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BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
Sinclair EXHIBIT No. 5
CASE 1253

PROPOSED SEAMAN (WOLFCAMP) POOL
Oil Reserves & Economics
LOWER WOLFCAMP ZONE

- I. Factors Used in Computing Lower Wolfcamp Reserves:
- A. Porosity of 8.77% (weighted average from 5 radioactive logs and 1 limestone lateral on 6 wells)
 - B. Effective pay thickness of 31.5 feet (from microlog analysis on 6 wells)
 - C. Formation volume factor of 1.733 bbls of reservoir oil per bbl of stock tank oil (B H sample on Sinclair's Seaman Unit Well No. 3)
 - D. Connate water saturation of 20%
 - E. Oil recovery of 20%
- II. Lower Wolfcamp Oil in Place Equals 9894 ST Bbls Per Acre.
- III. Lower Wolfcamp Stock Tank Oil Reserves:
- A. Gross bbls per acre equals 1,979
 - B. Gross bbls for 40 acres equals 79,160
 - C. Gross bbls for 80 acres equals 158,320
- IV. Price Stock Tank Oil Equals \$3.15/Bbl.

V. Economics of Lower Wolfcamp Well:

	<u>40 Acre</u>	<u>80 Acre</u>
A. Gross value of recoverable ST oil	\$ 249,354.	\$ 498,708.
B. Charges against well:		
Royalty (1/8)	\$ 31,169.	\$ 62,339.
Direct tax (6%)	14,961.	29,922.
Operating expense	26,800.	28,000.
Cost of well	<u>226,000.</u>	<u>226,000.</u>
Total Charges	\$ 298,930.	\$ 346,261.
C. Net profit/loss to Operator	(Loss) \$ 49,576.	\$ 152,447. (Profit)

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*for a well in
8 to 10 years.*