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Ib. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	Single Zo	ne Multiple Zone	8 Lease Name and Well	No. ral #16 3223	4
2. Name of Operator 2. J 2 7 Devon Energy Production Compa	R-111	-POTASH	9. API Well No.		
3a. Address 20 North Broadway	3b. Phone No. (includ	le area code)	30-015-3 10. Field and Pool, or Explo		
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma City 73102-826			Ingle Wells (Delaw	2	
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance	with any State requirements.*)		11. Sec., T. R. M. or Blk. an	d Survey or Area	
At surface         660' FSL & 660' FEL           At proposed prod. zone         660' FSL & 660' FEL	P		Section 15, T23S R	31E	
<ol> <li>Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post offic Approximately 35 miles WNW of Jal, NM</li> </ol>	ce*		12. County or Parish Eddy County	13. State NM	
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft.	16. No. of acres in <b>1320 acres</b>		ing Unit dedicated to this well		
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APPROVAL SUBJECT TO GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS ATTACHED

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#### DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

# Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

P.O. Box 2088

DISTRICT IV P.O. BOX 2088, SANTA FE, N.M. 87504-2088	WELL LOCATION AND	ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT	□ AMENDED REPORT
API Number	Pool Code	Pool Name	
	33745	Ingle Wells (Delawar	re)
Property Code	Prop	erty Name	Well Number
	TOD	D 15P	16
OGRID No.	Oper	ator Name	Elevation
6137	DEVON ENERGY PRO	DUCTION COMPANY, L.P.	3451'
	Surfa	ce Location	

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
Р	15	23–S	31-E		660'	SOUTH	660'	EAST	EDDY

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
Dedicated Acres	Joint o	r Infill Co	nsolidation (	Code Ord	ier No.	L	L	L	

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



State of New Mexico

Energy, Minerels and Natural Resources Department

# **Additional Operator Remarks:**

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Devon Energy Production Company, LP proposes to drill a Delaware well to 8800' for commercial quantities of oil and gas. If the well is deemed noncommercial, the wellbore will be plugged and abandoned per Federal regulations. Programs to adhere to onshore oil and gas regulations are outlined in the following exhibits and attachments.

Drilling Program, Surface Use and Operating Plan Exhibit #1 = Blowout Prevention Equiptment Exhibit #2 = Location and Elevation Map Exhibit #3 = Road Map and Top Map Exhibit #4 = Wells within a 1 mile radius Exhibit #5 = Production Facilities Plat Exhibit #6 = Rotary Rig Layout Exhibit #7 = Casing Design H2S Operating Plan

# **DRILLING PROGRAM**

Attached to Form 3160-3 Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) TODD "15P FEDERAL #16 660' FSL & 660' FEL Section 15-T23S-R31E, Unit P Eddy County, New Mexico

# 1. Geologic Name of Surface Formation

Permian

# 2. Estimated Tops of Important Geologic Markers

Rustler	800'
Top of Salt	1100'
Base of Salt	3900'
Bell Canyon	4400'
Cherry Canyon	5600'
Brushy Canyon	7000'
Bone Spring Lime	8300'
Total Depth	8800'

# 3. Estimated Depths of Possible Fresh Water-, Oil-, or Gas-Bearing Formations

Upper Permian Sands	above 800'	fresh water
Delaware (Bell Canyon)	4400'	oil
Delaware (Cherry Canyon)	6000'	oil
Delaware (Brushy Canyon)	8000'	oil

No other formations are expected to yield oil, gas or fresh water in measurable volumes. The surface fresh water sands will be protected by setting 13 3/8" casing at 850' and circulating cement back to surface. The Potash and Salt intervals will be protected by setting 8 5/8" casing at 4350' and circulating cement to surface. The Delaware intervals will be isolated by setting 5 1/2" casing to total depth and circulating cement above the base of the 8 5/8" casing.

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4. Casing Program

Hole Size	Interval	<b>Casing OD</b>	Weight	Grade	Туре
30"	0-40'	20"		Conductor	0.30" wall
17 1/2"	0-850'	13 3/8"	48#	H-40	ST&C, new R-3
11"	0-4350'	8 5/8"	32#	J-55	ST&C, new R-3
7 7/8"	0'-TD (8800'±)	5 1/2"	15.5# & 17#	J-55	LT&C, new R-3

### **Cementing Program**

20" Conductor Casing Cement with Ready-mix to surface. 13 3/8" Surface Casing Cement to surface using 500 sx Poz (35% Poz, 65% Class C. 6% gel) with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> and 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes + 200 sx Class C with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> and 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes. WITNESS 8 5/8" Intermediate Cement to surface using 1600 sx Poz (35% Poz, 65% Class C, 6% gel, 15% salt) with 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes + 200 sx Casing Class C with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes WITNESS 5 1/2" Production Casing Cement 1st stage with 525 sx Silica Lite (Class H) with 3% salt, 0.6% FL additive, 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes Cement 2nd stage with 225 sx Poz (35% Poz, 65% Class H, 6% with DV tool at  $\pm 5500^{\circ}$ gel) with 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes + 400 sx Class H with 4% gel, 5% salt, 1/4 lb/sx Cellophane flakes.

The above cement volumes could be revised pending the caliper measurement from the open hole logs. The top of cement is designed to reach  $450'\pm$  above the 8 5/8" casing seat at 4350'.

# 5. <u>Minimum Specifications for Pressure Control</u>

The blowout preventer equipment (BOP) shown in Exhibit #1 will consist of a (3M system) double ram type (2000 psi WP) preventer and a bag-type (Hydril) preventer (2000 psi WP). Both units will be hydraulically operated and the ram type preventer will be equipped with blind rams on top and 4 1/2" drill pipe rams on bottom. Both BOP's will be installed on the 13 3/8" surface casing and utilized continuously until total depth is reached. All BOP's and associated equipment will be tested to 1200 psi

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before drilling out the 13 3/8" casing shoe (70% of 48# H-40 casing). Prior to drilling out the 8 5/8" casing shoe, the BOP's and Hydril will be function tested as per BLM drilling Operations Order #2.

Pipe rams will be operated and checked each 24 hour period and each time the drill pipe is out of the hole. These functional tests will be documented on the daily drillers log. A 2" kill line and 3" choke line will be incorporated in the drilling spool below the ram-type BOP. Other accessory BOP equipment will include a kelly cock, floor safety valve, choke lines and choke manifold having 3000 psi WP rating.

## 6. <u>Types and Characteristics of the Proposed Mud System</u>

The well will be drilled to total depth using brine, cut brine and polymer mud systems. Depths of systems are as follows.

		Weight	Viscosity	Water Loss
Depth	Туре	(ppg)	(1/sec)	(cc/30 mins)
0-850'	Fresh water	8.8	34-36	No control
850-4350'	Brine water	10.0	28	No control
4350'-TD	Fresh water polymer	8.8	32-36	10-20

The necessary mud products for weight addition and fluid loss control will be on location at all times.

# 7. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment

- A. A kelly cock will be in the drill string at all times.
- B. A full opening drill pipe stabbing valve having the appropriate connections will be on the rig floor at all times.
- C. Hydrogen Sulfide detection equipment (Compliance Package) will be in operation when drilling out the 13 3/8" casing shoe until the 5 1/2" casing is cemented.

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### 8. Logging, Testing and Coring Program

- A. Drill stem tests will be based on geological sample shows.
- B. The open hole wireline logging program will be as follows.

TD to intermediate casing: Induction / Gamma Ray / Neutron / Density Log.

TD to surface: Neutron with Gamma Ray.

- C. Rotary sidewall cores are planned.
- D. Additional testing will be initiated subsequent to setting the 5 1/2" production casing. Specific intervals will be targeted based on log evaluation, geological sample shows and drill stem tests.

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

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are foreseen. The anticipated bottom hole temperature at total depth is approximately 130 degrees and maximum bottom hole pressure is approximately 2900 psig. No hydrogen sulfide gas has been reported or is known to exist at these depths in this area. No major lost circulation intervals have been encountered in adjacent wells.

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

A Cultural Resources Examination will be completed by Don Clifton Archaeological Consultant, and submitted to the BLM. Road and location preparation will not be undertaken until approval has been received from the BLM. If approved, the anticipated spud date for the well will be in the first quarter, 1999. The drilling operation should require approximately 21 days. If the well is deemed productive, completion operations will require, at minimum, an additional 30 days of testing to ascertain whether permanent production facilities will be constructed.

### SURFACE USE AND OPERATING PLAN

Attachment to Form 3160-3 Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) TODD "15P" FEDERAL #16 660' FSL & 660' FEL Section 15-T23S-R31E, Unit P Eddy County, New Mexico

## 1. Existing Roads

- A. The well site and elevation plat for the proposed TODD "15P" FEDERAL #16 are reflected on Exhibit #2. This well was staked by Topographic Land Surveyors of Midland, Texas.
- B. All roads into the location are depicted in Exhibit #3. New construction from the County road will be used to access the location. New construction will conform to the specifications outlined in item 2 below.
- C. Directions to location: Travel west-northwest from Jal, NM approximately 35 miles on State Highway #128 to County Road #798, just into Eddy County from Lea County. Turn north (right) on County Road #798 and travel approximately 3.2 miles. Then, turn left (west) onto lease road. Go approximately 1.10 miles to proposed TODD "15P" FEDERAL #16 location.

# 2. Proposed Access Road

Access to this location will require the construction of approximately 5940' of new access road from the County road. All new road construction would adhere to the following specifications:

- A. The maximum width of the road will be fifteen (15) feet.
- B. It will be crowned and made of 6 inches of rolled and compacted caliche. Water will be deflected, as necessary, to avoid accumulation and prevent surface erosion.
- C. Surface material will be native caliche. This material will be obtained from a BLM approved pit nearest in proximity to the location.
- D. The average grade will be approximately 1%.

#### 3,000 psi Working Pressure

# EXHIBIT# 1

3 MWP

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No.	llem		Min. I.D.	Min. Nominal
	Elowline.	and when the second size in the second size of the	No. of Contract of Contract of Contract	
2	Fill up line			2*
3	Drilling nipple			
4	Annular preventer			
5	Two single or one dual hy operated rams	drautically		_
<b>6a</b>	Drilling spool with 2" min. 3" min choke line outlets			
<b>6</b> b	2" min. kill line and 3" mi outlets in ram. (Alternate			
7	Valve	Gale 🗆 Piug 🖸	3-1/8*	
8	Gate valve-power opera	ted	3-1/8*	
9	Line to choke manifold			3"
10	Valves	Gate 🖸 Piug 🖸	2-1/16*	
11	Check valve		2-1/16*	
12	Casing head			
13	Valve	Gate D Plug D	1-13/16"	
14	Pressure gauge with nee	die valve		
15	Kill line to rig mud pump (			2"

STACK REQUIREMENTS



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16	Flanged valve	1-13/16"	
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#### CONTRACTOR'S OPTION TO FURNISH:

- 1.All equipment and connections above bradenhead or casinghead. Working pressure of preventers to be 3,000 psi, minimum.
- 2. Automatic accumulator (80 gallon, minimum) capable of closing BOP in 30 seconds or less and, holding them closed against full rated working pressure.
- 3.BOP controls, to be located near drillers position.
- 4.Kelly equipped with Kelly cock.
- Inside blowout prevventer or its equivalent on derrick floor at all times with proper threads to fit pipe being used.
- 6.Kelly saver-sub equipped with rubber casing protector at all times.
- 7.Plug type blowout preventer tester.
- 8.Extra set pipe rams to fit drill pipe in use on location at all times.
- 9. Type RX ring gaskets in place of Type R.

#### MEC TO FURNISH:

- 1.Bradenhead or casinghead and side valves.
- 2.Wear bushing, if required.

#### **GENERAL NOTES:**

- 1.Deviations from this drawing may be made only with the express permission of MEC's Dritting Manager,
- 2.All connections, valves, fittings, piping, etc., subject to well or pump pressure must be flanged (suitable clamp connections acceptable) and have minimum working pressure equal to rated working pressure of preventers up through chore. Valves must be full opening and suitable for high pressure mud service.
- 3. Controls to be of standard design and each marked, showing opening and closing position.
- 4. Chokes will be positioned so as not to hamper or delay changing of choke beans. Replaceable parts for edjustable choke, other bean sizes, retainers, and choke wrenches to be conveniently located for immediate use,
- All valves to be equipped with handwheels or handles ready for immediate use.
- 6. Choke lines must be suitably anchored.

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- 7.Handwheels and extensions to be connected and ready for use.
- Valves adjacent to drilling spool to be kept open. Use outside valves except for emergency.
- All seamless steel control piping (3000 psi working pressure) to have flexible joints to avoid stress. Hoses will be permitted.
- 10.Casinghead connections shall not be used except in case of emergency.
- 11.Do not use kill line for routine fill-up operations.

#### MINIMUM CHOKE MANIFOLD 3,000. 5,000 and 10,000 PSI Working Pressure

3 MWP - 5 MWP - 10 MWP

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#### BEYOND SUBSTRUCTURE

			MINI	MUM REQL	HREMENT	5				
			3.000 MWP			5,000 MWP			10,000 MWF	)
No.		I.D.	NOMINAL	RATING	I.D.	NOMINAL	RATING	1.D.	NOMINAL	RATING
1	Line from drilling spool		3*	3,000		3-	5,000		3.	10,000
2	Cross 3"x3"x3"x2"			3,000			5,000			
	Cross 3"x3"x3"x3"									10,000
3	Valves(1) Gate C Plug C(2)	3-1/8*		3,000	3-1/8"		5.000	3-1/8-		10,000
4	Valve Gate C Plug C(2)	1-13/16*		3,000	1-13/16*		5,000	1-13/16*		10,000
43	Valves(1)	2-1/16"		3.000	2-1/16*	1	5,000	3-1/8*		10.000
5	Pressure Gauge			3,000			5,000			10.000
6	Valves Gate C Plug D(2)	3-1/8*		3.000	3-1/8*		5,000	3-1/8*		10,000
7	Adjustable Choke(3)	2"		3,000	2*		5,000	2"	1	10.000
8	Adjustable Choke	1.		3,000	1*		5,000	2*		10.000
9	Line		3.	3,000		3-	5,000		3-	10.000
10	Line		2*	3,000		2-	5,000		3-	10.000
11	Valves Gate C Plug C(2)	3-1/8*		3,000	3-1/8-		5,000	3-1/8"		10.000
12	Lines	1	3.	1,000		3.	1.000		3-	2.000
13	Lines		3.	1,000		3.	1,000	•	3-	2,000
14	Remote reading compound standpipe pressure gauge			3,000			5,000	•		10.000
15	Gas Separator		2'x5'			2'x5'			2'x5'	
16	Line		4*	1,000		4*	1,000		4.	2.000
17	Valves Gate C Plug C(2)	3-1/8*		3,000	3-1/8-		5,000	3-1/8*		10,000

(1) Only one required in Class 3M.

(2) Gate valves only shall be used for Class 10M.

(2) Remote operated hydraulic choke required on 5,000 psi and 10,000 psi for drilling.

### EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS AND INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. All connections in choke manifold shall be welded, studded, flanged or Cameron clamp of comparable rating.
- 2. All flanges shall be API 6B or 6BX and ring gaskets shall be API RX or BX. Use only BX for 10 MWP.
- 3. All lines shall be securely anchored.
- 4. Chokes shall be equipped with tungsten carbide seats and needles, and replacements shall be available.
- 5. Choke manifold pressure and standpipe pressure gauges shall be available at the choke manifold to assist in regulating chokes. As an alternate with automatic chokes, a choke manifold pressure gauge shall be located on the rig floor in conjunction with the standpipe pressure gauge.
- Line from drilling spool to choke manifold should be as straight as possible. Lines downstream from chokes shall make turns by large bends or 90° bends using buil plugged tees.
- 7. Discharge lines from chokes, choke bypass and from top of gas separator should vent as far as practical from the well.

# Exhibit #1A NOTES REGARDING BLOWOUT PREVENTERS Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) TODD "15P" FEDERAL #16 660' FSL & 660' FEL Section 15-T23S-R31E, Unit P Eddy County, New Mexico

- 1. Drilling nipple will be constructed so it can be removed mechanically without the aid of a welder. The minimum internal diameter will equal BOP bore.
- 2. Wear ring will be properly installed in head.
- 3. Blowout preventer and all associated fittings will be in operable condition to withstand a minimum 3000 psi working pressure.
- 4. All fittings will be flanged.
- 5. A full bore safety valve tested to a minimum 3000 psi WP with proper thread connections will be available on the rotary rig floor at all times.
- 6. All choke lines will be anchored to prevent movement.
- 7. All BOP equipment will be equal to or larger in bore than the internal diameter of the last casing string.
- 8. Will maintain a kelly cock attached to the kelly.
- 9. Hand wheels and wrenches will be properly installed and tested for safe operation.
- 10. Hydraulic floor control for blowout preventer will be located as near in proximity to driller's controls as possible.
- 11. All BOP equipment will meet API standards and include a minimum 40 gallon accumulator having two independent means of power to initiate closing operation.

# LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP



LOS MEDANOS, N.M.

# **DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION**

# HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN

#### A. Hydrogen Sulfide Training

All rig crews and company personnel will receive training from a qualified instructor in the following areas prior to penetrating any hydrogen sulfide bearing formations during drilling operations:

- 1. The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H2S).
- 2. The proper use and maintenance of the H2S safety equipment and of personal protective equipment to be utilized at the location such as H2S detection monitors, alarms and warning systems, and breathing equipment. Briefing areas and evacuation procedures will also be discussed and established.
- 3. Proper rescue techniques and procedures will be discussed and established.

In addition to the above, supervisory personnel will be trained in the prevention of oil and gas well blowouts in accordance with Minerals Management Service Standards Subpart - 0 - 250 - 212.

Prior to penetrating any known H2S bearing formation, H2S training will be required at the rig sight for all rig crews and company personnel that have not previously received such training. This instruction will be provided by a qualified instructor with each individual being required to pass a 20 question test regarding H2S safety procedures. All contract personnel employed on an unscheduled basis will be required to have received appropriate H2S training.

This Hydrogen Sulfide Drilling And Operations Plan shall be available at the wellsite during drilling operations.

# **B. H2S Safety Equipment And Systems**

All H2S safety equipment and systems will be installed, tested, and operational when drilling operations reach a depth approximately 500' above any known or probable H2S bearing formation. The safety systems to be utilized during drilling operations are as follows:

- 1. Well Control Equipment
  - (a) Double ram BOP with a properly sized closing unit and pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes in use.
  - (b) A choke manifold with a minimum of one remote choke.
- 2. H2S Detection And Monitoring Equipment
  - (a) Three (3) H2S detection monitors will be placed in service at the location. One monitor will be placed near the bell nipple on the rig floor; one will be placed at the rig substructure; and, one will be at the working mud pits or shale shaker. This monitoring system will have warning lights and audible alarms that will alert personnel when H2S levels reach 10 ppm.
  - (b) One (1) Sensidyne Pump with the appropriate detection tubes will also be available to perform spot checks for H2S concentrations in any remote or isolated areas.
- 3. Protective Equipment For Essential Personnel

Protective equipment will consist of the following:

- (a) Four (4) five minute escape packs located at strategic points around the rig.
- (b) Two (2) thirty minute rescue packs to be located at the designated briefing areas.
- 4. Visual Warning System

Visual warning system will consist of the following:

- (a) Two wind direction indicators.
- (b) One condition / warning sign which will be posted on the road providing direct access to the location. The sign will contain lettering of sufficient size to be readable at a reasonable distance from the immediate location. The sign will inform the public that a hydrogen sulfide gas environment could be encountered at the location.

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### 5. Mud Program

The mud program has been designed to minimize the volume of H2S circulated to surface. Proper mud weight and safe drilling practices (for example, keeping the hole filled during trips) will minimize hazards when drilling in H2S bearing formations.

6. Metallurgy

All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventers, drilling spools, kill lines, choke manifold and lines and valves shall be suitable for H2S service.

7. Communication

Cellular telephone communication will be available in company vehicles.

C. Diagram of Drilling Location

Attached is a diagram representing a typical location layout as well as the location of H2S monitors, briefing areas and wind direction indicators.

# **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - DRILLING**

Operator's Name:	Devon Energy Production Company, LP
Well Name & No.	Todd '15P' Federal #16
Location:	660' FSL, 660' FEL, Section 15, T. 23 S., R. 31 E., Eddy County, New Mexico
Lease:	NM-0405444
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#### II. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified at the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822 for wells in Eddy County in sufficient time for a representative to witness:

- A. Well Spud
- B. Cementing casing: 13-3/8 inch 8-5/8 inch 5-1/2 inch
- C. BOP tests

2. 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.

3. Submit a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5, one original and five copies) for each casing string, describing the casing and cementing operations. Include pertinent information such as; spud date, hole size, casing (size, weight, grade and thread type), cement (type, quantity and top), water zones and problems or hazards encountered. The Sundry shall be submitted within 15 days of completion of each casing string. The reports may be combined into the same Sundry if they fall within the same 15 day time frame.

4. The API No. assigned to the well by NMOCD shall be included on the subsequent report of setting the first casing string.

5. Gamma-Ray/Neutron logs shall be run from the base of the Salado formation to the surface; cable speed not to exceed 30 feet per minute.

#### II. CASING:

1. The <u>13-3/8</u> inch surface casing shall be set at <u>approximately 850 feet in the top of the Rustler anhydrite and cement</u> <u>circulated to the surface</u>. If cement does not circulate to the surface the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey or cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Remedial cementing shall be completed prior to drilling out that string.

2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the <u>8-5/8</u> inch intermediate casing is to be sufficient to circulate to the surface.

3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the <u>5-1/2</u> inch production casing is <u>to be sufficient to reach</u> approximately 500 feet above the base of the 8-5/8 inch casing shoe.

4. Whenever a casing string is cemented in the R-111-P Potash Area, cement shall be allowed to stand a minimum of twelve (12) hours under pressure and a total of twenty-four (24) hours before drilling the plug or initiating tests.

#### **III. PRESSURE CONTROL:**

1. All BOP systems and related equipment shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2. The BOP and related equipment shall be installed and operational before drilling below the <u>13-3/8</u> inch casing shoe and shall be tested as described in Onshore Order No. 2. Any equipment failing to test satisfactorily shall be repaired or replaced.

2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) shall be 3000 psi.

3. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness the tests.

- The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
- The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- Testing fluid must be water or an appropriate clear liquid suitable for sub-freezing temperatures. Use of drilling mud for testing is not permitted since it can mask small leaks.

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• Testing must be done in a safe workman-like manner. Hard line connections shall be required.