UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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5. Lease Serial No. NMLC065457	,
6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name	

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abandoned well. Use form 31	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name	
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - 0	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.	
. Type of Well ☐ Oil Well Gas Well Other		8. Well Name and No. CONGRESSIONAL 28-33 FED COM 1H
Name of Operator CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY OF CO-Mail:	9. API Well No. 30-015-45911-00-X1	
a. Address 600 N MARIENFELD STE 600 MIDLAND, TX 79701	10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area PURPLE SAGE-WOLFCAMP (GAS)	
. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey	11. County or Parish, State	
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Sec 28 T24S R26E NENE 390 32.194557 N Lat, 104.292114	DFNL 795FEL W Lon			EDDY COUNTY	/, NM	
12. CHECK THE AF	PPROPRIATE BOX(ES)	TO INDICATE NATURE O	F NOTICE, I	REPORT, OR OTH	IER DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION		ТҮРЕ О	FACTION			
Notice of Intent	☐ Acidize	□ Deepen	☐ Production	on (Start/Resume)	■ Water Shut-Off	
_	Alter Casing	☐ Hydraulic Fracturing	☐ Reclamat	tion	■ Well Integrity	
☐ Subsequent Report	□ Casing Repair	■ New Construction	Recompl	ete	Other	
☐ Final Abandonment Notice	Change Plans	☐ Plug and Abandon ☐ Tempor		rily Abandon	Change to Original A PD	
	☐ Convert to Injection	isposal				
13. Describe Proposed or Completed Op If the proposal is to deepen directions Attach the Bond under which the wor following completion of the involved testing has been completed. Final Ab determined that the site is ready for fi	ally or recomplete horizontally, rk will be performed or provide l operations. If the operation re- bandonment Notices must be fil final inspection.	give subsurface locations and measu the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA sults in a multiple completion or reco ed only after all requirements, includ	ared and true ver A. Required subs completion in a ne ding reclamation,	tical depths of all pertin sequent reports must be w interval, a Form 316 , have been completed a	ent markers and zones. filed within 30 days 0-4 must be filed once and the operator has	
Cimarex Respectfully requests casing on the Congressional 2 casing/cement design as follows:	s permission to use a spu 23-23 Fed Com 1H. We a ws:	dder rig to spud, set and sem re also requesting to change				
Rig up spudder rig (Notify BLM 24 hours in advance)						
Drill 17-1/2" hole to 496,+/- 1	SEE ATTAC	HED FOR				
Run 13-3/8" 48# J-55 ST&C c LEAD: 78 sks, 14.8#, 1.34 yie TAIL: 195 sks, 14.8#, 1.34 yie TOC: 0'.	ld, Class C + LCM	ow:			F APPROVAL	
All Previous COA	As Still App	ly, Except For	- the	Followin	q.'	

NM OIL CONSERVAT ARTESIA DISTRICT

Electronic Submission #473580 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY OF CO, sent to the Carlsbad
Committed to AFMSS for processing by PRISCILLA PEREZ on 07/16/2019 (19PP2823SE)

Name (Printed/Typed) AMITHY E CRAWFORD **REGULATORY ANALYST** AUG 21 2019

(Electronic Submission) Signature

Date 07/16/2019 RECEIVED

Date 07/18/2019

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

_Approved By _JEROMY PORTER	TitlePETROLEUM ENGINEER	
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.	Office Carlsbad	

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(Instructions on page 2) ** BLM REVISED ** BLM REVISED ** BLM REVISED ** BLM REVISED **

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Additional data for EC transaction #473580 that would not fit on the form

32. Additional remarks, continued

On plug bump, perform casing integrity test to 1,500 psi for 30 min.

WOC for 8 hours prior to cut off.

Cut off casing and weld on 13-3/8" SOW and test weld to 500 psi and not to exceed 70% of Collapse.

Install blind pressure gauge and test to 1500 psi for 10 min.

Install pressure gauge on blind flange.

RDMO spudder rig

Notify BLM of start of move in with 2nd rig and give 24 hour notice of spud with 2nd rig.

Please see attached drilling procedure.

Revisions to Operator-Submitted EC Data for Sundry Notice #473580

Operator Submitted

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Lease:

Sundry Type:

NMNM0441951

Agreement:

Operator:

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Location:

State: County: NM EDDY

Field/Pool:

PURPLE SAGE WOLFCAMP

Well/Facility:

CONGRESSIONAL 28-33 FED COM 1H Sec 28 T24S R26E 390FNL 795FEL

BLM Revised (AFMSS)

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PURPLE SAGE-WOLFCAMP (GAS)

CONGRESSIONAL 28-33 FED COM 1H Sec 28 T24S R26E NENE 390FNL 795FEL 32.194557 N Lat, 104.292114 W Lon

1. Geological Formations

TVD of target 8,464

MD at TD 18,122

Pilot Hole TD N/A Deepest expected fresh water

Formation	Depth (TVD) from KB	Water/Mineral Bearing/Target Zone:	Hazards
Rustler		N/A	
Salado	1027	N/A	`
Castille	1560	N/A	
Bell Canyon	1758	N/A	·
Cherry Canyon	2745	N/A	·
Brushy Canyon	3625	Hydrocarbons	
Bone Spring	5250	Hydrocarbons	
1st Bone Spring	6231	Hydrocarbons	
2nd Bone Spring	6681	Hydrocarbons	
3rd Bone Spring	8015	Hydrocarbons	
Wolfcamp	8367	Hydrocarbons	
Wolfcamp Target	8446	Hydrocarbons	

2. Casing Program

Hole Size	2.65. 2.25.	Denth To	Setting Depth TVD		Weight (lb/ft)	Grade	Conn.	SF Collapse	SF Burst	SF Tension
17 1/2	, 0	450	l . '-	13-3/8"	48.00	H-40/J-55 Hybrid	ST&C	4.04	9.45	16.77
12 1/4	0	1738		9-5/8"	36.00	J-55	ST&C	2.19	3.82	6.30
8 3/4	0	7961	7961	5-1/2"	17.00	L-80	LT&C	1.52	1.87	2.35
8 3/4	7961	18122	8464	5-1/2"	17.00	L-80	BT&C	1.43	1.76	46.43
	•		•		BLM	Minimum Sa	afety Factor	1.125	1	1.6 Dry 1.8 Wet

TVD was used on all calculations.

All casing strings will be tested in accordance with Onshore Oil and Gas Order #2 III.B.1.h

Cimarex Energy Co., Congressional 28-33 Fed Com 1H

	Y or N
Is casing new? If used, attach certification as required in Onshore Order #1	Υ
Does casing meet API specifications? If no, attach casing specification sheet.	Υ
Is premium or uncommon casing planned? If yes attach casing specification sheet.	N
Does the above casing design meet or exceed BLM's minimum standards? If not provide justification (loading assumptions, casing design criteria).	Υ
Will the intermediate pipe be kept at a minimum 1/3 fluid filled to avoid approaching the collapse pressure rating of the casing?	N
Is well located within Capitan Reef?	Ν
If yes, does production casing cement tie back a minimum of 50° above the Reef?	N .
Is well within the designated 4 string boundary.	N
Is well located in SOPA but not in R-111-P?	N
If yes, are the first 2 strings cemented to surface and 3rd string cement tied back 500' into previous casing?	N
Is well located in R-111-P and SOPA?	Ν
If yes, are the first three strings cemented to surface?	N
Is 2nd string set 100' to 600' below the base of salt?	Ν
Is well located in high Cave/Karst?	N
If yes, are there two strings cemented to surface?	N .
(For 2 string wells) If yes, is there a contingency casing if lost circulation occurs?	N
Is well located in critical Cave/Karst?	N
If yes, are there three strings cemented to surface?	N
Is AC Report included?	N

3. Cementing Program

Casing)	#Sks	Wt:⊸ lb/gal	Ýld ft3/sack	H2O 🐍 gal/sk	500#(Comps Strength (hours)	Slurry Description
Surface	78	14.80	1.34	6.32	9.5	Lead: Class C + LCM
	195	14.80	1.34	6.32	9.5	Tail: Class C + LCM
Intermediate	328	12.90	1.88	· 9.65	12	Lead: 35:65 (Poz:C) + Salt + Beńtonite
	102	14.80	1.34	6.32	9.5	Tail: Class C + LCM
Production	555	10.30	3.64	22.18		Lead: Tuned Light + LCM
	2469	14.20	1.30	5.86	14:30	Tail: 50:50 (Poz:H) + Salt + Bentonite + Fluid Loss + Dispersant + SMS
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Casing String	TOC	% Excess
Surface	0	31
Intermediate	0	50
Production	O 12588	25

Cimarex request the ability to perform casing integrity tests after plug bump of cement job.

Must Go to Surface In Critical Care Karst

4. Pressure Control Equipment

A variance is requested for the use of a diverter on the surface casing. See attached for schematic.

BOP installed and tested before drilling which hole?	Size	Min Required WP	Туре		Tested To
12 1/4	13 5/8	2M	Annular	х	50% of working pressure
			Blind Ram		
			Pipe Ram		2M
			Double Ram	х	
			Other		
8 3/4	13 5/8	5M	Annular	Х	50% of working pressure
			Blind Ram		
			Pipe Ram	х	5M
			Double Ram	Х	
			Other		

BOP/BOPE will be tested by an independent service company to 250 psi low and the high pressure indicated above per Onshore Order 2 requirements. The System may be upgraded to a higher pressure but still tested to the working pressure listed in the table above. If the system is upgraded all the components installed will be functional and tested.

Pipe rams will be operationally checked each 24 hour period. Blind rams will be operationally checked on each trip out of the hole. These checks will be noted on the daily tour sheets. Other accessories to the BOP equipment will include a Kelly cock and floor safety valve (inside BOP) and choke lines and choke manifold. See attached schematics.

X	Formation integrity test will be performed per Onshore Order #2. On Exploratory wells or on that portion of any well approved for a 5M BOPE system or greater, a pressure integrity test of each casing shoe shall be performed. Will be tested in accordance with Onshore Oil and Gas Order #2 III.B.1.i.
Х	A variance is requested for the use of a flexible choke line from the BOP to Choke Manifold. See attached for specs and hydrostatic test chart.
	N Are anchors required by manufacturer?

5. Mud Program

Depth	Type:	Weight (ppg)	Viscosity	Water Loss
0' to 400'	FW Spud Mud	8.30 - 8.80	30-32	N/C
400' to 1738'	Brine Water	9.70 - 10.20	30-32	N/C
1738' to 18122'	FW/Cut Brine	9.50 - 10.00	30-32	N/C

Sufficient mud materials to maintain mud properties and meet minimum lost circulation and weight increase requirements will be kept on location at all times.

What will be used to monitor the loss or gain of fluid?	PVT/Pason/Visual Monitoring
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6. Logging and Testing Procedures

Lõg	ging, Coring and Testing					
Х	X Will run GR/CNL fromTD to surface (horizontal well – vertical portion of hole). Stated logs run will be in the Completion Report and submitted to the BLM.					
	No logs are planned based on well control or offset log information.					
	Drill stem test?					
	Coring?					

Additional Logs Planned	e de	interval		と旅会会では 海ボンラシム

7. Drilling Conditions

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BH Pressure at deepest TVD	4401 psi
Abnormal Temperature	No

Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) monitors will be installed prior to drilling out the surface shoe. If H2S is detected in concentrations greater than 100 ppm, the operator will comply with the provisions of Onshore Oil and Gas Order #6. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, measured values and formations will be provided to the BLM.

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Х	H2S is present					
Х	H2S plan is attached	,				

8. Other Facets of Operation

9. Welihead

A multi-bowl wellhead system will be utilized.

After running the 13-3/8" surface casing, a 13 5/8" BOP/BOPE system with a minimum working pressure of 5000 psi will be installed on the wellhead system and will be pressure tested to 250 psi low followed by a 5000 psi test. Annular will be tested to 50% of working pressure. The pressure test will be repeated at least every 30 days, as per Onshore Order No. 2.

The multi-bowl wellhead will be installed by vendor's representative. A copy of the installation instructions has been sent to the BLM field office.

The wellhead will be installed by a third-party welder while being monitored by the wellhead vendor representative

All BOP equipment will be tested utilizing a conventional test plug. Not a cup or J-packer type.

A solid steel body pack-off will be utilized after running and cementing the intermediate casing. After installation the pack-off and lower flange will be pressure tested to 5000 psi.

All casing strings will be tested as per Onshore Order No.2 to atleast 0.22 psi/ft or 1,500 whichever is greater and not to exceed 70% of casing burst.

If well conditions dictate conventional slips will be set and BOPE will be tested to appropriate pressures based on permitted pressure requirements.

PECOS DISTRICT DRILLING CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

OPERATOR'S NAME: CIMAREX ENERGY CO.

LEASE NO.: NMNM0441951

WELL NAME & NO.: | CONGRESSIONAL 28 – 33 FED COM 1H

SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE: 390' FNL & 795' FEL BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE 330' FSL & 380' FEL

LOCATION: | Section 28, T. 24 S., R 26 E., NMPM

COUNTY: Eddy County, New Mexico

H2S	CYes	© No	
Potash	© None	Secretary	← R-111-P
Cave/Karst Potential	CLow		© Critical
Variance	None	Flex Hose	Other
Wellhead	Conventional	• Multibowl	Both
Other	√ 4 String Area	Capitan Reef	☐ WIPP
Other	Fluid Filled	Cement Squeeze	☐ Pilot Hole
Special Requirements	□ Water Disposal	ГСОМ	Г Unit

All previous COAs still exist, except for the following:

A. CASING

- 1. The 13-3/8 inch surface casing shall be set at approximately 450 feet (a minimum of 70 feet (Eddy County) into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface. Excess Cement calculates to 0%, additional cement might be required.
 - a. If cement does not circulate to the surface, the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey utilizing an electronic type temperature survey with surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Temperature survey will be run a minimum of six hours after pumping cement and ideally between 8-10 hours after completing the cement job.
 - b. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job will be a minimum of **8** hours or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater. (This is to include the lead cement)
 - c. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a remedial job will be a minimum of 4 hours after bringing cement to surface or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater.
 - d. If cement falls back, remedial cementing will be done prior to drilling out that string.

- 2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 9-5/8 inch intermediate casing is:
 - Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a, c-d above. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry due to cave/karst or potash.
- 3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5-1/2 inch production casing is:
 - Cement to surface. Operator shall provide method of verification. Excess Cement calculates to 13%, additional cement might be required.
 - ❖ In <u>Critical Cave/Karst Areas</u> the cement on the 3rd casing string must come to surface.

B. PRESSURE CONTROL

- 1. Variance approved to use flex line from BOP to choke manifold. Manufacturer's specification to be readily available. No external damage to flex line. Flex line to be installed as straight as possible (no hard bends).'
- 2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be 2000 (2M) psi
- 3. Operator has proposed a multi-bowl wellhead assembly. This assembly will only be tested when installed on the intermediate casing. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be 3000 (3M) psi
 - a. Wellhead shall be installed by manufacturer's representatives, submit documentation with subsequent sundry.
 - b. If the welding is performed by a third party, the manufacturer's representative shall monitor the temperature to verify that it does not exceed the maximum temperature of the seal.
 - c. Manufacturer representative shall install the test plug for the initial BOP test.
 - d. If the cement does not circulate and one inch operations would have been possible with a standard wellhead, the well head shall be cut off, cementing operations performed and another wellhead installed.
 - e. Whenever any seal subject to test pressure is broken, all the tests in OOG02.III.A.2.i must be followed.

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GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

The BLM is to be notified in advance for a representative to witness:

- a. Spudding well (minimum of 24 hours)
- b. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings (minimum of 4 hours)
- c. BOPE tests (minimum of 4 hours)
 - Chaves and Roosevelt Counties
 Call the Roswell Field Office, 2909 West Second St., Roswell NM 88201.
 During office hours call (575) 627-0272.
 After office hours call (575)
 - Eddy County
 Call the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (575) 361-2822
 - Lea County
 Call the Hobbs Field Station, 414 West Taylor, Hobbs NM 88240, (575)
 393-3612
- 1. Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval.
 - a. In the event the operator has proposed to drill multiple wells utilizing a skid/walking rig. Operator shall secure the wellbore on the current well, after installing and testing the wellhead, by installing a blind flange of like pressure rating to the wellhead and a pressure gauge that can be monitored while drilling is performed on the other well(s).
 - b. When the operator proposes to set surface casing with Spudder Rig
 - Notify the BLM when moving in and removing the Spudder Rig.
 - Notify the BLM when moving in the 2nd Rig. Rig to be moved in within 90 days of notification that Spudder Rig has left the location.
 - BOP/BOPE test to be conducted per Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 as soon as 2nd Rig is rigged up on well.
- 2. Floor controls are required for 3M or Greater systems. These controls will be on the rig floor, unobstructed, readily accessible to the driller and will be operational at all times during drilling and/or completion activities. Rig floor is defined as the area immediately around the rotary table; the area immediately above the substructure on which the draw works are located, this does not include the dog house or stairway area.
- 3. The record of the drilling rate along with the GR/N well log run from TD to surface (horizontal well vertical portion of hole) shall be submitted to the BLM office as

well as all other logs run on the borehole 30 days from completion. If available, a digital copy of the logs is to be submitted in addition to the paper copies. The Rustler top and top and bottom of Salt are to be recorded on the Completion Report.

A. CASING

- 1. Changes to the approved APD casing program need prior approval if the items substituted are of lesser grade or different casing size or are Non-API. The Operator can exchange the components of the proposal with that of superior strength (i.e. changing from J-55 to N-80, or from 36# to 40#). Changes to the approved cement program need prior approval if the altered cement plan has less volume or strength or if the changes are substantial (i.e. Multistage tool, ECP, etc.). The initial wellhead installed on the well will remain on the well with spools used as needed.
- 2. Wait on cement (WOC) for Potash Areas: After cementing but before commencing any tests, the casing string shall stand cemented under pressure until both of the following conditions have been met: 1) cement reaches a minimum compressive strength of 500 psi for all cement blends, 2) until cement has been in place at least 24 hours. WOC time will be recorded in the driller's log. The casing intergrity test can be done (prior to the cement setting up) immediately after bumping the plug.
- 3. Wait on cement (WOC) for Water Basin: After cementing but before commencing any tests, the casing string shall stand cemented under pressure until both of the following conditions have been met: 1) cement reaches a minimum compressive strength of 500 psi at the shoe, 2) until cement has been in place at least 8 hours. WOC time will be recorded in the driller's log. See individual casing strings for details regarding lead cement slurry requirements. The casing intergrity test can be done (prior to the cement setting up) immediately after bumping the plug.
- 4. Provide compressive strengths including hours to reach required 500 pounds compressive strength prior to cementing each casing string. Have well specific cement details onsite prior to pumping the cement for each casing string.
- 5. No pea gravel permitted for remedial or fall back remedial without prior authorization from the BLM engineer.
- 6. On that portion of any well approved for a 5M BOPE system or greater, a pressure integrity test of each casing shoe shall be performed. Formation at the shoe shall be tested to a minimum of the mud weight equivalent anticipated to control the formation pressure to the next casing depth or at total depth of the well. This test shall be performed before drilling more than 20 feet of new hole.
- 7. If hardband drill pipe is rotated inside casing, returns will be monitored for metal. If metal is found in samples, drill pipe will be pulled and rubber protectors which have a larger diameter than the tool joints of the drill pipe will be installed prior to continuing drilling operations.

8. Whenever a casing string is cemented in the R-111-P potash area, the NMOCD requirements shall be followed.

B. PRESSURE CONTROL

- 1. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 and API RP 53 Sec. 17.
- 2. If a variance is approved for a flexible hose to be installed from the BOP to the choke manifold, the following requirements apply: Check condition of flexible line from BOP to choke manifold, replace if exterior is damaged or if line fails test. Line to be as straight as possible with no hard bends and is to be anchored according to Manufacturer's requirements. The flexible hose can be exchanged with a hose of equal size and equal or greater pressure rating. Anchor requirements, specification sheet and hydrostatic pressure test certification matching the hose in service, to be onsite for review. These documents shall be posted in the company man's trailer and on the rig floor.
- 3. 5M or higher system requires an HCR valve, remote kill line and annular to match. The remote kill line is to be installed prior to testing the system and tested to stack pressure.
- 4. If the operator has proposed a multi-bowl wellhead assembly in the APD. The following requirements must be met:
 - a. Wellhead shall be installed by manufacturer's representatives, submit documentation with subsequent sundry.
 - b. If the welding is performed by a third party, the manufacturer's representative shall monitor the temperature to verify that it does not exceed the maximum temperature of the seal.
 - c. Manufacturer representative shall install the test plug for the initial BOP test.
 - d. Whenever any seal subject to test pressure is broken, all the tests in OOGO2.III.A.2.i must be followed.
 - e. If the cement does not circulate and one inch operations would have been possible with a standard wellhead, the well head shall be cut off, cementing operations performed and another wellhead installed.
- 5. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
 - a. In a water basin, for all casing strings utilizing slips, these are to be set as soon as the crew and rig are ready and any fallback cement remediation has been done. The casing cut-off and BOP installation can be initiated four hours after installing the slips, which will be approximately six hours after bumping the

plug. For those casing strings not using slips, the minimum wait time before cut-off is eight hours after bumping the plug. BOP/BOPE testing can begin after cut-off or once cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified), whichever is greater. However, if the float does not hold, cut-off cannot be initiated until cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified).

- b. In potash areas, for all casing strings utilizing slips, these are to be set as soon as the crew and rig are ready and any fallback cement remediation has been done. For all casing strings, casing cut-off and BOP installation can be initiated at twelve hours after bumping the plug. However, **no tests** shall commence until the cement has had a minimum of 24 hours setup time, except the casing pressure test can be initiated immediately after bumping the plug (only applies to single stage cement jobs).
- c. The tests shall be done by an independent service company utilizing a test plug not a cup or J-packer. The operator also has the option of utilizing an independent tester to test without a plug (i.e. against the casing) pursuant to Onshore Order 2 with the pressure not to exceed 70% of the burst rating for the casing. Any test against the casing must meet the WOC time for water basin (8 hours) or potash (24 hours) or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater, prior to initiating the test (see casing segment as lead cement may be critical item).
- d. The test shall be run on a 5000 psi chart for a 2-3M BOP/BOP, on a 10000 psi chart for a 5M BOP/BOPE and on a 15000 psi chart for a 10M BOP/BOPE. If a linear chart is used, it shall be a one hour chart. A circular chart shall have a maximum 2 hour clock. If a twelve hour or twenty-four hour chart is used, tester shall make a notation that it is run with a two hour clock.
- e. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- f. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.
- g. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug. This test shall be performed prior to the test at full stack pressure.
- h. BOP/BOPE must be tested by an independent service company within 500 feet of the top of the Wolfcamp formation if the time between the setting of the intermediate casing and reaching this depth exceeds 20 days. This test does not exclude the test prior to drilling out the casing shoe as per Onshore Order No. 2.