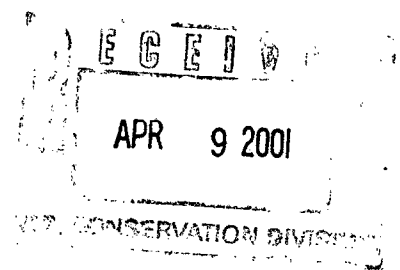


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MONITORING REPORTS

DATE:

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**ZIA TRANSPORTATION
SALTY DOG BRINE
INVESTIGATION**

HOBBS, NM

March 30, 2001

NMOCD Environmental Bureau
ATTN: Wayne Price
P.O. Box 6429
1220 S. Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, NM 87504

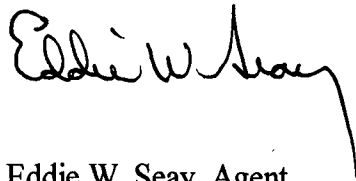
RE: Investigation, Salty Dog Brine

Mr. Price:

Find within information for additional work performed at Salty Dog Brine. As we talked about, two monitor wells and a test boring were drilled and tested. The reason for this additional work was to try and find the extent of the contamination plume. I feel this has been accomplished.

If you have any question or need additional information, please call.

Thanks,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Eddie W. Seay". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and address.

Eddie W. Seay, Agent
601 W. Illinois
Hobbs, NM 88242
(505)392-2236

SALTY DOG

Monitor Well #1

Located 100 ft. ESE of the brine well.
Drilled to top of redbed 139' TD 140'.
Completed with 2" well completion and locking box.
Developed well and sampled.

Test Boring #1

Located 200 ft. ESE of the brine well.
Drilled to top of redbed 144' TD 146'.
Ran pipe, developed well, collected sample and plugged well.

Monitor Well #2

Located 500 ft. ESE of the brine well.
Drilled to top of redbed 147' TD 148'.
Completed with 2" well completion and locking box.
Developed well and sampled.

SALTY DOG CONCLUSION

With the drilling of the recovery well and now the additional monitor wells and test boring, I believe that the contamination is staying in close proximity to the recovery well. By continuing to pump the contamination from the recovery well and using it through our brine system, it will not only clean up the fresh water, but will be put to a beneficial use. I think that samples should be taken on a quarterly schedule of the recovery well and both monitor wells, and reported to the OCD.



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P.O. BOX 513
HOBBS, NM 88241
FAX TO: (505) 393-1533

Receiving Date: 01/23/01
Reporting Date: 01/24/01
Project Number: NOT GIVEN
Project Name: SALTY DOG
Project Location: NOT GIVEN

Analysis Date: 01/23/01
Sampling Date: 01/22/01
Sample Type: GROUNDWATER
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: BC
Analyzed By: AH

| LAB NUMBER | SAMPLE ID | Cl ⁻ (mg/L) |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| H5536-1 | MW SAMPLE | 23808 |
| | <i>Recovery well</i> | |
| | | |
| | | |
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| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| Quality Control | | 1025 |
| True Value QC | | 1000 |
| % Recovery | | 103 |
| Relative Percent Difference | | 3.0 |

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|--------------------------|----------|
| METHOD: Standard Methods | 4500-ClB |
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NOTE: Analyses performed on 1:4 w:v aqueous extracts.

Amy Hill

Chemist

1-24-01

Date

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ATTN: EDDIE W. SEAY
601 W. ILLINOIS
HOBBS, NM 88242
FAX TO:

Receiving Date: 02/26/01
Reporting Date: 02/27/01
Project Owner: P. BERNSTEIN (ZIA SALTY DOG)
Project Name: SALTY DOG BRINE
Project Location: WEST HOBBS

Sampling Date: SEE BELOW
Sample Type: GROUNDWATER
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: BC
Analyzed By: AH

| LAB NUMBER | SAMPLE ID | Conductivity (μ S/cm) | Cl (mg/L) |
|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| ANALYSIS DATE: | | 02/27/01 | 02/27/01 |
| H5653-1 | MW #1 (02/19/01) | 66430 | 29000 |
| H5653-2 | MW #2 (02/23/01) | 1455 | 408 |
| H5653-3 | T-#1 (02/20/01) | 37807 | 15100 |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| Quality Control | | 1489 | 992 |
| True Value QC | | 1413 | 1000 |
| % Recovery | | 105 | 99.2 |
| Relative Percent Difference | | 0.3 | 3.9 |
| METHODS: EPA 600/4-79-02 | | 120.1 | 325.3 |


Chemist

02/27/2001
Date

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Section 6. LOG OF HOLE

| Depth in Feet | | Thickness in Feet | Color and Type of Material Encountered |
|---------------|------|----------------------|--|
| From | To | | |
| 1' | 5' | 5' | BROKEN WEATHERED CALICHE |
| 5' | 28' | 23' | CALICHE INDURATED - GRAY |
| 28' | 37' | 9' | QUARTZITE - HARD - RED BROWN |
| 37' | 49' | 12' | SANDSTONE - SOFT - TAN |
| 49' | 51' | 2' | QUARTZITE - HARD - WHIT. |
| 51' | 54' | 3' | CLAY - RED BROWN |
| 54' | 102' | 48' | SANDSTONE - SOFT - TAN - W/B |
| 102' | 104' | 2' | CLAY - RED - BROWN |
| 104' | 136' | 32' | SANDSTONE - SOFT - TAN - W/B |
| 136' | 139' | 3' | SANDSTONE - SOFT - RED - BROWN - W/B |
| 139' | 140' | 1' | Red Bed - T.D. |
| | | | |
| | | | Installed 20 FT. dia slot 2" PVC well |
| | | | screen and 119' + 3' 2" PVC riser pipe |
| | | | Backfill w/ Brady sand to 112 FT. |
| | | | Placed bentonite chips from 112 FT to |
| | | | 26" below surface - install well guard |
| | | | and cement to top of surface. |
| | | | Develop with air until clean. |
| | | | |
| | | | BORE FROM SURFACE TO 4' used 8 3/4" bit. |
| | | | BORE FROM 4' TO 140' used 5 1/2" bit |
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Section 7. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

MONITOR WELL NO. I 100 FT FROM REM. WELL #1

LAT. 32° - 41.30 N.
LON. 103° - 22.45 W.CO. Griffin Well serv.
Driller Carl Amelcer
WD 603

Company Drilled for:

Zia Transportation

Location:

Sec 5 Tws 19 Rng 36 E

Salty Dog

Monument Type Monitor Well Diagram

Job Number:

Installation Date:

Monitor Well Number:

Feb. 14

mw #1

140

Bore Size:

5 1/2

Casing Size:

2

Casing Elevation:

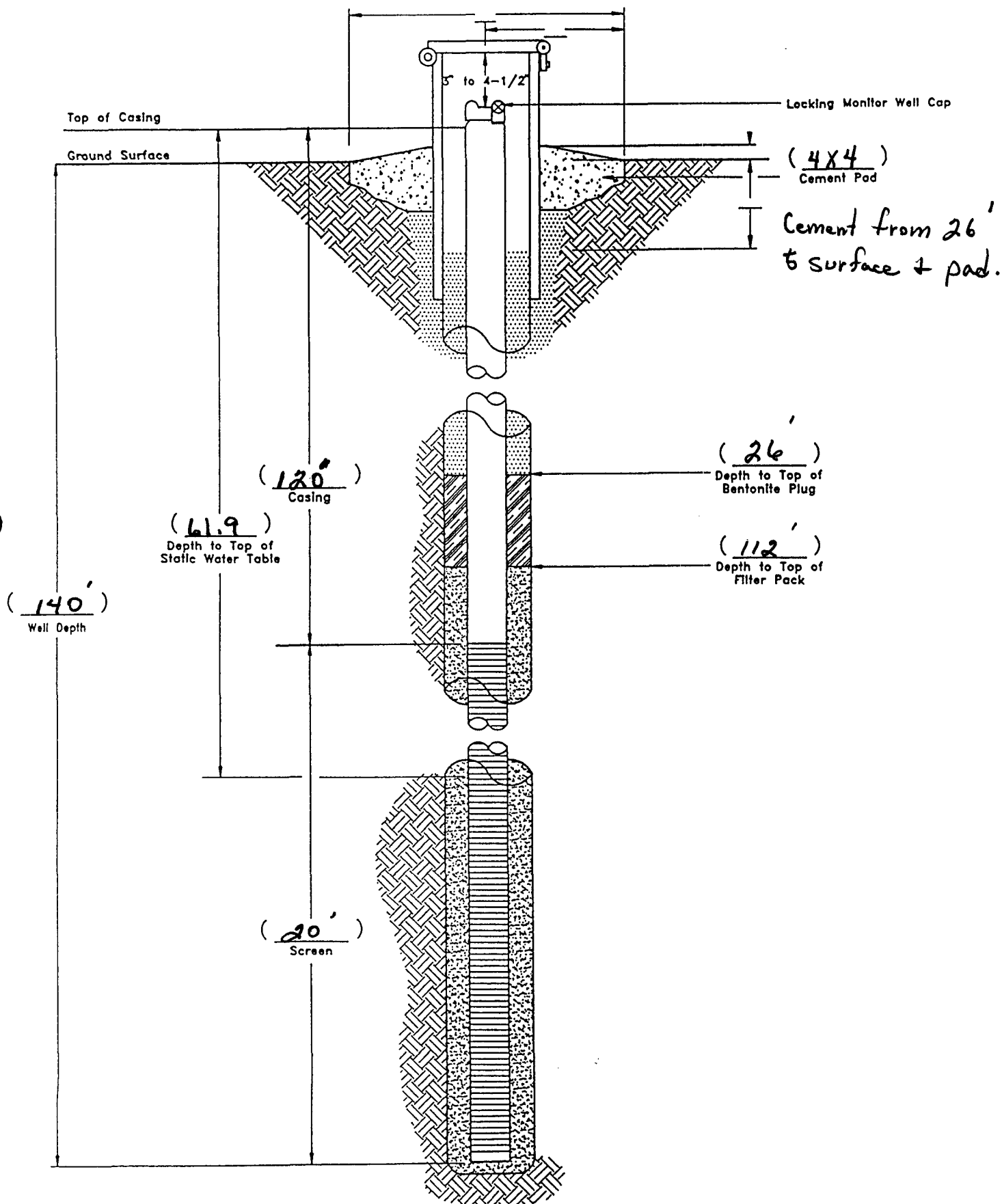
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Screen Size:

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Top of Water Elevation:

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Section 6. LOG OF HOLE

| Depth in Feet | | Thickness in Feet | Color and Type of Material Encountered |
|---------------|------|----------------------|---|
| From | To | | |
| 0' | 1' | 1' | Soil & weathered caliche |
| 1' | 20' | 19' | Caliche indurated - Grey |
| 20' | 22' | 2' | Quartzite - hard - red - brown |
| 22' | 25' | 3' | Caliche - indurated - grey - wht. |
| 28' | 32' | 4' | Quartzite - hard - red - brown |
| 32' | 58' | 26' | Sandstone - soft - tan |
| 58' | 59' | 1' | Quartzite - hard - wht. |
| 59' | 110' | 51' | Sandstone - soft - w/B - tan |
| 110' | 114' | 4' | Quartzite - hard - wht. |
| 114' | 117' | 3' | Clay - buff |
| 117' | 142' | 25' | Sandstone - soft - tan - w/B |
| 142' | 147' | 5' | Gravel - sharp $\frac{3}{8}$ multi col. w/B |
| 147' | 148' | 1' | Red bed TD |
| | | | Installed 20 FT. 1010 SLOT PVC WELL |
| | | | SCREEN and 127' + 3' RISER PIPE 2" |
| | | | Back fill with Brady sand to 117' |
| | | | Placed Bentonite chips from 117' |
| | | | to 4' below surface. |
| | | | install well guard and cement to |
| | | | surface. |
| | | | Develop with air until clean. |
| | | | BORE from surface to 4' - 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ " bit |
| | | | Bore from 4' to 148' - 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " bit |

Section 7. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

monitor well #2

Co. Griffin well serv.

LAT. 32° - 41.27 N

Driller Carl Amelka

LONG. 103° - 23.39 W.

WD 603

Company Drilled for:

Zia Transportation

Location:

Sect 5 Tws 19 Rng 36 E

Salty Dog

Monument Type Monitor Well Diagram

Job Number:

Installation Date:

2/21

Monitor Well Number:

MW#2

148

Bore Size:

5 1/2

Casing Size:

2

Casing Elevation:

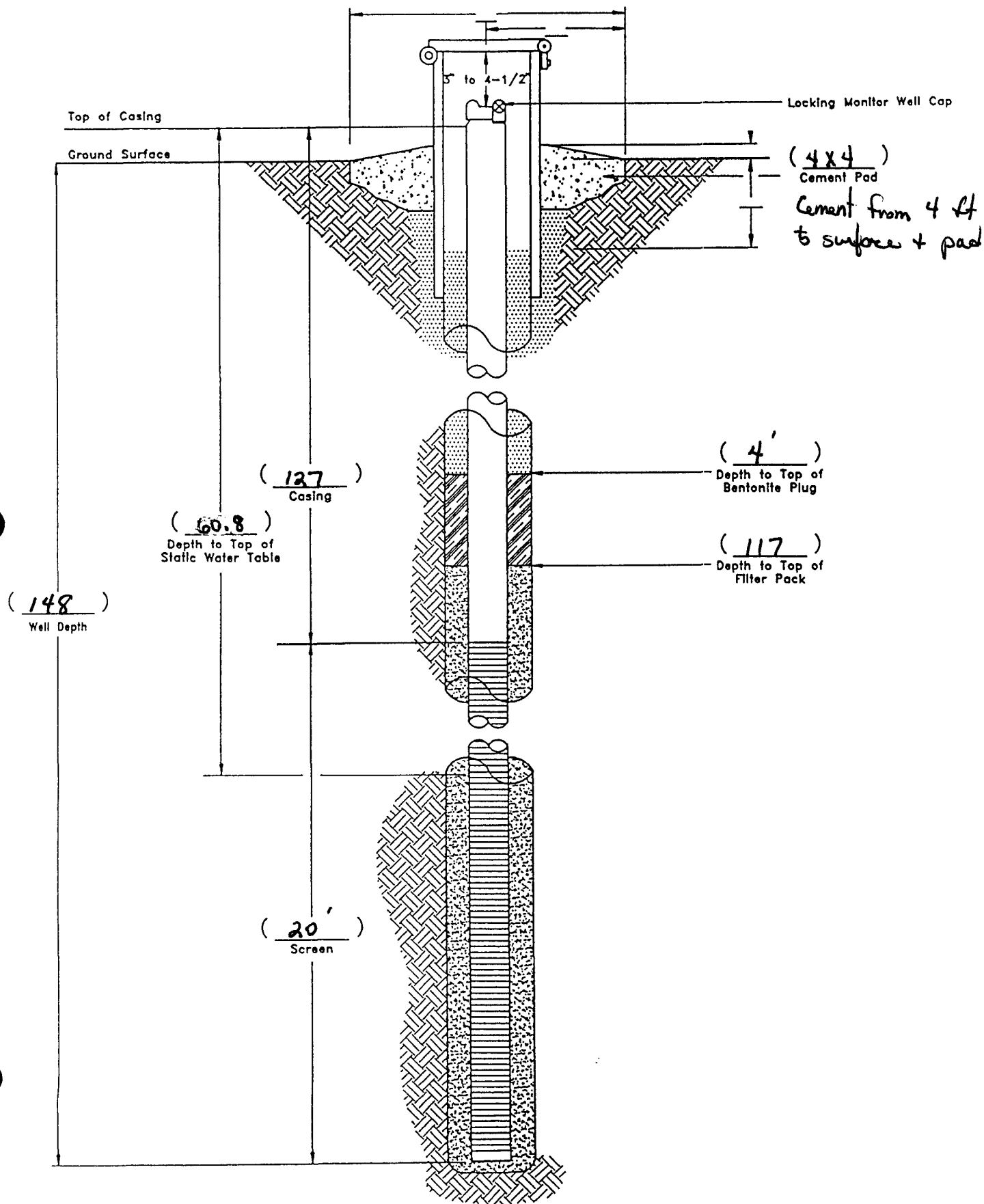
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Screen Size:

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Top of Water Elevation:

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Section 6. LOG OF HOLE

| Depth in Feet | | Thickness in Feet | Color and Type of Material Encountered |
|---------------|------|----------------------|---|
| From | To | | |
| 0' | 1' | 1' | weathered Caliche & soil |
| 1' | 30' | 29' | Caliche - indurated - GRX |
| 30' | 41' | 11' | Quartzite - hard - red-brown |
| 41' | 52' | 11' | Sandstone - soft - tan |
| 52' | 54' | 2' | Quartzite - hard - white |
| 54' | 56' | 2' | Clay - Red - brown |
| 56' | 106' | 50' | Sandstone - soft - w/B - tan |
| 106' | 108' | 2' | Clay - red-brown |
| 108' | 138' | 30' | sandstone - soft - w/B - tan |
| 138' | 144' | 6' | Gravel - small - $\frac{3}{8}$ sharp multicolored - w/B |
| 144' | 146' | 2' | Red Bed TD. |
| | | | Installed screen and lined pipe |
| | | | Develop until clean took sample |
| | | | pulled back pipe and abandon. |
| | | | back fill with cuttings from 146' |
| | | | to 54' place bentonite chips to 4' from |
| | | | surface - Cement from 4' to surface. |
| | | | BORE FROM SURFACE TO 4' used $8\frac{3}{4}$ " Bit |
| | | | BORE FROM 4' TO 146' used $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Bit. |
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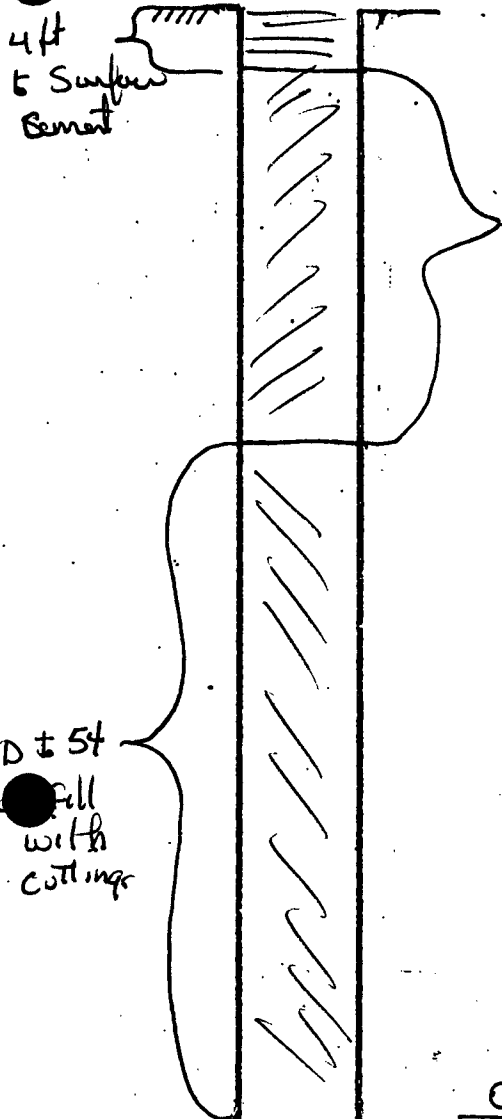
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TEST BORE #1
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 Lon. 103° - 22.46 W.

CO. Griffin well serv.
 Driller Carl Amelkes
 WD 603

Surface elevation
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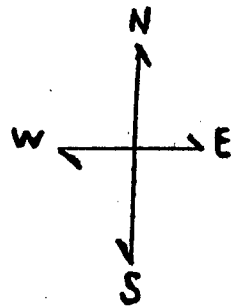


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Bentonite

TD ± 5ft
Fill with
cuttings

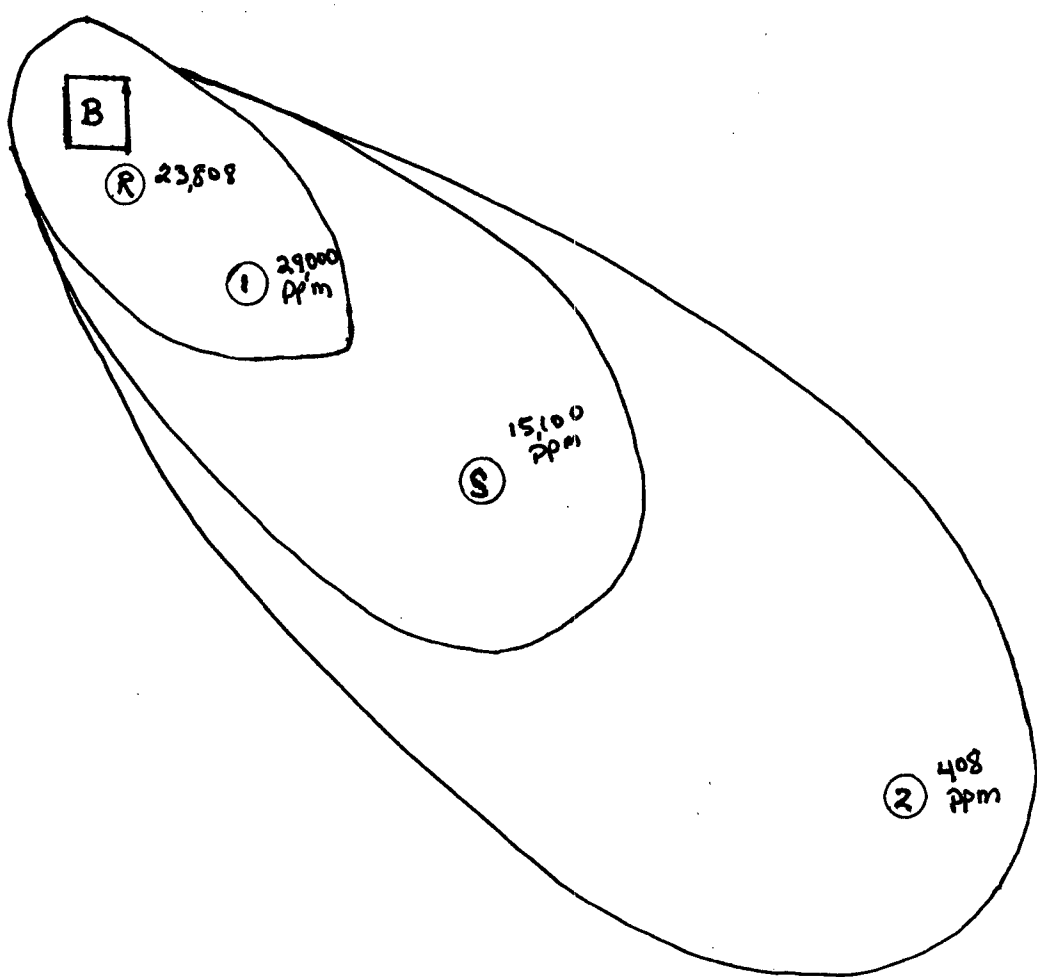
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Hole size 8 3/4 " TD 146



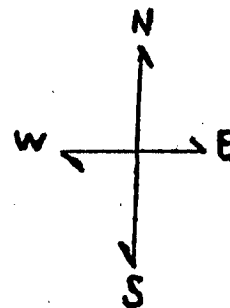
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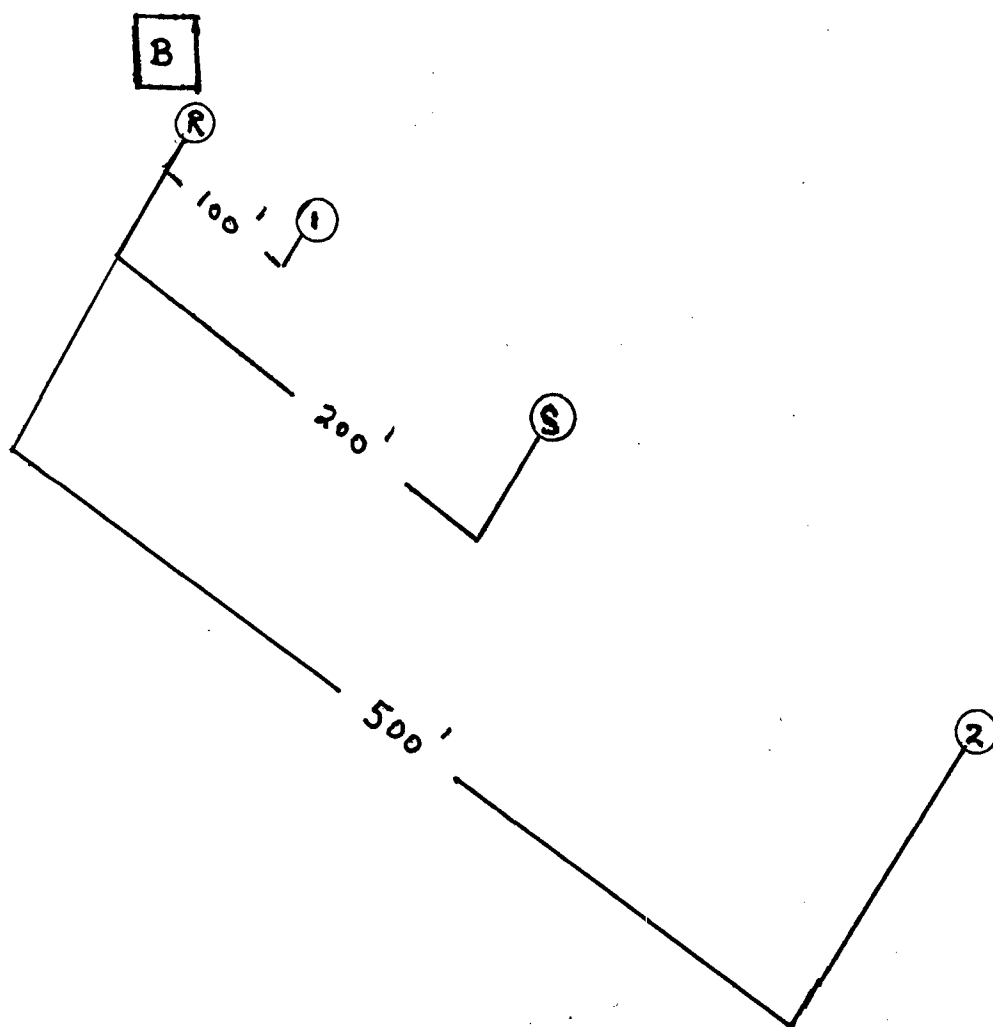
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- R Recovery well
- 1 Monitor well #1
- S Test Boring
- 2 Monitor well #2
- W Water wells

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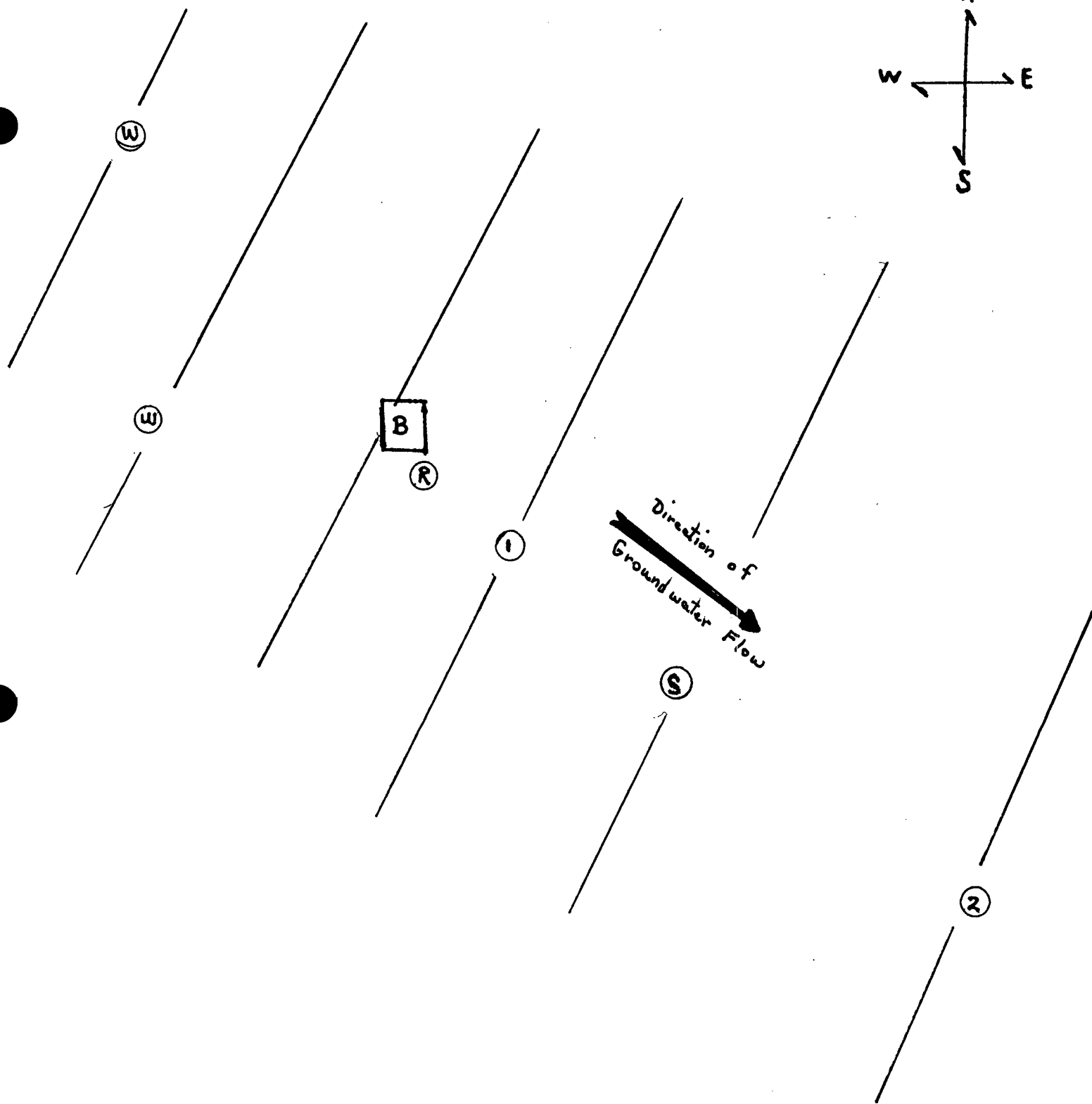
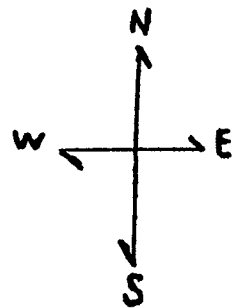


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- B** Brine well
- R** Recovery well
- 1** Monitor well #1
- S** Test Boring
- 2** Monitor well #2
- W** Water wells



- [B] Brine well (Salty Dog)
- (R) Recovery well
- (1) Monitor well #1
- (S) Test Boring
- (2) Monitor well #2
- (W) Water wells

GRWES

10/19/2000

| Slul | Slsec | Sltn | Slhrs | Slmg | Slorw | Spotloc | Addlocinfo | Datasourc1 | Datwlev1 | Waterlev1 |
|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|---------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| J | 5 | 19 | S | 36 | E | 41121 | | SEO | 01/25/97 | 49.50 |
| J | 5 | 19 | S | 36 | E | 411213 | | SEO | 03/02/96 | 51.17 |
| J | 5 | 19 | S | 36 | E | 411412 | | SEO | 04/18/99 | 54.93 |

mw # 1

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mw # 2

58.23



Recovery well



mw #1



mw # 1



From MW # 1

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Test Boring #1



Test Boring #1



From MW#2

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Mw # 2

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