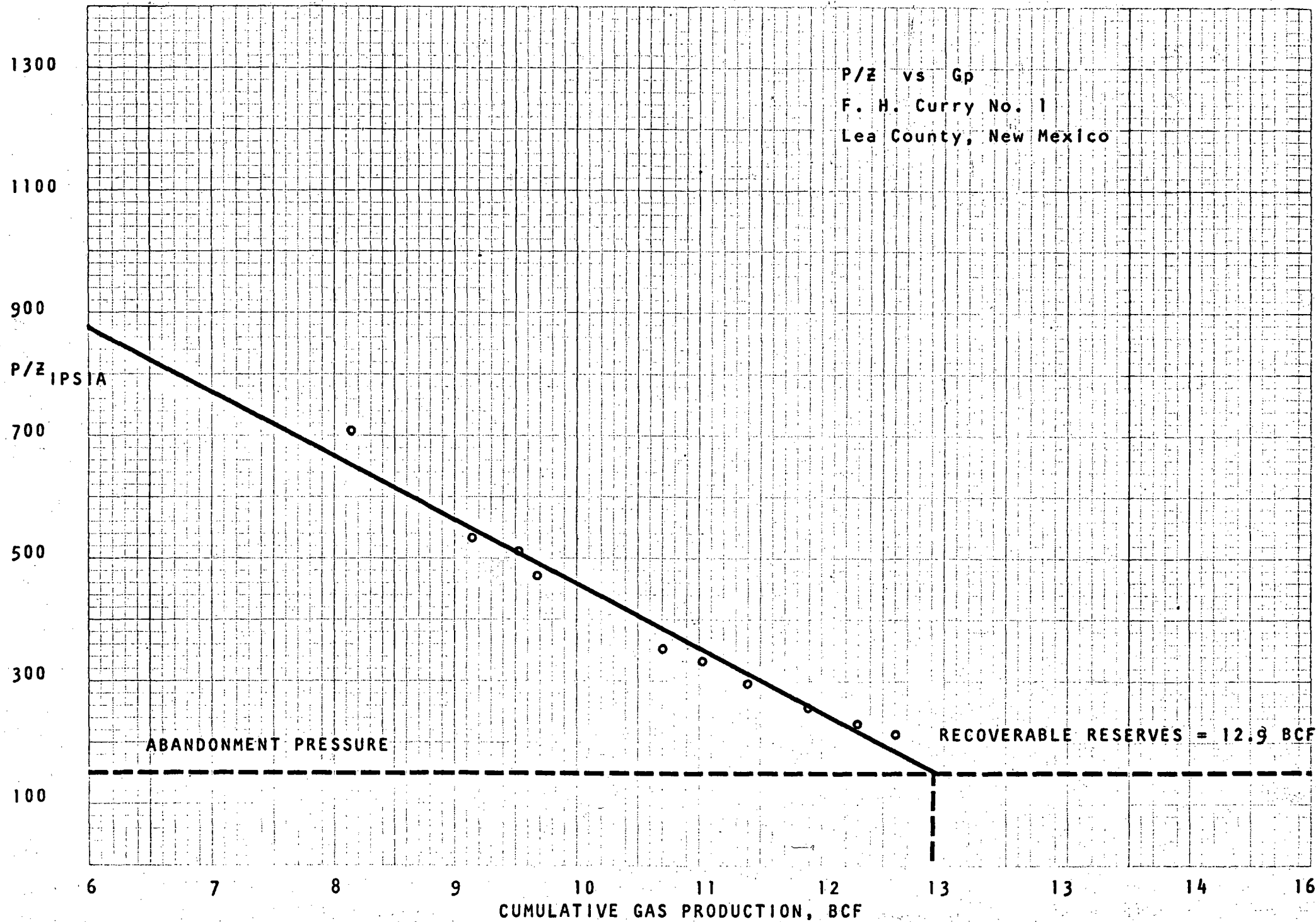
SINCLAIR OIL & GAS CO.
E. H. CURRY "WN" NO. 1
SEC. 1, T24S - R36E
660' FSL & 660' FEL



FRONTIER (1-24-65)
GAMMA RAY-NEUTRON



NOTE: POROSITY CUTOFF 5%



RESERVE CALCULATIONS
 F.H. CURRY No. 1
 320 Acre Proration Unit
 (Jalmat Gas)
 S/2 Section 1-T24S-R36E
 Lea County, New Mexico

I. Calculation of Gas
 In place by Volumetric Method

$$G = 43560 \times V_b \times \phi \times (1-S_w) \times B_{gi}$$

Where,

$$V_b = \text{Acre} \times \text{Ave Net Pay, Ft.} *$$

$$= 320 \times 109'$$

$$= 34880 \text{ Ac-ft}$$

$$\phi = 14\% \text{ (Average from available Logs)}$$

$$S_w = 27.1\% \text{ (Core analysis)}$$

$$B_{gi} = 35.35 \frac{P}{Z} \frac{**}{T} \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{Cuft}}$$

$$= \frac{(35.35)}{(.806)} \frac{(1400)}{(550)}$$

$$= 111.64 \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{CuFt}}$$

Therefore,

$$G = (43560)(34880)(.14)(.729)(111.64)$$

$$= 17.31 \text{ BCF}$$

* See attached isopach map and calculation

** Published in Oil & Gas Fields of Southeast N New Mexico 1956
 by Roswell Geological Society

RESERVE CALCULATIONS
 F. H. CURRY NO. 1
 320 Acre Proration Unit
 S/2 Section 1-T24S-R36E
 Lea County, New Mexico

II. Calculation of
 Recoverable Gas
 on 320 Acre

Assume, Abandonment P/Z = 150 psia

$$G = 43560 \times V_b \times \phi \times (1-S_w) \times (B_{gi} - B_{ga}) =$$

where,

$$B_{ga} = \frac{(35.35)(150)}{550}$$

$$= 9.64 \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{ft}^3}$$

$$G = (43560)(34880)(.14)(.729)(11.64 - 9.64)$$

$$= 15.82 \text{ BCF}$$

III. Calculation of Unrecoverable
 Reserves - 320 acre Proration Unit

Recoverable Reserves - Economic Recovery *
 To P/Z of 150 psia From Curry No. 1

Unrecoverable
 Reserves

$$15.82 \text{ BCF} - \overset{90}{12.90} \text{ BCF} = \underline{\underline{2.92 \text{ BCF}}}$$

* See attached P/Z graph and supporting data.

15.82

12.9

2.92

JALMAT GAS AREA
NET PAY
F.H.CURRY LEASE
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

<u>WELL & LEASE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>OPERATOR</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>	<u>LOGS</u>	<u>NET PAY, FT</u>
Vaughn B-1 #1	1650' FNL & 990' FEL, Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	10-20-47	Gamma Ray Neutron- Western 12-9-59 2640-3151'	Covered Yates only
Vaughn B-1 #2	1650' FNL & FWL	CONOCO	5-13-48	Lane Wells GR-NL 7-15-65 2806-3622	102'
Vaughn B-1 #3	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec.1-T24S- R36E	CONOCO	1-2-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 12-29-49 2600-3607'	115'
Vaughn B-1 #4	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	5-9-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 4-4-50 2600-3593'	106'
Vaughn B-1 #5	660' FNL & FWL Sec.1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	11-19-65	Welex GR-Sonic Surf-3692'	109'
Crump #1	1980' FSL & 660 FEL, Sec 1-T24S- R36E	YURONKA	9-20-72	Welex Density 50-3701	104'
Crump #2	1650' FSL & 660' FEL Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	YURONKA	1-25-73	Welex GR-NL 3400-3718'	Jalmat not Logged
Curry #1	660' FSL & FEL Sec 1-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-24-38	Frontier GR-NL 2379-3379'	144'
State Z #1	1650' FNL & 990' FEL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	EXXON	5-29-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 1000-3021'	Covered only Top of Yates
State #1	660' FEL & 1980' FSL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	GETTY	10-15-49	N/A	N/A
Meyers B-2	660' FEL & 1980' FNL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	TEX.PAC.	7-18-48	N/A	N/A
Cooper WN #1	1980' FNL & FEL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	7-24-40	N/A	N/A

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 Jalmat Gas Area
 Net Pay Data
 F.H.Curry Lease
 Lea County, NM

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Cooper WN #2	1980' FNL & 1980' FWL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	10-9-41	N/A	N/A
Cooper WN #3	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-21-73	Schlumberger GR-NL 0-3633	128'
Vaughn A-12 #1	1980' FNL & 660 FWL, Sec 12-T24S- R36E	CONOCO	2-19-42	Wellex GR-NL	120'
Vaughn B-12 #1	1980' FNL & 660 FSL, Sec 12-T24S R36E	CONOCO	7-18-40	N/A	N/A
Meyers B-1	660' FNL & FWL Sec 7-T24S- R36E	AMOCO	8-29-37	N/A	N/A
Jim Camp WN #1	660' FSL & FWL Sec 6-T24S-R36E	AROC	6-13-37	N/A	N/a
Jim Camp WN #2	1980' FNL & 660' FWL Sec 6-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-4-65	Western GR-NL 1000-3574'	118'
Jim Camp WN #3	660' FNL & 1980' FSL Sec 6-T24S- R36E	ARCO	1-28-55	Western GR-NL 1000-3574'	

PRESSURE HISTORY
F.H. CURRY NO. 1, UNIT P
SECTION 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SHUT IN TIME</u>	<u>SHUT IN PRESSURE</u>	<u>EST BHP* PSIG</u>	<u>z, avg</u>	<u>EST P/z</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE GAS PROD MCF</u>
9-24-66	72 hrs	598.2	645.1	.909	709.7	8151248
8-14-69	72 hrs	462.2	497.7	.929	535.7	9151837
8-13-70	72 hrs	440.2	473.9	.933	507.9	9538693
8-19-71	72 hrs	413.2	444.7	.937	474.6	9686127
1972	BAD VALVE					
6-26-73	72 hrs	315.2	338.8	.951	356.3	10710956
6-24-74	72 hrs	298.2	320.5	.954	335.9	11026488
3-14-75	72 hrs	263.2	282.7	.959	294.8	11392313
6-8-76	72 hrs	233.2	250.4	.964	259.7	11940784
7-19-77	72 hrs	209.2	224.6	.968	232.0	12293893
7-17-78	72 hrs	195.2	209.5	.970	215.9	12614442

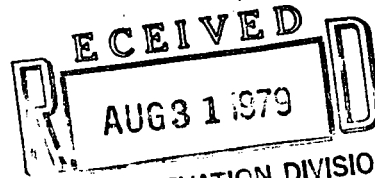
$$* Pws = Pwh \quad e \quad \frac{.01875 \times SG \times D}{z_{avg} \quad T_{avg}}$$

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August 28, 1979



Oil Conservation Division
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Re: Frederick Curry WN #2
Non-Standard Proration Unit
Jalmat Tansil Yates Seven Rivers Gas Pool
1980' FWL & 660' FSL
Section 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. R. Stamets

Dear Sir:

Attached you will find a plat which shows typical drainage areas for Jalmat Gas production surrounding the proposed F. H. Curry No. 2 location. Attached also are the calculations used in constructing these typical areas. This information is being forwarded in support of a request for an infill finding concerning the subject well which was made by letter dated August 9, 1979.

Please accept a corrected C-101 and the first page of the letter making the original request. The proposed well is located in Section 1, T24S, R36E, Lea County, New Mexico.

If you need additional information, please advise.

Very truly yours,

R. M. Malaise
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RMM:ad

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August 9, 1979

Oil Conservation Division of
The New Mexico Department of Energy & Minerals
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RE: Frederick Curry WN #2
Non-Standard Proration Unit
Jalmat Tansil Yates Seven Rivers Gas Pool
1980' FWL & 660' FSL
Section 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

ARCO Oil & Gas Company, a Division of the Atlantic Richfield Company, respectively requests administrative approval of a non-standard proration unit (320 acres) and simultaneous dedication of the subject well with the Curry No. 1 which is currently producing as a marginal gas well from the subject field. The non-standard proration unit comprises the south half of Section 1, T24S, R36E. This letter also requests that the Commission issue certification that there is a need for a second well on the previously approved 320-acre non-standard proration unit. This certification is necessary to meet the requirements of the NGPA of 1978 and we request the certification be handled administratively under Commission Order No. R-6013.

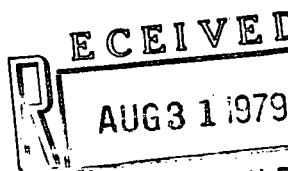
The subject well is being recommended at a location of 1980' FWL & 660' FSL in Section 1, T24S, R36E and is proposed to test both the Jalmat (Gas) Pool and the Langlie Mattix (Oil) Pool. It is anticipated that the well will be completed in the Jalmat zone (second well on proration unit) and also the Langlie Mattix.

In accordance to special rules and regulations set forth under Order No. R-6013, the following data is submitted with the request for an infill finding:

1. Copies of Form C-101 and C-1-2 are attached.
2. A completion attempt will be made in the Jalmat Gas Pool which has a standard proration unit size of 640 acres.

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Form C-101
Revised 1-1-65


1. Indicate Type of Lease
STATE <input type="checkbox"/> FEE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. State Oil & Gas Lease No.

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work		7. Unit Agreement Name	
b. Type of Well DRILL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN <input type="checkbox"/> PLUG BACK <input type="checkbox"/> OIL WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/>		8. Farm or Lease Name Frederick H. Curry WN	
2. Name of Operator ARCO Oil & Gas Company, Division of Atlantic Richfield Co.		9. Well No. 2	
3. Address of Operator P. O. Box 1710 Hobbs, New Mexico 88201		10. Field and Pool, or Wildcat Jalmat Yates Gas LAnglie Mattix 7 R Qn	
4. Location of Well UNIT LETTER <u>N</u> LOCATED <u>1980</u> FEET FROM THE <u>West</u> LINE AND <u>660</u> FEET FROM THE <u>South</u> LINE OF SEC. <u>1</u> TWP. <u>24S</u> RGE. <u>36E</u> NMPM		12. County Lea	
19. Proposed Depth 3700'		19A. Formation Yates Gas	
20. Rotary or C.T. Rotary		21. Elevations (Show whether DF, RT, etc.) 3340' estimated	
21A. Kind & Status Plug. Bond GCA #8		21B. Drilling Contractor Not selected	
22. Approx. Date Work will start			

PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENT PROGRAM

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	SACKS OF CEMENT	EST. TOP
12-1/4"	9-5/8" OD	36# K-55	1200'	675	circ to surface
8-3/4"	8" OD	26# K-55	3700'	1000	circ to surface

Propose to drill an infill development well to effectively and efficiently drain the reserves on existing proration unit.

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: IF PROPOSAL IS TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK, GIVE DATA ON PRESENT PRODUCTIVE ZONE AND PROPOSED NEW PRODUCTIVE ZONE. GIVE BLOWOUT PREVENTER PROGRAM, IF ANY.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

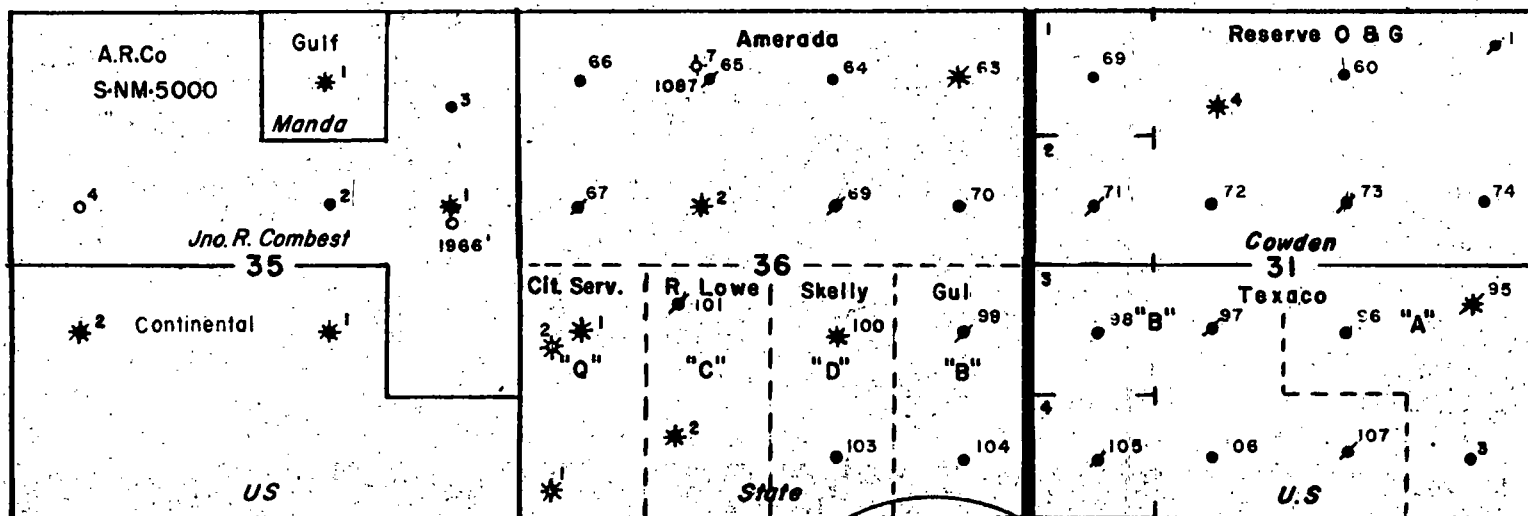
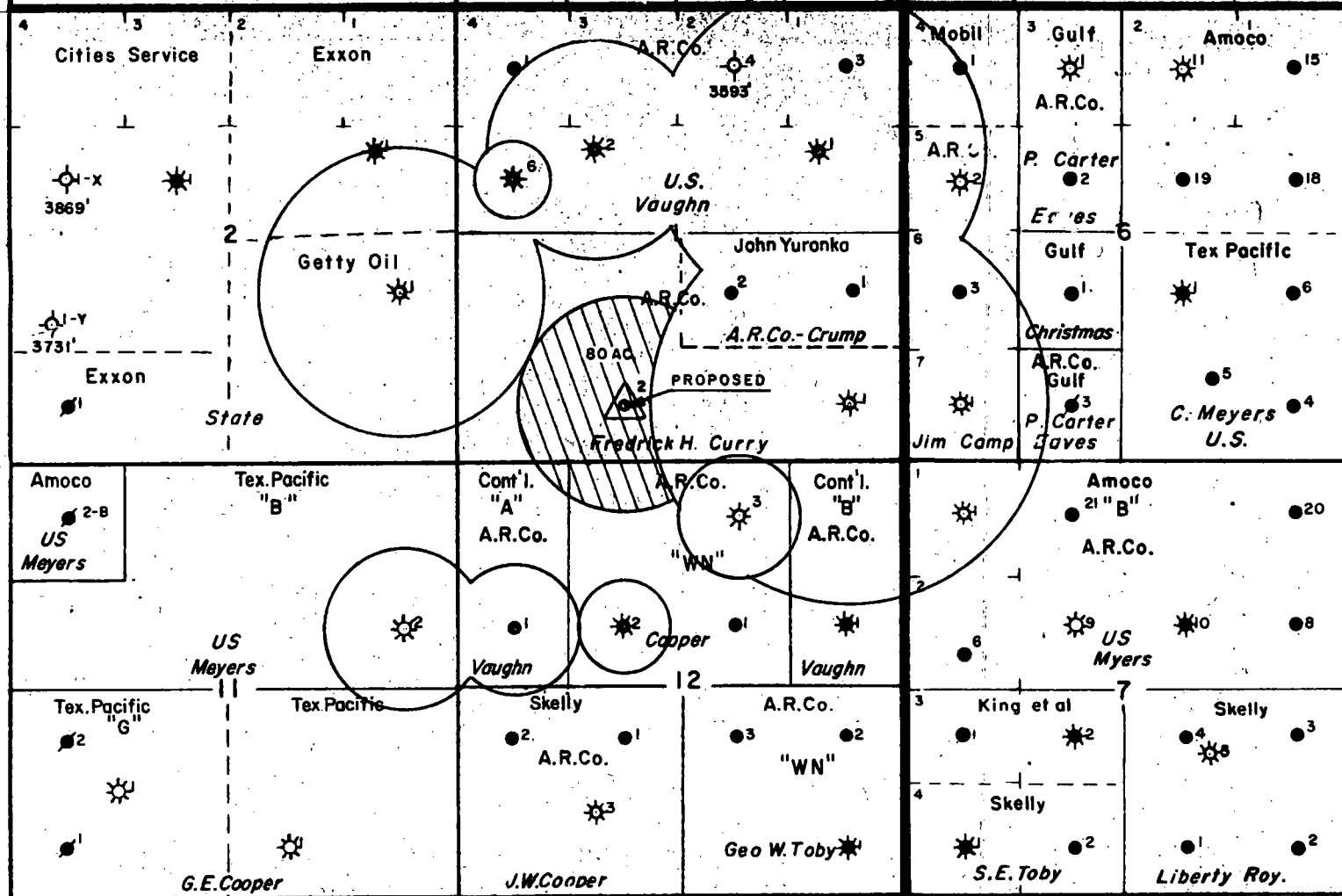
Signed Leroy Lane Title Dist Drlg Supt Date August 29, 1979
(This space for State Use)

APPROVED BY _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

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ARCO Oil and Gas Company

Division of Atlantic Richfield Company

Permian District Midland, Texas

BUBBLE MAP SHOWING DRAINAGE
RADII SURROUNDING PROPOSED
CURRY NO. 2

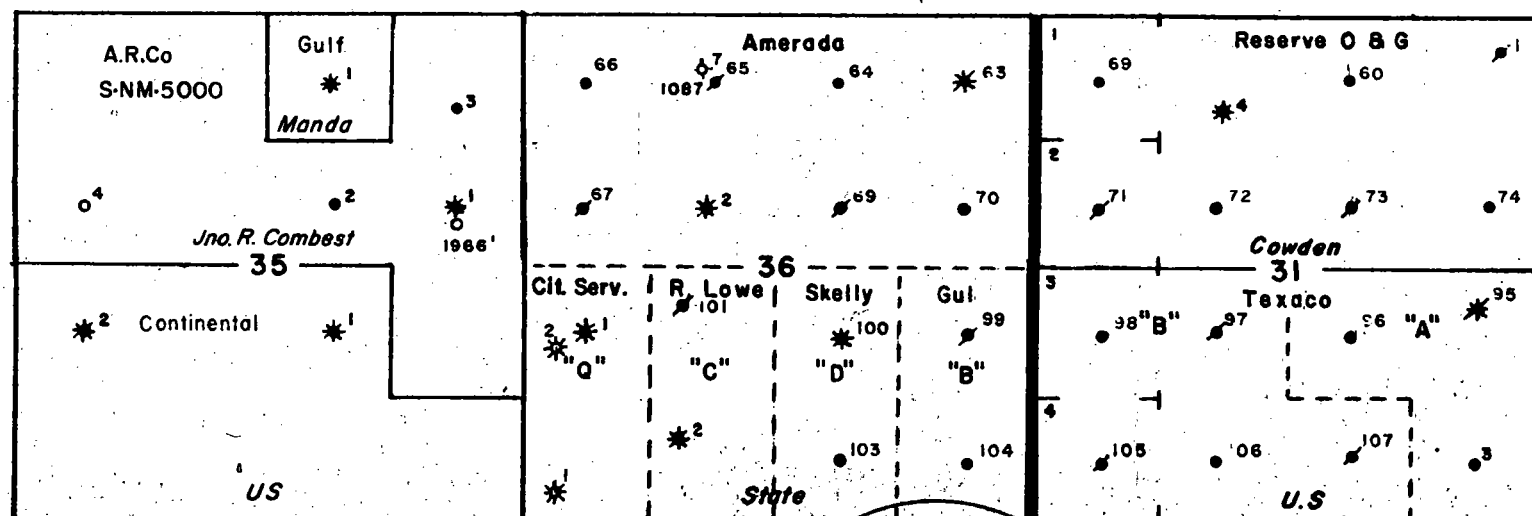
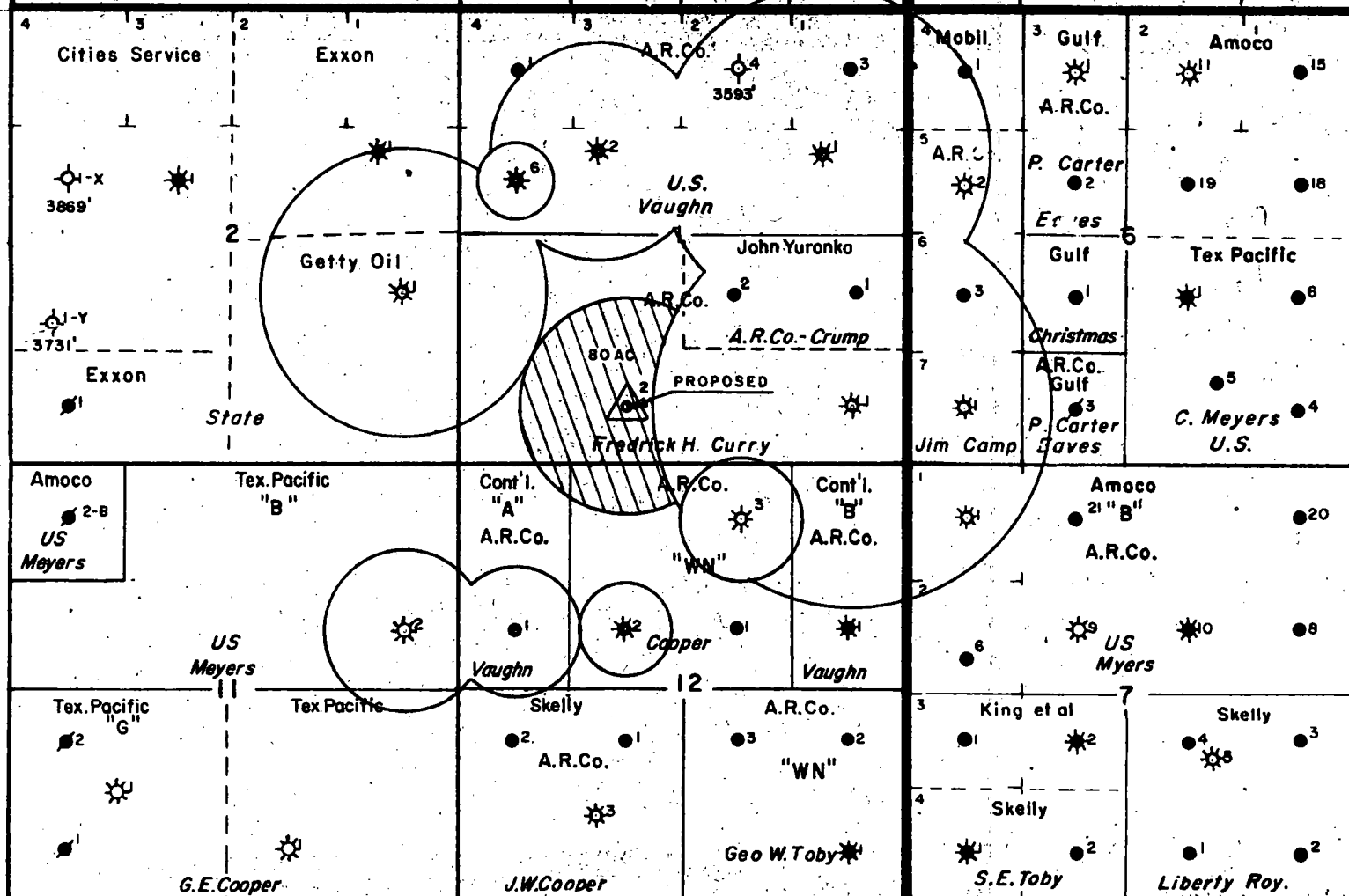
LEA COUNTY NEW MEXICO

SCALE 1" = 2000'

By R. M. MALAISE	Drawn By BS	Date 8-79
Date 8-79	Revised By	Date
Dept. WEST AREA ENGR.	Dwg. No.	

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ARCO Oil and Gas Company 
 Division of Atlantic Richfield Company
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**BUBBLE MAP SHOWING DRAINAGE
 RADII SURROUNDING PROPOSED
 CURRY NO.2**

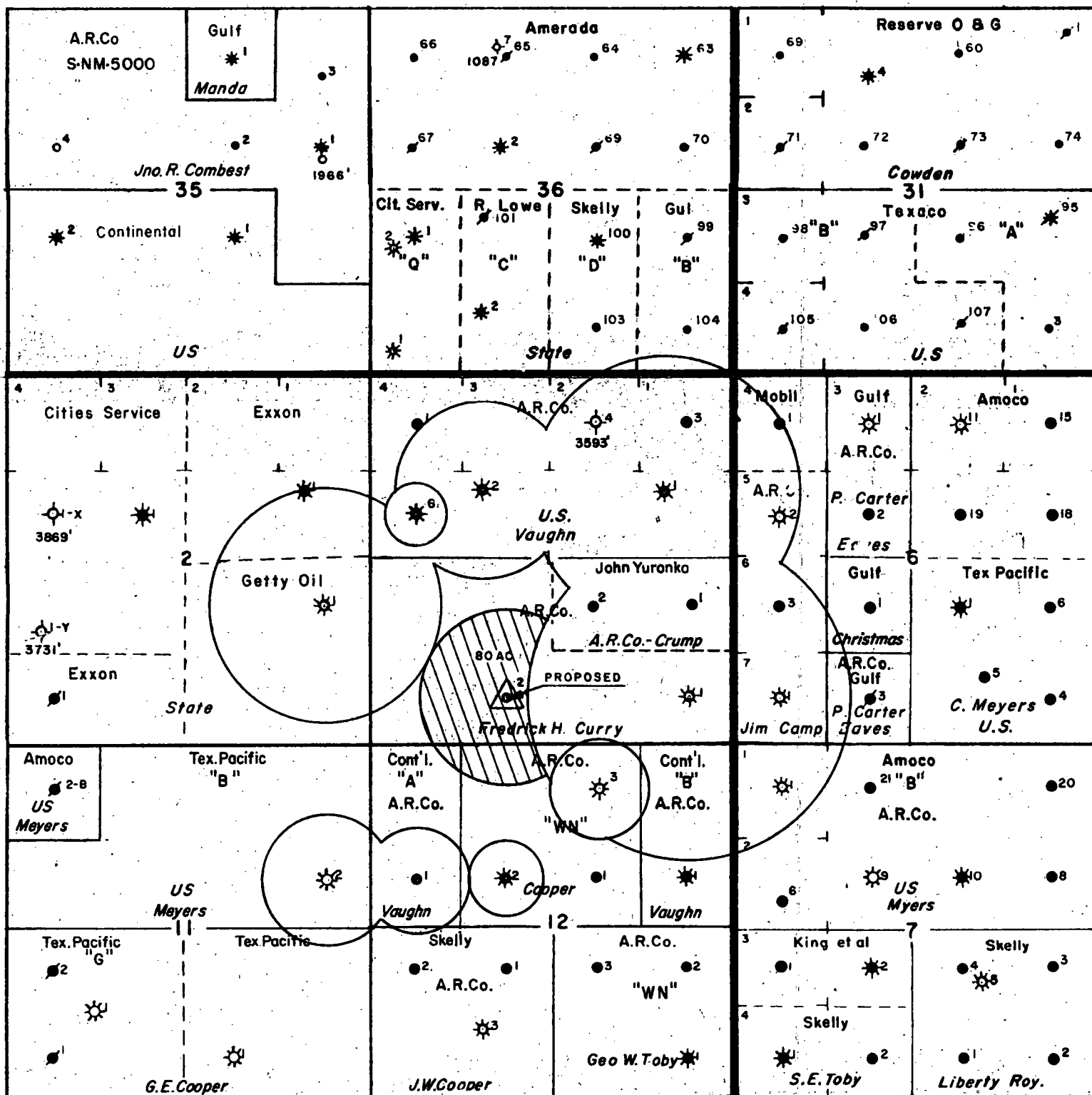
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SCALE 1" = 2000'

By R. M. MALAISE	Drawn By BS	Date 8 - 79
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ARCO Oil and Gas Company 
 Division of Atlantic Richfield Company
 Permian District Midland, Texas

**BUBBLE MAP SHOWING DRAINAGE
 RADII SURROUNDING PROPOSED
 CURRY NO. 2
 LEA COUNTY NEW MEXICO.**

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SAMPLE CALCULATIONS RADII OF DRAINAGE AREA
JALMAT PRODUCTION

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= 1.0 \\ P &= 1400 \text{ psi} \\ P &= 250 \text{ psi} \\ T &= 550^\circ \text{ R} \end{aligned}$$

$$Bg = 35.35 \frac{P}{TZ} = 35.35 \frac{1400}{550} = 90 \text{ SCF/cuft}$$

$$Bg_f = 35.35 \frac{P}{TZ} = 35.35 \frac{250}{550} = 16 \text{ SCF/cuft}$$

$$\Delta Bg = 74 \text{ SCF/cuft}$$

$$\text{Acres} = \frac{(\text{Cum. Gas})}{\text{Drained } (\Delta Bg)(h, ft)(Sg)(\phi) \left(\frac{43560 \text{ cuft}}{\text{Acft}} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{\text{Cum Gas}}{(74)(125)(.8)(.1)(43560)}$$

$$= \frac{\text{Cum Gas}}{32,234,400}$$

Vaughn B #1

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cum} &= 8.07 \text{ BCF} \\ \text{Acre} &= 250 \text{ acres} \\ R &= 1863 \text{ ft.} \end{aligned}$$

Vaughn B #6

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cum} &= .38 \text{ BCF} \\ \text{Acre} &= 11.8 \text{ acres} \\ R &= 404 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

State T #1 (Plugged)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cum} &= 6.57 \text{ BCF} \\ \text{Acre} &= 204 \text{ acres} \\ R &= 1681 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

Meyers #2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cum} &= 2.27 \text{ BCF} \\ \text{Acre} &= 70.4 \text{ acres} \\ R &= 988 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

Cooper #3

Cum = 1.16 BCF
Acre = 36.0 acres
R = 702 ft

Curry #1

Cum = 12.70 BCF
Acre = 394 acres
R = 2337 ft

Vaughn B #2

Cum = 3.89 BCF (Plugged)
Acre = 121 acres
R = 1294 ft

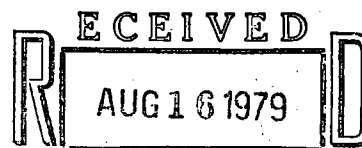
Vaughn A 12 #1

Cum = 1.4 BCF
Acre = 43.4 acres
R = 776 ft

Cooper #2

Cum = .72 BCF
Acre = 22.4 acres
R = 557 ft.

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August 9, 1979

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE

Oil Conservation Division of
The New Mexico Department of Energy & Minerals
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

RE: Frederick Curry WN #2
Non-Standard Proration Unit
Jalmat Tansil Yates Seven Rivers Gas Pool
1980' FWL & 660' FSL
Section 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

ARCO Oil & Gas Company, a Division of the Atlantic Richfield Company, respectively requests administrative approval of a non-standard proration unit (320 acres) and simultaneous dedication of the subject well with the Curry No. 1 which is currently producing as a marginal gas well from the subject field. The non-standard proration unit comprises the south half of section 1, T24S, R36E. This letter also requests that the Commission issue certification that there is a need for a second well on the previously approved 320-acre non-standard proration unit. This certification is necessary to meet the requirements of the NGPA of 1978 and we request the certification be handled administratively under Commission Order No. R-6013.

The subject well is being recommended at a location of 1980' FWL & 660' FSL in Section 1, T20S, R36E and is proposed to test both the Jalmat (Gas) Pool and the Langlie Mattix (Oil) Pool. It is anticipated that the well will be completed in the Jalmat zone (second well on proration unit) and also the Langlie Mattix.

In accordance to special rules and regulation set forth under Order No. R-6013, the following data is submitted with the request for an infill finding:

1. Copies of Form C-101 and C-102 are attached.
2. A completion attempt will be made in the Jalmat Gas Pool which has a standard proration unit size of 640 acres.

3. The F.H. Curry No. 1 is currently producing as a marginal well on a 320 acre non-standard proration unit. The proration unit was established under Division Order No. R-2889.
4. The F. H. Curry WN No. 2 has not been spudded.
5. The F. H. Curry No. 1 is the only other well that has been drilled on the subject proration unit and completed in the Jalmat Gas Pool. This well is located 660' FSL & 660' FEL in Section 1, T24S, R36E, Lea County, New Mexico. The No. 1 well was spudded March 18, 1938 and completed June 1, 1938. The Curry No. 1 produced at an average rate of 670 MCF/D during April, 1979.
6. A structure map on the top of the Yates formation is attached. The proposed location is shown in red.
7. The volume of increased ultimate recovery is anticipated to be 355.8 MMCF. The reserve is based upon the following calculation:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Recovery} &= (43560 \text{ ft}^2/A)(\text{Drainage Area, Acres}) \\ &\quad (\text{Height ft})(\text{Porosity})(1-\text{Scw}) \\ &\quad (\Delta B_g) = \\ &\quad (43560)(80 \text{ acres})(125')(.1)(.7) \\ &\quad (11.67) = 355.8 \text{ MMCF} \end{aligned}$$

where,

Drainage Area = 80 acres
 Net Pay = 125 feet
 Average Porosity = 10%
 Average Water Saturation = 30%
 $B_{gi} - B_{g2} = 11.67 \text{ SCF/ft}^3 = \Delta B_g$
 and B_{gi} at 270 psia = 18.21 SCF/ft³
 B_{g2} at 100 psia = 6.54 SCF/ft³

8. A list of all offset operators is attached. These operators have been sent a copy of this application by certified mail.

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9. We have attached the last twelve months production for the F. H. Curry WN No. 1 and the allowable for a normal 320 acre spacing unit. Only one month in the last year did the No. 1 make the allowable. With the additional wellbore, the Curry lease should return to full allowable and will help prevent waste and eliminate unnecessary drainage.

Atlantic Richfield Company believes approval of these requests will be in the interest of conservation, protection of correlative rights, and allow for more complete recovery of Jalmat gas reserves from the subject acreage.

Very truly yours,

R. M. Malaise
R. M. Malaise

RMM:ad

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Offset Operators
Horace Burton - Dallas Legal
Phil Tomlinson - Midland
Don Shackelford - Hobbs
George Ricks - Hobbs

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JALMAT GAS POOL

F. H. CURRY NO.1

PRODUCTION vs ALLOWABLE

Curry No. 1

	Monthly Gas Production			Jalmat Gas Non-Marginal Allowable, 320 Acres - MCF
	<u>MCF</u>	<u>AF</u>	<u>STATUS</u>	
May, 1979	17582	2.0	M	33195
April, 1979	20796	2.0	M	44904
March, 1979	21603	2.0	M	51117
Feb., 1979	21149	2.0	M	46170
Jan., 1979	22284	2.0	M	36121
Dec., 1978	21731	2.0	M	33949
Nov., 1978	23955	2.0	M	31560
Oct., 1978	22245	2.0	M	24602
Sept., 1978	20906	2.0	M	23273
Aug., 1978	22500	2.0	M	23954
July, 1978	21522	2.0	M	22929
June, 1978	26507	2.0	M	23940

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Form C-101
Revised 1-1-65

5A. Indicate Type of Lease	
STATE <input type="checkbox"/>	FEE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. State Oil & Gas Lease No.	

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work		7. Unit Agreement Name	
b. Type of Well OIL WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/>		8. Farm or Lease Name Frederick H. Curry WN	
2. Name of Operator ARCO Oil & Gas Company, Division of Atlantic Richfield Co.		9. Well No. 2	
3. Address of Operator P. O. Box 1710 Hobbs, New Mexico 88201		10. Field and Pool, or Wildcat Jalmat Yates Gas Langlie Mattix 7 R Qn	
4. Location of Well UNIT LETTER <u>N</u> LOCATED <u>1980</u> FEET FROM THE <u>West</u> LINE AND <u>660</u> FEET FROM THE <u>South</u> LINE OF SEC. <u>1</u> TWP. <u>20</u> ⁴ <u>S</u> RGE. <u>36E</u> NMPM		12. County Lea	
19. Proposed Depth 3700'		19A. Formation Yates Gas	
20. Rotary or C.T. Rotary		21. Elevations (Show whether DF, RT, etc.) 3340' Estimated	
21A. Kind & Status Plug. Bond GCA #8		21B. Drilling Contractor Not selected	
22. Approx. Date Work will start			

PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENT PROGRAM

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	SACKS OF CEMENT	EST. TOP
12-1/4"	9-5/8" OD	36# K-55	1200'	675	Circ to surface
8-3/4"	7" OD	26# K-55	3700'	1000	Circ to surface

Propose to drill an infill development well to effectively and efficiently drain the reserves on existing proration unit.

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM; IF PROPOSAL IS TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK, GIVE DATA ON PRESENT PRODUCTIVE ZONE AND PROPOSED NEW PRODUCTIVE ZONE. GIVE BLOWOUT PREVENTER PROGRAM, IF ANY.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed Leroy Lane Title Dist Drlg Supt. Date 8/9/79
(This space for State Use)

APPROVED BY _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

Form C-102
Supersedes C-128
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

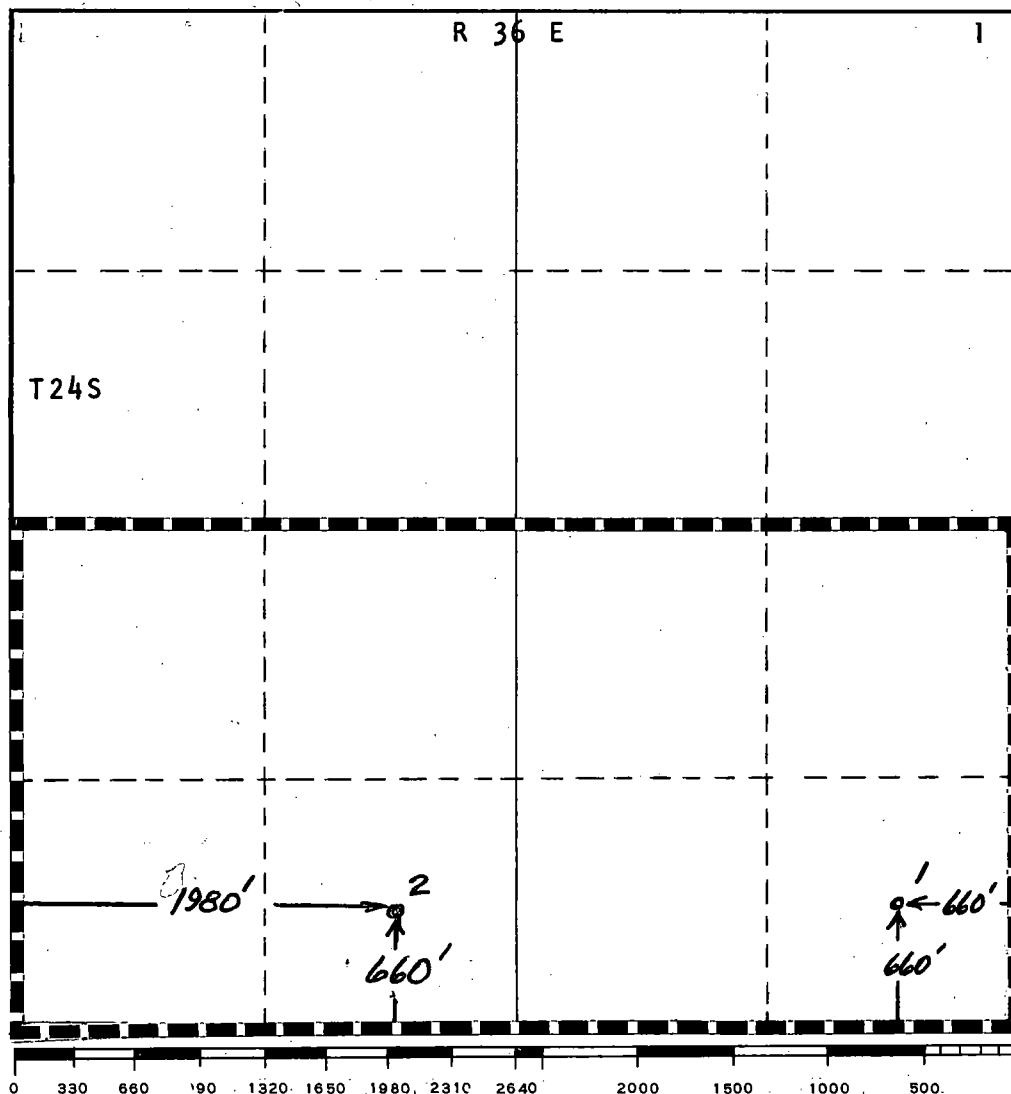
Operator ARCO Oil & Gas Company			Lease F. H. Curry WN		Well No. 2
Unit Letter N	Section 1	Township 24S	Range 36E	County Lea	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 660 feet from the south line and 1980' feet from the west line					
Ground Level Elev:	Producing Formation Yates-7 Rivers		Pool Jalmat		Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Robert T. Malaise
Name

Position
PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Company
ARCO OIL AND GAS COMPANY

Date
Aug. 10 1979

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 knowledge and belief.

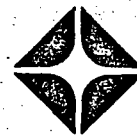
Date Surveyed

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

Certificate No.

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September 20, 1979

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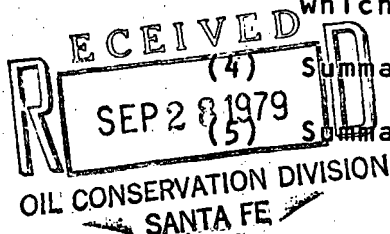
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Jalmat Tansil Yates Seven Rivers Gas Pool
1980' FWL & 660' FSL
Section 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico**

Attention: Mr. R. Stamets

In support of our original request on August 9, 1979 for an infill finding under Order R-6013 we submit the following evidence. The volume of increased ultimate recovery from the drilling of the subject well is estimated to be 2.92 BCF. The reserve calculations and supporting data are attached.

Included with this letter are the following:

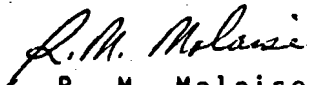
- (1) Isopach map of Jalmat Gas zone plus calculations of average net pay.
- (2) East-West cross-section of Jalmat zone on S/2 section 1 - 320 acre proration unit. Section shows net pay on logs.
- (3) P/Z vs Gp plot of recoverable reserves for F.H.Curry No. 1. Also, data sheet from which plot was drawn.
- (4) Summary of the Reserve Calculation.
- (5) Summary sheet of wells used in Isopach map.



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Mr. R. Stamets

Please accept this additional information in support of our original request. If you need additional information, please advise.

Sincerely,


R. M. Malaise

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F. H. CURRY LEASE
JALMAT GAS ZONE
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

NET PAY MAP
5 % ~~0~~ CUTOFF

By: R. M. MALAISE	Drawn By BS	Date 8-79
Date 9-79	Revised By	Date 9-79
Dept WEST AREA ENGR.	Dwg No	

F. H. CURRY LEASE
JALMAT GAS ZONE

<u>ISOPACH</u>	<u>PLANIMETER AREA</u>	<u>AREA, ACRES</u>
100	.030	109
100-110	.027	98
110-120	.018	66
120-130	.005	29
130-140	<u>.008</u>	<u>18</u>
	.088	320

.088 = 320 Acres

	V, acre-ft
100 (109)	10900
105 (98)	10290
115 (66)	7590
125 (29)	3625
135 (18)	<u>2430</u>
	34835

$$\frac{34835 \text{ acre-ft}}{320 \text{ acre}} = 109 \text{ ft}$$

F. H. CURRY LEASE JALMAT GAS AREA

LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

EAST - WEST CROSS SECTION

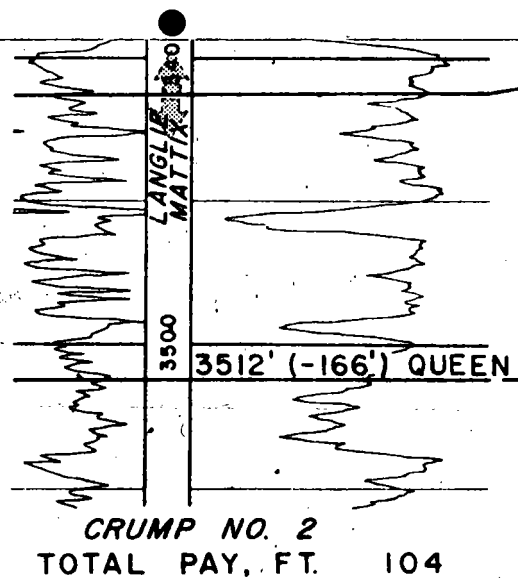
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1650' FSL & 1650' FEL

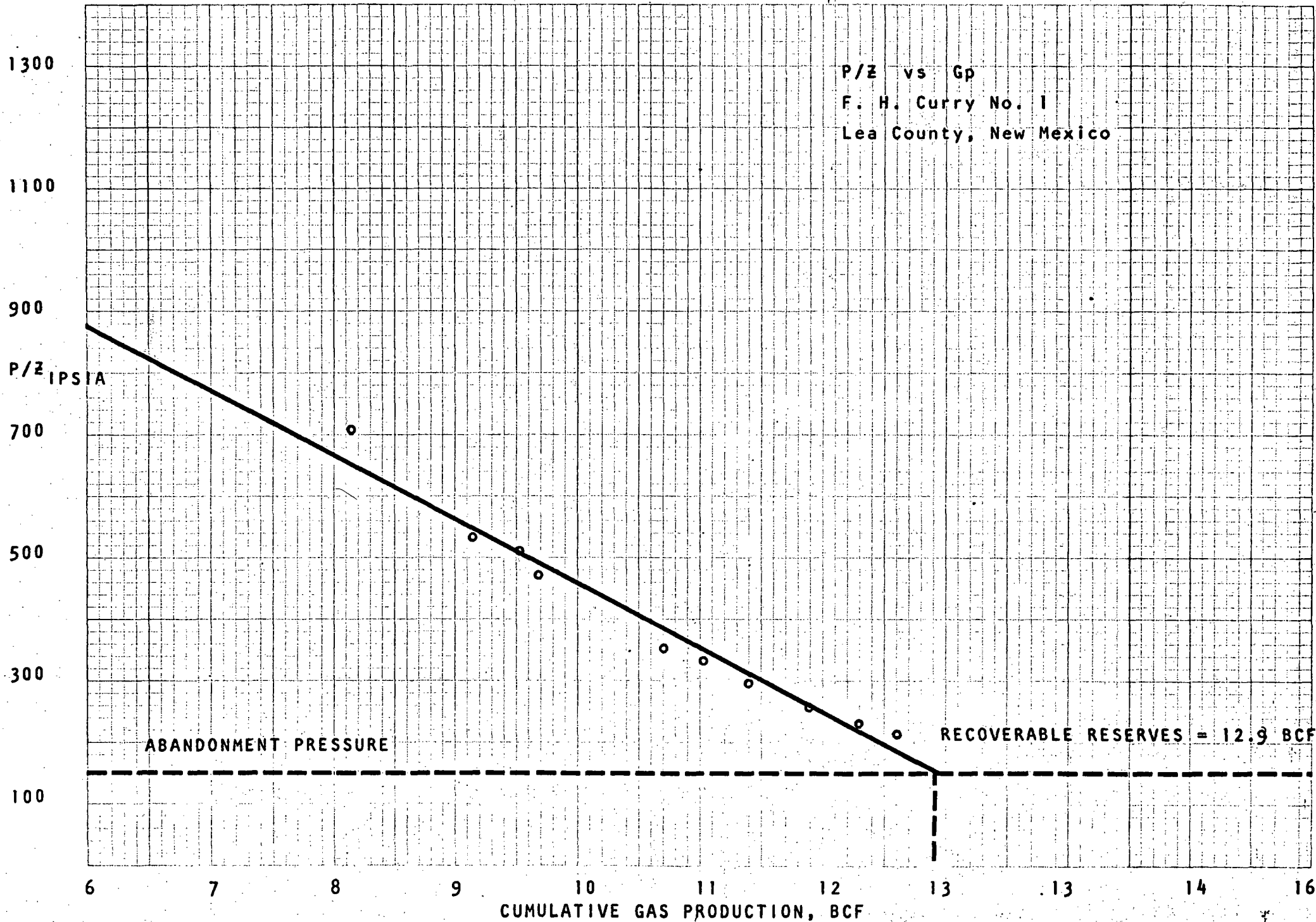
SINCLAIR OIL & GAS CO.
E. H. CURRY "WN" NO. 1
SEC. 1, T 24 S - R 36 E
660' FSL & 660' FEL

FRONTIER (1-24-65)
GAMMA RAY-NEUTRON



CURRY NO. 1
TOTAL PAY, FT. 144

NOTE: POROSITY CUTOFF 5%



RESERVE CALCULATIONS
 F.H. CURRY No. 1
 320 Acre Proration Unit
 (Jalmat Gas)
 S/2 Section 1-T24S-R36E
 Lea County, New Mexico

I. Calculation of Gas
 In place by Volumetric Method

$$G = 43560 \times V_b \times \phi \times (1-S_w) \times B_{gi}$$

Where,

$$V_b = \text{Acre} \times \text{Ave Net Pay, Ft.} *$$

$$= 320 \times 109'$$

$$= 34880 \text{ Ac-ft}$$

$$\phi = 14\% \text{ (Average from available Logs)}$$

$$S_w = 27.1\% \text{ (Core analysis)}$$

$$B_{gi} = 35.35 \frac{P}{Z} \frac{**}{T} \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{Cuft}}$$

$$= \frac{(35.35)}{(.806)} \frac{(1400)}{(550)}$$

$$= 111.64 \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{Cuft}}$$

Therefore,

$$G = (43560)(34880)(.14)(.729)(111.64)$$

$$= 17.31 \text{ BCF}$$

* See attached isopach map and calculation

** Published in Oil & Gas Fields of Southeast N New Mexico 1956
 by Roswell Geological Society

RESERVE CALCULATIONS
 F. H. CURRY NO. 1
 320 Acre Proration Unit
 S/2 Section 1-T24S-R36E
 Lea County, New Mexico

II. Calculation of
 Recoverable Gas
 on 320 Acre

Assume, Abandonment P/Z = 150 psia

$$G = 43560 \times V_b \times \phi \times (1-S_w) \times (B_{gi} - B_{ga}) =$$

where,

$$B_{ga} = \frac{(35.35)(150)}{550}$$

$$= 9.64 \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{ft}^3}$$

$$G = (43560)(34880)(.14)(.729)(11.64 - 9.64)$$

$$= 15.82 \text{ BCF}$$

III. Calculation of Unrecoverable
 Reserves - 320 acre Proration Unit

Recoverable Reserves - Economic Recovery *
 To P/Z of 150 psia From Curry No. 1

Unrecoverable
 Reserves

$$15.82 \text{ BCF} - 12.90 \text{ BCF} = \underline{\underline{2.92 \text{ BCF}}}$$

* See attached P/Z graph and supporting data.

JALMAT GAS AREA
NET PAY
F.H.CURRY LEASE
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

<u>WELL & LEASE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>OPERATOR</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>	<u>LOGS</u>	<u>NET PAY, FT</u>
Vaughn B-1 #1	1650' FNL & 990' FEL, Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	10-20-47	Gamma Ray Neutron- Western 12-9-59 2640-3151'	Covered Yates only
Vaughn B-1 #2	1650' FNL & FWL	CONOCO	5-13-48	Lane Wells GR-NL 7-15-65 2806-3622	102'
Vaughn B-1 #3	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec.1-T24S- R36E	CONOCO	1-2-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 12-29-49 2600-3607'	115'
Vaughn B-1 #4	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	5-9-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 4-4-50 2600-3593'	106'
Vaughn B-1 #5	660' FNL & FWL Sec.1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	11-19-65	Welex GR-Sonic Surf-3692'	109'
Crump #1	1980' FSL & 660 FEL, Sec 1-T24S- R36E	YURONKA	9-20-72	Welex Density 50-3701	104'
Crump #2	1650' FSL & 660' FEL Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	YURONKA	1-25-73	Welex GR-NL 3400-3718'	Jalmat not Logged
Curry #1	660' FSL & FEL Sec 1-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-24-38	Frontier GR-NL 2379-3379'	144'
State Z #1	1650' FNL & 990' FEL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	EXXON	5-29-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 1000-3021'	Covered only Top of Yates
State #1	660' FEL & 1980' FSL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	GETTY	10-15-49	N/A	N/A
Meyers B-2	660' FEL & 1980' FNL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	TEX.PAC.	7-18-48	N/A	N/A
Cooper WN #1	1980' FNL & FEL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	7-24-40	N/A	N/A

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 Jalmat Gas Area
 Net Pay Data
 F.H.Curry Lease
 Lea County, NM

<u>WELL & LEASE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>OPERATOR</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>	<u>LOGS</u>	<u>NET PAY, FT</u>
Cooper WN #2	1980' FNL & 1980' FWL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	10-9-41	N/A	N/A
Cooper WN #3	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-21-73	Schlumberger GR-NL 0-3633	128'
Vaughn A-12 #1	1980' FNL & 660 FWL, Sec 12-T24S- R36E	CONOCO	2-19-42	Wellex GR-NL	120'
Vaughn B-12 #1	1980' FNL & 660 FSL, Sec 12-T24S R36E	CONOCO	7-18-40	N/A	N/A
Meyers B-1	660' FNL & FWL Sec 7-T24S- R36E	AMOCO	8-29-37	N/A	N/A
Jim Camp WN #1	660' FSL & FWL Sec 6-T24S-R36E	AROC	6-13-37	N/A	N/a
Jim Camp WN #2	1980' FNL & 660' FWL Sec 6-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-4-65	Western GR-NL 1000-3574'	118'
Jim Camp WN #3	660' FNL & 1980' FSL Sec 6-T24S- R36E	ARCO	1-28-55	Western GR-NL 1000-3574'	

PRESSURE HISTORY
F.H. CURRY NO. 1, UNIT P
SECTION 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SHUT IN TIME</u>	<u>SHUT IN PRESSURE</u>	<u>EST BHP* PSIG</u>	<u>z, avg</u>	<u>EST P/Z</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE GAS PROD MCF</u>
9-24-66	72 hrs	598.2	645.1	.909	709.7	8151248
8-14-69	72 hrs	462.2	497.7	.929	535.7	9151837
8-13-70	72 hrs	440.2	473.9	.933	507.9	9538693
8-19-71	72 hrs	413.2	444.7	.937	474.6	9686127
1972	BAD VALVE					
6-26-73	72 hrs	315.2	338.8	.951	356.3	10710956
6-24-74	72 hrs	298.2	320.5	.954	335.9	11026488
3-14-75	72 hrs	263.2	282.7	.959	294.8	11392313
6-8-76	72 hrs	233.2	250.4	.964	259.7	11940784
7-19-77	72 hrs	209.2	224.6	.968	232.0	12293893
7-17-78	72 hrs	195.2	209.5	.970	215.9	12614442

$$* Pws = Pwh \cdot e^{-\frac{.01875 \times SG \times D}{z_{avg} T_{avg}}}$$

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September 20, 1979

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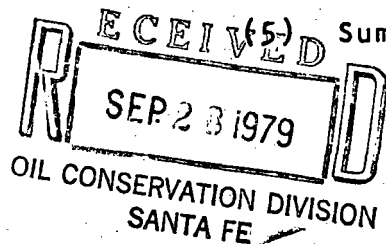
**RE: Frederick Curry WN #2
Non-Standard Proration Unit
Jalmat Tansil Yates Seven Rivers Gas Pool
1980' FWL & 660' FSL
Section 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico**

Attention: Mr. R. Stamets

In support of our original request on August 9, 1979 for an infill finding under Order R-6013 we submit the following evidence. The volume of increased ultimate recovery from the drilling of the subject well is estimated to be 2.92 BCF. The reserve calculations and supporting data are attached.

Included with this letter are the following:

- (1) Isopach map of Jalmat Gas zone plus calculations of average net pay.
- (2) East-West cross-section of Jalmat zone on S/2 section 1 - 320 acre proration unit. Section shows net pay on logs.
- (3) P/Z vs Gp plot of recoverable reserves for F.H.Curry No. 1. Also, data sheet from which plot was drawn.
- (4) Summary of the Reserve Calculation.
- (5) Summary sheet of wells used in Isopach map.



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Mr. R. Stamets

Please accept this additional information in support of our original request. If you need additional information, please advise.

Sincerely,


R. M. Malaise

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cc: Offset Operators
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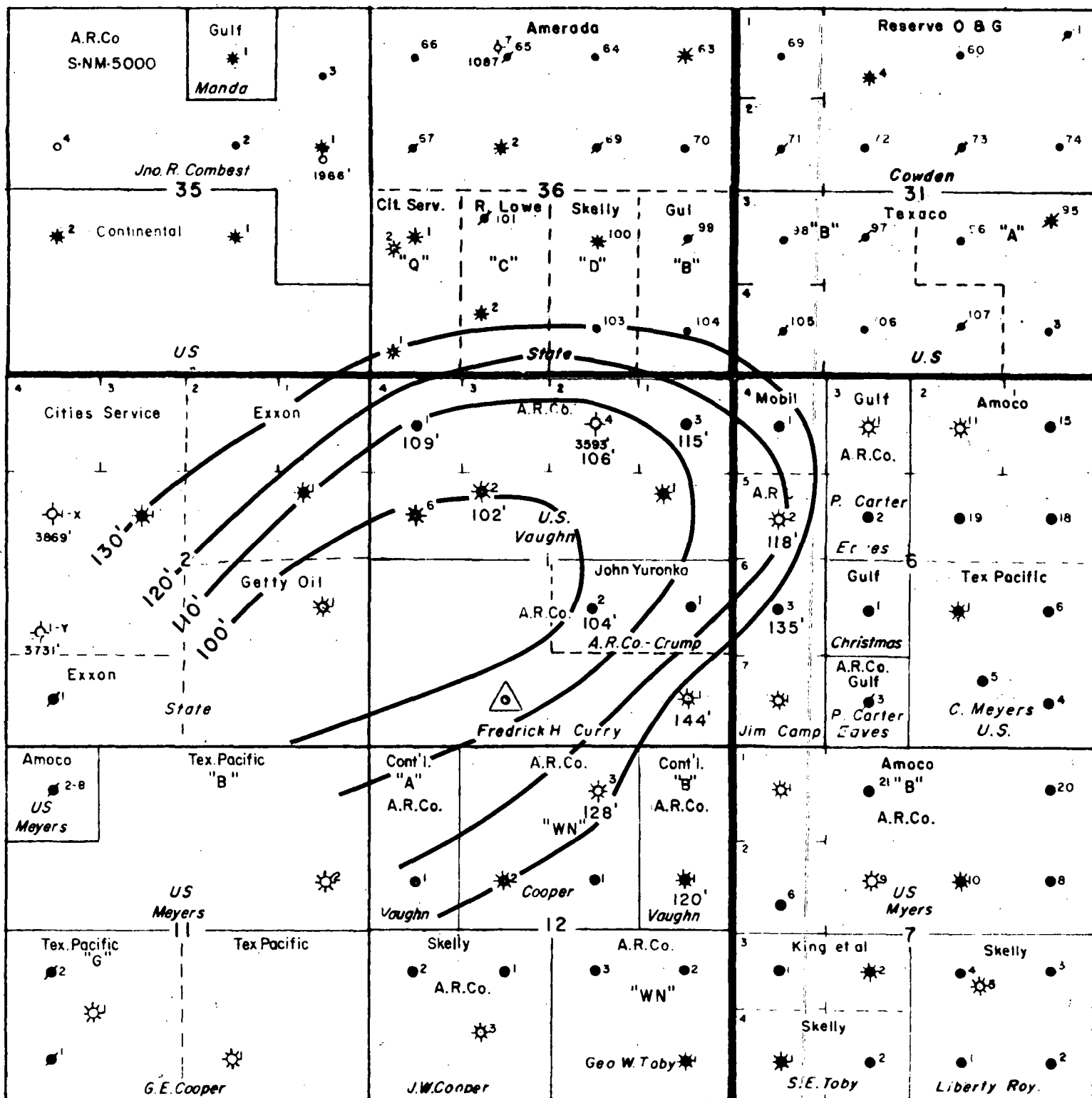
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 Permian District Midland, Texas

F. H. CURRY LEASE
JALMAT GAS ZONE
 LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

NET PAY MAP
5% Ø CUTOFF

SCALE 1" = 2000'

By: R. M. MALAISE	Drawn By: BS	Date: 8-79
Date: 9-79	Revised By: dk	Date: 9-79
Dept: WEST AREA ENGR.	Drawn By:	

F. H. CURRY LEASE
JALMAT GAS ZONE

<u>ISOPACH</u>	<u>PLANIMETER AREA</u>	<u>AREA, ACRES</u>
100	.030	109
100-110	.027	98
110-120	.018	66
120-130	.005	29
130-140	<u>.008</u>	<u>18</u>
	.088	320

.088 = 320 Acres

	V, acre-ft
100 (109)	10900
105 (98)	10290
115 (66)	7590
125 (29)	3625
135 (18)	<u>2430</u>
	34835

$$\frac{34835 \text{ acre-ft}}{320 \text{ acre}} = 109 \text{ ft}$$

F. H. CURRY LEASE JALMAT GAS AREA

LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

EAST - WEST CROSS SECTION

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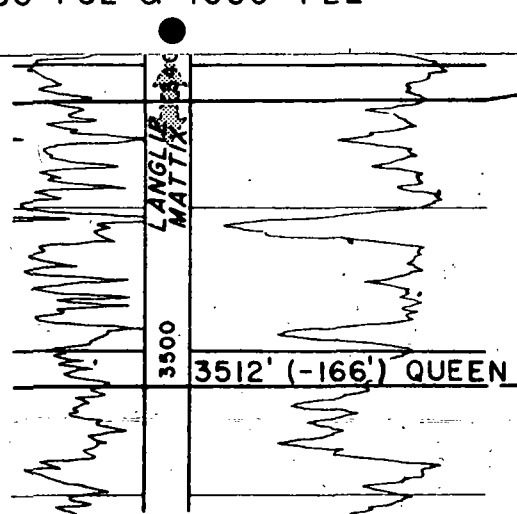
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JOHN YURONKA
ARCO CRUMP NO. 2
SEC. 1, T 24 S - R 36 E
1650' FSL & 1650' FEL

SINCLAIR OIL & GAS CO.
E. H. CURRY "WN" NO. 1
SEC. 1, T 24 S - R 36 E
660' FSL & 660' FEL



FRONTIER (1-24-65)
GAMMA RAY-NEUTRON



2847' (+497')

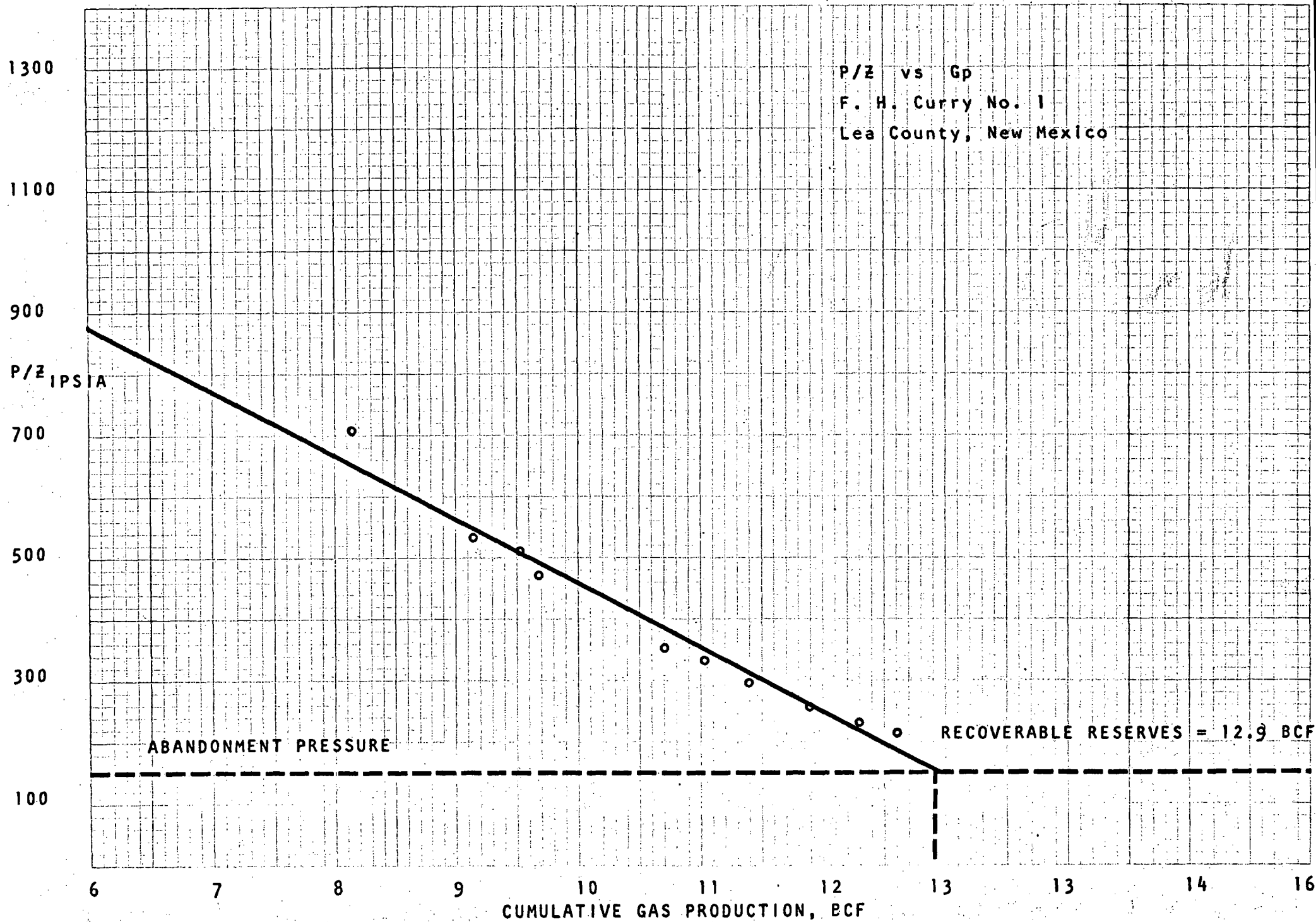
CURRY NO. 1
TOTAL PAY, FT. 144

CRUMP NO. 2
TOTAL PAY, FT. 104

NOTE: POROSITY CUTOFF 5%

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RESERVE CALCULATIONS
 F.H. CURRY No. 1
 320 Acre Proration Unit
 (Jalmat Gas)
 S/2 Section 1-T24S-R36E
 Lea County, New Mexico

I. Calculation of Gas
 In place by Volumetric Method

$$G = 43560 \times V_b \times \phi \times (1-S_w) \times B_{gi}$$

Where,

$$V_b = \text{Acre} \times \text{Ave Net Pay, Ft.} *$$

$$= 320 \times 109'$$

$$= 34880 \text{ Ac-ft}$$

$$\phi = 14\% \text{ (Average from available Logs)}$$

$$S_w = 27.1\% \text{ (Core analysis)}$$

$$B_{gi} = 35.35 \frac{P^{**}}{Z T} \frac{SCF}{Cuft}$$

$$= \frac{(35.35)}{(.806)} \frac{(1400)}{(550)}$$

$$= 111.64 \frac{SCF}{CuFt}$$

Therefore,

$$G = (43560)(34880)(.14)(.729)(111.64)$$

$$= 17.31 \text{ BCF}$$

* See attached isopach map and calculation

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RESERVE CALCULATIONS
F. H. CURRY NO. 1
320 Acre Proration Unit
S/2 Section 1-T24S-R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

II. Calculation of
Recoverable Gas
on 320 Acre

Assume, Abandonment P/Z = 150 psia

$$G = 43560 \times V_b \times \phi \times (1-S_w) \times (B_{gi} - B_{ga}) =$$

where,

$$B_{ga} = \frac{(35.35)(150)}{550}$$

$$= 9.64 \frac{\text{SCF}}{\text{ft}^3}$$

$$G = (43560)(34880)(.14)(.729)(11.64 - 9.64)$$

$$= 15.82 \text{ BCF}$$

III. Calculation of Unrecoverable
Reserves - 320 acre Proration Unit

Recoverable Reserves - Economic Recovery *
To P/Z of 150 psia From Curry No. 1

Unrecoverable
Reserves

$$15.82 \text{ BCF} - 12.90 \text{ BCF} = \underline{\underline{2.92 \text{ BCF}}}$$

* See attached P/Z graph and supporting data.

JALMAT GAS AREA
NET PAY
F.H.CURRY LEASE
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

<u>WELL & LEASE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>OPERATOR</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>	<u>LOGS</u>	<u>NET PAY, FT</u>
Vaughn B-1 #1	1650' FNL & 990' FEL, Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	10-20-47	Gamma Ray Neutron- Western 12-9-59 2640-3151'	Covered Yates only
Vaughn B-1 #2	1650' FNL & FWL	CONOCO	5-13-48	Lane Wells GR-NL 7-15-65 2806-3622	102'
Vaughn B-1 #3	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec.1-T24S- R36E	CONOCO	1-2-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 12-29-49 2600-3607'	115'
Vaughn B-1 #4	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	5-9-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 4-4-50 2600-3593'	106'
Vaughn B-1 #5	660' FNL & FWL Sec.1-T24S-R36E	CONOCO	11-19-65	Welex GR-Sonic Surf-3692'	109'
Crump #1	1980' FSL & 660 FEL, Sec 1-T24S- R36E	YURONKA	9-20-72	Welex Density 50-3701	104'
Crump #2	1650' FSL & 660' FEL Sec. 1-T24S-R36E	YURONKA	1-25-73	Welex GR-NL 3400-3718'	Jalmat not Logged
Curry #1	660' FSL & FEL Sec 1-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-24-38	Frontier GR-NL 2379-3379'	144'
State Z #1	1650' FNL & 990' FEL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	EXXON	5-29-50	Lane Wells GR-NL 1000-3021'	Covered only Top of Yates
State #1	660' FEL & 1980' FSL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	GETTY	10-15-49	N/A	N/A
Meyers B-2	660' FEL & 1980' FNL Sec. 2-T24S-R36E	TEX.PAC.	7-18-48	N/A	N/A
Cooper WN #1	1980' FNL & FEL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	7-24-40	N/A	N/A

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 Jalmat Gas Area
 Net Pay Data
 F.H.Curry Lease
 Lea County, NM

<u>WELL & LEASE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>OPERATOR</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>	<u>LOGS</u>	<u>NET. PAY, FT</u>
Cooper WN #2	1980' FNL & 1980' FWL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	10-9-41	N/A	N/A
Cooper WN #3	660' FNL & 1980' FEL Sec 12-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-21-73	Schlumberger GR-NL 0-3633	128'
Vaughn A-12 #1	1980' FNL & 660 CONOCO FWL, Sec 12-T24S- R36E		2-19-42	Welex GR-NL	120'
Vaughn B-12 #1	1980' FNL & 660 CONOCO FSL, Sec 12-T24S- R36E		7-18-40	N/A	N/A
Meyers B-1	660' FNL & FWL Sec 7-T24S- R36E	AMOCO	8-29-37	N/A	N/A
Jim Camp WN #1	660' FSL & FWL Sec 6-T24S-R36E	AROC	6-13-37	N/A	N/a
Jim Camp WN #2	1980' FNL & 660' FWL Sec 6-T24S-R36E	ARCO	4-4-65	Western GR-NL 1000-3574'	118'
Jim Camp WN #3	660' FNL & 1980' FSL Sec 6-T24S- R36E	ARCO	1-28-55	Western GR-NL 1000-3574'	

PRESSURE HISTORY
F.H. CURRY NO. 1, UNIT P
SECTION 1, T24S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SHUT IN TIME</u>	<u>SHUT IN PRESSURE</u>	<u>EST BHP* PSIG</u>	<u>z, avg</u>	<u>EST P/z</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE GAS PROD MCF</u>
9-24-66	72 hrs	598.2	645.1	.909	709.7	8151248
8-14-69	72 hrs	462.2	497.7	.929	535.7	9151837
8-13-70	72 hrs	440.2	473.9	.933	507.9	9538693
8-19-71	72 hrs	413.2	444.7	.937	474.6	9686127
1972	BAD VALVE					
6-26-73	72 hrs	315.2	338.8	.951	356.3	10710956
6-24-74	72 hrs	298.2	320.5	.954	335.9	11026488
3-14-75	72 hrs	263.2	282.7	.959	294.8	11392313
6-8-76	72 hrs	233.2	250.4	.964	259.7	11940784
7-19-77	72 hrs	209.2	224.6	.968	232.0	12293893
7-17-78	72 hrs	195.2	209.5	.970	215.9	12614442

$$* Pws = Pwh \cdot e^{-\frac{.01875 \times SG \times D}{z_{avg} T_{avg}}}$$