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## 9. Abnormal Conditions, Pressures, Temperatures, and Potential Hazards:

No abnormal pressures, temperatures, or other potential hazard are anticipated.

No hydrogen sulfide or other hazardous gases or fluids have been encountered, reported, or are known to exist at this depth in this area. No major lost circulation zones have been reported in offsetting wells.

The maximum anticipated bottom hole pressure is approximately 3680 psi. (8500' x .433 psi/ft = 3680 psi.) The maximum anticipated bottom hole temperature is 125 deg F.

## 10. Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations:

Road and location work will not begin until approval has been received from the BLM. The anticipated spud date is first quarter, 1998. Once commenced, the drilling operation should be complete in 15 days. If the well is productive, an additional 30 days will be required for completion, testing, and installation of permanent facilities.