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Attention: Larry Shannon

Gentlemen:

The following is a suggested drilling, mud and pipe program for your Superior Federal #3 Morrow Prospect to be drilled in the Russell Field, Sec. 4-20-29, Eddy County, New Mexico.

SURFACE STRING: (600' of 13-3/8" or 11-3/4")

1. Water to which Gel and Lime are added may be used to spud and drill surface.
2. You may lose circulation anywhere from 50' to 400'. If you can't get circulation back with a few sacks of Hulls, you should dry drill and run pipe.

INTERMEDIATE STRING: (3200' of 8-5/8")

1. Drill out with brine water to prevent erosion of salt section.
2. Small amounts of Ground Paper should be added daily to help control seepage.
3. Add Flo Sal for 31-32 sec/1000 cc viscosity if needed to clean hole.

PRODUCTION STRING: (11,800' of 5-1/2" or 4-1/2")

1. Drill out with fresh water. Lime for pH control.
2. Add Paper as needed to control loss through Bone Spring Section.
3. At 9000', start adding 10.0# brine to raise weight to 9.5/9.6#.
4. At 10,000', add XC Polymer to get 33-35 sec/1000 cc viscosity.
5. At approximately 11,000', lower water loss below 10 cc with Starch.
6. If necessary, for hole cleaning, or foam, add 5-6 lb. per bbl. prehydrated bentonite.