

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Oil Conservation Division

July 17, 2001

Mr. Chris Williams NMOCD-Hobbs 1625 N. French Drive Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re:

Crossroads Siluro Devonian Unit

Cases. No. 12417 & 12418

Dear Chris:

I am currently in the process of drafting an order in Case No. 12418, the application of Saga Petroleum, L.L.C. for a waterflood project in the Crossroads Siluro Devonian Unit. I am writing to inquire as to the current status of four proposed injection wells within the project. Specifically, I would like the following information:

- a) with regards to the Crossroads Siluro Devonian Unit No. 304, located in Unit A of Section 27, T-9 South, R-36 East, NMPM, has this well been tested for mechanical integrity, and if so, what are the test results;
- b) with regards to the Crossroads Siluro Devonian Unit No. 306, located in Unit O of Section 27, T-9 South, R-36 East, NMPM, and which was originally permitted as a disposal well by Order No. SWD-693, can you please provide me with each annual radioactive tracer/temperature log that is required to be conducted on this well pursuant to the terms of Order No. SWD-693. In addition, what is this well's current status with regards to mechanical integrity;
- c) with regards to the Crossroads Siluro Devonian Unit No. 311, located in Unit J of Section 27, T-9 South, R-36 East, NMPM, and which was originally permitted as a disposal well by Order No. SWD-662, can you please provide me with each annual

radioactive tracer/temperature log that is required to be conducted on this well pursuant to the terms of Order No. SWD-662. In addition, what is this well's current status with regards to mechanical integrity; and

d) with regards to the Crossroads Siluro Devonian Unit No. 104, located in Unit O of Section 34, T-9 South, R-34 East, NMPM, and which was originally permitted as a disposal well by Division Order No. R-3612, what is the current status with regards to this well's mechanical integrity.

In addition, are there any other violations that I should be aware of concerning these four proposed injection wells? I appreciate your time and effort to provide me with this important information.

Sincerely,

David Catanach Examiner

Xc: Mr. William F. Carr

Case File--12418 Mr. David Brooks

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Tuesday, July 17, 2001

To: David Catanach

Oil Conservation Division

Fax: 505-476-3462

Phone: 505-476-3466

From: Katherine Hawkins for William F. Carr

Fax: 505-983-6043

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Message:

Information from Joe Clement for your use.

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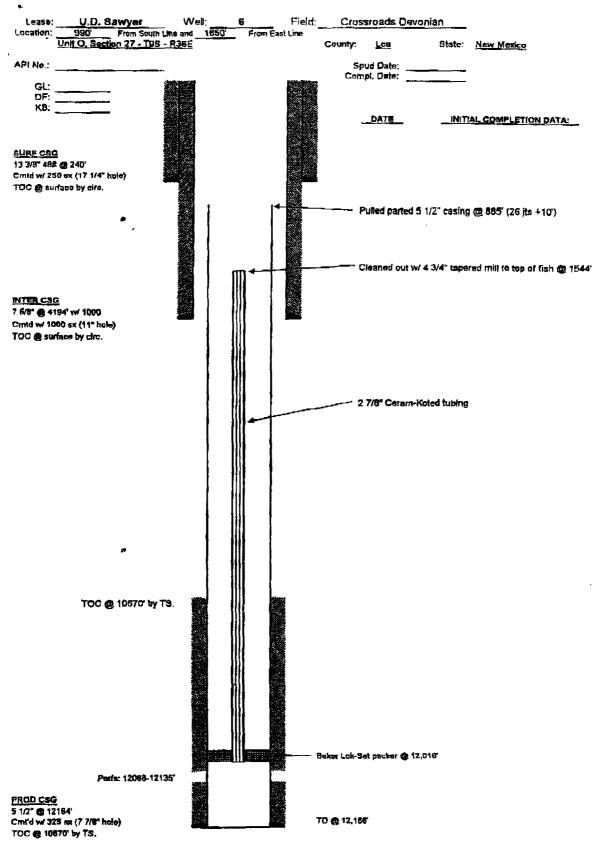
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Well Schematic and History



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Catanach, David

From:

Williams, Chris

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Tuesday, July 17, 2001 1:14 PM

To:

Catanach, David

Subject:

Request for well file research Saga Petroleum -Croosroads Siluro Devonian Unit-W

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Well # 311- Intent to P&A 4/24/01. Fish in hole 6435 to 11948. Tried to repair and could not remove fish. No intents or subsequents in well file refering to tracer surveys ever being run as per order SWD 662. Last pressure test 7/16/98 345 PSI bleed to 325 PSI thirty minutes OK. Bradenhead test 9/12/00-failed vacuum on all three strings.

Well # 104-Failed bradenhead test 10/17/91. Repair casing leak. Unable to test 5/7/97 parted tubing-Shut-in for evaluation by Saga.

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE No. 3968 Order No. R-3612

APPLICATION OF TEXACO INC. FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on December 2, 1968, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 16th day of December, 1968, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, Texaco Inc., is the owner and operator of the U. D. Sawyer Well No. 4, located in Unit O of Section 34, Township 9 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Crossroads-Devonian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) That the applicant proposes to utilize said well to dispose of produced salt water into the Devonian formation, with injection into the open-hole interval from approximately 12,400 feet to 12,550 feet.
- (4) That the injection should be accomplished through 2 7/8-inch plastic-lined tubing set at approximately 12,000 feet; that the casing-tubing annulus should be filled with an inert fluid; and that a pressure gauge should be attached to

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the annulus at the surface in order to determine leakage in the casing or tubing.

(5) That approval of the subject application will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells and otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Texaco Inc., is hereby authorized to utilize its U. D. Sawyer Well No. 4, located in Unit O of Section 34, Township 9 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Crossroads-Devonian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to dispose of produced salt water into the Devonian formation, injection to be accomplished through 2 7/8-inch tubing set at approximately 12,000 feet, with injection into the open-hole interval from approximately 12,400 feet to 12,550 feet;

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the tubing shall be plastic-lined; that the casing-tubing annulus shall be filled with an inert fluid; and that a pressure gauge shall be attached to the annulus at the surface in order to determine leakage in the casing or tubing.

- (2) That the applicant shall submit monthly reports of its disposal operations in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.
- (3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman

GUYTON B. HAYS, Member

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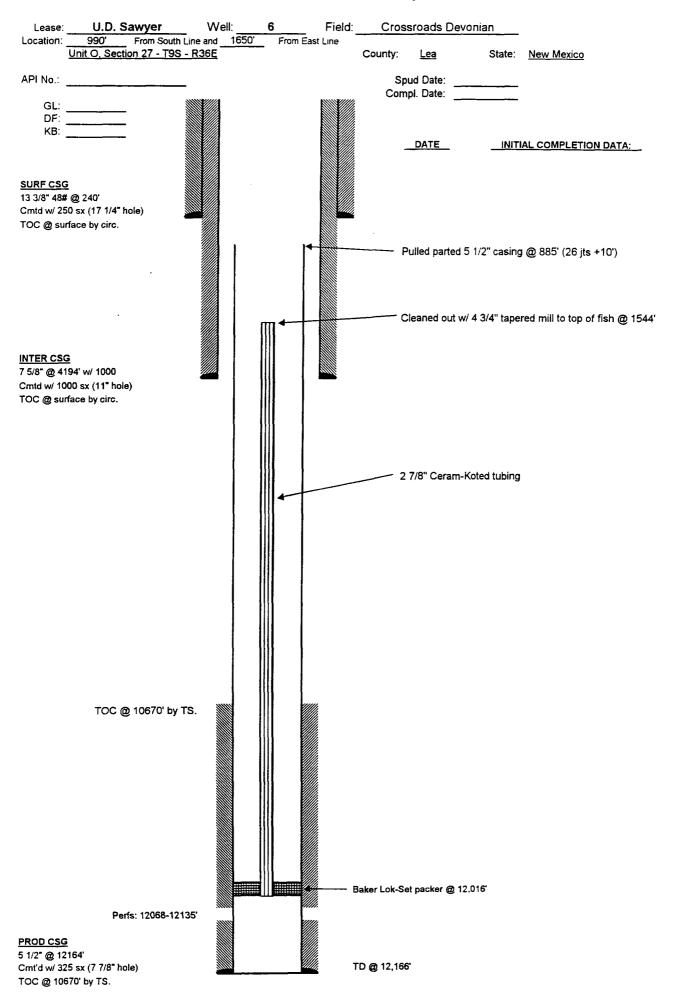
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER SWD -693

APPLICATION OF SAGA PETROLEUM, LLC FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Under the provisions of Rule 701(B), Saga Petroleum, LLC made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on November 13, 1997, for permission to complete for salt water disposal its U.D. Sawyer Well No.6 located 990 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 27, Township 9 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FINDS THAT:

- (1) The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701(B) of the Division Rules and Regulations;
- (2) Satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators and surface owners have been duly notified;
- (3) The applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 will be met; and
 - (4) No objections have been received within the waiting period prescribed by said rule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The applicant herein, is hereby authorized to complete its U.D. Sawyer Well No.6 located 990 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 27, Township 9 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the Devonian formation at approximately 12,068 feet to 12,135 through 2 7/8-inch plastic-lined tubing set in a packer located at approximately 12,015 feet.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

The operator shall take all steps necessary to ensure that the injected water enters only the proposed injection interval and is not permitted to escape to other formations or onto the surface.

Prior to commencing injection operations into the well, the casing shall be pressure tested from the surface to the packer setting depth to assure the integrity of said casing.

The casing-tubing annulus shall be loaded with an inert fluid and equipped with a pressure gauge at the surface or left open to the atmosphere to facilitate detection of leakage in the casing, tubing, or packer.

The injection well or system shall be equipped with a pressure limiting device which will limit the wellhead pressure on the injection well to no more than 845 psi.

After one year of injection and annually thereafter, a combination radioactive tracer and temperature log shall be conducted in accordance with Division guidelines attached hereto as Exhibit 'A'. The operator shall notify the Hobbs district office so such logging may be witnessed.

The Director of the Division may authorize an increase in injection pressure upon a proper showing by the operator of said well that such higher pressure will not result in migration of the injected fluid from the Devonian formation. Such proper showing shall consist of a valid step-rate test run in accordance with and acceptable to this office.

The operator shall notify the supervisor of the Hobbs district office of the Division of the date and time of the installation of disposal equipment and of the mechanical integrity test so that the same may be inspected and witnessed.

The operator shall immediately notify the supervisor of the Hobbs district office of the Division of the failure of the tubing, casing, or packer in said well and shall take such steps as may be timely and necessary to correct such failure or leakage.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT, jurisdiction is retained by the Division for the entry of such further orders as may be necessary for the prevention of waste and/or protection of correlative rights or upon failure of the operator to conduct operations (1) to protect fresh water or (2) consistent with the requirements in this order, whereupon the Division may, after notice and hearing, terminate the injection authority granted herein.

The operator shall submit monthly reports of the disposal operations on Division Form C-115, in accordance with Rule Nos. 706 and 1120 of the Division Rules and Regulations.

The injection authority granted herein shall terminate one year after the effective date of this order if the operator has not commenced injection operations into the subject well, provided however, the Division, upon written request by the operator, may grant an extension thereof for good cause shown.

Approved at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 9th day of February, 1998.

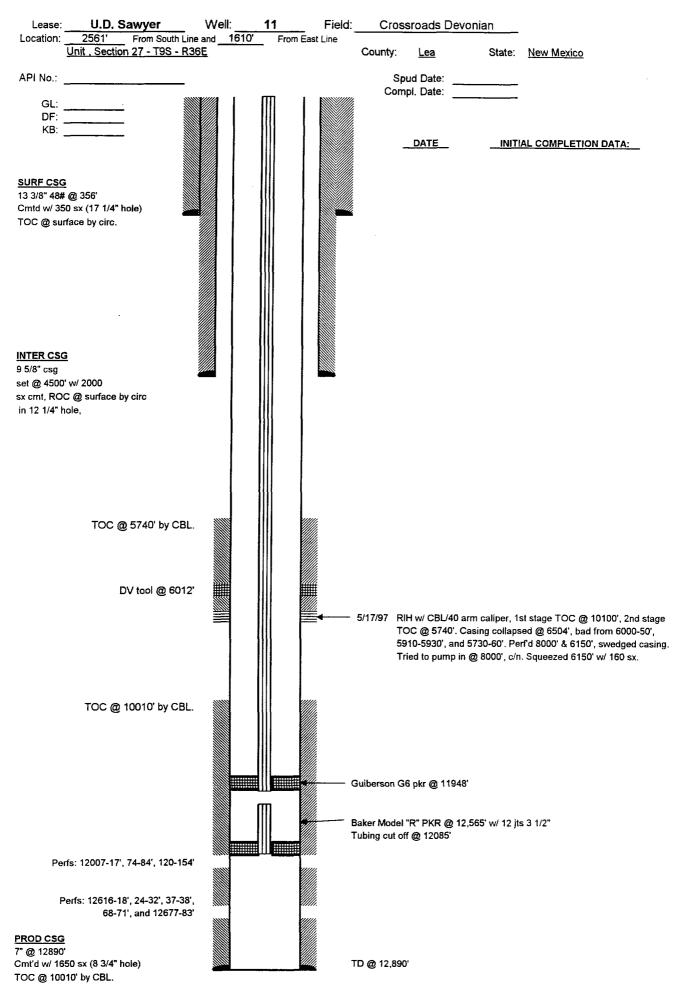
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER SWD-662

APPLICATION OF SAGA PETROLEUM, L.L.C. FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Under the provisions of Rule 701(B), Saga Petroleum L.L.C. made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on May 19, 1997, for permission to complete for salt water disposal its U.D. Sawyer Well No. 11 located 2561 feet from the South line and 1610 feet from the East line (Unit J) of Section 27, Township 9 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FINDS THAT:

- (1) The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Rule 701(B) of the Division Rules and Regulations;
- (2) Satisfactory information has been provided that all offset operators and surface owners have been duly notified;
- (3) The applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 701 will be met; and
- (4) No objections have been received within the waiting period prescribed by said rule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The applicant herein, Saga Petroleum L.L.C. is hereby authorized to complete its U.D. Sawyer Well No. 11 located 2561 feet from the South line and 1610 feet from the East line (Unit J) of Section 27, Township 9 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, in such manner as to permit the injection of salt water for disposal purposes into the Devonian formation at approximately 12,616 feet to 12,683 feet through 3 1/2-inch ceramic-lined tubing set in a packer located at approximately 12,566 feet.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

The operator shall take all steps necessary to ensure that the injected water enters only the proposed injection interval and is not permitted to escape to other formations or onto the surface.

Prior to commencing injection operations into the well, the casing shall be pressure tested from the surface to the packer setting depth to assure the integrity of said casing.

Prior to commencing injection operations into the well, and annually thereafter, the applicant shall conduct a radioactive tracer survey on the well in order to verify the well's external mechanical integrity. The survey shall be run in accordance with a Division approved procedure.

The casing-tubing annulus shall be loaded with an inert fluid and equipped with a pressure gauge at the surface or left open to the atmosphere to facilitate detection of leakage in the casing, tubing, or packer.

The injection well or system shall be equipped with a pressure limiting device which will limit the wellhead pressure on the injection well to no more than 2523 psi.

The Director of the Division may authorize an increase in injection pressure upon a proper showing by the operator of said well that such higher pressure will not result in migration of the injected fluid from the Devonian formation. Such proper showing shall consist of a valid step-rate test run in accordance with and acceptable to this office.

The operator shall notify the supervisor of the Hobbs district office of the Division of the date and time of the installation of disposal equipment and of the conductance of the mechanical integrity test and tracer survey so that the same may be inspected and witnessed.

The operator shall immediately notify the supervisor of the Hobbs district office of the Division of the failure of the tubing, casing, or packer in said well and shall take such steps as may be timely and necessary to correct such failure or leakage.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT, jurisdiction of this cause is hereby retained by the Division for the entry of such further order or orders as may be deemed necessary or convenient for the prevention of waste and/or protection of correlative rights; upon failure of the operator to conduct operations in a manner which will ensure the protection of fresh water or in a manner inconsistent with the requirements set forth in this order, the Division may, after notice and hearing, terminate the injection authority granted herein.

The operator shall submit monthly reports of the disposal

operations in accordance with Rule Nos. 706 and 1120 of the Division Rules and Regulations.

The injection authority granted herein shall terminate one year after the effective date of this order if the operator has not commenced injection operations into the subject well, provided however, the Division, upon written request by the operator, may grant an extension thereof for good cause shown.

Approved at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 23rd day of June, 1997.

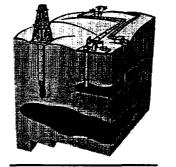
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TRANSMITTAL COVER SHEET

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TO:

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FROM:

SUBJECT:

Case No. 12418

DATE:

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IF YOU HAVE TROUBLE RECEIVING THIS FAX, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE NUMBER ABOVE.

Bill, I received this E-Mail from Chris Williams on 7/17/01.

David

Catanach, David

From:

Williams, Chris

Sent:

Tuesday, July 17, 2001 1:14 PM

To:

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Subject:

Request for well file research Saga Petroleum - Croosroads Siluro Devonian Unit-Well #s

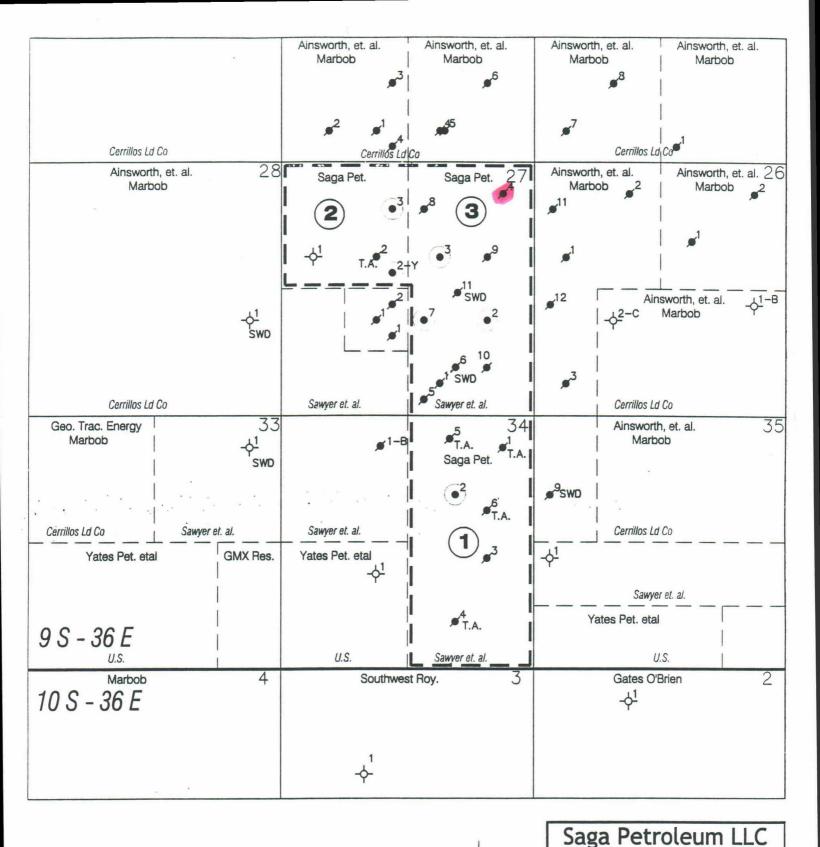
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Well # 304-MIT 6/21/01 320 PSI 30 minutes held OK.

Well # 306-Intent to P&A 4/21/01. Fish in hole 1544' to 12016. Ceramic coated tubing could not mill over waiting on workover unit. Tried to repair and could not remove fish. No intents or subsequents in well file refering to tracer surveys ever being run as per order SWD 693. Last pressure test 2/18/98 340 PSI held OK. Bradenhead test on production casing 1/3/01. Slight vacuum on production casing. No visible risers on surface or intermediate casing.

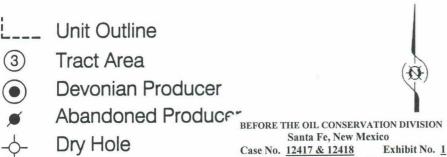
Well # 311- Intent to P&A 4/24/01. Fish in hole 6435 to 11948. Tried to repair and could not remove fish. No intents or subsequents in well file refering to tracer surveys ever being run as per order SWD 662. Last pressure test 7/16/98 345 PSI bleed to 325 PSI thirty minutes OK. Bradenhead test 9/12/00-failed vacuum on all three strings.

Well # 104-Failed bradenhead test 10/17/91. Repair casing leak. Unable to test 5/7/97 parted tubing-Shut-in for evaluation by Saga.



Submitted by:

Saga Petrtoleum, L.L.C.
Hearing Date: September 7, 2000



Map of Unit Tracts

March 1999

Scale: 1"=2000'

Lea County, New Mexico Cross Roads Devonian Field

Exhibit "A"

Significant Non Compliance Documentation Saga Petroleum Limited Liability Co.

RE: Crossroads Siluro Devonian # 307 UL J, Section 27, R9S, R36E Formerly UD Sawyer # 7

On 5/14/2001 drove to the Crossroads Siluro Devonian # 304 to witness the initial MIT for conversion to SWD. After 3 unsuccessful attempts to get the well to hold pressure. I called Rodney Long with Saga to tell him that well # 304 had failed the MIT. I was driving back to well # 311 to visit with the well plugger about the plugging procedure of well # 311. On the way to # 311, I noticed fresh SW around the well head at #307. Well # 307 is classed as an active oil well. I stopped to look at the well and noticed gas bubbling in the SW around the well head, there were no visible leaks. I called Rodney Long with Saga and advised him that he had a problem with this well and needed to investigate. I drove up to well # 311 and was met by the well plugger walking towards me. I rolled the window down to visit and the pump at the water station was running making a lot of noise. The well plugger advised that the pump had just started. I told the plugger that I would be back because all of the Saga disposal wells were down with mechanical integrity problems and I needed to investigate. The first well that I checked was the well # 307. This well now had SW flowing from a small hole in a 2" ell next to the casing valve. The casing valve was in the open position. I traced the flow line from this well back to a check valve and 2" valve in the open position, the flow arrow on the check valve was pointing towards well # 307. The poly line that the valve and check were attached to lead back to the discharge of the disposal pump at the water station at well # 311. I immediately called Rodney Long with Saga and told him that I wanted this shut down, now. I called and advised Gary Wink of the situation. I checked the rest of the wells on this lease. Rodney called back and said that the pumper was on the way to shut in the lease. Met the pumper on the way back to Hobbs.

5/15/2001 Found all of the wells on lease shut down and the valve going to well # 307 was shut.

Exhibit C Schedule of Tract Participation Crossroads Siluro-Devonian Unit **Unit Agreement** Lea County, New Mexico

| Tract | Description of Lands | Current Operator | Allocated W.I. |
|-------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 1 | E/2 Sec. 34, T 9 S, R 36 E | Saga Petroleum, LLC | 37.702768% |
| 2 | NW/4 Sec. 27, T 9 S, R 36 E | Saga Petroleum, LLC | 51.410973% |
| 3 | E/2 Sec. 27, T 9 S, R 36 E | Saga Petroleum, LLC | 10.886259% |
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