

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



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January 12, 1988

Chevron USA, Inc.
P.O. Box 7309
San Francisco, CA 94120-7309

Attention: Albert G. Garcia
Regulatory Assistant

RE: Administrative Order NFL-173

Dear Mr. Garcia:

Reference is made to your application for an Infill Well Finding 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 the Oil Conservation Division Order No. R-6013, as amended, for the following described well:

Graham State (NCT-C) Com Well No. 9 located 990 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the East line (Unit B) of Section 25, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

THE DIVISION FINDS THAT:

(1) 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) By Division Order No. R-6013, as amended, 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) The well for which a finding is sought is to be completed in the Eumont Gas Pool, and the standard spacing unit in said pool is 640-acres.

(4) A non-standard 320-acre gas proration unit comprising the E/2 of said Section 25, is currently dedicated to the Graham State (NCT-C) Well No. 8 located in Unit J of said Section 25.

(5) Said non-standard unit was previously approved by Administrative Order NSP-213, dated December 16, 1955.

(6) Said unit is not being effectively and efficiently drained by the existing well on the unit.

(7) The drilling and completion of the well for which a finding is sought should result in the production of an additional 245,000 MCF of gas from the proration unit which would not otherwise be recovered.

(8) All the requirements of Division Order No. R-6013, as amended, have been complied with, and 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) 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 THAT:

(1) The applicant is hereby authorized to drill the Graham State (NCT-C) Well No. 9, as described above, as an infill well on the existing 320-acre gas proration unit comprising the E/2 of Section 25, Township 19 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico. 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) Jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Sincerely,



Michael E. Stogner
Examiner

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs
New Mexico Oil and Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs
State Land Office - Santa Fe

REMARKS: Division Order No. R-6921 dated March 15, 1982 authorized the subject well to be drilled at a non-standard gas well location and approved the E/2 of said Section 25 to be simultaneously dedicated to both aforementioned wells.

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as amended,

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(Unit B)

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~~NSP-213~~ NSP-213, dated December 16, 1955.

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Examiner

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs

WMO4652 - Hobbs

State Land Office - Santa Fe

REMARKS: Division Order No. D-6921 dated March 15, 1982 authorized the subject well to be drilled at a non-standard location and the well location and approved the simultaneous dedication of the E/2 of said Section 25 to be simultaneously dedicated to both of the aforementioned wells.

Unitization

1. Compulsory unitization of all or part of a pool or common source of supply: Yes.
2. Minimum percentage of voluntary agreement before approval of compulsory unitization:
 - (a) Working interest: 75%.
 - (b) Royalty interest: 75%.



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July 24, 1987

Supplemental Information For
Determination of Well Category
NGPA Section 103
Well Name: Graham State (NCT-C) No. 9
API No.: 30-025-27082
Field Name: Eumont Gas
Docket No.: Not Available
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. "SG-2015R" Key: 80

State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Gentlemen:

Please refer to your letter dated January 5, 1987.

Attached is supportive evidence for an Effective and Efficient (E&E) finding on Graham State (NCT-C) Com. No. 9 pursuant to Section 271.305 of the final rules and regulations of Federal Energy Commission. This information proves that the subject well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the reservoir covered by the proration unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by the Graham State (NCT-C) No. 8.

We trust this information will suffice. However, if additional information is required, please let us know.

Please date stamp the enclosed copy of this letter and return it in the enclosed envelope.

Sincerely,

Albert G. Garcia
Regulatory Assistant

AGG:rr
Attachment

cc: Mr. J. D. Naylor, Houston

415-894-5726



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Attn: [REDACTED]
Albert Garcia

RE: Well head price ceiling
 determination, NGPA of
 1978

Gentlemen:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division has received your application for a wellhead price ceiling category determination under the sections(s) of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 indicated below if your application is incomplete, forms are attached hereto, indicating the documents and further information which must be filed before your application can be considered. If your application is complete, it will be acted upon administratively unless written objection is received within 15 days of its filing.

WELL NAME AND LOCATION GRAHAM STATE (NCT-C) 25-19S-36E #9-B

SECTION(S) APPLIED FOR 103

DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED January 27, 1986

APPLICATION INCOMPLETE *Per our telephone conversation today, please file for an Infill Exception pursuant to R-6013-A, attached.*

Sincerely,

DATE: January 5, 1987
 NOTE:

Michael R. Shapiro

THIS FORM LETTER MUST ACCOMPANY TWO COPIES OF THE SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Effective 1-4-65

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

Gulf Oil Corporation			Loose		Graham State (NCT-C) Com		Well No. 9	
Letter B	Section 25	Township 19 South	Range 36 East	County Lea				
Actual Footage Location of Well:								
990 feet from the North line and			1980 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev: 3663.4		Producing Formation Yates-Penrose		Pool Eumont Gas		Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres		

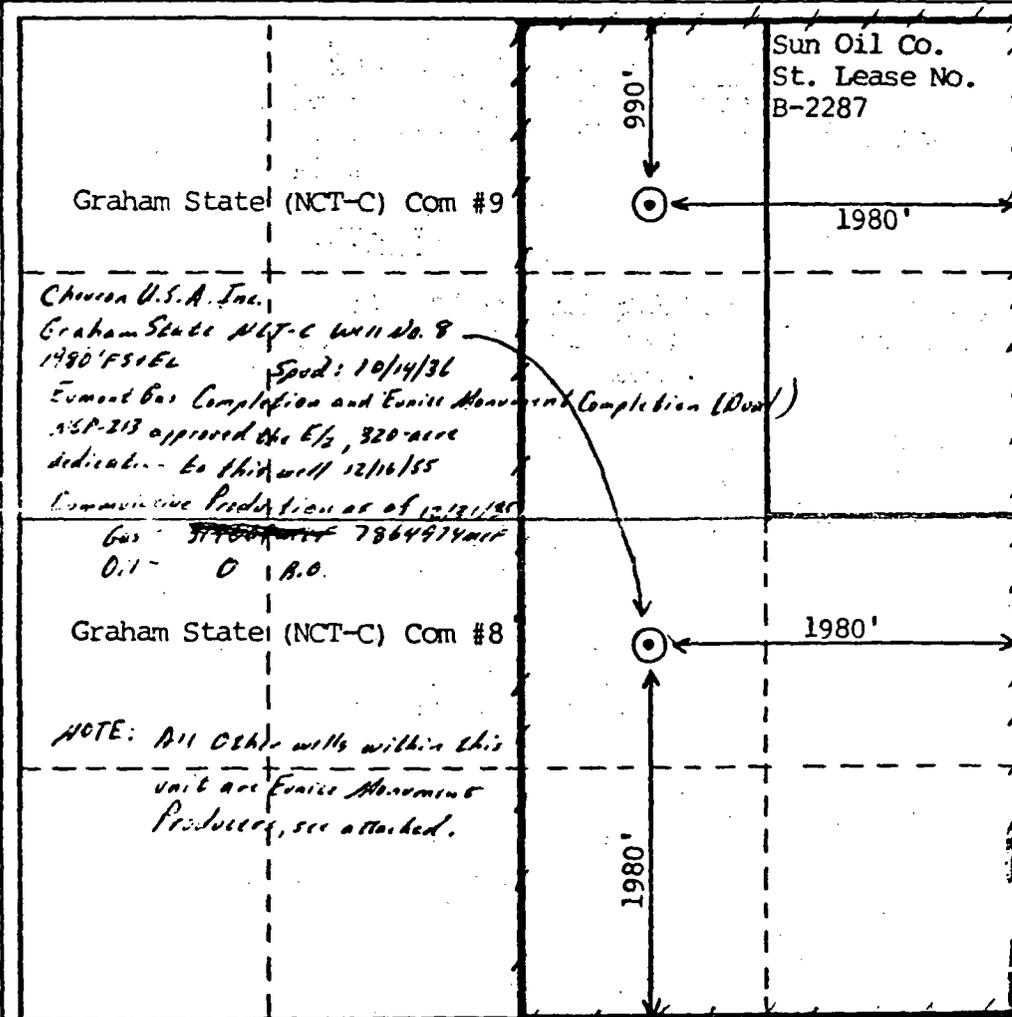
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Yes No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation Communitized

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.

NSP-213



CERTIFICATION

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

R. D. Pitre

Name
R. D. Pitre

Position
Area Engineer

Company
Gulf Oil Corporation

Date
January 20, 1982

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.



Engineering Data To Support Effective And Efficient Finding
Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9
Eumont Gas Pool
Lea County, New Mexico

The subject well was drilled as an infill well to the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8 on a 320 acre non-standard proration unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 25, T19S, R36E, Lea County, New Mexico. The purpose of this report is to support the contention that the subject well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the reservoir contained within the proration unit.

The Chevron Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8, located 1980' FSL & 1980' FEL of Section 25, T19S, R36E, Lea County, New Mexico, was spudded on October 5, 1936, and drilled to a total depth of 3975'. The Eumont Gas Zone was dually completed with the original Eunice Monument oil zone completion on November 3, 1955. The current cumulative production from the Eumont Gas Zone is 8.0 BCF (2/87); current production is 914 MCFD (2/87).

Assuming an abandonment pressure of 75 psi bottom hole pressure (BHP), the P/Z vs. cumulative production plot for the #8 (attached) yields an ultimate recovery of 8.5 BCF. Approximately 500 MMCF of recoverable reserves currently remain.

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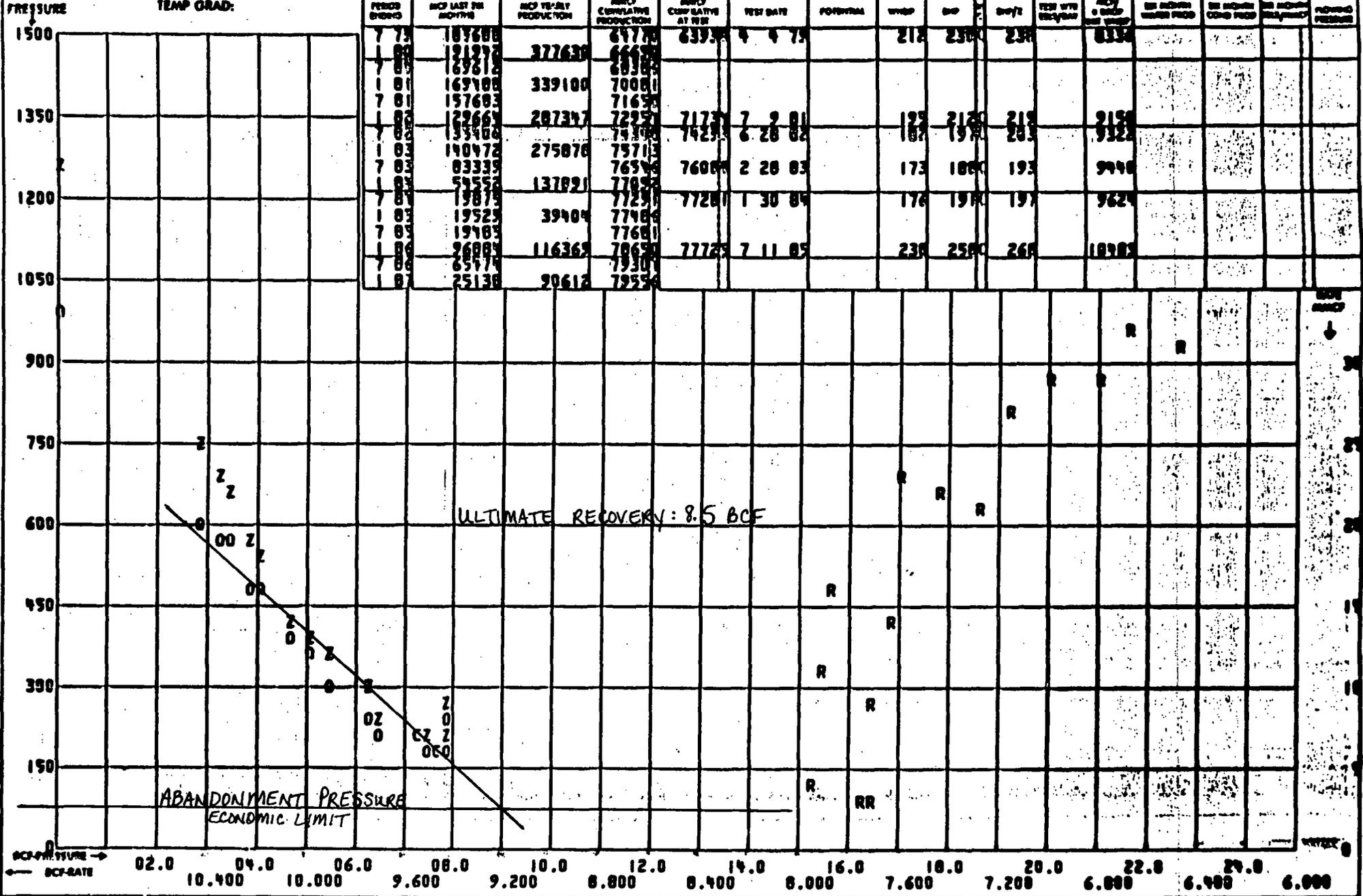
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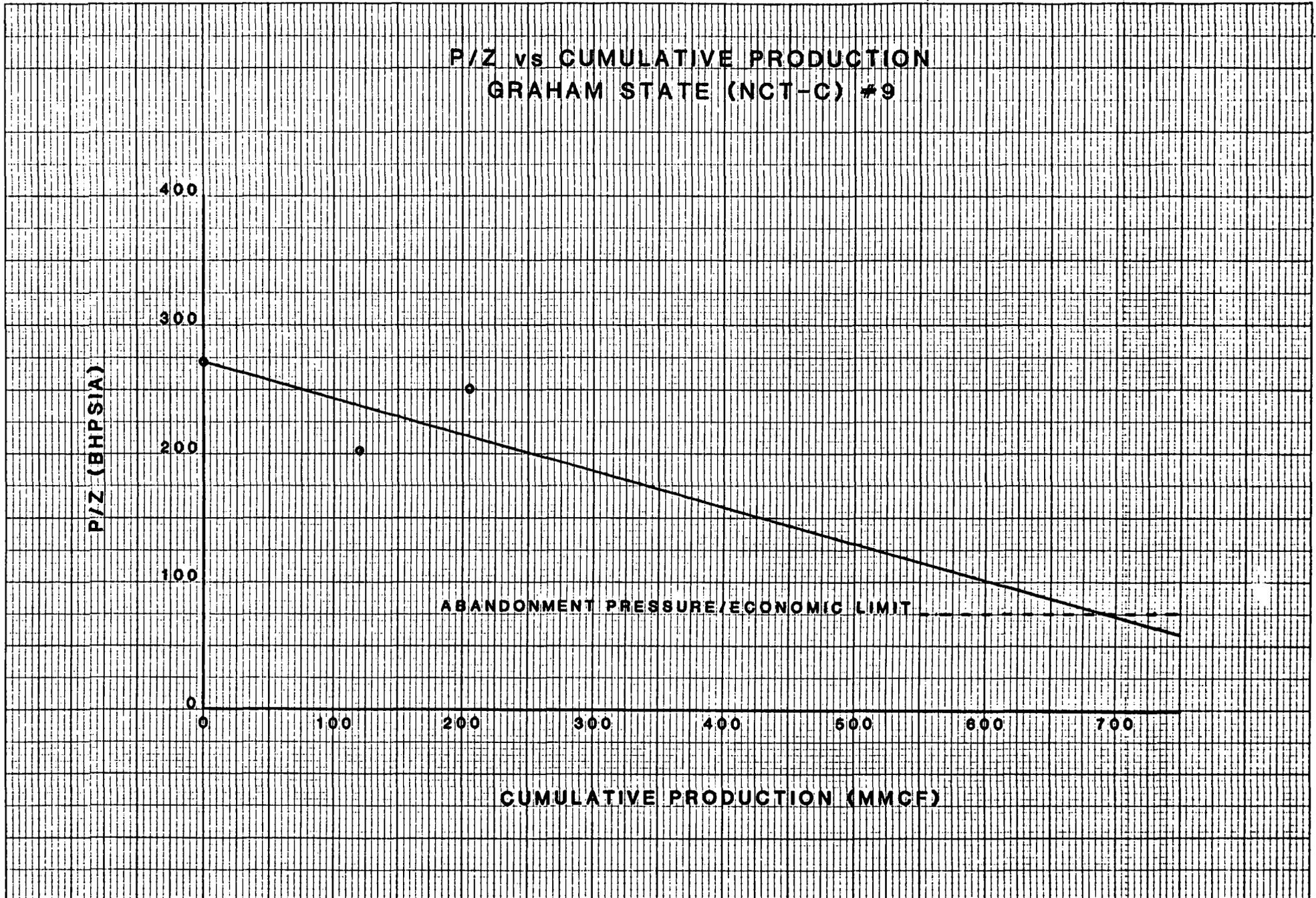
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Based on the above information, it is our conclusion that the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9 is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the proration unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8.

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IDENTIFYING NO.:	LOCATION	OPERATOR	WELL NAME	WELL #
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DIST. NO.	COUNTY OR PARISH	DATE COMP	DATE 1ST PROD	GAS QUANTITY
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Calculations To Support E & E Finding

Equations Used:

$$Bg = \frac{35.35 (P)}{(Z) (T)} \quad \text{SCF/cu. ft} \quad G = (A) (h) (\emptyset) (1-Sw) (Bg) \quad A=TTr^2$$

Reservoir Data:

Average Porosity (\emptyset) = 0.16
Average Net Height (h) = 90 ft.
Average Water Saturation (Sw) = 0.40
Bottomhole Temperature (T) = 93°F = 553°R
Abandonment Pressure = 75 psia

Drainage Radius Calculations:

Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8

Perfs: 3460-3596' Midperf = 3528'

$$Bg = \frac{(35.35) (573.8)}{(0.93) (553)} = 39.44 \text{ SCF/cu. ft.}$$

$$\text{Ultimate Drainage Area} = \frac{8,500,000,000}{(43560) (90) (0.16) (1-0.40) (39.44)} = 572.6 \text{ acres}$$

Ultimate Drainage Radius = 2818'

Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9

Perfs: 3517-3710' Midperf: 3614'

$$Bg = \frac{(35.35) (166.3)}{(0.961) (553)} = 11.06 \text{ SCF/cu. ft.}$$

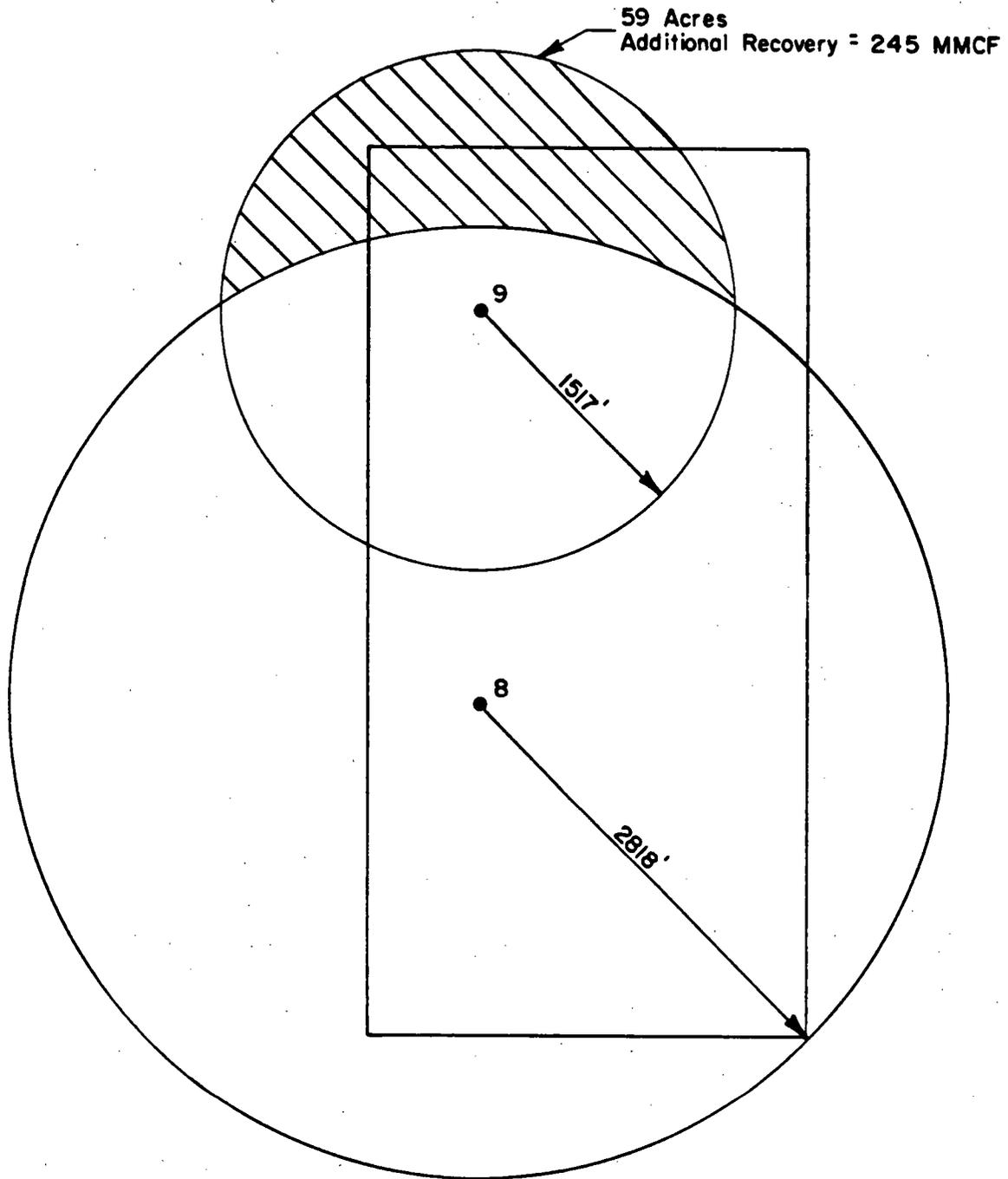
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Ultimate Drainage Radius = 1517'

Additional Recovery = 59 acres* = 245 MMCF

*Planimeter Measurement = 59.12 acres

**Eumont Gas Pool
Graham State (NCT-C) Lease
Ultimate Drainage Map
1" = 1000'**





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July 24, 1987

Supplemental Information For
Determination of Well Category
NGPA Section 103
Well Name: Graham State (NCT-C) No. 9
API No.: 30-025-27082
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Docket No.: Not Available
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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Effective 14-63

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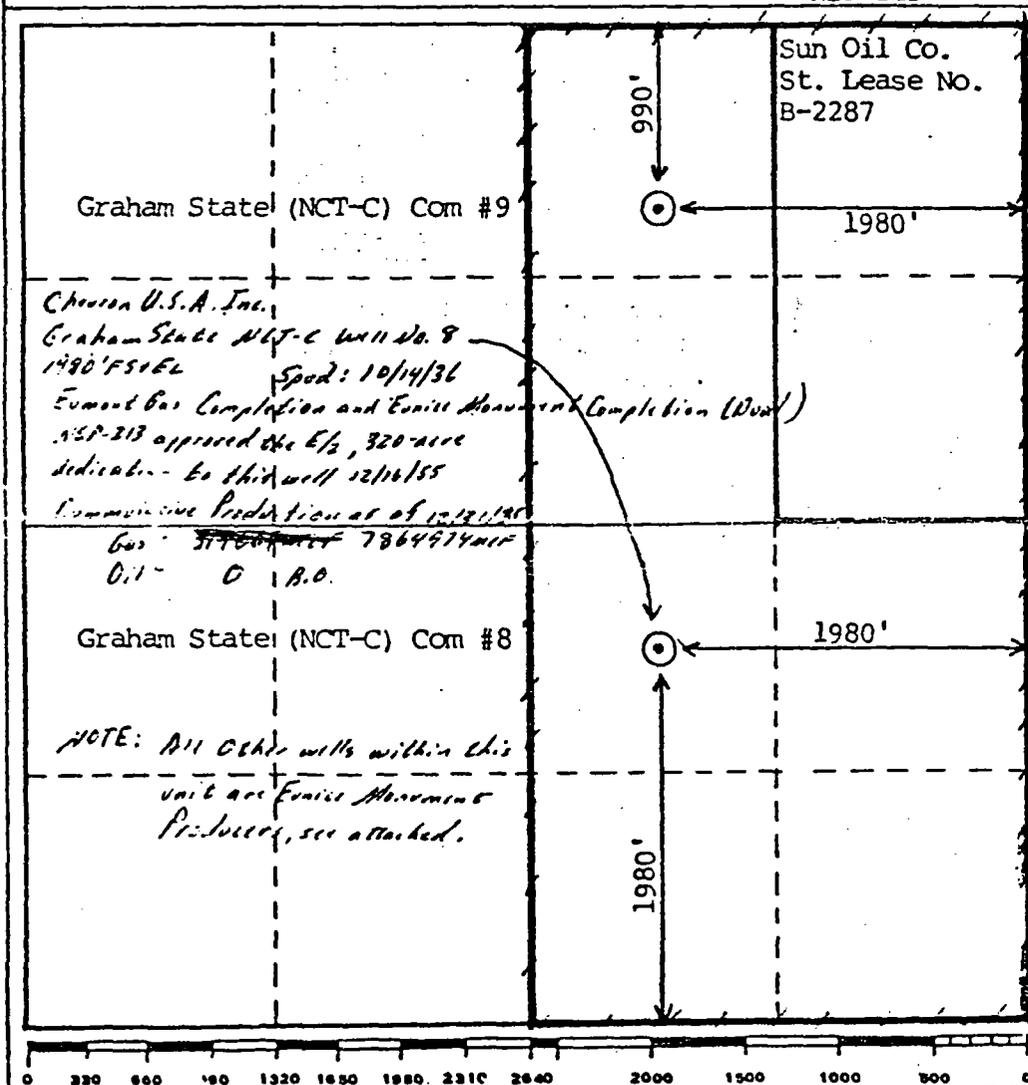
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NSP-213



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FLOT SYMBOLS:

WHP = O
WTF/Z = Z
COMMON = C

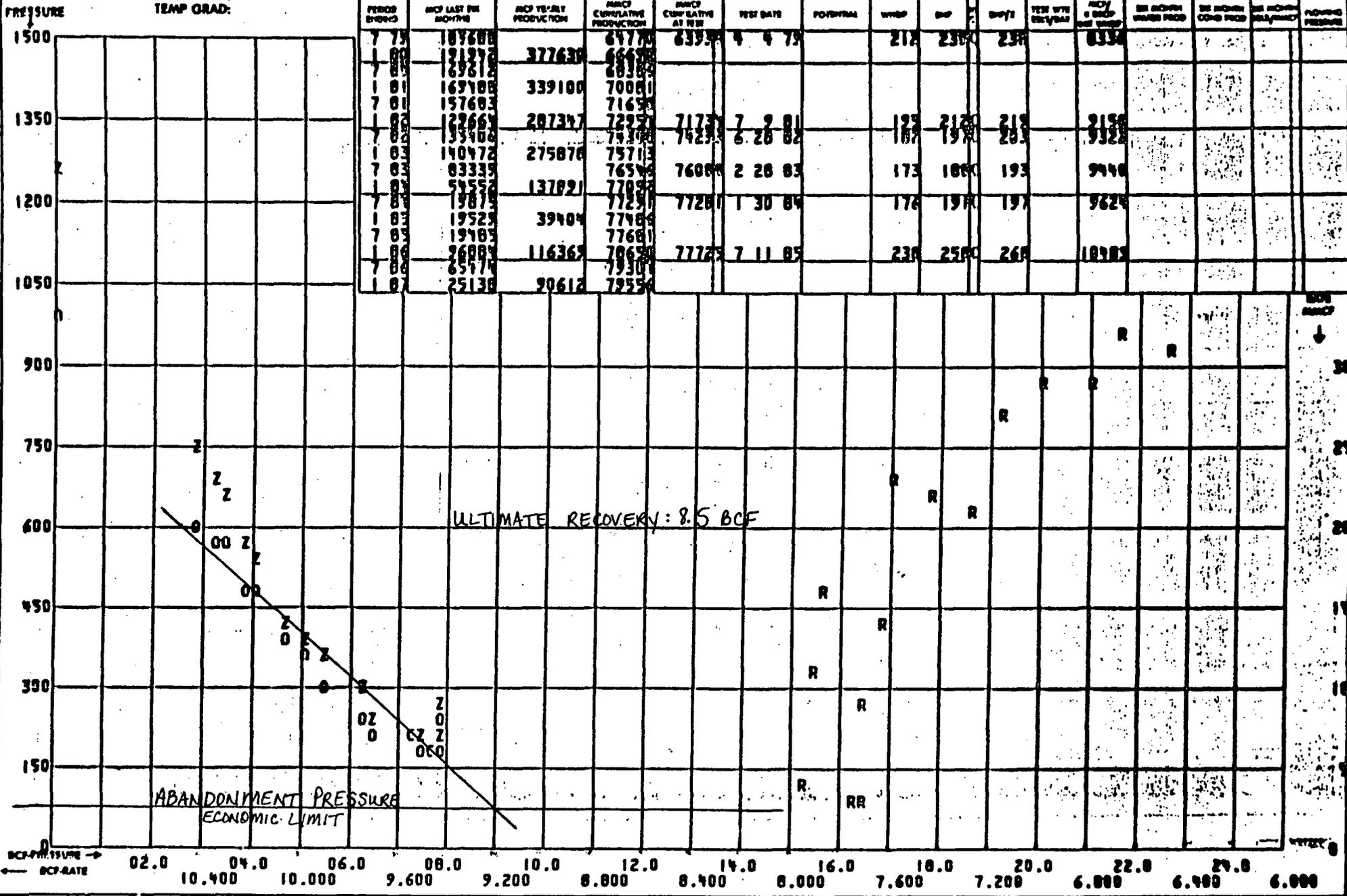
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IDENTIFYING NO. 21953R25J00H 25.195 36XNEURON USO INC
LOCATION 25.195 36XNEURON USO INC
OPERATOR
WELL NAME GRAND STATE RCT C CON
WELL # 8

STATE TEXAS FIELD NO. 0027310 FIELD NAME ELMONT VATES 7 RURS ON (PRO 605) ON RESERVOIR RCT MONA
DATE 11/05/89

DIST. NO. 2 LEA COUNTY OR PARISH DATE COMP DATE 1ST PROD GAS GRAVITY 0.718 NET TEST DATE 4 4 79 INITIAL POTENTIAL 12200 DST WHP 212 LATEST W FACT 238 DST DWTZ 238 TOTAL DEPTH 3568 PERFORATIONS 3568-3598 LIQUID GRAVITY

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(RATE/CUM SCALE ON RIGHT SIDE)
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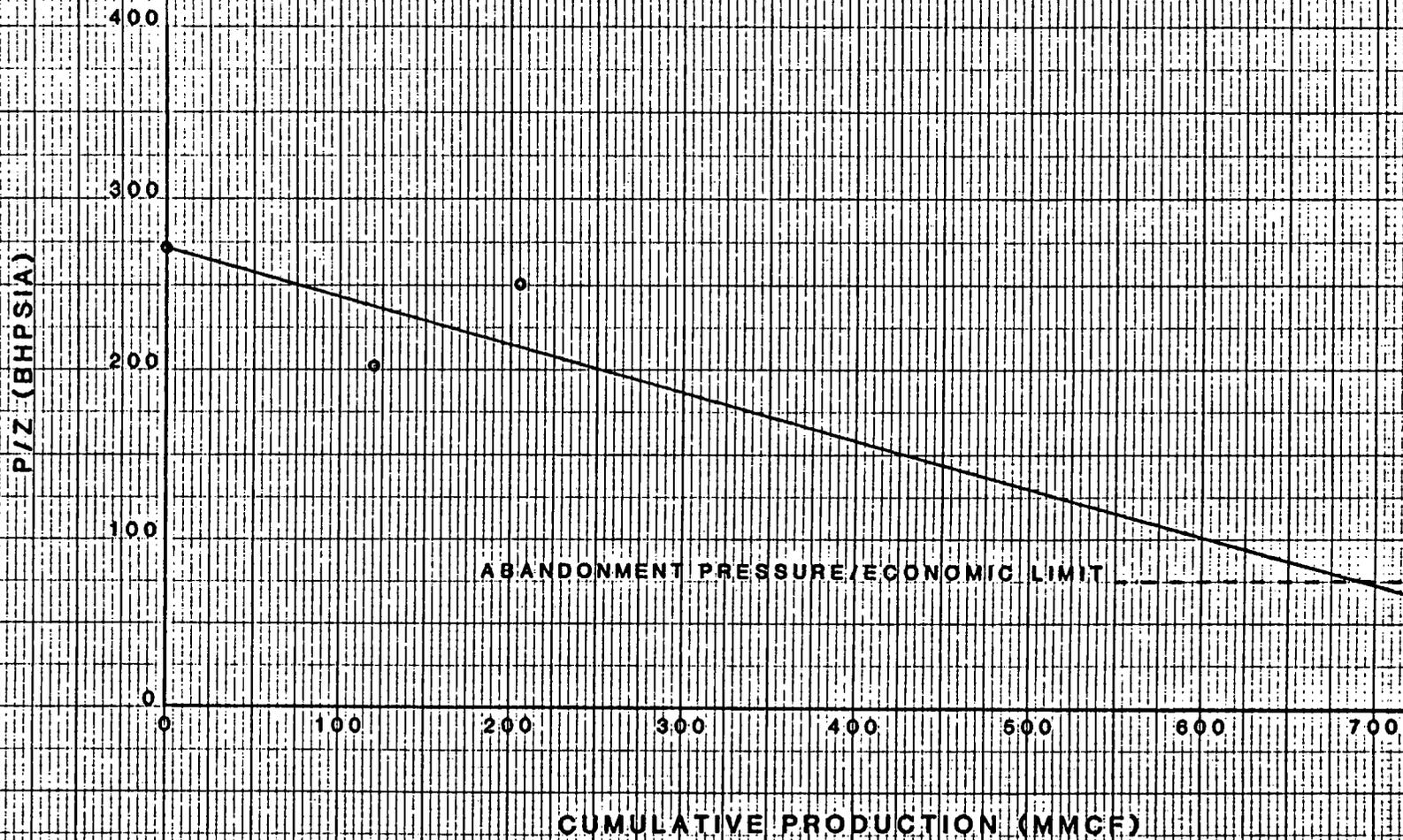


ULTIMATE RECOVERY: 8.5 BCF

ABANDONMENT PRESSURE
ECONOMIC LIMIT

1633 IRMAN RICHARDSON, TEXAS 75081
N 2

P/Z vs CUMULATIVE PRODUCTION
GRAHAM STATE (NCT-C) #9



Calculations To Support E & E Finding

Equations Used:

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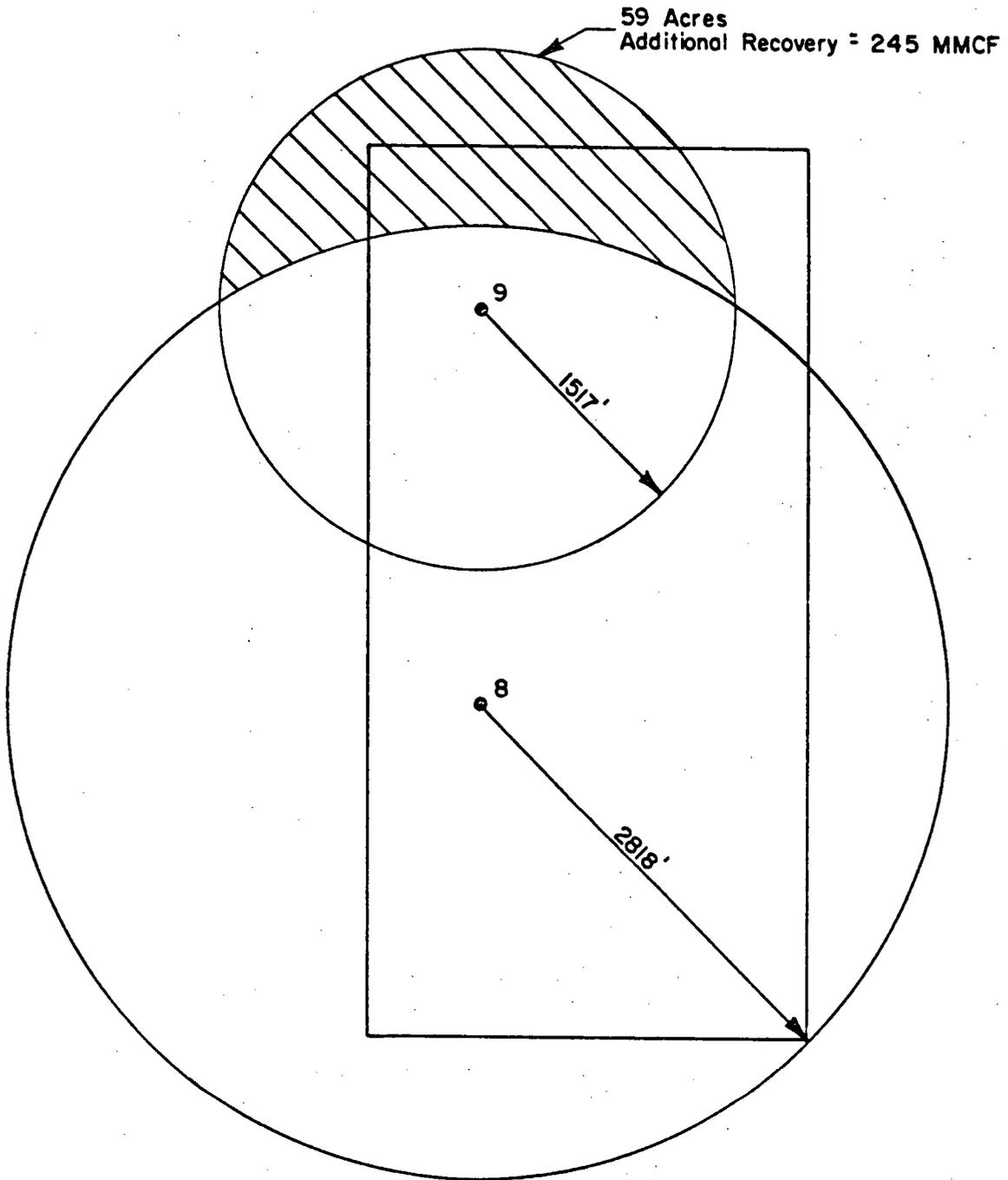
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State of New Mexico
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Gentlemen:

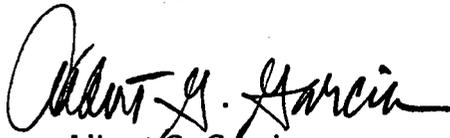
Please refer to your letter dated January 5, 1987.

Attached is supportive evidence for an Effective and Efficient (E&E) finding on Graham State (NCT-C) Com. No. 9 pursuant to Section 271.305 of the final rules and regulations of Federal Energy Commission. This information proves that the subject well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the reservoir covered by the proration unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by the Graham State (NCT-C) No. 8.

We trust this information will suffice. However, if additional information is required, please let us know.

Please date stamp the enclosed copy of this letter and return it in the enclosed envelope.

Sincerely,


Albert G. Garcia
Regulatory Assistant

AGG:rr
Attachment

cc: Mr. J. D. Naylor, Houston



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Attn: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
Albert Garcia

RE: Well head price ceiling
 determination, NGPA of
 1978

Gentlemen:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division has received your application for a wellhead price ceiling category determination under the sections(s) of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 indicated below if your application is incomplete, forms are attached hereto, indicating the documents and further information which must be filed before your application can be considered. If your application is complete, it will be acted upon administratively unless written objection is received within 15 days of its filing.

WELL NAME AND LOCATION GRAHAM STATE (NCT-C) 25-19S-36E #9-B
 SECTION(S) APPLIED FOR 103
 DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED January 27, 1986

APPLICATION INCOMPLETE *Per our telephone conversation today, please file for an Inbill Exception pursuant to R-6013-A, attached.*

Sincerely,

DATE: *January 5, 1987* *Michael R. Rogers*
 NOTE:

THIS FORM LETTER MUST ACCOMPANY TWO COPIES OF THE SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Effective 1-1-65

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

Gulf Oil Corporation			Lease		Well No.	
Graham State (NCT-C) Com			Graham State (NCT-C) Com		9	
Block	Section	Township	Range	County		
B	25	19 South	36 East	Lea		
Actual Footage Location of Well:						
990 feet from the North		line and		1980 feet from the East		line
Ground Level Elev.	Producing Formation		Pool		Dedicated Acreage:	
3663.4	Yates-Penrose		Eumont Gas		320 Acres	

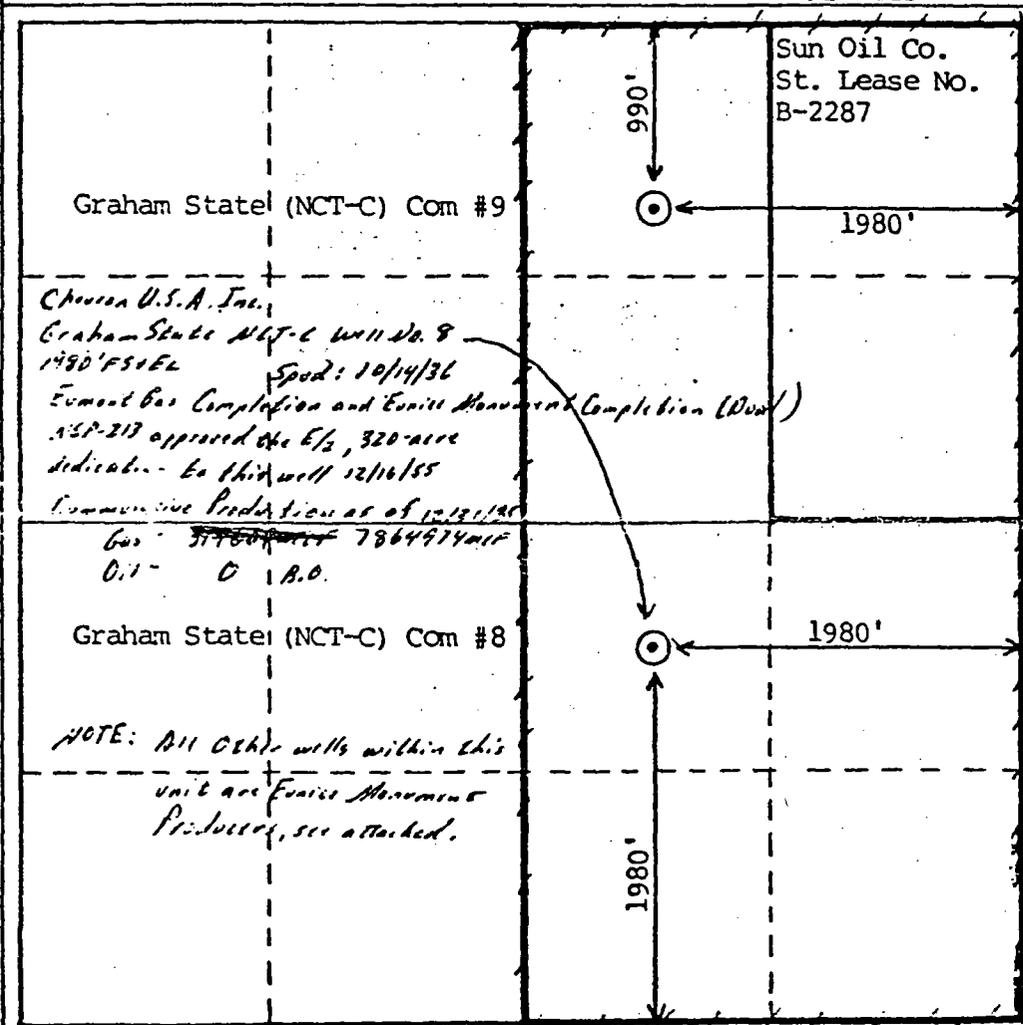
1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is 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 Communitized

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.

NSP-213



CERTIFICATION

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

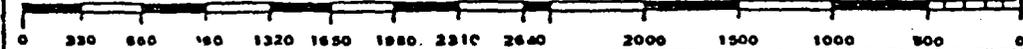
R. D. Pitre

Name	R. D. Pitre
Position	Area Engineer
Company	Gulf Oil Corporation
Date	January 20, 1982

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. _____



Engineering Data To Support Effective And Efficient Finding
Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9
Eumont Gas Pool
Lea County, New Mexico

The subject well was drilled as an infill well to the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8 on a 320 acre non-standard proration unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 25, T19S, R36E, Lea County, New Mexico. The purpose of this report is to support the contention that the subject well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain that portion of the reservoir contained within the proration unit.

The Chevron Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8, located 1980' FSL & 1980' FEL of Section 25, T19S, R36E, Lea County, New Mexico, was spudded on October 5, 1936, and drilled to a total depth of 3975'. The Eumont Gas Zone was dually completed with the original Eunice Monument oil zone completion on November 3, 1955. The current cumulative production from the Eumont Gas Zone is 8.0 BCF (2/87); current production is 914 MCFD (2/87).

Assuming an abandonment pressure of 75 psi bottom hole pressure (BHP), the P/Z vs. cumulative production plot for the #8 (attached) yields an ultimate recovery of 8.5 BCF. Approximately 500 MMCF of recoverable reserves currently remain.

The Chevron Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9 was spudded November 9, 1981 in the same 320 acre non-standard Eumont Gas proration unit. The subject well was completed December 15, 1981 and flowed 1083 MCFD on test. The current cumulative production from the Eumont Gas zone is 415 MMCF (2/87); current production is 501 MCFD (2/87).

The P/Z vs. cumulative production plot for the #9 well (attached) yields an ultimate recovery of 690 MMCF (using an abandonment pressure of 75 psi). Approximately 275 MMCF of recoverable reserves currently remain for the subject well.

Using reservoir data of 16% average porosity, 40% average water saturation, 90 net feet of thickness, and 93° F bottom-hole temperature, volumetric calculations were made for each of the wells on the proration unit. As illustrated on the attached ultimate drainage map, the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9 will deplete 59 acres which will not be drained by the #8. This represents an additional recovery of 245 MMCF of gas from the Eumont Gas zone.

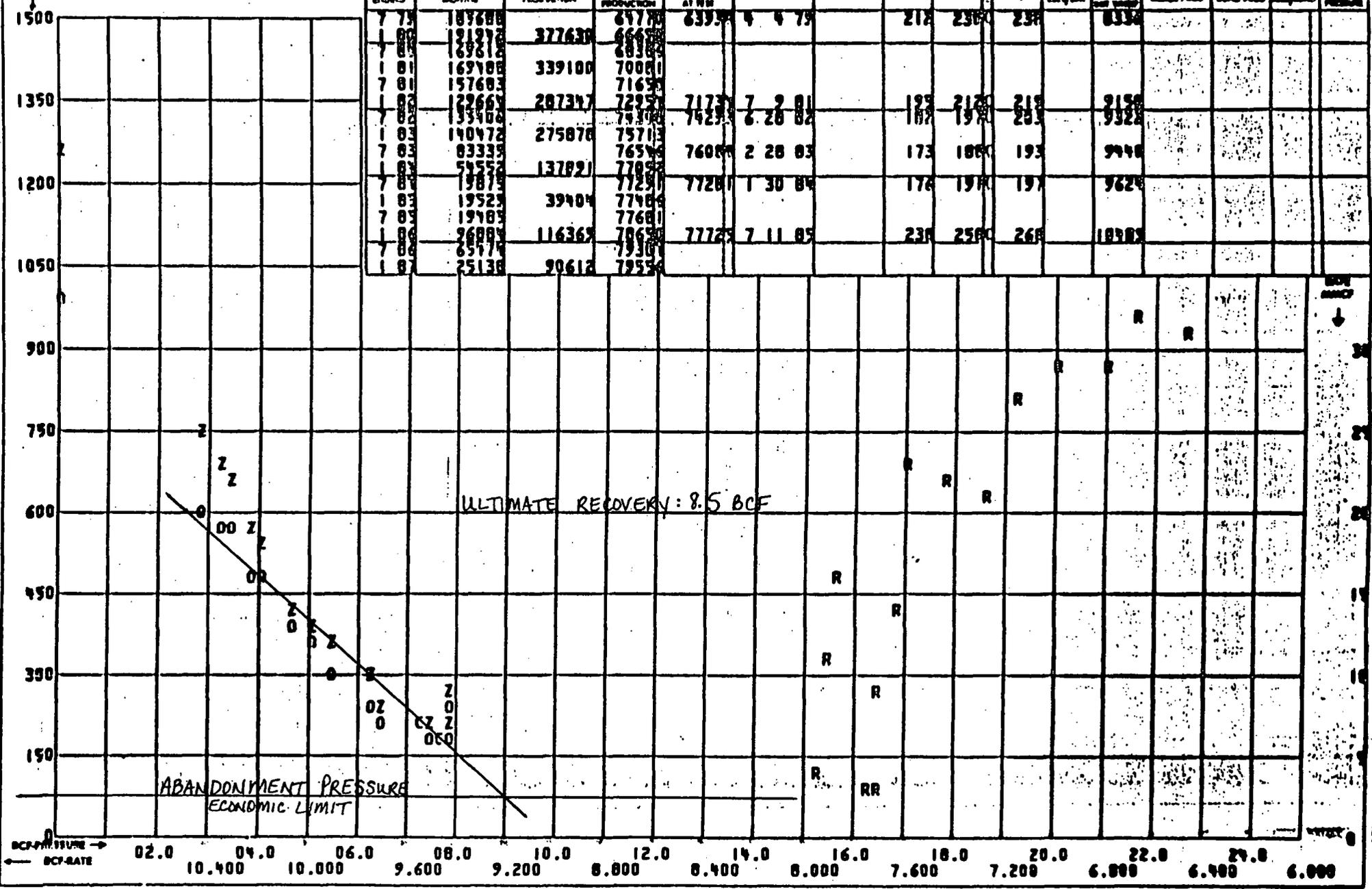
Based on the above information, it is our conclusion that the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9 is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the proration unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by the Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8.

IDENTIFIER NO.:	LOCATION:	OPERATOR:	WELL #:
21953625J0001	25. 195 366 NEURON USG INC	GRAND STATE OIL & CO.	8
STATE:	FIELD NO.:	FIELD NAME:	RESERVOIR:
NEHMEXICO	002731	NEUMONT / YATES 7 RURS ON (PRO 605) ON	ACT MONA1
DIST. NO.:	COUNTY OR PARISH:	DATE 1ST PROD:	DATE 1ST TEST:
2	LEA	11 05 89	06 19 89
INITIAL POTENTIAL:	TEST DATE:	TEST WHP:	TEST WHP/Z:
12200	07 17 89	218	238
TOTAL DEPTH:	PERFORATIONS:	HOLES DEPTH:	HOLES GRAVITY:
3960	3960 - 3990		

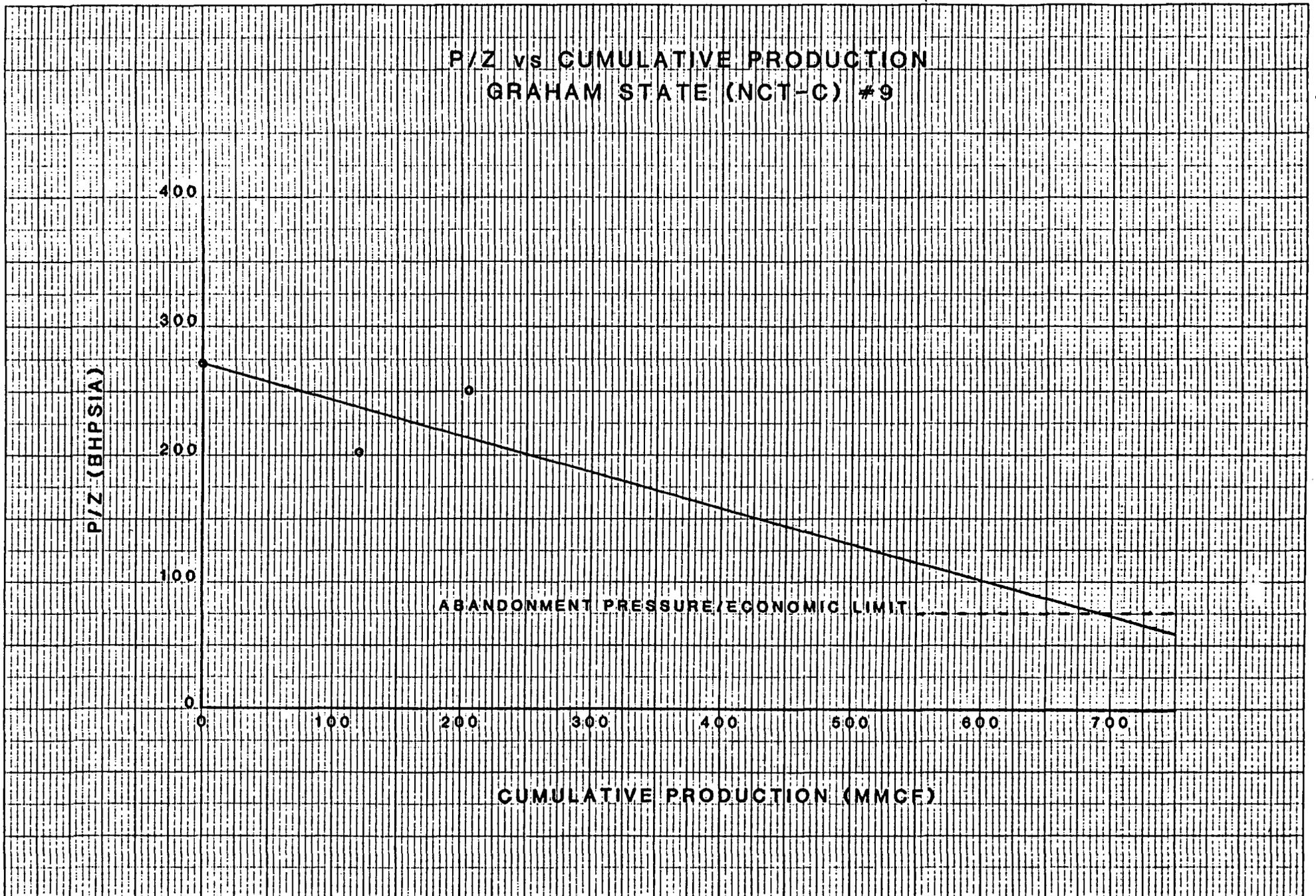
6 MOS TOTAL MMCF/6 = R
 (RATE/CUM SCALE ON RIGHT SIDE)

TEMP GRAD: .097

PERIOD	NO LAST PR MONTH	NO TEST PRODUCTION	MMCF CUMULATIVE PRODUCTION	MMCF CUMULATIVE AT WHP	TEST DATE	POTENTIAL	WHP	WHP/Z	TEST WHP/Z	MMCF @ WHP	MMCF @ WHP/Z	MMCF @ WHP/Z	MMCF @ WHP/Z
7 79	189688		64770	63994	4 4 79		218	238	238	8334			
1 80	181278	377630	66650										
7 80	169618		68380										
1 81	169488	339100	70080										
7 81	157683		71690										
1 82	122664	287347	72970	71734	7 2 81		199	218	218	9158			
7 82	133404		74380	74234	6 28 82		187	198	218	9328			
1 83	140472	275878	75710										
7 83	83339		76540	76084	2 28 83		173	186	193	9448			
1 84	54552	137821	77820										
7 84	19874		77290	77281	1 30 84		174	198	197	9624			
1 85	19523	39404	77480										
7 85	19783		77680										
1 86	26884	116369	78620	77725	7 11 85		238	258	268	10482			
7 86	65174		79300										
1 87	25138	90612	79550										



P/Z vs CUMULATIVE PRODUCTION
GRAHAM STATE (NCT-C) #9



ABANDONMENT PRESSURE/ECONOMIC LIMIT

CUMULATIVE PRODUCTION (MMCF)

P/Z (BHPSIA)

Calculations To Support E & E Finding

Equations Used:

$$B_g = \frac{35.35 (P)}{(Z)(T)} \quad G = (A)(h)(\phi)(1-S_w)(B_g) \quad A = TTr^2$$

SCF/cu. ft

Reservoir Data:

Average Porosity (ϕ) = 0.16
Average Net Height (h) = 90 ft.
Average Water Saturation (S_w) = 0.40
Bottomhole Temperature (T) = 93°F = 553°R
Abandonment Pressure = 75 psia

Drainage Radius Calculations:

Graham State (NCT-C) Com #8

Perfs: 3460-3596' Midperf = 3528'

$$B_g = \frac{(35.35)(573.8)}{(0.93)(553)} = 39.44 \text{ SCF/cu. ft.}$$

$$\text{Ultimate Drainage Area} = \frac{8,500,000,000}{(43560)(90)(0.16)(1-0.40)(39.44)} = 572.6 \text{ acres}$$

Ultimate Drainage Radius = 2818'

Graham State (NCT-C) Com #9

Perfs: 3517-3710' Midperf: 3614'

$$B_g = \frac{(35.35)(166.3)}{(0.961)(553)} = 11.06 \text{ SCF/cu. ft.}$$

$$\text{Ultimate Drainage Area} = \frac{690,000,000}{(43560)(90)(0.16)(1-0.40)(11.06)} = 166 \text{ acres}$$

Ultimate Drainage Radius = 1517'

Additional Recovery = 59 acres* = 245 MMCF

*Planimeter Measurement = 59.12 acres

Eumont Gas Pool
Graham State (NCT-C) Lease
Ultimate Drainage Map
1" = 1000'

