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Form C-101

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

Operator Name and Address Ocean Energy Inc. 1001 Fannin Suite 1600 Houston, TX 77002		OGRID Number 169355
		API Number 30-5-63518
Property Code 23443	Property Name WHITE STATE	Well No. 004

Surface Location

UL or Lot	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet From	N/S Line	Feet From	E/W Line	County
M	35	15S	27E		990	S	990	W	Chaves

Proposed Pools**DIAMOND MOUND; MORROW (GAS) 76079**

Work Type New Well	Well Type Gas	Cable/Rotary	Lease Type State	Ground Level Elevation 3550
Multiple N	Proposed Depth 9000	Formation Barnett Shale	Contractor	Spud Date 1/20/2002

Proposed Casing and Cement Program

Type	Hole Size	Casing Size	Casing Weight/ft	Setting Depth	Sacks of Cement	Estimated TOC
Surf	17.5	13.375	48	500	645	0
Intl	11	8.625	32	2000	578	0
Prod	7.875	4.5	11.6	9000	662	6000

Casing/Cement Program: Additional Comments

SURF CSG: 1ST SLURRY WT 14.60/YLD 1.52, 2ND SLURRY WT 12.50/YLD 2.05, 3RD SLURRY WT 14.8/YLD 1.34. INT CSG: 1ST SLURRY 378 SX POZ & CL C CMT, 12.50 PPG/1.97 CF/SX; 2ND SLURRY 200 SX CL C, 14.80 PPG/1.34 CF/SX PROD. CSG: 662 SX POZ & CL C, 13.20 PPG/1.61 CF/SX

Proposed Blowout Prevention Program

Type	Working Pressure	Test Pressure	Manufacturer
Annular	5000	5000	Not known at this time
Pipe	5000	5000	Not known at this time
Blind	5000	5000	Not known at this time

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

Electronically Signed By: Jeanie McMillan

Title: Sr. Regulatory Specialist

Date: 11/22/2002

Phone: 713-265-6834

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Electronically Approved By: Bryan Arrant

Title: Geologist

Approval Date:
11/22/2002

Expiration Date:
11/22/2003

Conditions of Approval:

There are conditions. See Attached.

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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number 30-5-63518	Pool Name DIAMOND MOUND;MORROW (GAS)	Pool Code 76079
Property Code 23443	Property Name WHITE STATE	Well No. 004
OGRID No. 169355	Operator Name Ocean Energy Inc.	Elevation 3550

Surface And Bottom Hole Location

UL or Lot M	Section 35	Township 15S	Range 27E	Lot Idn	Feet From 990	N/S Line S	Feet From 990	E/W Line W	County Chaves
Dedicated Acres 320	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No.						

OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

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

Electronically Signed By: Jeanie McMillan

Title: Sr. Regulatory Specialist

Date: 11/22/2002

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

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.

Electronically Signed By: Gary Jones

Date of Survey: 11/1/2002

Certificate Number: 2838A

APD Conditions Of Approval

Operator: 169355 Ocean Energy Inc.

Well: WHITE STATE 004

OCD Reviewer	Condition
BARRANT	Cement on production string to cover all oil, gas and water bearing zones.