

BW - 27

**MECHANICAL
INTEGRITY TEST
(MITs)**

DATE: _____

Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Andy Rickard <arickard@cambrianmgmt.com>
Sent: Wednesday, November 30, 2016 10:48 AM
To: Billy Doucette; Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Cc: Griswold, Jim, EMNRD; Whitaker, Mark A, EMNRD; Alan Means
Subject: RE: BW-27 (Pyote Salado Dunaway Well No. 1 API# 30-015-28083 and Well No. 2 API# 30-015-28084): MIT Required

Thanks Billy, we will look into it

Andrew E Rickard
Project Manager



415 West Wall St., Suite 900
Midland, TX 79701
Off: 432-620-9181
Cell: 432-553-2828

From: Billy Doucette [mailto:billy@pyotewatersystems.com]
Sent: Wednesday, November 30, 2016 9:39 AM
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Cc: Griswold, Jim, EMNRD; Whitaker, Mark A, EMNRD; Alan Means; Andy Rickard
Subject: Re: BW-27 (Pyote Salado Dunaway Well No. 1 API# 30-015-28083 and Well No. 2 API# 30-015-28084): MIT Required

Carl,

Jerry Burton nor Pyote Well Service over see the wells for Pyote Water Solutions, LLC. You do have the correct email addresses for the new operator, Cambrian Management. Please direct any questions or concerns to them in the future.

Thanks in advance,

Billy Doucette
VP of Operations
Pyote Water Systems

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 30, 2016, at 9:17 AM, Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD <CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us> wrote:

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Jerry:

Good morning. OCD had requested that an EPA 5-Yr. Mechanical Integrity Test be performed on the above subject brine well on or before 11/30/16. The MIT schedule was apparently missed.

Please contact Mark Whitaker at the OCD Hobbs District Office within the next 3-days to schedule your MIT. His contact information is as follows:

Mark A. Whitaker - Petroleum Engineering Specialist

Phone extension: 120

Mobile: (575) 399-3202

- Field Inspections, Plug and Abandonment, Orphan Well Plugging, P&A Site Release

District 1

1625 N. French Drive

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Please contact me if you have questions. Thank you.

Mr. Carl J. Chavez

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Ph. (505) 476-3490

E-mail: CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us

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From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
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Cc: Griswold, Jim, EMNRD; Whitaker, Mark A, EMNRD; 'ameans@Cambrianmgmt.com'; 'arickard@Cambrianmgmt.com'
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Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, October 19, 2016 5:07 PM
To: 'Jerry@Pyotewatersystems.com'
Cc: Griswold, Jim, EMNRD; Bayliss, Randolph, EMNRD; Inge, Richard, EMNRD; Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD
Subject: BW-27: Dunaway #1 30-015-28083 F-23-22S-27E & Dunaway #2 30-015-28084
F-23-22S-27E Last MIT Date: 2/25/2010 & 2/18/2010 Respectively
Attachments: EPA 5-Yr Casing MIT 10-12-2016 CJC.pdf; UIC Class III Cavern MIT Guidance 10-12-16CJC..pdf

Mr. Burton:

Re: BW-27 A Pyote Dunaway #1 30-015-28083 F-23-22S-27E
1474 2053 32.381607 -104.162101 Eddy Carlsbad 2 Private
Private 2 New Active 1/30/95 1/30/95 -
- 172 50 Salado
1060 1064 7 1024 2.875 1300 236 N/A 8,183,446 1,227,517 6,563,384
326 0.3075 2/18/2010 2/25/2010 under
review Jerry@Pyotewatersystems.com Jerry Burton 432-448-4917
Dunaway #2 30-015-28084 F-23-22S-27E
1443 1698 32.381705 -104.163300 Eddy Carlsbad 2 Private
Private 2 New Active 1/30/95 1/30/95 -
- 172 1054 1231 7 1223 2.875 1271 40 N/A 325 7,531,
780 1,129,767 6,040,727 760 0.7206 1/19/10 325.6 1170-
1205 332,505 2/18/2010

Jerry:

Good afternoon. The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed its administrative record for the above subject brine wells, and notice that your brine wells must be tested on or before November 30, 2016.

Please contact Mr. Richard Inge (see contact information below) to schedule either your Casing MIT or Cavern MIT (see attached procedures). The choice is yours.

District 2 - ARTESIA

811 S. First St.
Artesia, NM 88210

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Monday through Friday

Richard Inge - Compliance Officer

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Mobile: (575) 626-0831

Field Inspections, Bradenhead, Packer, and Mechanical Integrity Tests

Please contact me if you have questions. Thank you.

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UIC Program
Brine Well EPA 5-Yr. MIT Guidance
(30-minute hydrostatic well casing MIT closed to formation)

- 1) A work over rig must remove all tubing from the hole.
- 2) A packer or plug must be set within 20 feet of the casing shoe depth and piping must be filled, and pressured up from 300 to 500 psi. The casing/tubing annulus must be loaded with inert fluid at least 24 hours prior to testing.
- 2) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test. Wellhead shall be prepared for test and all valves and gauges should be in good working order.
- 3) Pumps, tanks, external lines etc. must be isolated from the wellhead during test.
- 4) A continuous recording pressure device with a 1 or 4-hour clock shall be installed on the casing annulus. The pressure range shall not be greater than 500 psig. The operator must provide proof that the pressure-recording device has been calibrated within the past 6 months.
- 5) A minimum of one pressure gauge shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus.
- 6) OCD must witness the beginning of test (putting chart on) and ending of test (removing chart). **At the end of test operator may be required to bleed-off well pressure to demonstrate recorder and gauge response into an adequately sized containment vessel(s) for this purpose and to verify that there were no obstructions in the well during the test. Effluent from this vessel must be discharged back into the well at the completion of the test.**
- 7) The Operator shall supply the following information on the pressure chart:
 - A. Company Name, Well Name, API #, Legal Location.

- B. Test Procedure (1) Casing + Formation (2) Casing Test Only (3) Both (4) Other
 - C. Testing Media: Water, Gas, Oil, Etc.
 - D. Date, time started and ending.
 - E. Name (printed) and signature of company representative and OCD Inspector
- 8) **TEST ACCEPTANCE:** The OCD will use the following criteria in determining if a well has passed the Mechanical Integrity Test:
- A. **Passes** if Zero Bleed-Off during the test.
 - B. **Passes** if Final Test Pressure is within $\pm 10\%$ of Starting Pressure, if approved by the OCD inspector.
 - C. **Fails** if any Final Test Pressure is greater than $\pm 10\%$ of Starting Pressure. Operators must investigate for leaks and demonstrate that mechanical integrity of the well(s) by ensuring there are no leaks in the casing, or packer, and injected/produced fluids are confined within the piping and injection zones. Wells shall not resume operations until approved by OCD.

Note: OCD recognizes that different operations, well designs, formation characteristics and field conditions may cause variations in the above procedures. If operator wishes to make or anticipate changes, please notify the OCD for approval. All operators are responsible to notify OCD of any procedure that may cause harm to the well system or formation. Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve any operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, groundwater, or the environment.

Also note: This document is intended to provide technical guidance to operators on technical means to achieve compliance with the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation Division and the Oil and Gas Act. The test procedures set forth are not regulations or policies and therefore other methods may exist to achieve compliance with the rules and regulations and the Oil and Gas Act.

NMOCD recommends that a licensed professional engineer or licensed geologist, or a licensed professional engineer or licensed geologist designee supervise all test procedures and associated field activity.

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OCD UIC Program
Draft Brine Well Cavern MIT Guidance (4-hour hydrostatic well test open to the salt formation)

- 1) The cavern and all piping must be filled, pressured up and stabilized for a period of at least 24 hours prior to testing. If this test requires a packer then casing/tubing annulus must be loaded with inert fluid 24 hours prior to testing.
- 2) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test. Wellhead shall be prepared for test and all valves and gauges should be in good working order.
- 3) Pumps, tanks, external lines etc. must be isolated from the wellhead during test.
- 4) A continuous recording pressure device with an **8 or 12-hour clock** shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus. The pressure range shall not be greater than 500 psig. The operator must provide proof that the pressure-recording device has been calibrated within the past 6 months. **Note: Wells with packer installed: If this test requires both the casing/tubing annulus and cavern to be tested then two recording devices must be supplied or one recording device with two pins.**
- 5) A minimum of one pressure gauge shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus.
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Wildcat Measurement Service, Inc.

416 East Main Street
P.O. Box 1836
Artesia, New Mexico 88211
Office: (575)746-3481
Toll Free: 1-888-421-9453

Calibration Certificate

Company Name: Mesquite Services
Recorder Type: Barton
Recorder Serial:# 265-061709 CM2

Recorder Pressure Range: 0-1000# Accuracy +/-: 0.2% PSIG
Temperature Range: _____ Deg F.

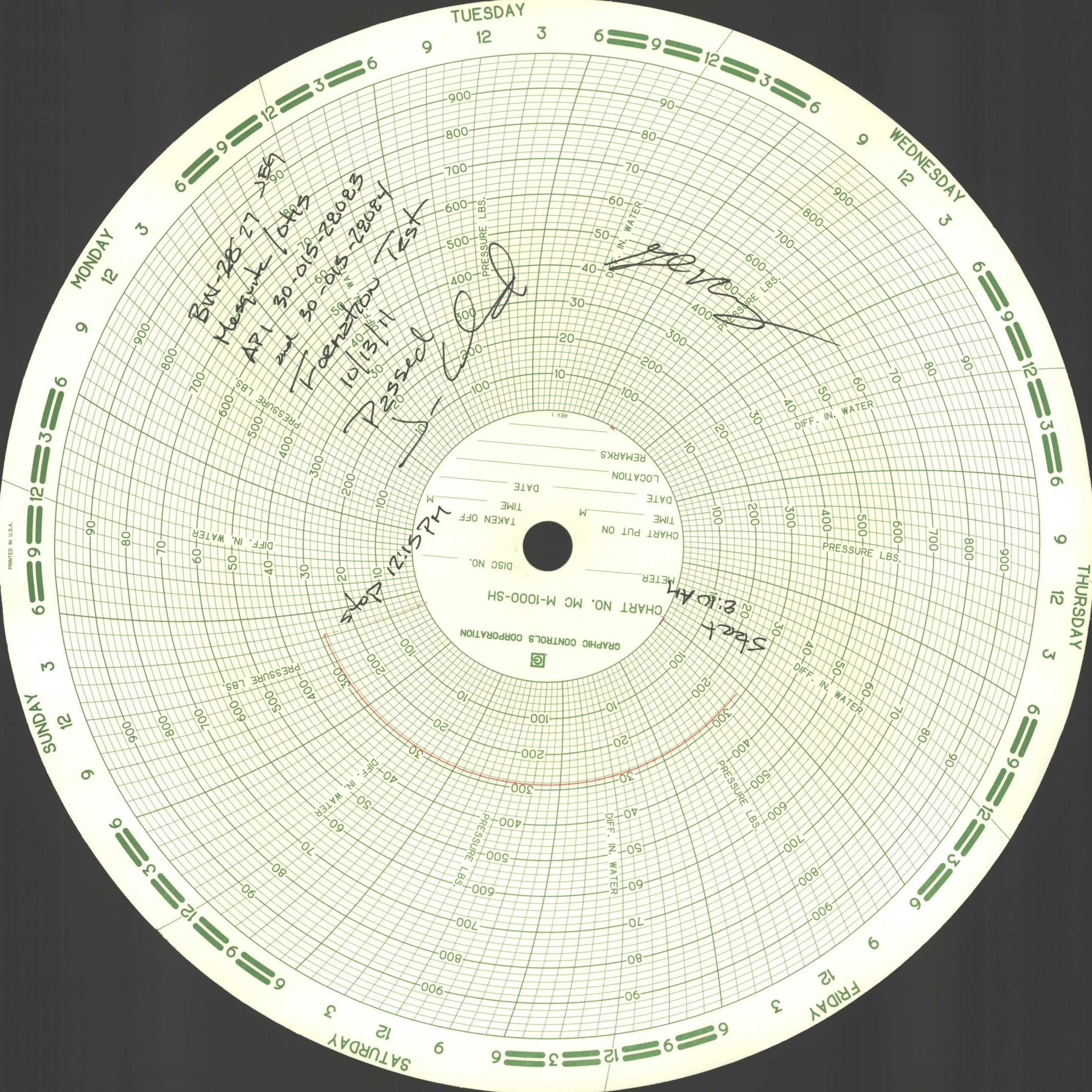
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700#	700#	0	0.0#	0.0#	0
1000#	1000#	0			

Temperature Test		
Applied Temperature	Indicated Temperature	Error%

Certified Calibration Instrument Used
Gauge: Crystal
Deadweight: _____

Remarks: _____

Calibration Date: 10-07-2011
Technician: *Craig Sutherland* Craig Sutherland



TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

MONDAY

GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION

CHART NO. MC M-1000-SH

METER

DISC NO. _____

CHART PUT ON _____ M _____

TIME _____

DATE _____

LOCATION _____

REMARKS _____

CHART PUT OFF _____ M _____

TIME _____

DATE _____

PRESSURE LBS.

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IN. WATER

PRESSURE LBS.

Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Friday, April 23, 2010 6:56 AM
To: 'Alvarado, David'; 'lyn.sockwell@basicenergyservices.com'; 'James Millett'; Clay Wilson; 'Patterson, Bob'; 'gandy2@leaco.net'; 'Gary Schubert'; 'Dan Gibson'
Cc: VonGonten, Glenn, EMNRD; Griswold, Jim, EMNRD
Subject: New Mexico UIC Class III Brine Well MIT Scheduling with Completion by September 30, 2010

Gentlemen:

Re:

Basic Energy Services: BW-002 & BW-025
Gandy Corporation: BW-004 & BW-022
Key Energy Services, LLC: BW-028
Mesquite: BW-027 (MITs on 2-Well System Completed this Season) & BW-030
Salty Dog: BW-008
HRC: BW-031

Good morning. It is that time of year again to remind operators that their MITs for this season must be completed by 9/30/2010. The list of operator names w/ associated brine wells are provided above and as in the past, the OCD attempts to schedule MITs logistically on the same day and in a route with start times that is most efficient in the field.

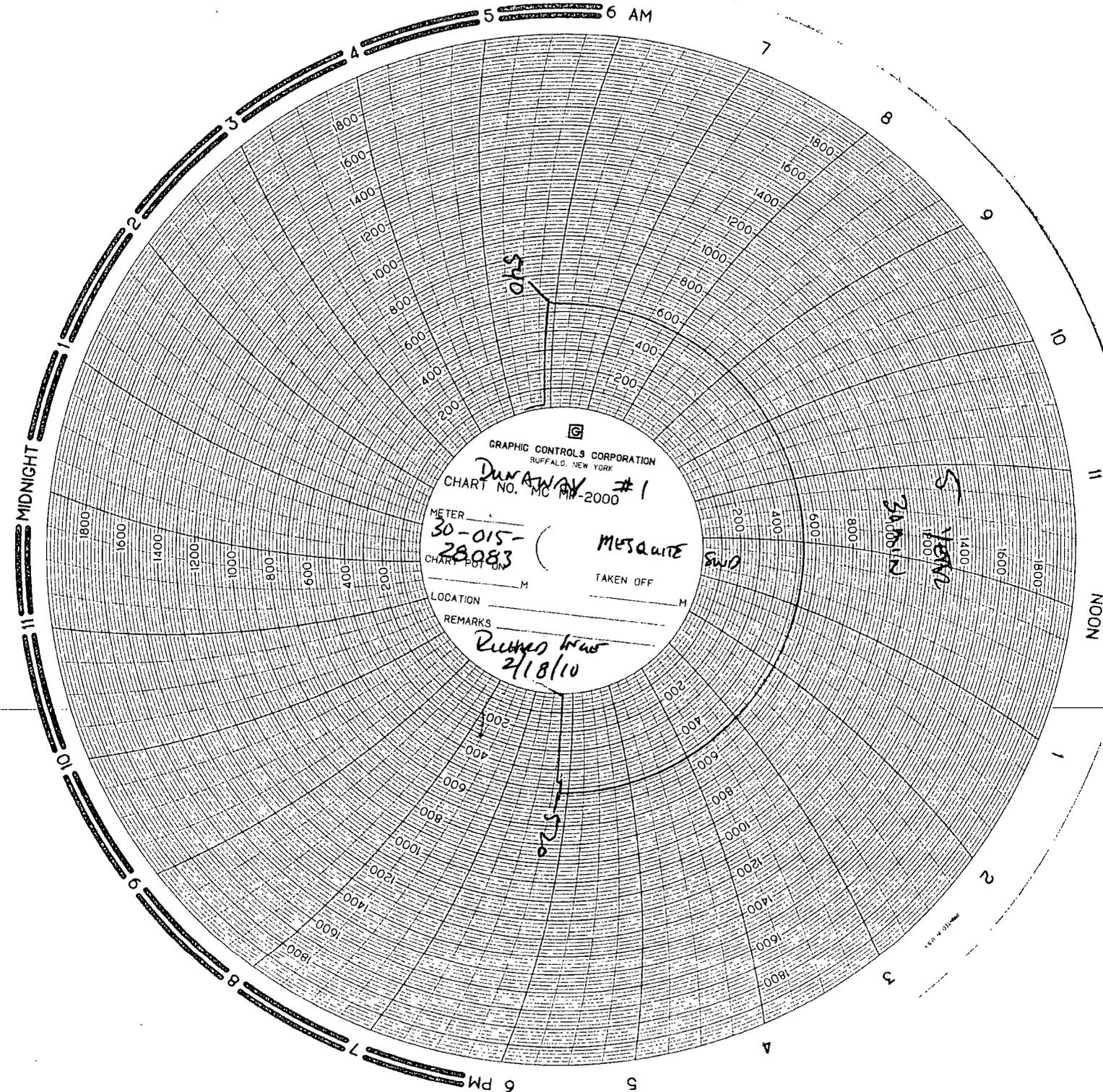
Operators are aware of the annual formation MIT (4-hr @ 300 psig or less depending on historical pressure and TD of well) and every 5-yrs. or after well workover. EPA MIT (30 min. @ 500 psig). Operators need to review well MIT records to inform OCD-EB of the type of MIT it will run this year and inform OCD-EB of any issues or concerns associated with this season's MIT.

You may access your well information on OCD Online either by API# and/or Permit Number at <http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/imaging/AEOrderCriteria.aspx> and <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/OCD/OCDPermitting/Data/Wells.aspx>. For information on New Mexico's UIC Program and training information, please go to: <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/Publications.htm>.

Please contact Jim Griswold at (505) 476-343465 on or before May 7, 2010 to schedule your preferred MIT date and time. Jim will work to finalize the witness schedule with each of you. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Copy: Brine Well Files BWs- 2, 4, 8, 22, 25, 27, 28, 30 & 31

Carl J. Chavez, CHMM
UIC Program Quality Assurance & Quality Control Officer
New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept.
Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau
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Website: <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/index.htm>
(Pollution Prevention Guidance is under "Publications")



GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BUFFALO, NEW YORK
DUNAWAY #1
CHART NO. MC MM-2000
METER **30-015-**
28083
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LOCATION _____ M
REMARKS **Revised from 2/18/10**

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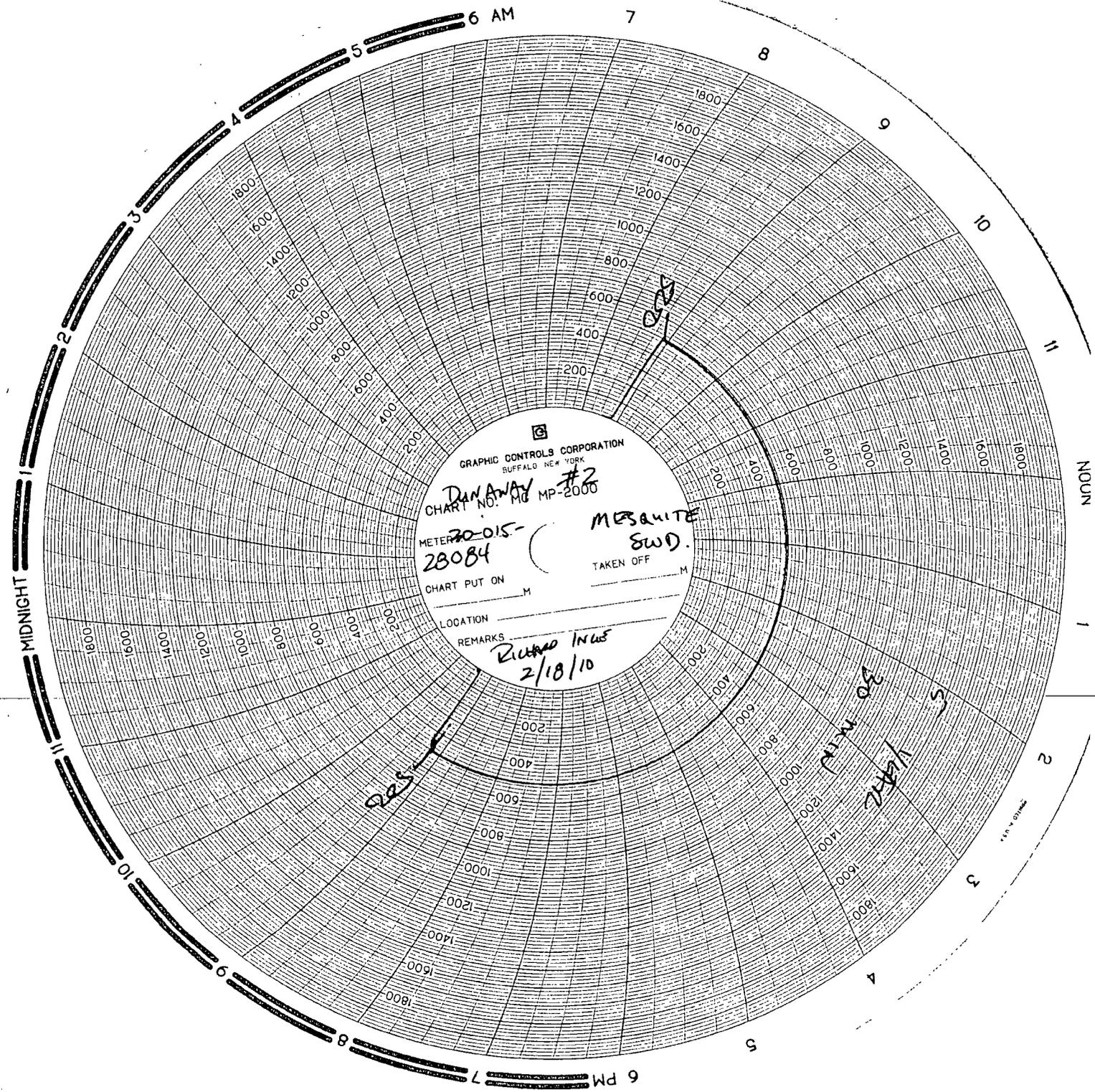
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Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Inge, Richard, EMNRD
Sent: Thursday, February 18, 2010 3:40 PM
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Subject: MITs on the Mesquite SWD Dunaway 001 and 002

Carl,

We performed MIT pressure tests on the Dunaway 001 and 002 this morning. (30-015-28084 & (30-015-28083) They passed. Clay Wilson said you wanted the original charts. I kept them and have already sent them to be scanned into our well file. They should be there in a couple of days. The inspection information should be available to you tomorrow after I synch RBDMS this evening.

--Richard

Active Brine Well Facilities

- **BW-2** Basic Energy/P&S Eunice #1 (API 30-025-26884)

Began production in July 1980.

Depth to top-of-salt 1320 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1440 ft bgs. Tubing depth 1718 ft bgs.

Last sonar log completed February 2009. Interval imaged 1440 to 1666 ft bgs. Log indicates only 21,000 bbls of cavern volume despite historic production of 6.8 Mbbls. Cavern should be ~1Mbbls.

Permit renewal date: 1/6/2014

- **BW-4** Gandy Corporation/Eidson State #1 (API 30-025-26883)

Began production in August 1980.

Depth to top-of-salt 1865 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1895 ft bgs. Tubing depth 2461 ft bgs.

Last sonar log completed October 2008. Interval imaged 1909 to 1944 ft bgs. Log indicates only 11 bbls of cavern volume despite historic production of 5.28 Mbbls. Cavern should be ~800,000 bbls.

Permit renewal date: 6/11/2011

- **BW-8** PAB Services/Brine Supply #1 (API 30-025-26307)

Began production in May 1979.

Depth to top-of-salt 2000 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1871 ft bgs. Tubing depth 2552 ft bgs.

Last sonar log completed February 2009. Interval imaged 1871 to 1903 ft bgs. Log indicates only 720 bbls of cavern volume despite historic production of perhaps 12 Mbbls. Cavern should be 1.8 Mbbls.

Permit renewal application currently under review.

- **BW-22** Gandy Corporation/Watson #1 (API 30-025-28162)

Began production in April 1983.

Depth to top-of-salt 2290 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 2249 ft bgs. Tubing depth 2870 ft bgs.

Last sonar log completed August 2008. Interval imaged 2200 to 2220 ft bgs. Log indicates only 11,289 bbls of cavern volume despite historic production of perhaps 18 Mbbls. Cavern should be 2.7 Mbbls.

Permit renewal date: 3/11/2012

- **BW-25** Basic Energy/Salado #2 (API 30-025-32394)

Began production in September 1993.

Depth to top-of-salt 1220 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1220 ft bgs. Tubing depth 1385 ft bgs.

No sonar log run. Historic production of perhaps 1.7 Mbbls, indicating cavern volume of 25,500 bbls.

Permit renewal application currently under review.

- **BW-27** Mesquite SWD/Dunaway #1 and #2 (APIs 30-015-28083 and 28084)

Began production in January 1995.

Depth to top-of-salt 1060 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1064 ft bgs. Tubing depth 1024 ft bgs.

Last sonar log attempted December 2008 but failed to get any data due to configuration of casing and tubing.

Permit renewal date: 9/21/2009

- **BW-28** Key Energy/State Brine Well #1 (API 30-025-33547)

Began production in October 1996.

Depth to top-of-salt 1390 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1390 ft bgs. Tubing depth 2074 ft bgs.

Sonar log completed 5/20/09. Report not yet provided. Estimated production of perhaps 4 Mbbls, indicating cavern volume of 600,000 bbls.

Permit renewal date: 7/18/2011

- **BW-30** Liquid Resource/Hobbs State #10 (API 30-025-35915)

Began production in July 2002.

Depth to top-of-salt 1645 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1633 ft bgs. Tubing depth 1930 ft bgs.

OCD did not require them to run sonar due to shortness of operational life. Estimated brine production of 1.4 Mbbls, indicating cavern may be 207,000 bbls.

Permit renewal date: 5/29/2012

- **BW-31** HRC/HRC Schubert 7 #1 (API 30-025-36781)

Began production in October 2006.

Depth to top-of-salt 1800 ft bgs. Casing shoe @ 1865 ft bgs. Tubing depth 2300 ft bgs.

No sonar log run. Estimated production of only 560,000 bbls and thus cavern only 84,000 bbls.

Permit renewal date: 6/22/2011

Submit 3 Copies To Appropriate District Office
 District I
 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
 District II
 1301 W. Grand Ave., Artesia, NM 88210
 District III
 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410
 District IV
 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-103
 May 27, 2004

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 1220 South St. Francis Dr.
 Santa Fe, NM 87505

WELL API NO. 30-015-28083
5. Indicate Type of Lease STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>
6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name Dunaway
8. Well Number # 1
9. OGRID Number 161968
10. Pool name or Wildcat BSW Salado

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
 (DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other **BRINE**

2. Name of Operator
Mesquite SWD Inc.

3. Address of Operator
P.O. Box 1479 Carlsbad NM 88221-1479

4. Well Location
 Unit Letter F : 1474 feet from the North line and 2053 feet from the West line
 Section 23 Township 22S Range 27E NMPM County Eddy

11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)
3091GR

Pit or Below-grade Tank Application or Closure

Pit type _____ Depth to Groundwater _____ Distance from nearest fresh water well _____ Distance from nearest surface water _____

Pit Liner Thickness: _____ mil Below-Grade Tank: Volume _____ bbls; Construction Material _____

12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

<p>NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:</p> <p>PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/> PLUG AND ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>TEMPORARILY ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE PLANS <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>PULL OR ALTER CASING <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE COMPL <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>OTHER: Brine well <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:</p> <p>REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/> ALTERING CASING <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. <input type="checkbox"/> P AND A <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>CASING/CEMENT JOB <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/></p>
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13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 1103. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.

- 12/3/08
- 1) Ru Eunice well TOH ,RU Blackwarrior wire line ran in with sinker bar tagged at 1058ft tried to work threw could not get through,came out hole.
 - 2) RU fresh water tried to wash salt for three hours,ran back in hole tagged at 1058ft.
 - 3) Talk with Larry VanMetre with Socon Sonar he said his tool would not work inside casing.
 - 4) Ran tubing back in hole.
 - 5)RU I&W pumped 55bbl of packer fluid, set packer.
 - 6)Presured up to 300# for 30min. held
 - 7) RD moved to the Dunaway #2
 - 8) Had I&W come back on 12-10-2008 to run pressure test . pressured up 400# for 30min held.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that any pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines , a general permit or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan .

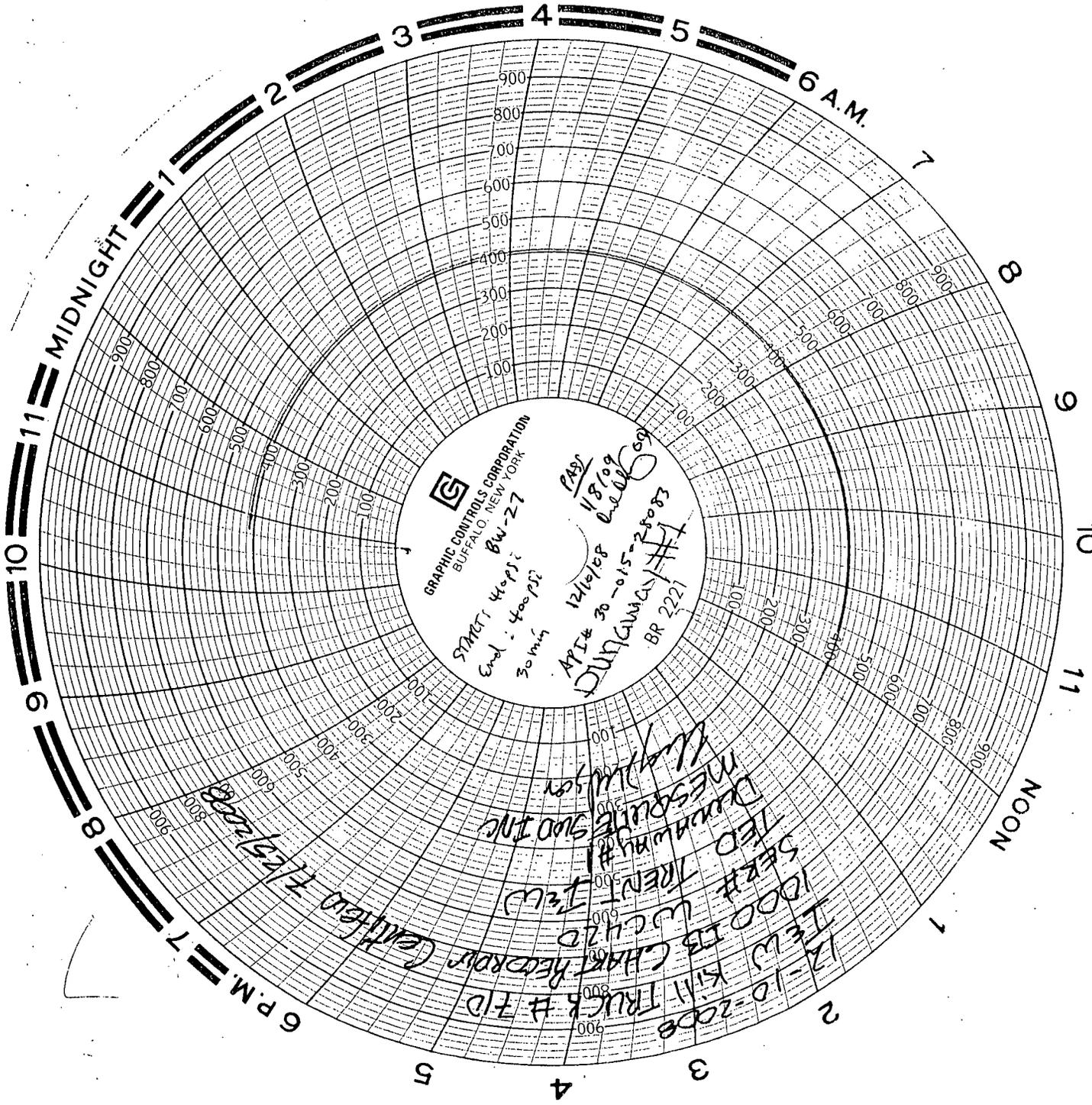
SIGNATURE Clay Wilson TITLE V.P. DATE 12/12/08

Type or print name CLAY L WILSON E-mail address: Telephone No. 575-7061840

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APPROVED BY: [Signature] TITLE Environmental engr DATE 11/12/09

Conditions of Approval (if any): w/ attached condition. 09




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12-10-2008
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Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Monday, January 12, 2009 11:58 AM
To: 'Clay Wilson'
Cc: Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Gum, Tim, EMNRD
Subject: Mesquite Carlsbad Dunaway Well Nos. 1 (API# 30-015-28083) & 2 (API# 30-015-28084) (BW-27) Sonar Test Failure 12/10/2008

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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM
87505

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

WELL API NO. 30-015-28084
5. Indicate Type of Lease STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>
6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name Dunaway
8. Well Number # 2
9. OGRID Number 161968
10. Pool name or Wildcat BSW Salado

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other Brine

2. Name of Operator
Mesquite SWD Inc.

3. Address of Operator
P.O. Box 1479 Carlsbad NM 88221-1479

4. Well Location
Unit Letter F 1443 feet from the North line and 1698 feet from the West line
Section 23 Township 22S Range 27E NMPM County Eddy

11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)
3094GR

Pit or Below-grade Tank Application or Closure
Pit type _____ Depth to Groundwater _____ Distance from nearest fresh water well _____ Distance from nearest surface water _____
Pit Liner Thickness: _____ mil Below-Grade Tank: Volume _____ bbls; Construction Material _____

12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

- PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK PLUG AND ABANDON
- TEMPORARILY ABANDON CHANGE PLANS
- PULL OR ALTER CASING MULTIPLE COMPL

OTHER: Brine well

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

- REMEDIAL WORK ALTERING CASING
- COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. P AND A
- CASING/CEMENT JOB

OTHER:

13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 1103. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.

- 1) 12-4-2008 Ru Eunice well FOH, RU Blackwarrior wire line ran in with sinker bar tagged at 12330 tried to work threw could not get through, came out hole.
- 2) Talk with Larry Van Metre with SOCON Sonar he said his tool would not work, he need more than 2ft from under the casing shoe for sonar tool to be able to work, did not run tool.
- 3) Ruff rigged up I&W pumped 65bbls of packer fluid, set packer, ran 30min chart @ 350 held.
- 4) RU Eunice well Blackwarrior wireline.
- 5) Put well back into production.
- 6) 12-10-2008 RU I&W Ran 30min Chart @ 380 held.

grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines , a general permit or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan .

SIGNATURE Clay L. Wilson TITLE V.P. DATE 12/12/2008

Type or print name CLAY L. WILSON E-mail address: Telephone No. 575-7061840

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APPROVED BY: [Signature] TITLE Environmental Engineer DATE 1/12/09

Conditions of Approval (if any):
w/ attached conditions.

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From: Clay Wilson [claywilson@pccnm.com]
Sent: Sunday, November 30, 2008 4:27 PM
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Subject: Re: BW-27 (Dunaway No. 2) Upcoming MIT & Sonar Testing

Carl
We are set for the 3rd of December at 9:00am
Thanks
Clay

----- Original Message -----

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
To: Clay Wilson
Sent: Thursday, November 20, 2008 4:39 PM
Subject: RE: BW-27 (Dunaway No. 2) Upcoming MIT & Sonar Testing

Clay:

Since you will be pulling the tubing for the sonar, the OCD is allowing the EPA 5-Yr. pressure up on casing for 30 minutes at 300 to 500 psi. I'll be out of the office all next week. Let me know if you have questions. Thank you.

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From: Clay Wilson [mailto:claywilson@pccnm.com]
Sent: Wednesday, November 19, 2008 7:17 PM
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Subject: Re: BW-27 (Dunaway No. 2) Upcoming MIT & Sonar Testing

Carl
I have my set up to run the sonar on December 3rd, I'll let you know what time. I'm not sure what MIT test you want me to run, do you want to pressure test between the casing and tubing or do you want to pressure test the formation. If you want the formation it will have to be a different day.
Thanks
Clay

----- Original Message -----

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD ; Clay Wilson
Cc: Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD ; Price, Wayne, EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, November 12, 2008 9:08 AM
Subject: RE: BW-27 (Dunaway No. 2) Upcoming MIT & Sonar Testing

Clay:

After speaking with my Supervisor Wayne Price, and under the current circumstances, the OCD is requiring

your brine well to be sonar tested within 30 days of this notice. Since you will be performing this task, it may be prudent to conduct the MIT too. Please contact me to confirm the type of MIT this year. Thank you.

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From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, October 21, 2008 3:24 PM
To: 'Clay Wilson'
Cc: Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD; Price, Wayne, EMNRD
Subject: BW-27 (Dunaway No. 2) Upcoming MIT & Sonar Testing

Clay:

Re: OCD August 1, 2008 Letter w/ Brine Well Information Request (BWIR)

Good afternoon. The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Mesquite's responses to the BWIRs for the above subject OCD permitted brine well. Based on the operational life and volume of brine produced from the above brine well, sonar testing is required along with your MIT on or before July 31, 2009. According to OCD records, no sonar testing has been conducted on the above subject brine well to date.

Please contact me within 8 working days to arrange the type, date and time for the MITs and corresponding date for sonar testing. Thank you.

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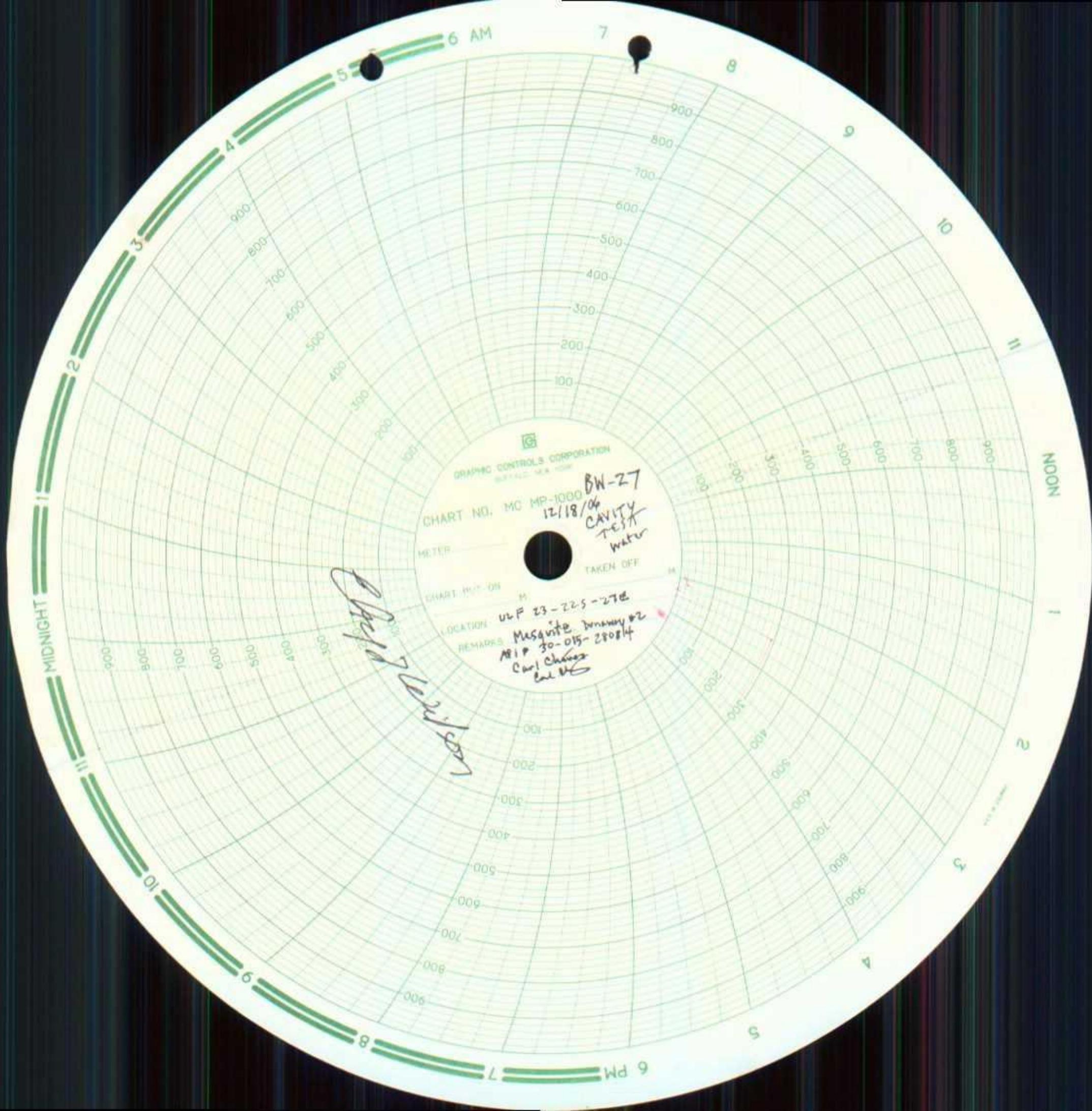
Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Thursday, December 21, 2006 3:14 PM
To: 'claywilson@pccnm.com'
Subject: API# 30-015-28084 (BW-27) Dunaway #2 MIT Cavity Water Test 12/18/2006 Passed

Clay:

Please find attached the MIT Water Cavity Test for your Class III Brine Well (two well system) Dunaway #2. Although the chart shows a greater than 1% differential or about 8 psi drop from 290 psi during the 4 hour test, it was apparent that the cavity was not stabilized for 24 hours before the test. Consequently, Mr. Wayne Price of the OCD factored this into the MIT this year and you passed the MIT. However, next year, please be sure to stabilize the cavity 24 hours in advance of the start of the MIT. Please contact me if you have questions. Thanks for your cooperation.

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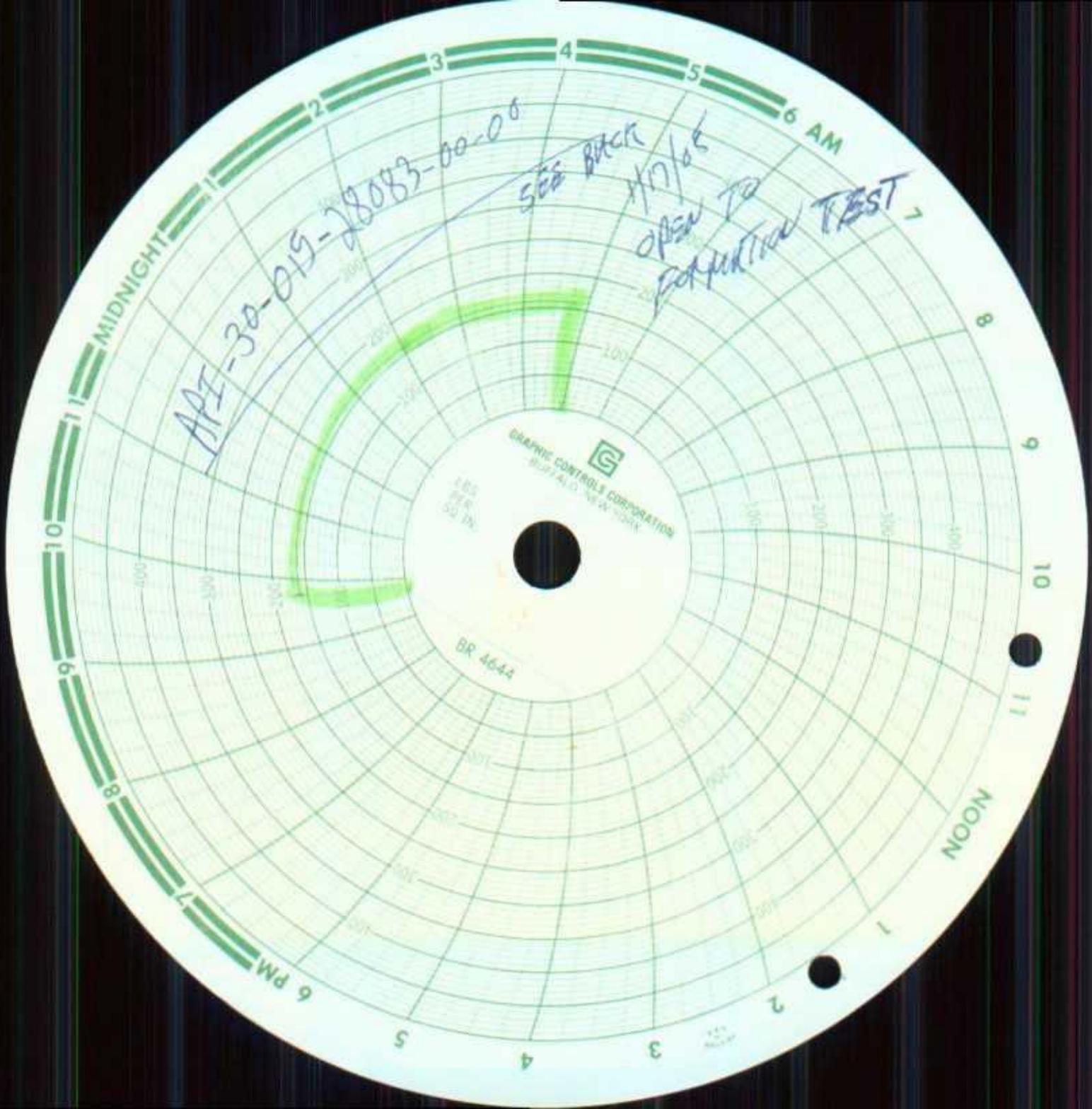


GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BOSTON, MASS. U.S.A.

CHART NO. MC MP-1000
12/18/06
BW-27
CAVITY TEST water
METER
TAKEN OFF

Charles...

LOCATION ULP 23-225-27B
REMARKS Mesquite driveway #2
APIP 30-015-28084
Carl Chavez
Cal MS



API-30-019-28083-00-00

SEE BACK
X17/06
OPEN TO
FOR FURTHER TEST
TEST

GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

BR 4644

MESQUITE SAND INC
BRINE WELL
DUNAWAY # 1

1-17-05

Con Man Clayh Wilson



OCD
WITNESS: W PRICE
M STUBBLEY
OPERATOR: [Signature]

GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

BW-027 WELL #2 30-015-28084

CASING TEST - WAZAR

PLAINS ALL AMERICAN

11/18/02

BR 4644

OFF 11:50 AM
ON 10:30 AM

2 1/2 GAL BLEED-OFF

WIRENESS: 20 Pairs
STOPAGE
OPERATOR: ~~Long~~
HOOKLOCK

GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

BW-027 WELL #1 30-015-28083
CASING TEST-WATER

PLAINS ALL AMERICAN
11/18/02
BR 4644

off 11:30 AM

ON 10:30 AM



American Valve & Meter, Inc.

113 W. Broadway
P.O. Box 166
Hobbs, NM 88240

CARIS BAS
well #1

B6-027

To: PLAINS Marketing

Date: 11-26-01

This is to Certify that:

I, Tony Flores, Technician for American Valve & Meter, Inc.,

has checked the calibration of the following instrument

8" 0-500# P.S.I. Recorder Serial Number _____

at these points.

Pressure 0-500#

Temperature _____

Test	Found	Left	Test	Found	Left
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<u>300</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>300</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>	_____	_____	_____
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Remarks: _____

Signature Tony Flores

American Valve & Meter, Inc.

BW-027 A

113 W. Broadway
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mel #2

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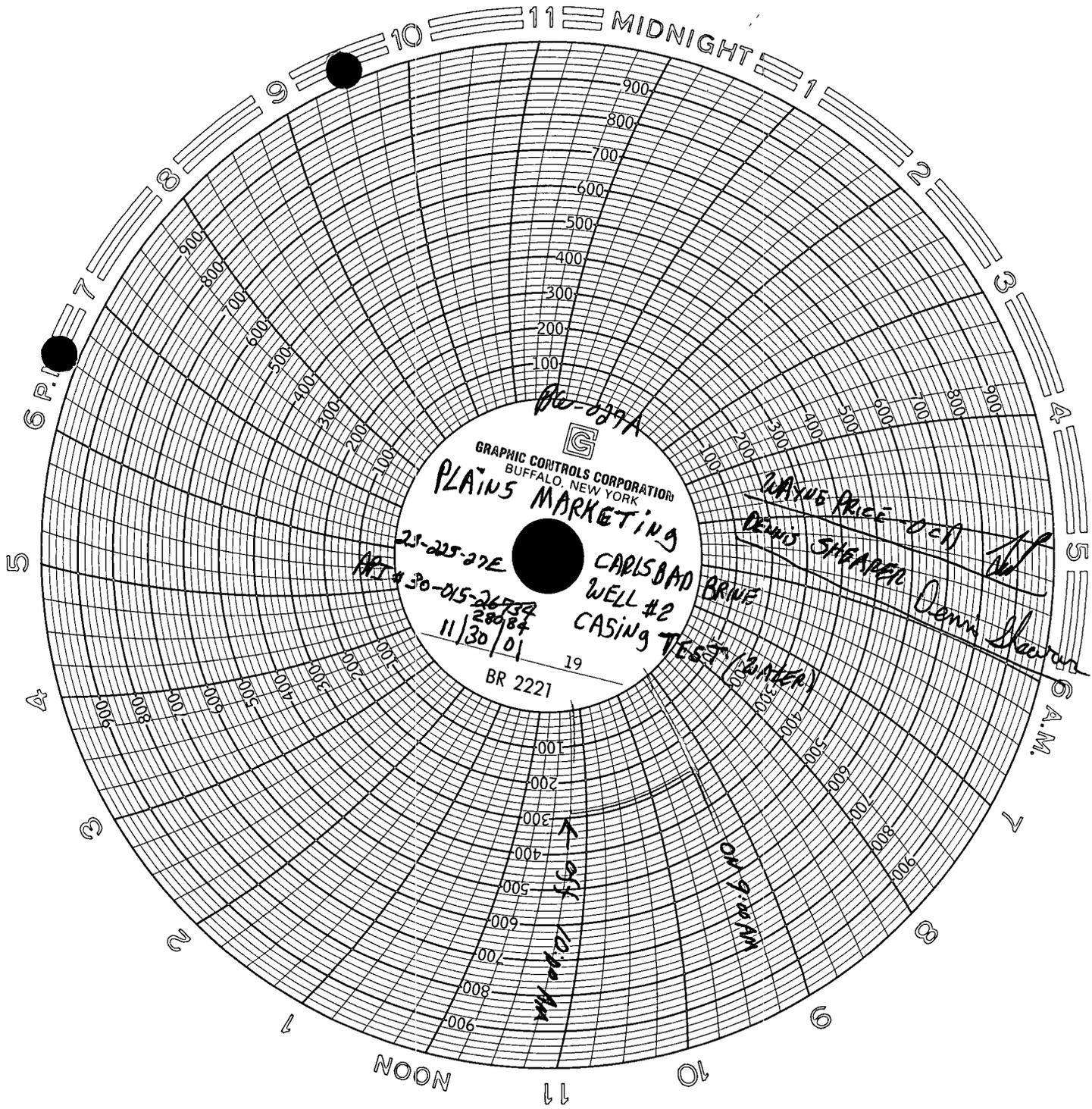
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Remarks: _____

Signature Tony Flores



GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
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23-225-27E
 ART # 30-015-26732
 28084
 11/30/01
 CARLSBAD BRINE
 WELL #2
 CASING TEST (WATER)

WAYNE PRICE DEN ✓
 DENNIS SHEARER DENNIS SHEARER ✓

BR 2221

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OFF 10:00 AM

W.P. 6:00



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PLAINS ALL AMERICAN October 20, 2001
BW-12 & 27, 27A

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO. 5357 7539

Attention: Brine Well Operators

Re: Mechanical Integrity Testing of Brine Supply Wells

The Underground Injection Control Program of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires that operators demonstrate mechanical integrity of all injection wells by ensuring there are no leaks in the tubing, casing, or packer, and injected/produced fluids are confined within the piping and injection zones.

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Brine Well Operators
Oct 20, 2001
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Operators will be responsible for providing equipment and shall bear all costs incurred. All tests must be witnessed by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. Operators failing to abide by the procedures, type of test, and time schedules listed herein may be required to shut-in their systems until OCD has an opportunity to approve and witness testing.

If you require any further information or assistance please do not hesitate to write or call me at 505-476-3487 or E-mail WPRICE@state.nm.us.

Sincerely Yours,



Wayne Price- Senior Envr. Engr..
Environnemental Bureau

cc: OCD District Offices

Attachments- 1. OCD Brine Well Test Schedule November 2001
2. Brine Well Testing Procedure Guidance Document

Brine Well Testing Procedure Guidance Document

- 1) The cavern and all piping must be filled, pressured up and stabilized for a period of at least 24 hours prior to testing. If this test requires a packer then casing/tubing annulus must be loaded with inert fluid 24 hours prior to testing.
- 2) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test. Wellhead shall be prepared for test and all valves and gauges should be in good working order.
- 3) Pumps, tanks, external lines etc. must be isolated from the wellhead during test.
- 4) A continuous recording pressure device with an 8-hour clock (min) shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus. The pressure range shall not be greater than 500 psig. The operator must provide proof that the pressure-recording device has been calibrated within the past 6 months. **Note: Wells with packer installed: If this test requires both the casing/tubing annulus and cavern to be tested then two recording devices must be supplied or one recording device with two pins.**
- 5) A minimum of one pressure gauge shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus.
- 6) OCD must witness the beginning of test (putting chart on) and ending of test (removing chart). At the end of test operator may be required to bleed-off well pressure to demonstrate recorder and gauge response.
- 7) The Operator will supply the following information on the pressure chart:
 - A. Company Name, Well Name, API #, Legal Location.
 - B. Test Procedure (1) Casing + Formation (2) Casing Test Only (3) Both (4) Other
 - C. Testing Media: Water, Gas, Oil, Etc.
 - D. Date, time started and ending.
 - E. Name (printed) and signature of company representative and OCD Inspector
- 8) **TEST ACCEPTANCE:** The OCD will use the following criteria in determining if a well has passed the Mechanical Integrity Test:
 - A. **Passes** if Zero Bleed-Off during the test.
 - B. **Passes** if Final Test Pressure is within $\pm 1\%$ of Starting Pressure, if approved by the OCD inspector.
 - C. **Fails** if any Final Test Pressure is greater than $\pm 1\%$ of Starting Pressure. Operators must investigate for leaks and demonstrate that mechanical integrity of the well(s) by ensuring there are no leaks in the tubing, casing, or packer, and injected/produced fluids are confined within the piping and injection zones. Wells shall not resume operations until approved by OCD.

Note: OCD recognizes that different operations, well designs, formation characteristics and field conditions may cause variations in the above procedures. If operator wishes to make or anticipate changes please notify the OCD for approval. All operators are responsible to notify OCD of any procedure that may cause harm to the well system or formation. Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve any operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, groundwater, or the environment.

OCD BRINE WELL TESTING SCHEDULE 2001

OCD Contact Wayne Price call 505-860-1087

Company	DP#	Facility Name	Date of Test	Start	Stop	Type of Test(s) Required	Contact Person	Telephone	FAX #/cell
Stearns Inc.	BW-013	Crossroads Area Crossroads	28-Nov-01	12 noon	4:00 PM	2 Pressure test cavern	L.A. Stearns	1-505-875-2358	1-505-875-2339
Marbob Brine Well Jilma Water Ser.	BW-028 BW-005	Loco Hills Area M. Dodd "A" BW#1 SE of Artesia	27-Nov 27-Nov	9:00 AM 10:00 AM	1:00 PM 2:00 PM	2 Pressure test cavern * Pressure test cavern of casing * 1, 2 or 3	Doyle Davis Sammy Stoneman	749-6975 cell 1-505-748-1352	1-505-748-2523 1-505-748-3227
Key Energy Scurock-Premian Zia Transportation Marathon Brine St	BW-018 BW-012 BW-018 BW-015	Hobbs Area Truckers #2 (Hobbs) Hobbs Station Sally Dog-Ark Jct Marathon Road	28-Nov-01 28-Nov-01 28-Nov-01 28-Nov-01	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM	12 noon 1:00 PM 2:00 PM 3:30 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 1 Pressure Test Casing	Royce Crowell Richard Lentz Piter Bergstein CW Trainer	(505) 383-8171 505-382-8212 808-741-1080	505-810-4185 382-8888
P&S Brine Key Simms-McCasland Yale E. Key (Old Goldstar)	BW-002 BW-008A BW-028	Eunice Area Eunice Brine Station Eunice Brine Station Eunice Brine Station	28-Nov-01 28-Nov-01 28-Nov-01	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM	12 noon 1:00 PM 2:00 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	Dink Prather Royce Crowell Royce Crowell	505-384-2545 (505) 383-8171 1-505-384-2504	384-2428 505-910-4185 1-505-384-2560
I & W Key Energy-Carlsbad Scurock/Pemian	BW-08 BW-019 BW-027 & 27A	Carlsbad Area Carlsbad -Eugenie Rowland Truckers Carlsbad Brine St.	30-Nov-01 30-Nov-01 30-Nov-01	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM	12 noon 1:00 PM 2:00 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	George Parchman John Hutchison Richard Lentz	505-885-8883 1-505-885-2053 505-382-8212	885-8477 cell 390-1833 382-8888
Gandy Gandy Ray Westfall	BW-04 BW-22 BW-21	Wells Already Tested In 2001 Wasserhund-Edison Tatum Brine St. Loco Hills Brine St.							
Chaparral SWD	BW-25	Wells Being Repaired- Salado Brine #2, Jal							
Notes:									
Type of Pressure Test:	1 Casing Test					Isolate cavern; formation from the casing/tubing annulus and hydrostatic fluid pressure test the casing at 300 psig for 30 minutes.			
	2 Open Hole Cavern Pressure Test					Open hole cavern formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation with fluid to one end one-half times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig whichever is greater for four hours. Operators shall not exceed surface pressures that may cause formation fracturing or system failures. OCD prior to test shall approve test pressures below 300 psig and methods that use media other than fluids. Brine supply wells operating with packers will have to pressure both the cavern formation and casing/tubing annulus.			
	3 Others					Nitrogen-Brine Interface Test, Nitrogen Test, Etc.			

American

Valve & Meter Service

1118 W. DUNHAM, HOBBS, N.M.

P.O. BOX 1667

505 393-5478

TO Plains Marketing

DATE 12-7-00

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT:

I, Tony Flores, METER TECHNICAN FOR AMERICAN VALVE & METER SERVICE, HAS CHECKED THE CALIBRATION ON THE FOLLOWING INSTRUMENT

8" 0-500[#] pressure recorder SERIAL NUMBER _____

AT THESE POINTS.

TEMPERTURE _____

P.S.I. 0-500[#]

TEST	AS FOUND	AS LEFT

TEST	AS FOUND	AS LEFT
<u>100</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>100</u>
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REMARKS:

SIGNED: Tony Flores



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON
Governor
Jennifer A. Salisbury
Cabinet Secretary

Lori Wrotenbery
Director
Oil Conservation Division

October 20, 2000

CERTIFIED MAIL

RETURN RECEIPT NO.

5051 4416 BW-027 S-P

Attention: Brine Well Operators

Re: Mechanical Integrity Testing of Brine Supply Wells

The Underground Injection Control Program of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires that operators demonstrate mechanical integrity of all injection wells by ensuring there are no leaks in the tubing, casing, or packer, and injected/produced fluids are confined within the piping and injection zones.

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) requires operators of brine supply wells to perform the following mechanical integrity tests:

1. At least once every five years isolate the cavern formation from the casing/tubing annuals and hydrostatic fluid pressure test the casing at 300 psig for 30 minutes. New brine wells and wells being worked over will have to be tested in this manner before operations begin.
2. Annually perform an open hole cavern formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation with fluid to one and one-half times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig whichever is greater for four hours. Operators shall not exceed surface pressures that may cause formation fracturing or system failures. OCD prior to test shall approve test pressures below 300 psig and methods that use media other than fluids. Brine supply wells operating with packers will have to pressure both the cavern formation and casing/tubing annuals.

Please find enclosed an "OCD Brine Well Test Schedule December 2000" and "Brine Well Test Procedure Guidance Document" for this December 8th through 18th 2000. Please have your well ready for testing on the date and time you are scheduled. Please refer to the Well Test Schedule attached for the type of test you are scheduled to perform. You must receive prior OCD approval to alter the scheduled time or type of test.

Brine Well Operators

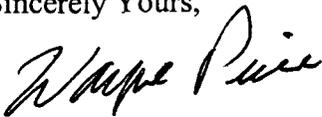
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Operators will be responsible for providing equipment and shall bear all costs incurred. All tests must be witnessed by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. Operators failing to abide by the procedures, type of test, and time schedules listed herein may be required to shut-in their systems until OCD has an opportunity to approve and witness testing.

If you require any further information or assistance please do not hesitate to write or call me at (505-827-7155).

Sincerely Yours,



Wayne Price-Pet. Engr. Spec.
Environmental Bureau

cc: OCD District Offices

- Attachments-
1. OCD Brine Well Test Schedule December 2000.
 2. Brine Well Testing Procedure Guidance Document.

OCD BRINE WELL TEST SCHEDULE December of 2000

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Company	DP#	Facility Name	Date of Test	Start	Stop	Type of Test(s) Required	Contact Person	Telephone	FAX #
Marbob Brine Well	BW-029	M. Dodd "A" BW#1	December 08, 2000	1:00 PM	5:00 PM	2 Pressure test cavern	Doyle Davis Raye Miller	748-5975 cell 1-505-746-2523 748-3303	4515
P&S Brine Simms-McCasland Sally Dog, Inc.	BW-002 BW-009A BW-008	Eunice Eunice Water ST. Eunice Brine Station Arkansas-Jct	December 11, 2000 December 11, 2000 December 11, 2000	8 am 9:30 am 11 am	12 noon 1:30 pm 3 pm	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	Paul Prather Bob Patterson Mr. Piter Bergstein Walter Britco	1-505-394-2545 1-505-394-2426 1-505-394-2581 1-505-394-2584 1-806-741-1080	4454 4478 9508
Stearns Inc. Gandy Corp. Key Energy	BW-013 BW-022 BW-018	Crossroads Tatum Water St. Truckers #2 (Hobbs)	December 12, 2000 December 12, 2000 December 12, 2000	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	12 noon 1:00 PM 2:30 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	L.A. Stearns Larry Gandy Pete Turner	1-505-675-2356 1-505-675-2339 1-505-398-4960 cell 369-5721 1-505-397-4894 1-505-393-9023	4447 4123
I&W Trucking Loco Hills Brine	BW-006 &6A BW-021	Carlsbad Yard Loco Hills	December 13, 2000 December 13, 2000	8:00 AM 1:30 PM	12 noon 5:30 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	EUGENE IRVY George Dornheim D. Maloney or R. Harris	1-505-885-6663 1-505-885-8477 1-505-677-2370 1-505-677-2361	5051 4409 4461
Goldstar Quality Oil Services-Brine Services CHARNAL EBR INC	BW-028 BW-025	Eunice Brine Station Salado Brine St. #2	December 14, 2000 December 14, 2000	9:30 am 11am	1:30 pm 3 pm	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	Royce Crowell see P&S	1-505-394-2504 1-505-394-2560	4472 4454
Key Energy-Carlsbad Scuflock/Permian Jims Water Ser.	BW-019 BW-027 &27A BW-005	Rowland Truckers Carlsbad Brine St. SE of Artesia	December 15, 2000 December 15, 2000 December 15, 2000	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	12 noon 1:00 PM 2:30 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	John Hutcheson Jim Ephraim Sammy Stoneman	1-505-887-3011 1-713-672-8092 1-713-672-7609 1-505-748-1352 1-505-746-3227	4413 5051 4416 4490
Scuflock-Permian Gandy- WasserHau	BW-012 BW-004	Hobbs Station Buckeye St.	December 18, 2000 December 18, 2000	8:00 AM 9:00 AM	12 noon 1:00 PM	2 Pressure test cavern 2 Pressure test cavern	Richard Lentz Larry Gandy	1-505-392-8212 1-505-392-6988 1-505-398-4960 cell 369-5721	5051 4416 4447

Notes:

Type of Pressure Test: 1 Casing Test

2 Open Hole Cavern Pressure Test

3 Others

Notes:
Isolate cavern formation from the casing/tubing annulars and hydrostatic fluid pressure test the casing at 300 psig for 30 minutes.
Open hole cavern formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation with fluid to one and one-half times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig whichever is greater for four hours. Operators shall not exceed surface pressures that may cause formation fracturing or system failures. OCD prior to test shall approve test pressures below 300 psig and methods that use media other than fluids.
Brine supply wells operating with packers will have to pressure both the cavern formation and casing/tubing annulars.

Nitrogen-Brine Interface Test, Nitrogen Test, Etc.

Brine Well Testing Procedure Guidance Document

- 1) The cavern and all piping must be filled, pressured up and stabilized for a period of at least 24 hours prior to testing. If this test requires or utilizes a packer then the casing/tubing annulus must be loaded with inert fluid 24 hours prior to testing.
- 2) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test. Well head shall be prepared for test and all valves and gauges should be in good working order.
- 3) Pressure devices i.e pumps, truck pumps, etc. must be isolated from the well head during test.
- 4) A continuous recording pressure chart with an 8 hour clock shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus, as directed by the OCD, with a pressure range of not greater than 500 psig. The operator must provide proof that pressure recording device has a range of 0-500 psig and has been calibrated within the past 6 months. Wells, with isolation packers installed, which requires both the casing/tubing annulus and cavern to be tested will require two recording devices or one recording device with two pins. Operators may utilize other types of pressure recording devices, such as electronic data loggers, etc., if approved by OCD.
- 5) A minimum of one pressure gage shall be installed in the system as directed by OCD.
- 6) OCD must witness the beginning of test (putting chart on) and ending of test (removing chart). At the end of test operator may be required to bleed-off pressure to demonstrate recorder response.
- 7) **The Operator will supply the following information on the pressure chart before starting test:**
 1. Company name, discharge plan #, well name and number, legal location UL, section, township, range and county.
 2. Type of Test: Open Hole, Casing Test, or Both.
 3. Date, time test started, time stop.
 4. Chart and Recorder information. (can be attached)
 5. Normal operating surface and formation fracture pressure. (can be attached)
 6. **After Test Completed:**
Name (printed) and signature of company representative and OCD inspector.

Note: NMOCD recognizes that different operations, well constructions, well designs and field conditions may cause variations in the above procedures. Operator is responsible to notify OCD of any procedure that may cause harm to the well or formation. If operator wishes to make or anticipate changes you must notify the OCD for approval.

American

Valve & Meter Service

1113 W. BROADWAY, HOBBS, N.M. 88240
P.O. BOX 1667, PHONE 505-393-578

TO Lurlock Perman

DATE: 10-26-88

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT:

I, Jesse Burg METER TECHNICIAN FOR AMERICAN VALVE, INC., HAS
CHECKED THE CALIBRATION ON THE FOLLOWING INSTRUMENT. Bristol
01007 pressure gauge SERIAL NUMBER _____

AT THESE POINTS:

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P.S.I. 1000#

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REMARKS: _____

SIGNED: Jesse Burg

American

Valve & Motor Service

1113 W. BROADWAY, HOBBS, N.M. 88240
P.O. BOX 1667, PHONE 505-393-578

TO Sturlock Permian

DATE: 10-26-99

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT:

I, Jesse Young METER TECHNICIAN FOR AMERICAN VALVE, INC., HAS
CHECKED THE CALIBRATION ON THE FOLLOWING INSTRUMENT. Metserco

0-1000⁺ Pressure Gauge SERIAL NUMBER _____

AT THESE POINTS:

TEMPERATURE _____

P.S.I. 0-1000⁺

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REMARKS: _____

SIGNED: Jesse Young



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Dennis Shearer
WITNESS - W. RICH. OEL
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BUFFALO, NEW YORK

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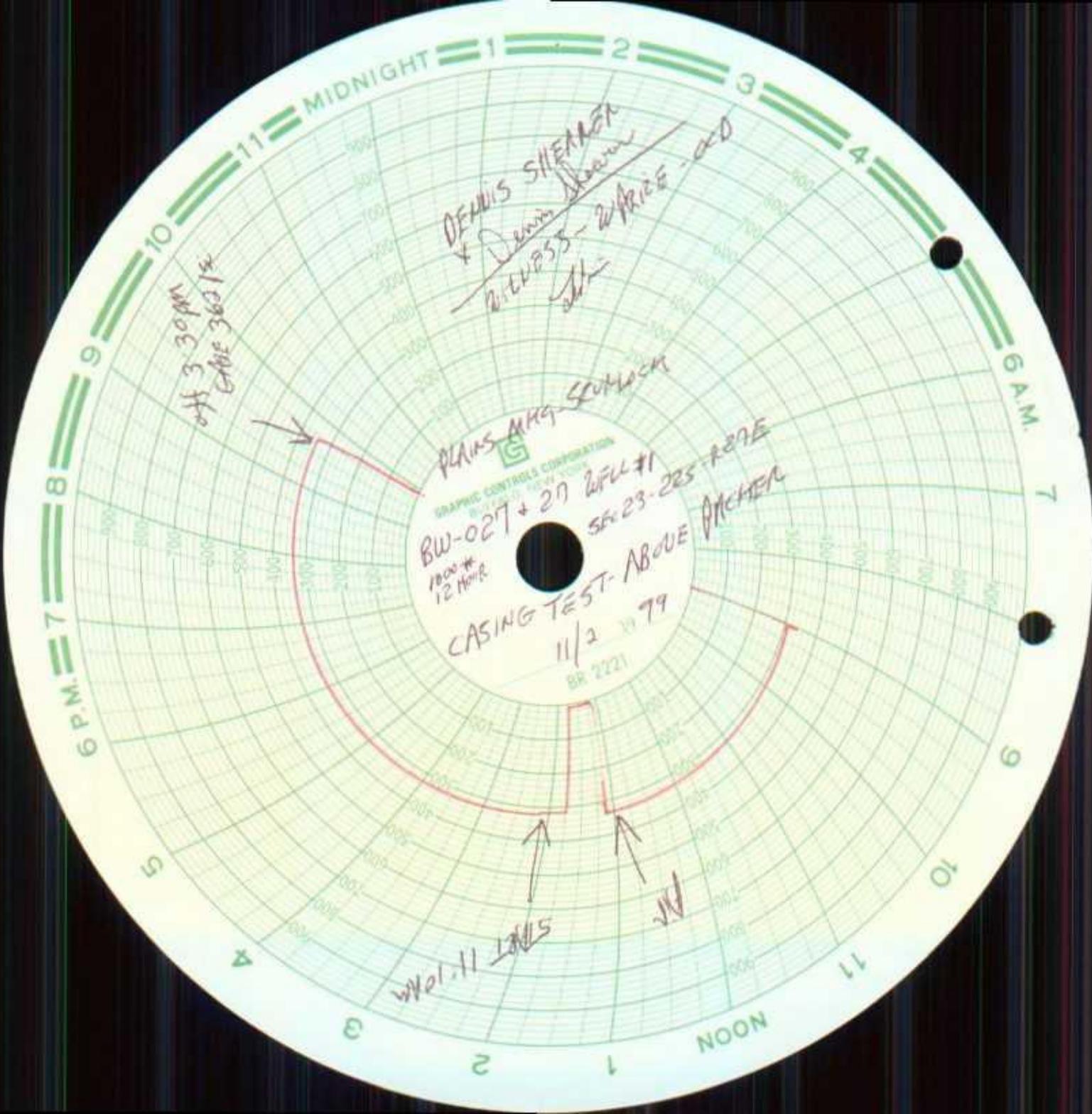
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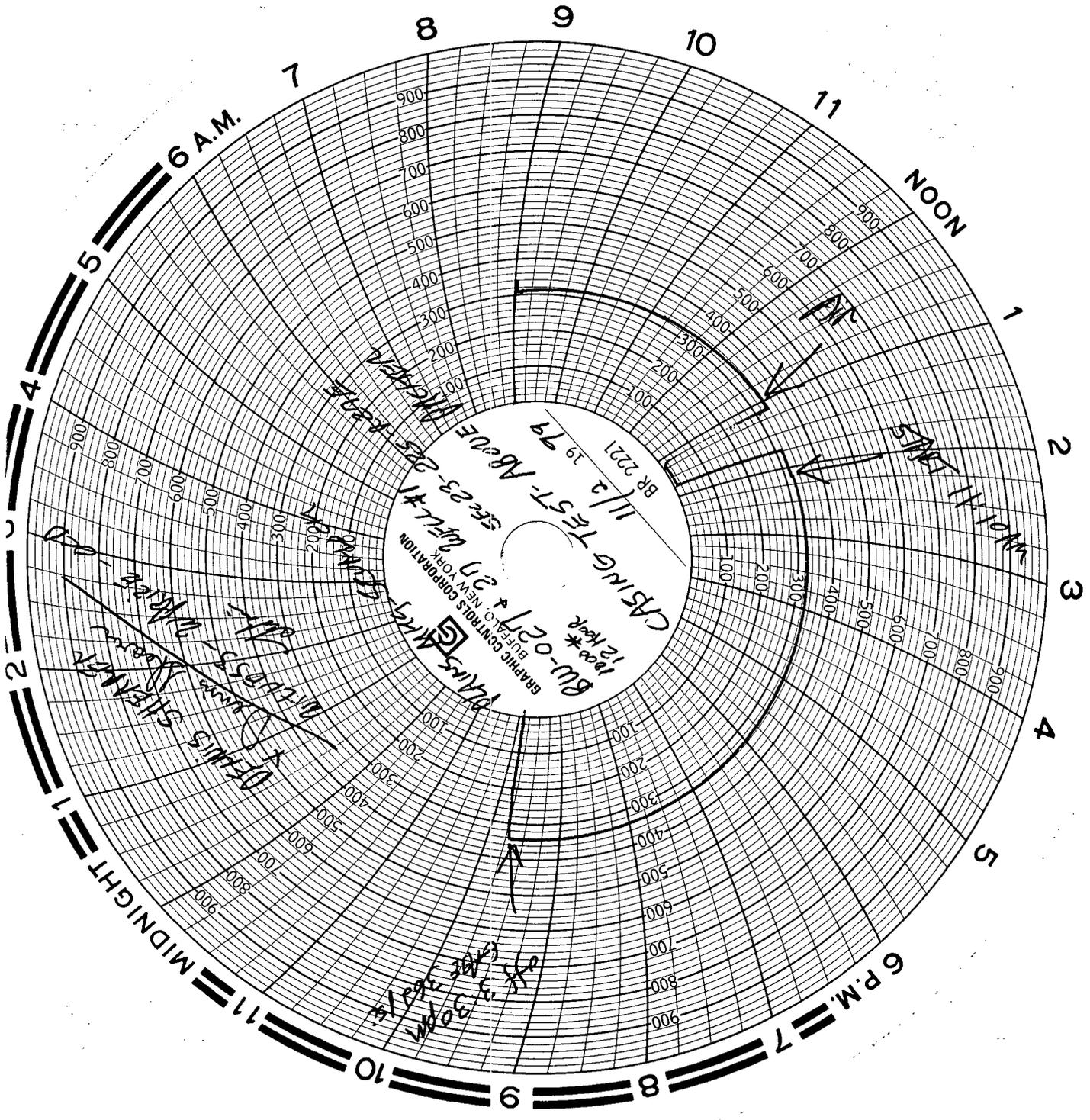
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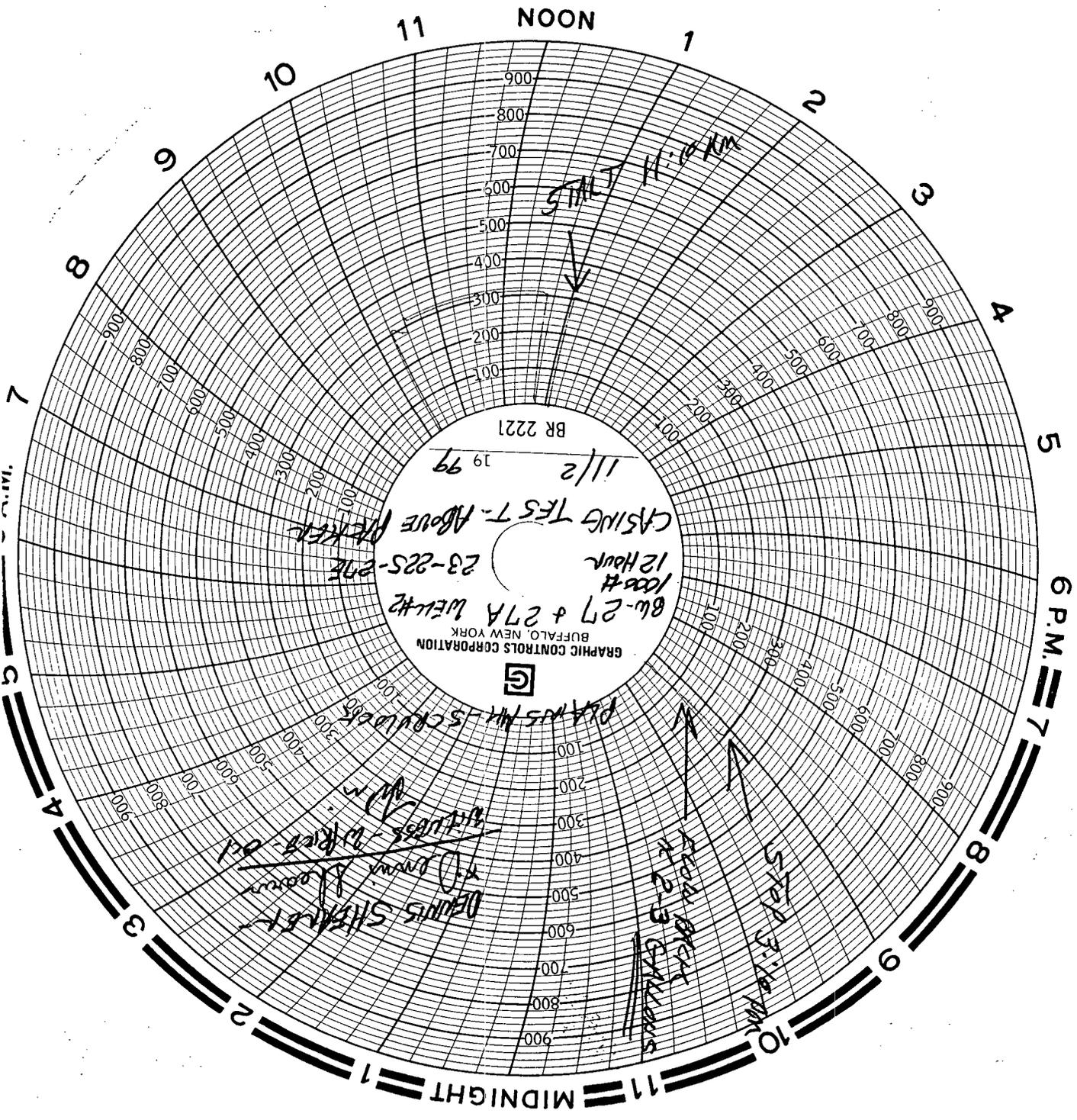
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6W-27 & 27A WELLS

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NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505
(505) 827-7131

Fax: 1-505-392-6988

October 19, 1999

Mr. Richard Lentz
Scurlock Permian Corporation
3514 Lovington Hwy.
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Mechanical Integrity Testing of Brine Supply Wells.

This is a reminder that New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) will be witnessing mechanical integrity test for all brine supply wells during the time period between October 25 through November 2, 1999. A schedule was sent to each operator on September 11, 1999. Please note that if you were scheduled to "isolate the cavern and pressure test casing, and run a cavern survey", you will have the option this time to defer this procedure and just perform the annual open hole pressure test, however no bleed-off will be allowed. The NMOCD will notify you when these other conditions will be required.

Please have your well(s) ready for testing on the date and time you are scheduled. If there is some emergency which interferes with the scheduled date and time please call and notify NMOCD.

Failure to notify NMOCD may result in your operations being suspended until testing is complete.

If you require any further information or assistance please do not hesitate to write or call me at (505-827-7155) or notify Mr. Roger Anderson at (505-827-7152).

Sincerely Yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Wayne Price-Pet".

Wayne Price-Pet. Engr. Spec.
Environmental Bureau



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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September 11, 1999

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO. Z 357 870 147

Mr. Richard Lentz
Scurlock Permian Corporation
3514 Lovington Hwy.
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Mechanical Integrity Testing of Brine Supply Wells

Dear Mr. Richard Lentz:

The Underground Injection Control Program of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires that operators demonstrate mechanical integrity of all injection wells by ensuring there are no leaks in the tubing, casing, or packer, and injected/produced fluids are confined within the piping and injection zones.

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) requires operators of brine supply wells to perform the following mechanical integrity test:

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2. Annually perform an open hole cavern formation pressure test by pressuring up the formation one and one-half times the normal operating pressure (not to exceed formation fracture pressure) or 300 psig whichever is greater for four hours. Brine supply wells operating with packers will have to pressure both the cavern formation and casing/tubing annuals.

Please find enclosed an OCD Brine Well Test Schedule and Test Procedure for this Fall October 25, 1999 through November 2, 1999. Please have your well ready for testing on the date and time you are schedule. Operators will be responsible for providing equipment and shall bear all costs incurred. All test must be witnessed by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

If you require any further information or assistance please do not hesitate to write or call me at (505-827-7155).

Sincerely Yours,

Wayne Price-Pet. Engr. Spec.
Environmental Bureau

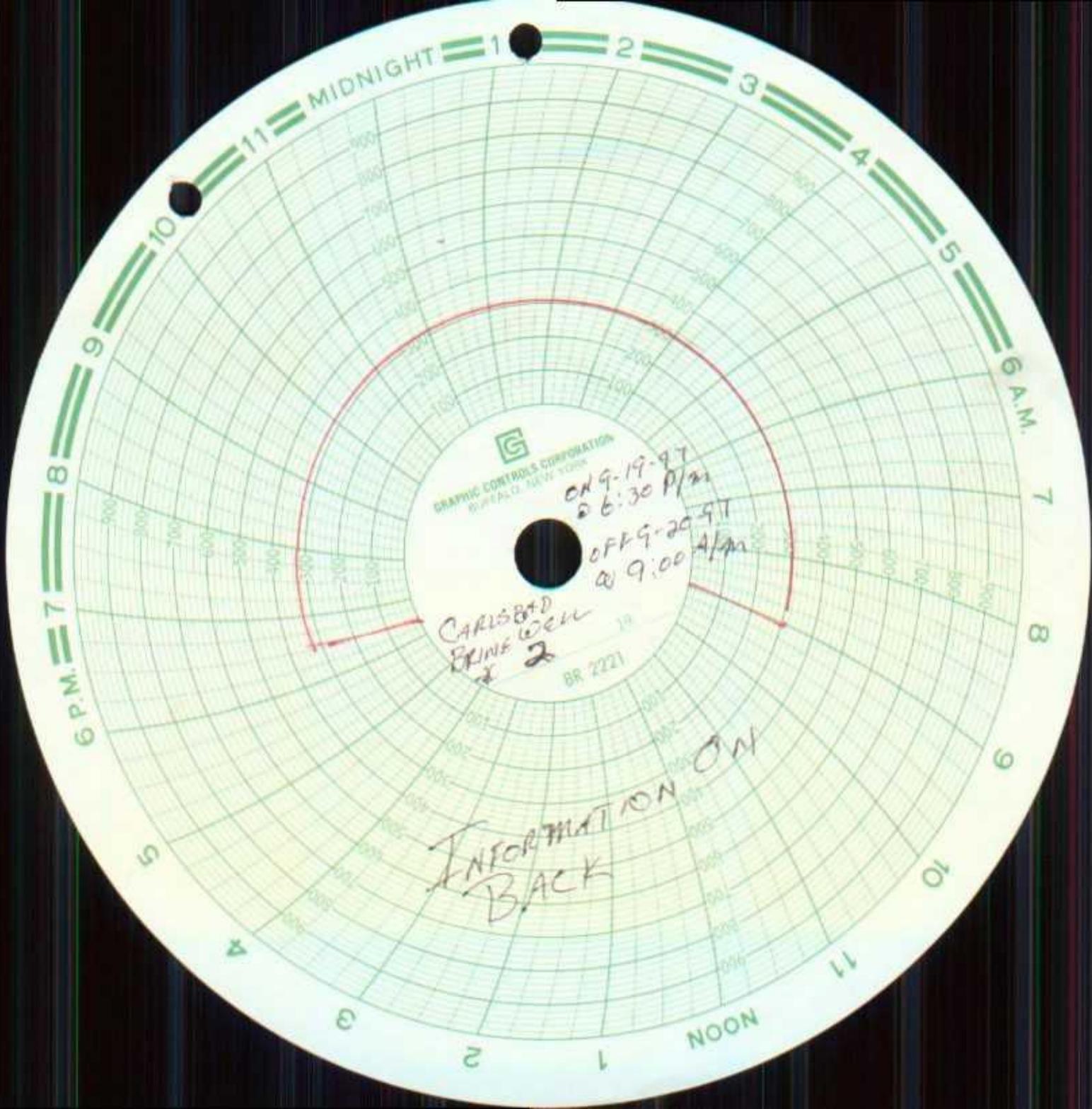
cc: OCD District Offices
attachments- OCD Brine Well Test Schedule & Brine Well Testing Procedure Guidance Document



Brine Well Testing Procedure Guidance Document

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- 2) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test. Well head shall be prepared for test and all valves and gauges should be in good working order.
- 3) Pressure devices i.e pumps, truck pumps, etc. must be isolated from the well head before and during test.
- 4) A continuous recording pressure chart with an 8 hour clock shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus. The pressure range shall not be greater than 1,000 psig. The operator must provide proof that the recording device has been calibrated within the past 6 months. **Note: Wells with packer installed: If this test requires both the casing/tubing annulus and cavern to be tested then two recording devices must be supplied or one recording device with two pins.**
- 5) A minimum of one pressure gage shall be installed in the system.
- 6) OCD must witness the beginning of test (putting chart on) and ending of test (removing chart). At the end of test operator shall bleed-off pressure by 10% to demonstrate recorder response.
- 7) The following information shall be place on the chart:
 1. Date, time test started, time stop.
 2. Company name, Discharge Plan #, well name and number, legal location UL, section, township, range and county.
 3. Type of Test; Open hole, Casing Test, or Both.
 4. Printed name and signature of company representative and OCD representative.

Note: NMOCD recognizes that different operations, well constructions and field conditions may cause variations in the above procedures. If operator wishes to make or anticipate changes please notify the OCD for approval.



CARLSBAD BRINE Well

#2 TESTED ON 9-17-97

TEST OFF 9-20-97 6:30 P/M

TEST FLUID FRESHWATER TREATED
WITH PACKER FLUID 9 A/M

TESTER BY

SCHROCK/PERMAN

RICHARD DAINIS

WITNESSED BY

EUNICE Well SERVICE

Raymond L. Greene

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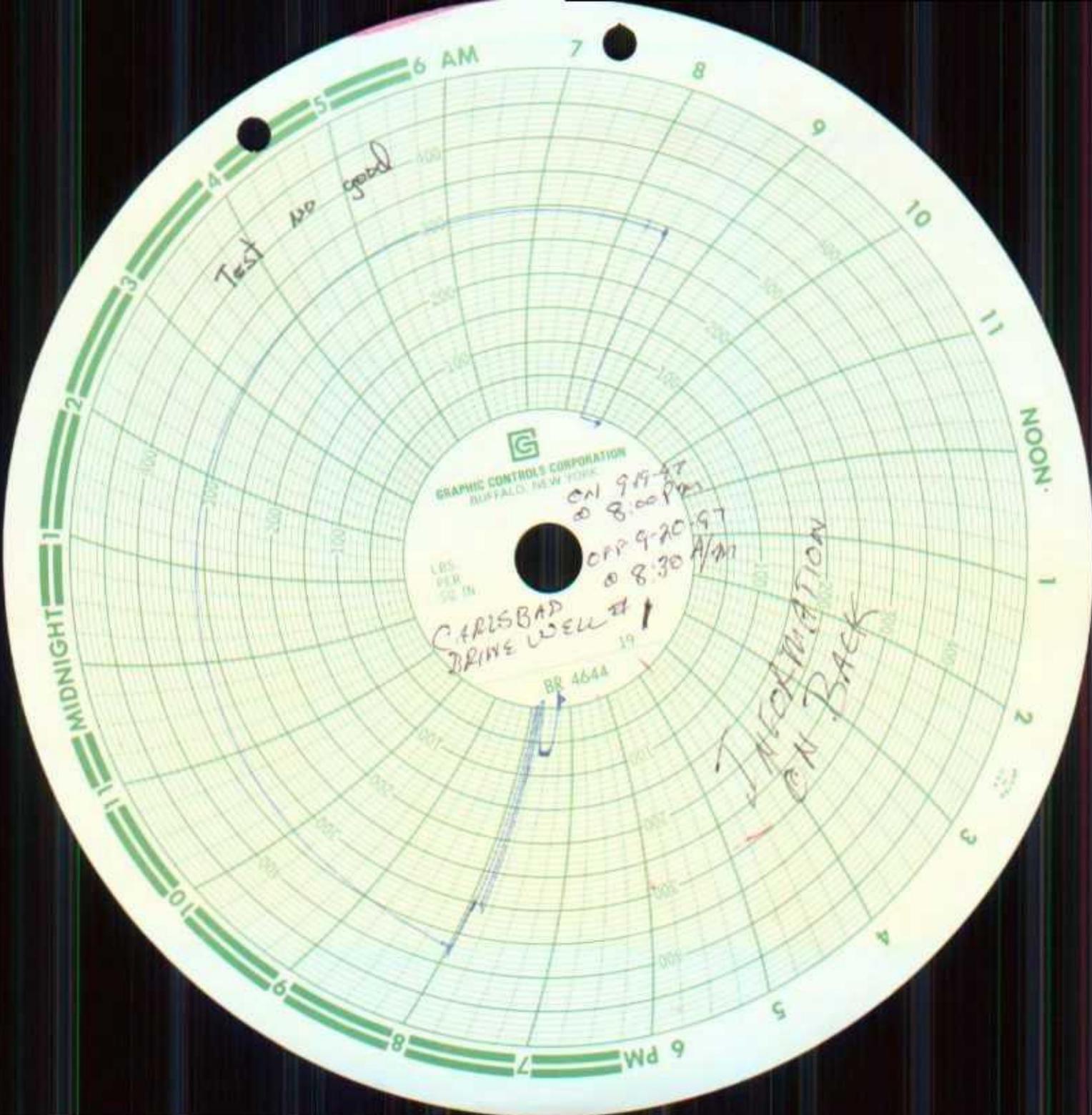
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 BUFFALO, NEW YORK

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CARLSBAD
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BR 4644

INFORMATION
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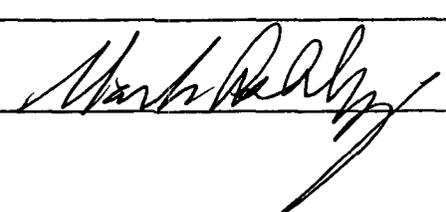
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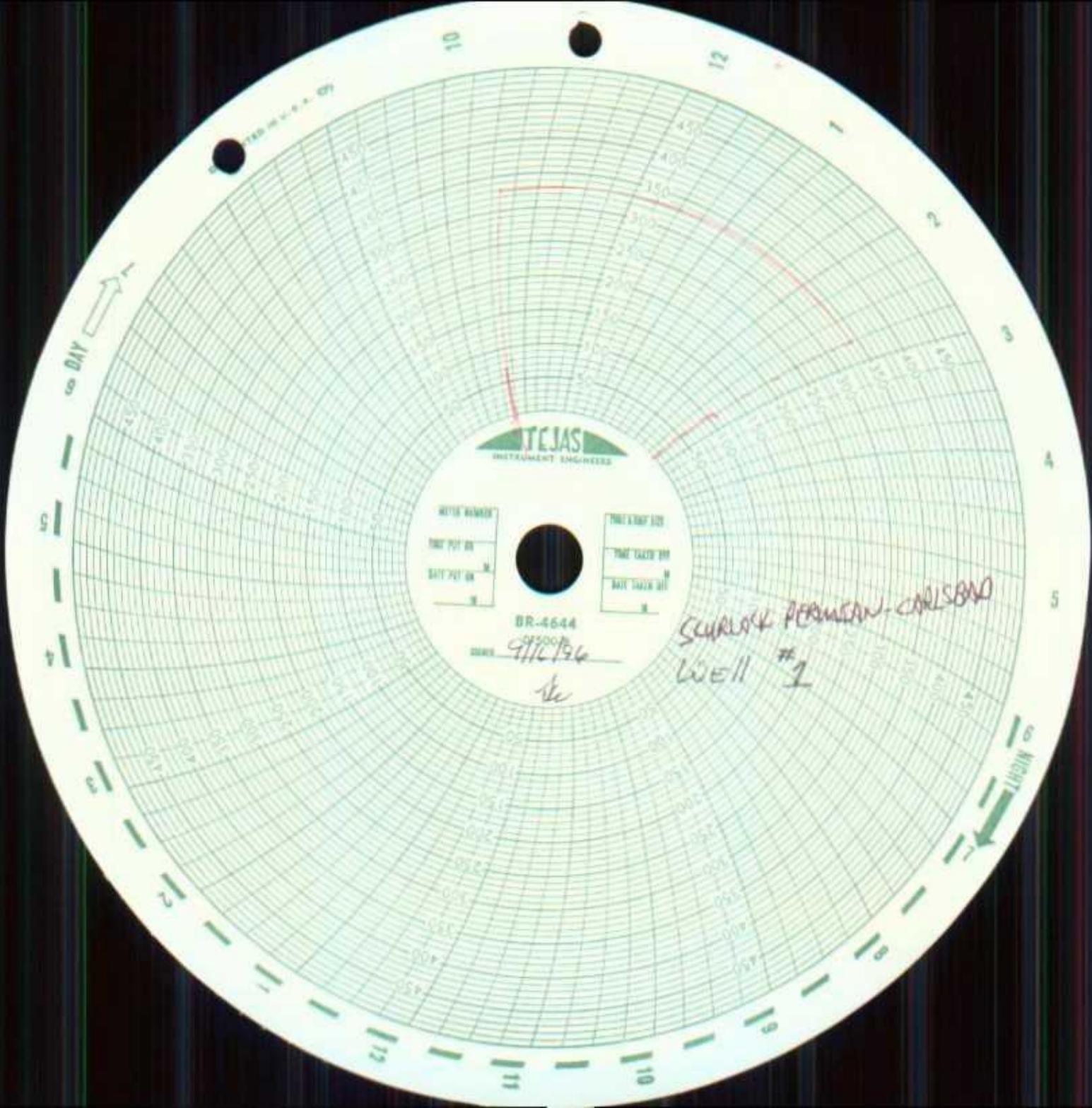
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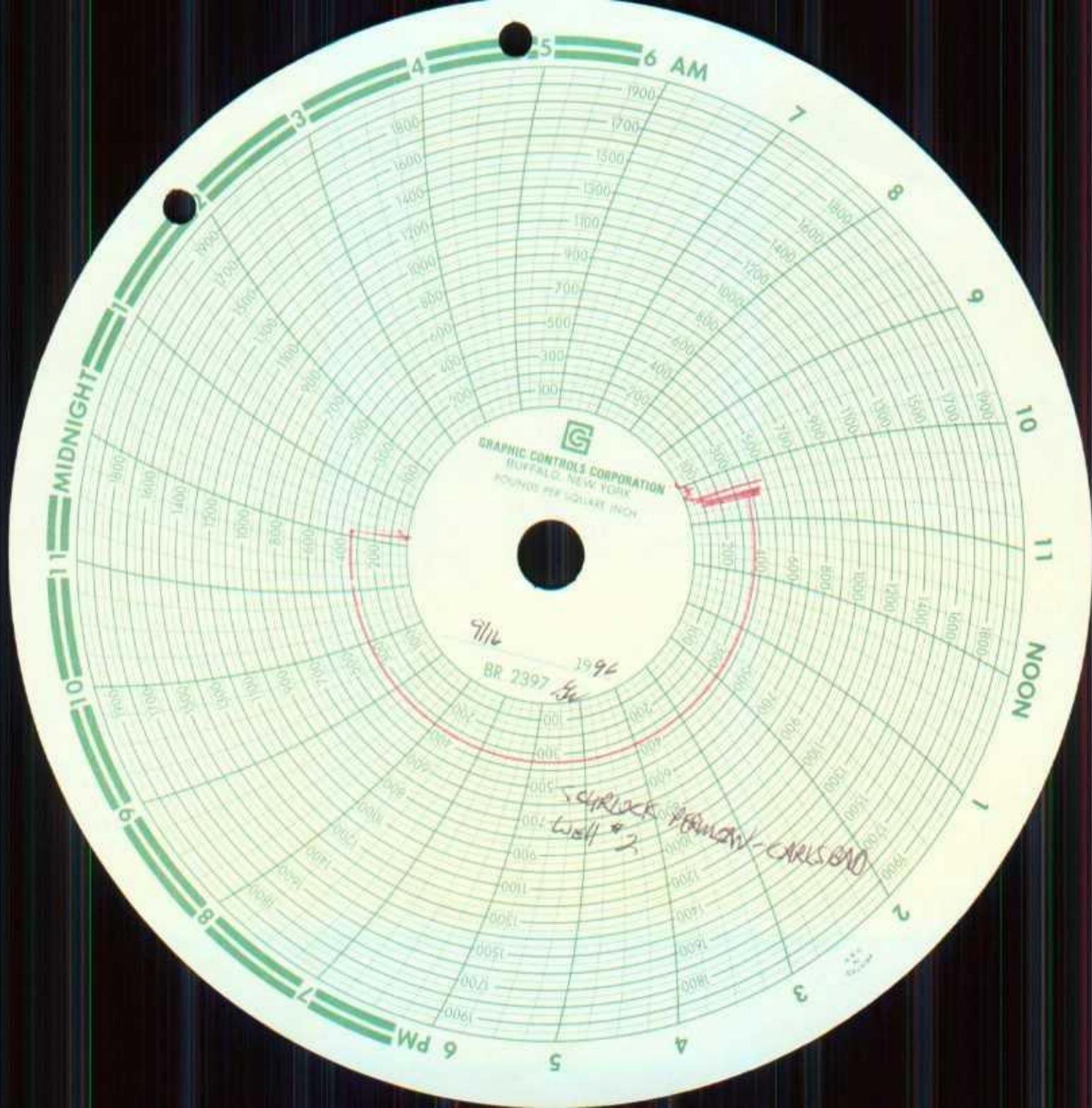
TEST FLUID FRESH WATER TREATED
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RICHARD DAINS
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Raymond Williams (41)

MEMORANDUM OF MEETING OR CONVERSATION

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> Personal	Time 12:30pm	Date 9-11-97
<u>Originating Party</u> RICHARD LENTZ		<u>Other Parties</u> MARK ASHLEY
<u>Subject</u> SCHROCK PERMAN, BREVE WELL, CARLSBAD, BW-27		
<u>Discussion</u> #2 WELL WILL NOT HOLD PRESSURE.		
<u>Conclusions or Agreements</u> THEY WILL INJECT FRESH WATER IN #2 WELL UNTIL A PULLING UNIT CAN ADDRESS OR REPLACE THE PACKER. OIL WILL POSTPONE THE TEST UNTIL PACKER IS FIXED		
<u>Distribution</u>	Signed 	





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GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BUFFALO, NEW YORK
POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH

9/16
BR 2397
1996
Schlack
Well # 2
Person - CARLSBAD



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505
(505) 827-7131

October 3, 1996

Mr. Steward Rogers
Scurlock Permian Corporation
P.O. Box 4648
Houston, Texas 77210-4648

RE: Mechanical Integrity Testing of Brine Supply Wells

Dear Mr. Steward Rogers:

Enclosed is a copy of the mechanical integrity test conducted on your brine well. Please retain this copy for your records.

On behalf of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, I would like to thank you for your time and cooperation during the testing. If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 827-7155.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mark Ashley".

Mark Ashley
Geologist

Attachment



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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August 16, 1996

Certified Mail
Return Receipt No. Z-765-962-973

Mr. Steward Rogers
Scurlock Permian Corporation
P.O. Box 4648
Houston, Texas 77210-4648

RE: Mechanical Integrity Testing of Brine Supply Wells

Annual Test	Annual Test
Carlsbad Brine Station BW-027	Hobbs Brine Station BW-012
Eddy County, New Mexico	Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Rogers:

The Underground Injection Control Program of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires that operators demonstrate mechanical integrity of all injection wells by ensuring that there are no leaks in the tubing, casing, or packer, and that the injected fluid is confined within the injection zone through proper cementing.

All brine wells that operate without a packer will be required to have an annual open hole pressure test equal to 1.5 times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig, whichever is greater, for four hours with a maximum of 10 percent bleed-off allowed. Every five years or at the time of discharge plan renewals they will be required to have an open hole pressure test equal to 1.5 times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig, whichever is greater, for four hours with zero bleed-off.

All brine wells that operate with a packer will be required to have an annual casing/tubing annulus pressure test equal to 1.5 times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig, whichever is greater, for four hours.

Operators will be responsible for providing equipment and shall bear all costs incurred. The date and time of all tests will be scheduled and witnessed by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

Please have the Carlsbad Brine Station ready for testing on September 16, 1996 at 7:30 AM, and the Hobbs Brine Station ready for testing on September 17, 1996 at 8:00 AM as outlined below.

Mr. Steward Rogers
August 16, 1996
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For brine wells operating without a packer:

- 1) The cavern must be pressured up and stabilized for a period of at least 24 hours prior to testing.
- 2) The system shall be tested to 1.5 times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig, whichever is greater, for a period of four hours. A maximum of 10 percent bleed-off will be allowed for annual tests. Testing conducted every five years or at the time of discharge plan renewal will have zero bleed-off.
- 3) A continuous recording pressure chart with an 8 hour clock shall be installed on both the casing/tubing annulus and tubing. The pressure range shall not be greater than 1,000 psig.
- 4) Have well head prepared for test. All valves should be in good working order. All casing/tubing annulus and tubing valves shall be open.
- 5) All gauges shall be in good working order.
- 6) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test.

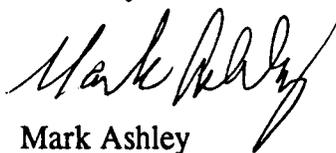
For brine wells operating with a packer:

- 1) Have the casing/tubing annulus and tubing loaded with inert fluid prior to testing.
- 2) The casing/tubing annulus shall be tested to 1.5 times the normal operating pressure or 300 psig, whichever is greater, for four hours.
- 3) A continuous recording pressure chart with an 8 hour clock shall be installed on the casing/tubing annulus. The pressure range shall not be greater than 1,000 psig.
- 4) Have well head prepared for test. All valves should be in good working order.
- 5) All gauges shall be in good working order.
- 6) Have manpower and equipment available for pressure test.

Mr. Steward Rogers
August 16, 1996
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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (505) 827-7155.

Sincerely,



Mark Ashley
Geologist

Z 765 962 973



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