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Artesia, New Mexico 88210

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Re: Nash Unit # 1-H  
Sec. 13, T23S, R29E  
Eddy Co., New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is form C-105 for the Morrow zone of the subject well. It is noted that there is a good deal of time between the date of completion (ready to produce) and date of first production (or sales). A lengthy attempt was made to dual complete in the Strawn interval at 12,138'-150', but without success. The primary reason for failure was thought to be mechanical.

The Morrow interval will be produced for approximately 2 to 3 more weeks. At that time, an attempt will be made to obtain a bottom hole pressure from the Strawn by plugging off the Morrow and opening a sliding sleeve to expose the Strawn to the tubing. If Strawn pressures appear to be normal, consideration will be given to producing the Strawn up the tubing for testing purposes. If the bottom hole pressure is lower than expected, the Strawn will again be isolated by closing the sleeve.

Mr. Gressett had mentioned by telephone on June 6, 1975, that salt water had been observed perculating from the cellar of the subject well. Subsequent checking revealed that the bradenhead valve had been opened and/or left open. An attempt was made to pump into the bradenhead but was considered unsuccessful with  $\frac{1}{4}$  BPM @ 500 psi. We chose not to exceed this pressure for fear of possibly bursting and/or collapsing one of the surface strings of casing. I checked this location again on June 26, 1975, and everything was secure with no leakage.

If additional questions arise, please contact me.

Yours truly,

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Division Engineer

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