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Figure 3. Contoured isotherms (°F) at a depth of 100 feet (30 m).

Burgett on RC lease: surf to 1000' on 200 Acre's operating agreement

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Damon E. Seawright AmeriCulture, Inc. HC 65 Box 260C Animas, NM 88020 Phone: (505)548-2328 Fax: (505)548-2631

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August 2, 1996

Roy Johnson New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 2040 S. Pacheco Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Roy:

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Enclosed herewith are five copies each of Forms G-101 and G-102 for the new geothermal well location on State Lease No. GTR-304-1. The well location was moved 50 feet NNW of the previous well site in accordance with the verbal approval you gave AmeriCulture, Inc. on June 20, 1996. The other necessary forms will follow shortly.

Sincerely, Damon E. Seawright

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cc: Gary L. Seawright Garrett P. Seawright



Figure 3. Contoured isotherms (°F) at a depth of 100 feet (30 m).

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James C. Witcher Witcher and Associates Geothermal Resources Evaluation and Exploration P. O. Box 3142 Las Cruces, NM 88003 505/522-6148 or 505/646-3949 505/649-4893 (cell)

22 May 2001

Mr. Roy E. Johnson Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Roy,

I beg your forgiveness on the lack of prior notice for a pump test on a geothermal well at Lightning Dock and tardiness in submission of a Sundry Notice. Enclosed is a Sundry Notice and Report on Geothermal Resources Wells (Form G-103). The Americulture 1 State well (A-568) was pumped for 48 hours from 7 October 2000 until 9 October 2000 at a steady rate of 1,000 gpm. Discharge was to the surface in drainage to the west across Americulture surface property. Discharge did not flow beyond the Americulture lands. A chemical analysis of the discharge is attached to the Sundry Notice. The chemical quality of the discharge is typical of local ground water. No arsenic was present in the discharge. However, fluoride was 10.1 mg/L and typical of a Lightning Dock geothermal water.

During the test water levels were monitored in a Burgett well 825 north of the producing Americulture well. A "best estimate" of the transmissivity is 62,392 gpd/ft and storativity is $1.17 \ 10^{-4}$. Temperature of discharge remained steady at about $111 \ ^{\circ}C$.

Sincerely,

James C. Witcher Project Geologist

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SEE ATTACHED REPORT

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18. I hereby certify that the information above is true and comp	plete to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
SIGNED JAMES (. WITCHER	TITLE GEOLOGIST	DATE 5/22/2001
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	TITLE	DATE

SWAT Laboratory New Mexico State University Agronomy & Horticulture Department Box 30003, Department 3Q Las Cruces, NM 88003-8003 January 29, 2001 James C. Witcher SWTDI/NMSU Las Cruces, NM 88003 646-3949 Dear James Witcher: Below are the results of analysis of 1 sample received for examination on October 30, 2000: Sample I.D. AB18968 Client Code: WITCHER Sample Description: Seawright Geothermal Well Sample collector: JAMES WITCHER Sample collection date: 10/30/00 Time: 10:00 Lab submittal date: 10/30/00 Time: 10:21 _____ UNITS TEST DETECT RESULT LIMIT TEST DETECTION PARAMETER _____ pH of water 8.11 Total Dissolved Solidsmg/LBicarbonatemeq/LSodium by ICP-mg/LCalcium by ICP-mg/LMagnesium by ICP-mg/LPotassium by ICP-mg/LChloride by Autoanalyzermg/LSulfatemg/LFluoride by electrodemg/LBromide by ICP-mg/LSilica by ICP-mg/LSilica by ICP-mg/LStrontium by ICP-mg/LLithium by ICP-mg/L 1071 Total Dissolved Solids mq/L 1 1071 2.27 319 0.01 10 22.7 0.2 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 14.7 0.2 80 5 462 10 10.10 0.25 Not detected 0.1 Not detected 0.05 42.0 0.5 0.45 0.01 0.45 0.49 0.37 0.01 mg/L 0.05 Lithium by ICP-Boron by ICPmg/L 0.01 1.14 0.01 Iron by ICPmg/L

Please advise should you have questions concerning these data.

Respectfully submitted,

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Andrew Lee Bristol Laboratory Manager (505)646-4422

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF THE SHALLOW RESERVOIR CHARACTERISTICS OF THE LIGHTNING DOCK GEOTHERMAL SYSTEM AS DETERMINED FROM PUMP TEST OF AMERICULTURE PRODUCTION WELL

Prepared by JAMES C WITCHER LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO

Submitted to AMERICULTURE COTTON CITY, NEW MEXICO

APRIL 2001

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report provides the first analysis of the productivity of the shallow Lighting Dock Geothermal System reservoir. The results of this study should be considered as preliminary. However, several important constraints and properties of the reservoir are identified. A description of the shallow reservoir geology of the Lightning Dock Geothermal system, and an analysis of a pump test of the Americulture well, and estimates of reservoir transmissivity and storativity are presented. Estimated Theis model drawdown for a conservative confined reservoir are presented and discussed for a production of 1,000 gpm over a twenty year period at various distances from the production well. Recommendations for production and injection wells and a program of reservoir monitoring are also included in this report.

The Lightning Dock geothermal system is contained in an intrabasin or rift accommodation zone horst block on or adjacent to the intersection of a probable major WNW basement structure, the ring fracture zone of a large Tertiary caldera and at the southern fault tip of an incipient Pleistocene normal fault on the eastern border of the lower Animas graben. The upflow zone plumbing is not possible to detail with confidence. An unmapped fault zone or a buried mid-Tertiary ring fracture rhyolite dike or dome may play a role. Temperature logs and well lithology logs indicate that a shallow outflow plume extends across the area of this report. The outflow plume is contained in a shallow fractured reservoir of Tertiary rhyolite. Overall, the total energy output as inferred from heat flow studies indicates a total flux no greater than 10 MWt. As a result, an ultimate sustained electrical power generation capability in excess of 5 Mwe is probably not feasible.

The approach taken in this study is a very conservative interpretation and analysis of drawdown data from the Americulture and Burgett 'A' wells. The reservoir is assumed to be a confined reservoir which is the most conservative class of aquifer models. In reality, the reservoir is probably a semi-confined and leaky reservoir. There is a complete range of "leakiness" between a confined and an unconfined reservoirs in the real world for a semi-confined and leaky reservoir. The project time frame, a lack of previous detailed long-term water level information, and no previous well pump tests requires that a conservative approach be taken to evaluate the shallow Lightning Dock reservoir.

The Cooper and Jacob (straight-line) method is used to evaluate well drawdown information. This method is a practical variation of the standard Theis method to analyze confined reservoirs. Because the data collection methods have significant built in errors, the Cooper and Jacob method is very appropriate as opposed to computer or graphical curve-matching methods that are commonly applied with many other reservoir or aquifer analysis methods.

In order to predict drawdown or water-level declines in the shallow Lightning Dock Reservoir over a long period of production, the Theis model is used. This approach is also very conservative. This analysis assumes that the only production is from the Americulture well and that no injection wells are being used.

The most appropriate value for the reservoir transmissivity is calculated with the Cooper Jacob method as 62,392 gpd/ft, using drawdown data from the Burgett 'A' well. A storativity of $1.17 \times 10-4$ is also calculated. If the Americulture production well is produced at 1000 gpm over a period of twenty years without injection and no other production in the area, the total differential Theis drawdown in the Burgett 'A' well will be 26. 4 feet.

This study indicates that the reservoir should sustain a long-term production of fluid at 1,000 gpm with minimal drawdown and a temperature between 108 and 112 °C. However, a program of shallow reservoir monitoring should be started. Water levels, basic chemistry, and temperature should be recorded on a regular and sustained basis. Also, the Americulture 1 State well should also be modified to better sustain production. This could include deepening the well.



Twenty-Four hour drawdown for the Burgett 'A' well 825 feet from the pumping Americulture 1 State well. Pump rate was steady at 1, 000 gpm in the Americulture production well. The graphed line is the drawdown slope that was used to calculate reservoir transmissivity and storativity with the Cooper and Jacob method. The axis labeled $log(t/r^2)$ is the log of the ratio of time (in minutes) and radial distance (in feet) from the pumping well.



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON Governor Jennifer A. Salisbury Cabinet Secretary

July 5, 2001

Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT NO. 5357-7775

Mr. Damon E. Seawright AmeriCulture, Inc. HD 65, Box 260 C Animas, NM 88020

60,000 gpcl 41.66 gpm

RE: Discharge Plan Renewal GW-223 AmeriCulture, Inc. Geothermal Aquaculture Facility Hidalgo County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Seawright

The ground water discharge plan renewal application GW-223 for the AmeriCulture, Inc. Geothermal Aquaculture Facility located in the NE/4 NE/4 of Section 7, Township 25S, Range 19W, NMPM, Hidalgo County, New Mexico, is hereby approved under the conditions contained in the enclosed attachment. Enclosed are two copies of the conditions of approval. Please sign and return one copy to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) Santa Fe office within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter. Please note new mailing address below.

The discharge plan renewal application letter, dated August 30, 2000, submitted pursuant to Section 3106 of the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) Regulations includes all earlier applications and approvals and all conditions later placed on those approvals. The discharge plan is renewed pursuant to Section 3109.C. Please note Section 3109.G, which provides for possible future amendment of the plan. Please be advised that approval of this plan does not relieve AmeriCulture, Inc. of responsibility should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does it relieve AmeriCulture, Inc. of its responsibility to comply with any other governmental authority's rules and regulations.

Please be advised that all exposed pits, including lined pits and open tanks (exceeding 16 feet in diameter) shall be screened, netted or otherwise rendered nonhazardous to wildlife including migratory birds.

Mr. Damon E. Seawright GW-223 July 5, 2001 Page 2

Please note that Section 3104 of the regulations provides: "When a plan has been approved, discharges must be consistent with the terms and conditions of the plan." Pursuant to Section 3107.C, AmeriCulture, Inc. is required to notify the Director of any facility expansion, production increase or process modification that would result in any change in the discharge of water quality or volume.

Pursuant to Section 3109.H.4, this renewal plan is for a period of five years. This renewal **will expire on October 23, 2005**, and AmeriCulture, Inc. should submit an application in ample time before this date. Note that under Section 3106.F of the regulations, if a discharger submits a discharge plan renewal application at least 120 days before the discharge plan expires and is in compliance with the approved plan, then the existing discharge plan will not expire until the application for renewal has been approved or disapproved

The discharge plan renewal application for the AmeriCulture, Inc. Geothermal Aquaculture Facility is subject to WQCC Regulation 3114. Every billable facility submitting a discharge plan application will be assessed a fee equal to the filing fee of \$50.00. There is a renewal flat fee assessed for geothermal facilities of \$690.00. The OCD has received the filing fee.

On behalf of the staff of the OCD, I wish to thank you and your staff for your cooperation during this discharge plan review.

Sincerely,

Roger C. Anderson Chief, Environmental Bureau Oil Conservation Division

RCA/eem Attachment

Xc: [OCD Santa Fe Office]

Mr. Damon E. Seawright GW-223 July 5, 2001 Page 3

ATTACHMENT TO THE DISCHARGE PLAN RENEWAL GW-223 AMERICULTURE, INC. **GEOTHERMAL AQUACULTURE FACILITY** DISCHARGE PLAN APPROVAL CONDITIONS July 5, 2001

- 1. <u>Payment of Discharge Plan Fees:</u> The \$50.00 filing fee has been received by the OCD. There is a required flat fee for geothermal facilities of \$690.00 which may be paid in a single payment due at the time of approval, or in equal annual installments over the duration of the discharge plan, with the first payment due upon receipt of this approval. The OCD has received your first installment payment of \$138.00. All checks are to be made payable to Water Quality Management Fund and forwarded to the OCD Santa Fe Office. Please note new mailing address on letterhead.
- 2. <u>Commitments:</u> AmeriCulture, Inc. will abide by all commitments submitted in the discharge plan renewal application letter dated August 30, 2000 and these conditions for approval.
- 3. <u>Waste Disposal</u>: All wastes will be disposed of at an OCD approved facility. Only oilfield exempt wastes shall be disposed of down Class II injection wells. Non-exempt oilfield wastes that are non-hazardous may be disposed of at an OCD approved facility upon proper waste determination per 40 CFR Part 261. Any waste stream that is not listed in the discharge plan will be approved by OCD on a case-by-case basis.
- 4. <u>Drum Storage:</u> All drums containing materials other than fresh water must be stored on an impermeable pad with curbing. All empty drums will be stored on their sides with the bungs in and lined up on a horizontal plane. Chemicals in other containers such as sacks or buckets will also be stored on an impermeable pad and curb type containment.
- 5. <u>Process Areas:</u> All process and maintenance areas which show evidence that leaks and spills are reaching the ground surface must be either paved and curbed or have some type of spill collection device incorporated into the design.
- 6. <u>Above Ground Tanks:</u> All above ground tanks which contain fluids other than fresh water must be bermed to contain a volume of one-third more than the total volume of the largest tank or of all interconnected tanks. All new tanks or existing tanks that undergo a major modification, as determined by the Division, must be placed within an impermeable bermed enclosure.

- 7. <u>Above Ground Saddle Tanks</u>: Above ground saddle tanks must have impermeable pad and curb type containment unless they contain fresh water or fluids that are gases at atmospheric temperature and pressure.
- 8. <u>Labeling:</u> All tanks, drums and containers will be clearly labeled to identify their contents and other emergency notification information.
- 9. <u>Below Grade Tanks/Sumps:</u> All below grade tanks, sumps, and pits must be approved by the OCD prior to installation or upon modification and must incorporate secondary containment and leak-detection into the design.
- 10. <u>Underground Process/Wastewater Lines:</u> All underground process/wastewater pipelines must be tested to demonstrate their mechanical integrity every five (5) years. Permittees may propose various methods for testing such as pressure testing to 3 pounds per square inch above normal operating pressure or other means acceptable to the OCD. The OCD will be notified at least 72 hours prior to all testing.
- 11. <u>Class V Wells</u>: No Class V wells that inject non-hazardous industrial wastes or a mixture of industrial wastes and domestic wastes will be closed unless it can be demonstrated that groundwater will not be impacted in the reasonably foreseeable future. Leach fields and other wastewater disposal systems at OCD regulated facilities which inject non-hazardous fluid into or above an underground source of drinking water are considered Class V injection wells under the EPA UIC program. Class V wells that inject domestic waste only must be permitted by the New Mexico Environment Department.
- 12. <u>Housekeeping:</u> All systems designed for spill collection/prevention will be inspected weekly and after each storm event to ensure proper operation and to prevent overtopping or system failure. A record of inspections will be retained on site for a period of five years.
- 13. <u>Spill Reporting:</u> All spills/releases will be reported pursuant to OCD Rule 116 and WQCC 1203 to the OCD Santa Fe District Office.
- 14. <u>Transfer of Discharge Plan:</u> The OCD will be notified prior to any transfer of ownership, control, or possession of a facility with an approved discharge plan. A written commitment to comply with the terms and conditions of the previously approved discharge plan must be submitted by the purchaser and approved by the OCD prior to transfer.

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- 15. <u>Storm Water Plan:</u> The facility will have an approved storm water run-off plan.
- 16. <u>Closure:</u> The OCD will be notified when operations of the **Geothermal** Aquaculture Facility are discontinued for a period in excess of six months. Prior to closure of the **Geothermal Aquaculture Facility**, the Director will submit a closure plan for approval. Closure and waste disposal will be in accordance with the statutes, rules and regulations in effect at the time of closure.
- 17. <u>Conditions accepted by:</u> AmeriCulture, Inc., by the officer whose signature appears below, accepts this permit and agrees to comply with all terms and conditions contained herein. AmeriCulture, Inc. further acknowledges that these conditions and requirements of this permit may be changed administratively by the Division for good cause shown as necessary to protect fresh water, human health and the environment.

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

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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

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I hereby certify that all rules and regulations concerning geothermal resources wells in the State of New Mexico, as promulgated by the Oil Conservation Division of New Mexico, have been complied with, with respect to the subject well, and that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed Ramon Brenny	Position Vice - President Date August 8 1996
Approved Dy CAMMan	DISTRICT SUPERVISOR 8-30-96

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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Signed!

Oil Conservation Div. 2040 Pacheco St. Santa Fe, NM 87505 Form G-107 Adopted 10-1-74 Revised 10-1-78

GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES WELL HISTORY

Operator AMORICULTURE, DWC.	Address <u>HC 65</u> ,	Box 260C, ANIDAS	NM BB020
Lease Name GTR - 304 -1	Well No	A-568	
Unit LetterASec	7	Rge <i>19W</i>	·
Reservoir LIGHTNING DOCK	County HIDAL	62	

It is of the greatest importance to have a complete history of the well. Use this form to report a full account of all important operations during the drilling and testing of the well or during re-drilling, altering of casing, plugging, or abandonment with the dates thereof. Be sure to include such items as hole size, formation test details, amounts of cement used, top and bottom of plugs, perforation details, sidetracked junk, bailing tests, shooting, and initial production data and zone temperature. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

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I hereby certify that the information given above and the data and material attached hereto are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Vice-President Date August 8, 1996

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GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES WELL LOG

Address HC 65	, BOX 260C,	ANIMAS, NM	88020		
Reservoir	ING POLE				
Lease NameGTR-	- 304-1	Well No	<u>A-568</u>	_Unit Letter _A	
Location:	579	_ feet from the	ORTH	line and	·
971	feet from the	EAST	line Section	7	

FORMATIONS PENETRATED BY WELL

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Attach Additional Sheets if Necessary

This form must be accompanied by copies of electric logs, directional surveys, physical or chemical logs, water analyses, tests, and temperature surveys (See Rule 205).

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information given above and the data and material attached hereto are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Position Vice - President Date Hugest 8, 1996 Signed amm

Damon E. Seawright AmeriCulture, Inc. HC 65 Box 260C Animas, NM 88020 Phone: (505)548-2328 Fax: (505)548-2631



August 9, 1996

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Roy Johnson New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 2040 S. Pacheco Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Roy:

Enclosed herewith are the required number of copies of forms G-103, G-104, G-105, G-106, and G-107 for the new geothermal well location on State Lease No. GTR-304-1. Per our conversation on August 8 1996, G-108 filing is not immediately required. If you have any questions, please call me.

Sincerely Damon E. Seawright-Gary L. Seawright cc: Garrett P. Seawright

STATE O	F NEW MEXICO NERALS DEPARTME	NT 204		87505			Form 6-1 Adopted Revised
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Americulture HC 65 Box 260 Animas, NM 8	Inc. ) C 38020	
Operator: An	nericult	ure - Lease: State lease GTR 304-1, Well no A 568
Description:	Unit L County from t Gd lev Pool:	tr- A, Section: 7, Twnshp: 25S, Range: 19N, : Hidalgo, Actual footage location of well: 579 [‡] he North Line and 971' from the East line, el elev: 4250', Producing formation: rhyolite, Lightning dock, Dedicated acreage: 10.0
From 0 10' 45' 278'	<u>T0</u> 45' 278'	Top soil Gravel and some clay conglomerate (clay and gravel) cemented Rhyolite rock
		Drilled 14 3/4" hole to 283'. Set 10" pipe to 282'. Circulated cement around bottom of pipe. Brought it to the top outside pipe. When it set up it was down outside the pipe 8' from the top. We hand-filled it with cement to ground level. Let it set 72 hours and drilled out plug at the bottom of pipe. (9 7/8' bit
330 344 346 378	346 376 399	rhyolite- lost circulation (came back) Lost circulation (bad) rhyolite (came back) No more circulation (drilled blind)
		Drilled 2 to 3 minutes a foot (might cave- can't tell) Air lifted water to clean up hole.