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& NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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November 17, 1999

Mr. Clint Hutchinson  
Phillips Petroleum Co  
5525 Hwy 64 NBU 3004  
Farmington NM 87401

Re: San Juan 30-5 Unit #70, API# 30-039-22462, A-09-30N-05W, DHC

Dear Mr. Hutchinson:

Your recommended allocation of commingled production is hereby accepted as follows:

	Gas
Mesaverde	87%
Dakota	13%

Yours truly,

Ernie Busch  
District Geologist/Deputy O&G Inspector

EB/mk

cc: Mark Ashley-NMOCD Santa Fe  
Jim Lovato-BLM Farmington  
Well file



## United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Farmington Field Office  
1235 La Plata Highway, Suite A  
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

IN REPLY REFER TO:

NMSF078997  
3162.3-2 (07400)

NOV 25 1998

Phillips Petroleum Company  
Attn.: Mark Stodola  
5525 Hwy., 64 NBU 3004  
Farmington NM 874010

Re: Well No. 70 SJ 30-5 Unit  
NENE 9-30N-5W  
Rio Arriba Co., NM  
Lease No. SF-078997

Dear Mr. Stodola:

Reference is made to your application for down hole commingling of gas and associated liquid hydrocarbons from the Mesaverde and the Dakota Formations in the above referenced well. After reviewing your application and the forecasted production from the Dakota Formation, we concur with the interim use of the subtraction method for allocation of production between zones. Production allocation attributable to the Mesaverde Formation will be based on the difference in the established mid-year production forecast for the Dakota and the commingled gas stream of both intervals. The established decline rate for the Dakota formation is approximately 5.0% per year with the  $Q_i = 80$  Mcfd.

Commingled production from each zone must be reported in accordance with the allocation procedure described above. Once stabilized production is established, please file your application for fixed allocation factors for the Mesaverde and Dakota Formations. The effective date will be the date down hole commingling actually occurs.

If you have any questions regarding the above, contact Jim Lovato at (505) 599-6367.

Sincerely,

Duane Spencer

Team Leader, Petroleum Management Team

cc:

✓ NMOCD, Santa Fe  
NMOCD, Aztec



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Commissioner of Public Lands**

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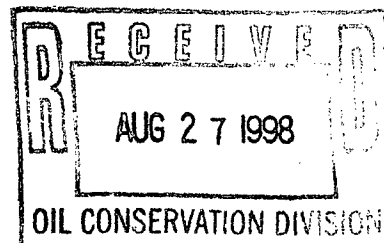
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(505)-827-5752

August 25, 1998

Phillips Petroleum Company  
5525 HWY 64  
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Attn: Mr. Mark W. Stodola

Re: Application for Downhole Commingling  
San Juan 30-5 Unit Well No. 70  
Unit Letter A, Section 9-30N-05W  
San Juan 30-5 Unit Well No. 73  
Unit Letter B, Section 10-30N-05W  
Blanco Mesaverde and Basin Dakota Pools  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico



Dear Mr. Stodola:

Your application to downhole commingle the Blanco Mesaverde and Basin Dakota production from within the wellbore of the above-captioned wells was received on August 18, 1998.

Since it appears that all the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division rules and regulations have been complied with, and there will be no loss of revenue to the State of New Mexico as a result of your proposed operation, your request for downhole commingling is hereby approved. Any deviation from the substance of your request will be sufficient grounds for rescinding our approval. Our approval is subject to like approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division and the Bureau of Land Management.


Please submit your \$30.00 dollar filing fee.

Also, please submit a copy of the Oil Conservation Division order approving this application.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M.  
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

BY:   
JAMI BAILEY  
Oil, Gas and Minerals Division  
(505) 827-5744

RP/JB/cpm  
Enclosure  
pc: Reader File

OCD--Attention: David Catanach, Ben Stone

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**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

**Fee Lease - 3 Copies**

☐ AMENDED REPORT

16	<div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 10px;">G-790 790'</div>
	<div style="border-top: 1px solid black; padding-top: 5px;"><b>17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</b> <i>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</i> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"><div>Patsy Clugston</div><div>Signature</div><div>Patsy Clugston</div><div>Printed Name</div><div>Regulatory Assistant</div><div>Title</div><div>8-14-98</div><div>Date</div></div></div>
	<div style="border-top: 1px solid black; padding-top: 5px;"><b>18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</b> <i>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 belief.</i> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"><div>Date of Survey</div><div>Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyer:</div><div>See original dated 4/23/80 signed by Fred B. Kerr, Jr. for 30-5 #70 Dakota</div></div><div style="border-top: 1px solid black; padding-top: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">Certificate Number</div></div>

## DISTRICT I

P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88241-1980

## DISTRICT II

811 South First St., Artesia, NM 88210-2445

## DISTRICT III

1000 Rio Brazos Rd, Aztec, NM 87410-1693

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

2040 S. Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6429Form C-107-A  
New 3-12-96

APPROVAL PROCESS:

☒ Administrative ☐ Hearing

EXISTING WELLBORE

☒ YES ☐ NO

## APPLICATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING

Phillips Petroleum Company 5525 Hwy. 64, Farmington, NM 87401

Operator Address  
San Juan 30-5 Unit #70 A, Sec. 9, T30N, R5W, Rio Arriba

Lease Well No. Unit Ltr. - Sec - Twp - Rge County

OGRID NO. 017654 Property Code 009258 API NO. 30-039-22462 Spacing Unit Lease Types: (check 1 or more)  
Federal ☒ State ☐ (and/or) Fee ☐

The following facts are submitted in support of downhole commingling:	Upper Zone	Intermediate Zone	Lower Zone
1. Pool Name and Pool Code	72319 Blanco Mesaverde		71599 Basin Dakota
2. Top and Bottom of Pay Section (Perforations)	4100' - 5850'		7764' - 7790'
3. Type of production (Oil or Gas)	Gas		Gas
4. Method of Production (Flowing or Artificial Lift)	flowing		flowing
5. Bottomhole Pressure Oil Zones - Artificial Lift: Estimated Current Gas & Oil - Flowing: Measured Current All Gas Zones: Estimated Or Measured Original	a. (Current) 1030 psi (est.) b. (Original) 1294 pis (est.)	a.  b.	a. 24 hr. SI 889 psig b. 3412 (est.)
6. Oil Gravity ( $^{\circ}$ API) or Gas BTU Content	1050 btu/ft <sup>3</sup> (est)		985 btu/ft <sup>3</sup>
7. Producing or Shut-In?			Producing
Production Marginal? (yes or no)	Yes		Yes
* If Shut-In, give date and oil/gas/water rates of last production  Note: For new zones with no production history, applicant shall be required to attach production estimates and supporting data	Date: Rates:	Date: Rates:	Date: Rates:
* If Producing, give date and oil/gas/water rates of recent test (within 60 days)	Date: Estimate Rates: 400 mcf/d 0 bopd	Date: Rates:	Date: 7/29/98 Rates: 101 mcf/d 0 bopd
8. Fixed Percentage Allocation Formula - % for each zone	Oil: % Gas: %	Oil: % Gas: %	Oil: % Gas: %

9. If allocation formula is based upon something other than current or past production, or is based upon some other method, submit attachments with supporting data and/or explaining method and providing rate projections or other required data.

10. Are all working, overriding, and royalty interests identical in all commingled zones? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If not, have all working, overriding, and royalty interests been notified by certified mail? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
Have all offset operators been given written notice of the proposed downhole commingling? ☒ Yes ☐ No

11. Will cross-flow occur? ☒ Yes ☐ No If yes, are fluids compatible, will the formations not be damaged, will any cross-flowed production be recovered, and will the allocation formula be reliable. ☒ Yes ☐ No (If No, attach explanation)

12. Are all produced fluids from all commingled zones compatible with each other? ☒ Yes ☐ No (see attachments)

13. Will the value of production be decreased by commingling? ☐ Yes ☒ No (If Yes, attach explanation)

14. If this well is on, or communitized with, state or federal lands, either the Commissioner of Public Lands or the United States Bureau of Land Management has been notified in writing of this application. ☒ Yes ☐ No

15. NMOCD Reference Cases for Rule 303(D) Exceptions: ORDER NO(S). R-10771

## 16. ATTACHMENTS:

- \* C-102 for each zone to be commingled showing its spacing unit and acreage dedication.
- \* Production curve for each zone for at least one year. (If not available, attach explanation.)
- \* For zones with no production history, estimated production rates and supporting data.
- \* Data to support allocation method or formula.
- \* Notification list of all offset operators.
- \* Notification list of working, overriding, and royalty interests for uncommon interest cases.
- \* Any additional statements, data, or documents required to support commingling.

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

SIGNATURE Mark Stodola TITLE Reservoir Engr. DATE 8-14-98

TYPE OR PRINT NAME Mark Stodola TELEPHONE NO. ( 505 ) 599-3455

# IL CONSERVATION DIVISIO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

P. O. BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

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Form C-102  
Revised 10-1-78

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

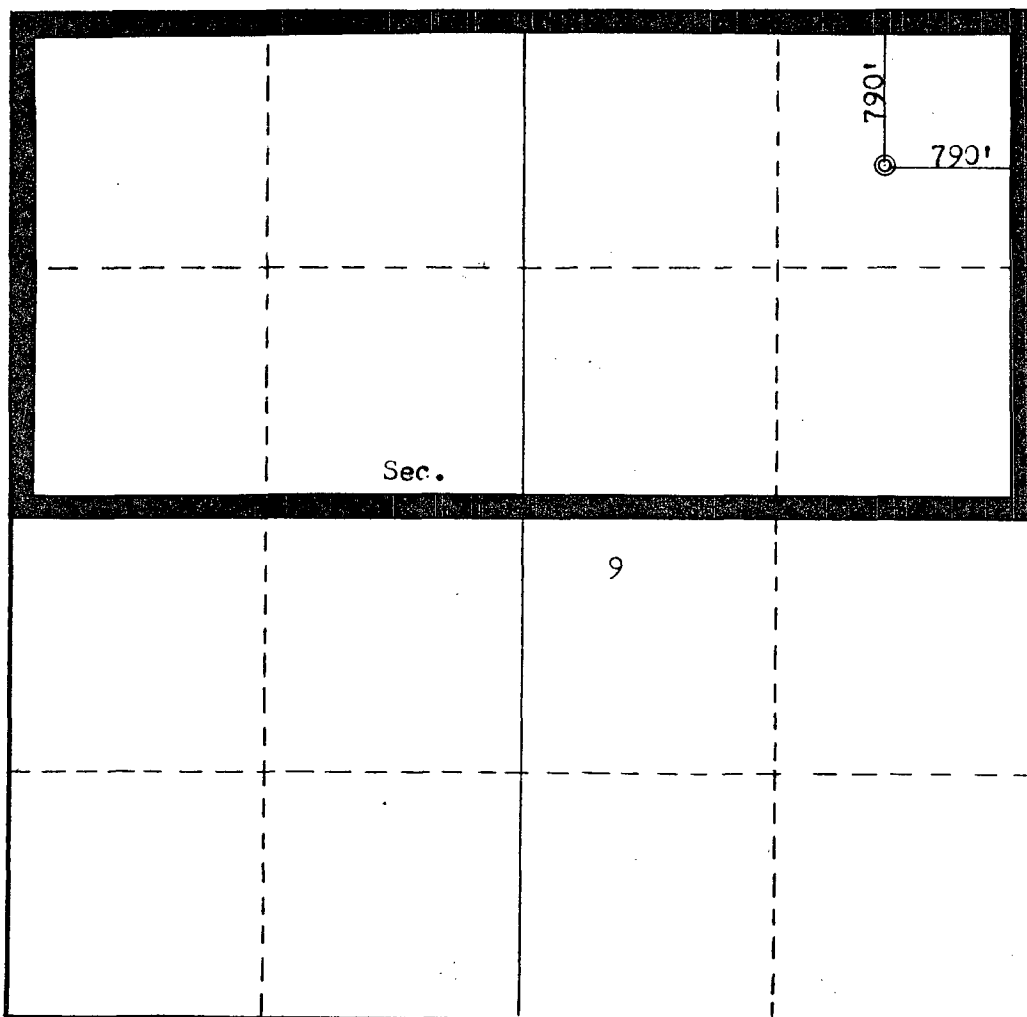
Operator <b>NORTHWEST PIPELINE CORPORATION</b>			Lease <b>SAN JUAN 30-5 UNIT</b>		Well No. <b>70</b>
Unit Letter <b>A</b>	Section <b>9</b>	Township <b>30N</b>	Range <b>5W</b>	County <b>Rio Arriba</b>	
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>790</b> feet from the <b>North</b> line and <b>790</b> feet from the <b>East</b> line					
Ground Level Elev. <b>6367</b>	Producing Formation <b>Dakota</b>		Pool <b>Basin Dakota</b>		Dedicated Acreage: <b>320</b> Acres

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

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

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

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



## CERTIFICATION

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

*Paul C. Thompson*

Name

Paul C. Thompson

Position

Drilling Engineer

Company

Northwest Pipeline Corp.

Date

April 29, 1980

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

April 23, 1980

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

*Fred B. Kerr Jr.*  
Fred B. Kerr Jr.

Certificate No.

3950

0 330 660 990 1320 1650 1980 2310 2640 2970 3300 3630 3960 4290 4620 4950 5280 5610 5940 6270 6600



# PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY

FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401  
5525 HWY. 64 NBU 3004

August 14, 1998

New Mexico Oil & Gas Conservation Div.  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6429

Downhole Commingling Allocation Method  
on the San Juan 30-5 Unit #70

Dear Sirs:

Phillips is proposing to utilize the subtraction method on the subject well for approximately six months after actual commingling occurs. After the six month period we will convert to the ratio method as indicated in our commingling application. We believe this will be a more accurate method of allocating production considering that the Dakota interval has been producing for several months and that the production will not be stabilized on the Mesaverde for several months.

## Dakota Production Forecast

September 1998	2,390	October 1998	2,459
November 1998	2,448	December 1998	2,438
January 1999	2,428	February 1999	2,417
March 1999	2,407	April 1999	2,397
May 1999	2,386	June 1999	2,376
July 1999	2,366	August 1999	2,356

For example, if the total volume for December 1998 were 6,520 mcf, then the Dakota would be allocated 2,438 mcf and the Mesaverde 4,082 mcf. And subsequently, the Dakota would be allocated  $(2,438/6,520)$  or 37.39%, and Mesaverde would be allocated  $(4,082/6,520)$  or 62.61%.

Sincerely,

PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY

Mark W. Stodola  
Reservoir Engineer

MS/pc

cc: OCD - Aztec  
BLM- Farmington  
NM Commissioner of Public Lands - Santa Fe

PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY  
5525 HWY 64 NBU 3004  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401

DATE: AUGUST 7, 1998

WELL NAME: SAN JUAN 30-5 # 70  
FORMATION: DAKOTA

TYPE TEST: STATIC GRADIENT

COUNTY: RIO ARriba  
STATE: NEW MEXICO

ELEVATION: GL.  
TOTAL DEPTH: PBTD 7785'  
PERFORATIONS: 7764' TO 7790'  
TUBING SIZE: 3 1/2 TO 7741'  
CASING SIZE: 4 1/2 TO 7850'  
PACKER:  
OTHER:

CASING PRESSURE: 789  
TUBING PRESSURE: 601  
OIL LEVEL:  
WATER LEVEL: 6903'  
TEMPERATURE:  
ANERADA ELEMENT # 87977  
RANGE: 0 TO 2500  
WELL STATUS: SHUT IN

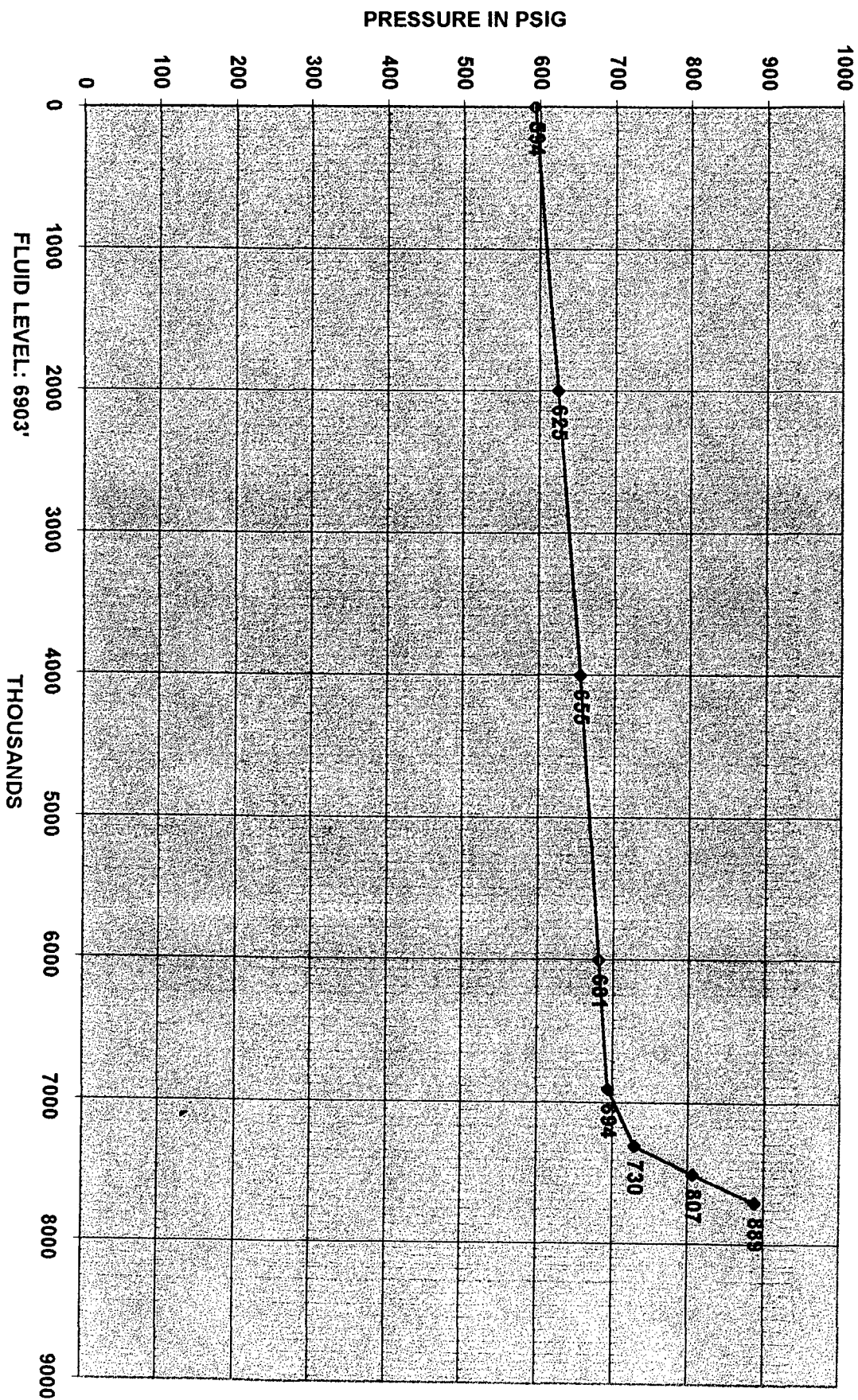
INDIVIDUAL WELL DATA SHEET

<u>DEPTH IN FEET</u>	<u>PRESSURE PSIG</u>	<u>GRADIENT PSI/FOOT</u>
0	594	0
2000	625	0.016
4000	655	0.015
6000	681	0.013
7300	730	0.038
7500	807	0.385
7700	889	0.41

H & H WIRELINE SERVICE INC.  
P. O. BOX 899  
FLORA VISTA, N. MEX. 87415  
OPERATOR: C. HUGHES  
UNIT NO. T-11



PHILLIPS PETROLEUM SAN JUAN 30-5 # 70  
DATE: AUGUST 7, 1998



MEP81-01

PARPI - WELLZONE PRODUCTION BROWSE

Date: 8/14/98

DAILY AVERAGE BY MONTH

User: MWSTODO

Wellzone L9891 01 Yr: 1997 Mth: 07 Property: 650262 SAN JUAN 30-5 DAKOTA UNIT  
Screen: 1 (1-Prod, 2-Inj, 3-Both) Well No: 000070  
Type: D (T-Total, D-Daily Avg) Field: 042233 BASIN  
Period: M (M-Mnthly, Y-Yrly, C-Cum) Resvr: 20076 DAKOTA

ADJ	FLG DATE	OIL (BBL)	GAS (MCF)	WATER (BBL)	PROD	OP	ST	CL	TY
	1997-07	0.00	71	0	31.00	31	11	03	2
	1997-08	0.00	64	0	31.00	31	11	03	2
	1997-09	0.00	80	0	26.00	26	11	03	2
*	1997-10	0.00	91	0	31.00	31	11	03	2
*	1997-11	0.00	88	0	30.00	30	11	03	2
	1997-12	0.00	107	0	31.00	31	11	03	2
*	1998-01	0.00	76	0	31.00	31	11	03	2
	1998-02	0.00	87	0	28.00	28	11	03	2
*	1998-03	0.00	91	0	24.00	24	11	03	2
	1998-04	0.00	81	0	23.00	23	11	03	2
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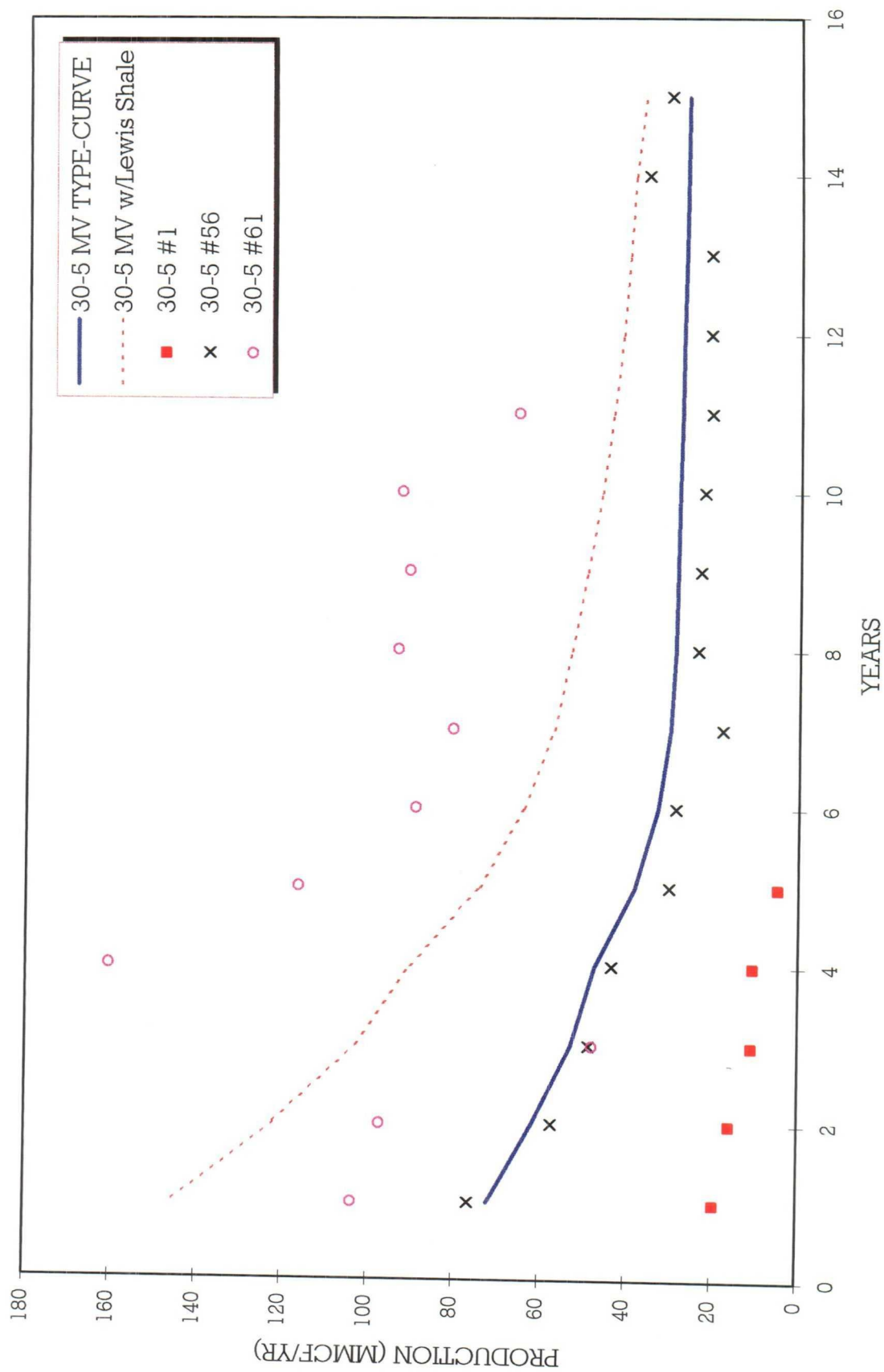
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Dakota Production Forecast for 30-5 Unit  
Well #70

Year	Month	Gas (MCF)
Sept. 98	1	2,390
Oct	2	2,459
Nov	3	2,448
Dec	4	2,438
1999	5	2,428
Feb	6	2,417
Mar	7	2,407
Apr	8	2,397
May	9	2,386
Jun	10	2,376
Jul	11	2,366
Aug	12	2,356
Sep	13	2,346
Oct	14	2,336
Nov	15	2,326
Dec	16	2,316
Jan	17	2,306
Feb	18	2,074

Initial Rate = 80 MCF/D

# 30-5 UNIT MESAVERDE



### Production Allocation Methodology

◆ Adding New Zone to Existing Zone - Initially Subtraction Method followed by Fixed Allocation Method

- Subtraction Method (+/- 1st 12 months)
  - Forecast production rate by month for existing zone utilizing established decline curve for zone
  - Subtract forecasted rate from commingled rate to define new zone rate
  - Utilize subtraction method for +/- 12 months until new zone rate stabilizes, then utilize fixed allocation method with current rates
- Fixed Allocation Method (after Subtraction Method)
  - Utilize forecasted rate from established decline curve for lower zone
  - Calculate upper zone rate by subtracting lower zone rate from commingled rate
  - Lower zone allocation =  $\frac{\text{Lower zone rate}}{\text{Commingled rate}}$
  - Upper zone allocation =  $\frac{(\text{Commingled rate} - \text{Lower zone rate})}{\text{Commingled rate}}$

**Attachment**

OCD Form C-107A (3/12/96)

Item No. 12 - additional explanation:

Based on water analysis from the Mesaverde and Dakota zones and discussions with the chemical treating/analysis company the water from these two zones are compatible. Lab analysis of the individual waters from both the Mesaverde and Dakota formations resulted in positive scaling indices for barium sulfate. There was a slight increase in the barium sulfate scaling index of the combined waters relative to the scaling index of the individual waters.

None of the waters, combined or individual, had meaningful scaling tendencies and combined with the fact that typical water production from either of these zones in San Juan 30-5 are 0-1 BWPD and no barium sulfate scale has been detected to date, no negative impacts to the formations are anticipated.