DEVIATION REPORT

Name of Company MERIDIAN OIL INC	Address PO BOX 4289, FARMINGTON, NM				
Lease Name & Number UTE MTN UTE #41	Unit Letter 1730 ' FSL, 1930 ' FWL	G	Sec. 30	Twn 032N	Rge 014W
Pool and Formation Barker Dome Desert Creek		County SAN JUAN			

Depth (Ft.)	<u>Deviation (Degrees)</u>	— —
314	0.25	PECEIVED
821	0.75	OCT - 2 1996
1305	1.00	
1550	1.25	OIL COM. DIV.
1991	1.75	Dist. 3
2209	1.75	© 9119119 €)
2644	2.00	
2892	2.75	
3018	1.25	
3300	2.25	
3487	2.00	
3800	2.00	
4109	1.50	
4673	1.50	
5169	1.75	
5669	1.75	
6167	1.50	
6698	1.25	
7167	0.75	
7666	0.75	
8167	1.50	
8702	1.25	
8891	1.00	

I, the undersigned, certify that I, acting in my capacity as Petroleum Engineer for MERIDIAN OIL INC., am authorized by said Company to make this report; and that this report was prepared under my supervision and directions, and that the facts stated herein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th/day of August, 1996

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Notary Public in and for San Juan County, New Mexico

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