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Operator Name: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY LP

Well Name: FLAGLER 8 FED

Well Number: 40H

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Well Type: OIL WELL

Well Work Type: Drill

Section 1 - General

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Tie to previous NOS?

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BLM Office: CARLSBAD

User: Rebecca Deal

Title: Regulatory Compliance Professional

Federal/Indian APD: FED

Is the first lease penetrated for production Federal or Indian? FED

Lease number: NMNM097151

Lease Acres: 520

Surface access agreement in place?

Allotted?

Reservation:

Agreement in place? NO

Federal or Indian agreement:

Agreement number:

Agreement name:

Keep application confidential? YES

Permitting Agent? NO

APD Operator: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY LP

Operator letter of designation:

Operator Info

Operator Organization Name: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY LP

Operator Address: 333 West Sheridan Avenue

Zip: 73102

Operator PO Box:

Operator City: Oklahoma City **State:** OK

Operator Phone: (405)552-6571

Operator Internet Address:

Section 2 - Well Information

Well in Master Development Plan? NO

Mater Development Plan name:

Well in Master SUPO? NO

Master SUPO name:

Well in Master Drilling Plan? NO

Master Drilling Plan name:

Well Name: FLAGLER 8 FED

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Well API Number:

Field/Pool or Exploratory? Field and Pool

Field Name: RED HILLS

Pool Name: UPPER BONE SPRING SHALE

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Is the proposed well in an area containing other mineral resources? USEABLE WATER

Describe other minerals:

Is the proposed well in a Helium production area? N **Use Existing Well Pad?** NO **New surface disturbance?**

Type of Well Pad: MULTIPLE WELL

Multiple Well Pad Name:

Number: 4

Well Class: HORIZONTAL

FLAGLER 8

Number of Legs: 1

Well Work Type: Drill

Well Type: OIL WELL

Describe Well Type:

Well sub-Type: INFILL

Describe sub-type:

Distance to town:

Distance to nearest well: 2045 FT

Distance to lease line: 380 FT

Reservoir well spacing assigned acres Measurement: 160 Acres

Well plat: Flagler_8_Fed_40H_C_102_Signed_20180612122540.pdf

Well work start Date: 03/15/2019

Duration: 45 DAYS

Section 3 - Well Location Table

Survey Type: RECTANGULAR

Describe Survey Type:

Datum: NAD83

Vertical Datum: NAVD88

Survey number:

	NS-Foot	NS Indicator	EW-Foot	EW Indicator	Twsp	Range	Section	Aliquot/Lot/Tract	Latitude	Longitude	County	State	Meridian	Lease Type	Lease Number	Elevation	MD	TVD
SHL Leg #1	380	FSL	1710	FEL	25S	33E	8	Aliquot SWSE	32.1388981	-103.591274	LEA	NEW MEXI CO	NEW MEXI CO	F	NMNM 097151	3438	0	0
KOP Leg #1	230	FSL	1605	FEL	25S	33E	8	Aliquot SWSE	32.138898	-103.591274	LEA	NEW MEXI CO	NEW MEXI CO	F	NMNM 097151	-5364	8802	8802
PPP Leg #1	330	FSL	1605	FEL	25S	33E	8	Aliquot SWSE	32.139929	-103.591245	LEA	NEW MEXI CO	NEW MEXI CO	F	NMNM 097151	-5901	9500	9339

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EXIT Leg #1	330	FNL	1605	FEL	25S	33E	8	Aliquot NWNE	32.1514606	-103.5909198	LEA	NEW MEXICO	NEW MEXICO	F	NMNM 097151	-5937	13700	9375
BHL Leg #1	330	FNL	1605	FEL	25S	33E	8	Aliquot NWNE	32.1514606	-103.5909198	LEA	NEW MEXICO	NEW MEXICO	F	NMNM 097151	-5937	13700	9375

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Section 1 - Geologic Formations

Formation ID	Formation Name	Elevation	True Vertical Depth	Measured Depth	Lithologies	Mineral Resources	Producing Formation
1	---	3467	0	0	OTHER : Surface	NONE	No
2	RUSTLER	2322	1145	1145	SANDSTONE	NONE	No
3	TOP SALT	1959	1508	1508	SALT	NONE	No
4	BELL CANYON	-1533	5000	5000	SANDSTONE	NATURAL GAS,OIL	No
5	BASE OF SALT	-1533	5000	5000	LIMESTONE	NONE	No
6	CHERRY CANYON	-2573	6040	6040	SANDSTONE	NATURAL GAS,OIL	No
7	BRUSHY CANYON	-4223	7690	7690	SANDSTONE	NATURAL GAS,OIL	No
8	BONE SPRING	-5643	9110	9110	SHALE	NATURAL GAS,OIL	Yes
9	BONE SPRING 1ST	-6549	10016	10016	SANDSTONE	NATURAL GAS,OIL	No

Section 2 - Blowout Prevention

Pressure Rating (PSI): 3M

Rating Depth: 5000

Equipment: BOP/BOPE will be installed per Onshore Oil & Gas Order #2 requirements prior to drilling below 13-3/8" surface casing, a 13-5/8" BOP/BOPE system with a minimum rating of 5M will be installed on the wellhead system. BOP/BOPE will be tested by an independent service company per Onshore Oil & Gas Order #2 requirements and MASP (Maximum Anticipated Surface Pressure) calculations. If the system is upgraded, all the components installed will be functional and tested.

Requesting Variance? YES

Variance request: A variance is requested for the use of a flexible choke line from the BOP stack to the choke manifold. See attached for specs for hydrostatic test chart.

Testing Procedure: A multibowl wellhead may be used. The BOP will be tested per Onshore Order #2 after installation on the surface casing which will cover testing requirements for a maximum of 30 days. If any seal subject to test pressure is broken the system must be tested.

Choke Diagram Attachment:

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_3M_BOPE_CK_20180319090432.pdf

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BOP Diagram Attachment:

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_3M_BOPE_CK_20180319090449.pdf

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Rating Depth: 9375

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Flagler_8_Fed_40H_3M_BOPE_CK_20180319090531.pdf

BOP Diagram Attachment:

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_3M_BOPE_CK_20180319090545.pdf

Section 3 - Casing

Casing ID	String Type	Hole Size	Csg Size	Condition	Standard	Tapered String	Top Set MD	Bottom Set MD	Top Set TVD	Bottom Set TVD	Top Set MSL	Bottom Set MSL	Calculated casing length MD	Grade	Weight	Joint Type	Collapse SF	Burst SF	Joint SF Type	Joint SF	Body SF Type	Body SF
1	SURFACE	17.5	13.375	NEW	API	N	0	1150	0	1150			1150	H-40	48	OTHER - BTC	1.125	1.25	BUOY	1.6	BUOY	1.6
2	INTERMEDIATE	12.25	9.625	NEW	API	N	0	5000	0	5000			5000	J-55	40	OTHER - BTC	1.125	1.25	BUOY	1.6	BUOY	1.6
3	PRODUCTION	8.75	5.5	NEW	API	N	0	13700	0	9375			13700	P-110	17	OTHER - BTC	1.125	1.25	BUOY	1.6	BUOY	1.6

Casing Attachments

Operator Name: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY LP

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Casing ID: 1 **String Type:** SURFACE

Inspection Document:

Spec Document:

Tapered String Spec:

Casing Design Assumptions and Worksheet(s):

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Surf_Csg_Ass_20180319090604.pdf

Casing ID: 2 **String Type:** INTERMEDIATE

Inspection Document:

Spec Document:

Tapered String Spec:

Casing Design Assumptions and Worksheet(s):

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Int_Csg_Ass_20180319090614.pdf

Casing ID: 3 **String Type:** PRODUCTION

Inspection Document:

Spec Document:

Tapered String Spec:

Casing Design Assumptions and Worksheet(s):

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Prod_Csg_Ass_20180319090641.pdf

Section 4 - Cement

Operator Name: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY LP

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String Type	Lead/Tail	Stage Tool Depth	Top MD	Bottom MD	Quantity(sx)	Yield	Density	Cu Ft	Excess%	Cement type	Additives
SURFACE	Lead		0	815	901	1.33	14.8	1198	50	CLASS C	0.125 lbs/sack Poly-F-Flake

INTERMEDIATE	Lead		0	3950	511	3.65	10.3	1864	30	50:50 POZ	(65:35) Class C Cement: Poz (Fly Ash): 6% BWOC Bentonite + 5% BWOW Sodium Chloride + 0.125 lbs/sks Poly-E-Flake
INTERMEDIATE	Tail		3950	4450	306	1.33	14.8	407	30	CLASS C	0.125 lbs/sack Poly-F-Flake
PRODUCTION	Lead		4800	9200	446	3.27	9	1394	25	TUNED	N/A
PRODUCTION	Tail		9250	13700	1222	1.2	14.5	1467	25	CLASS H	(50:50) Clas H Cement: Poz (Fly Ash) + 0.5% bwoc HALAD-344 + 0.4% bwoc CFR-3 + 0.2% BWOC HR-601 + 2% bwoc Bentonite

Section 5 - Circulating Medium

Mud System Type: Closed

Will an air or gas system be Used? NO

Description of the equipment for the circulating system in accordance with Onshore Order #2:

Diagram of the equipment for the circulating system in accordance with Onshore Order #2:

Describe what will be on location to control well or mitigate other conditions: Sufficient mud materials to maintain mud properties and meet minimum lost circulation and weight increase requirements will be kept on location at all times.

Describe the mud monitoring system utilized: PVT/Pason/Visual Monitoring

Circulating Medium Table

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Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Mud Type	Min Weight (lbs/gal)	Max Weight (lbs/gal)	Density (lbs/cu ft)	Gel Strength (lbs/100 sqft)	PH	Viscosity (CP)	Salinity (ppm)	Filtration (cc)	Additional Characteristics
0	1150	WATER-BASED MUD	8.33	9				2			
1150	5000	SALT SATURATED	9	10				2			
5000	13700	WATER-BASED MUD	8.33	9.3				12			

Section 6 - Test, Logging, Coring

List of production tests including testing procedures, equipment and safety measures:

Will run GRMWD from TD to from KOP. Cement bond logs will be run in vertical to determine top of cement. Stated logs run will be in the Completion Report and submitted to the BLM.

List of open and cased hole logs run in the well:

CALIPER,CBL,DS,GR,MUDLOG

Coring operation description for the well:

N/A

Section 7 - Pressure

Anticipated Bottom Hole Pressure: 4720

Anticipated Surface Pressure: 2657.5

Anticipated Bottom Hole Temperature(F): 160

Anticipated abnormal pressures, temperatures, or potential geologic hazards? NO

Describe:

Contingency Plans geohazards description:

Contingency Plans geohazards attachment:

Hydrogen Sulfide drilling operations plan required? YES

Hydrogen sulfide drilling operations plan:

Flagler_8_Federal_40H_H2S_Plan_20180319090853.pdf

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Section 8 - Other Information

Proposed horizontal/directional/multi-lateral plan submission:

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Plot_Plan_20180319090908.pdf

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Dir_Svy_20180319090907.pdf

Other proposed operations facets description:

MULTI-BOWL VERBIAGE

MULTI-BOWL WELLHEAD

CLOSED LOOP DESIGN PLAN

AC REPORT

DRILLING PLAN

CO-FLEX HOSE

SPUDDER RIG REQUEST

Other proposed operations facets attachment:

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Clsd_Loop_20180319091134.pdf

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_MB_Wellhd_3M_20180319091136.pdf

Flagler_8_Fed_40H_MB_Verb_3M_20180319091135.pdf

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Flagler_8_Fed_40H_Spudder_Rig_Info_20180319091136.pdf

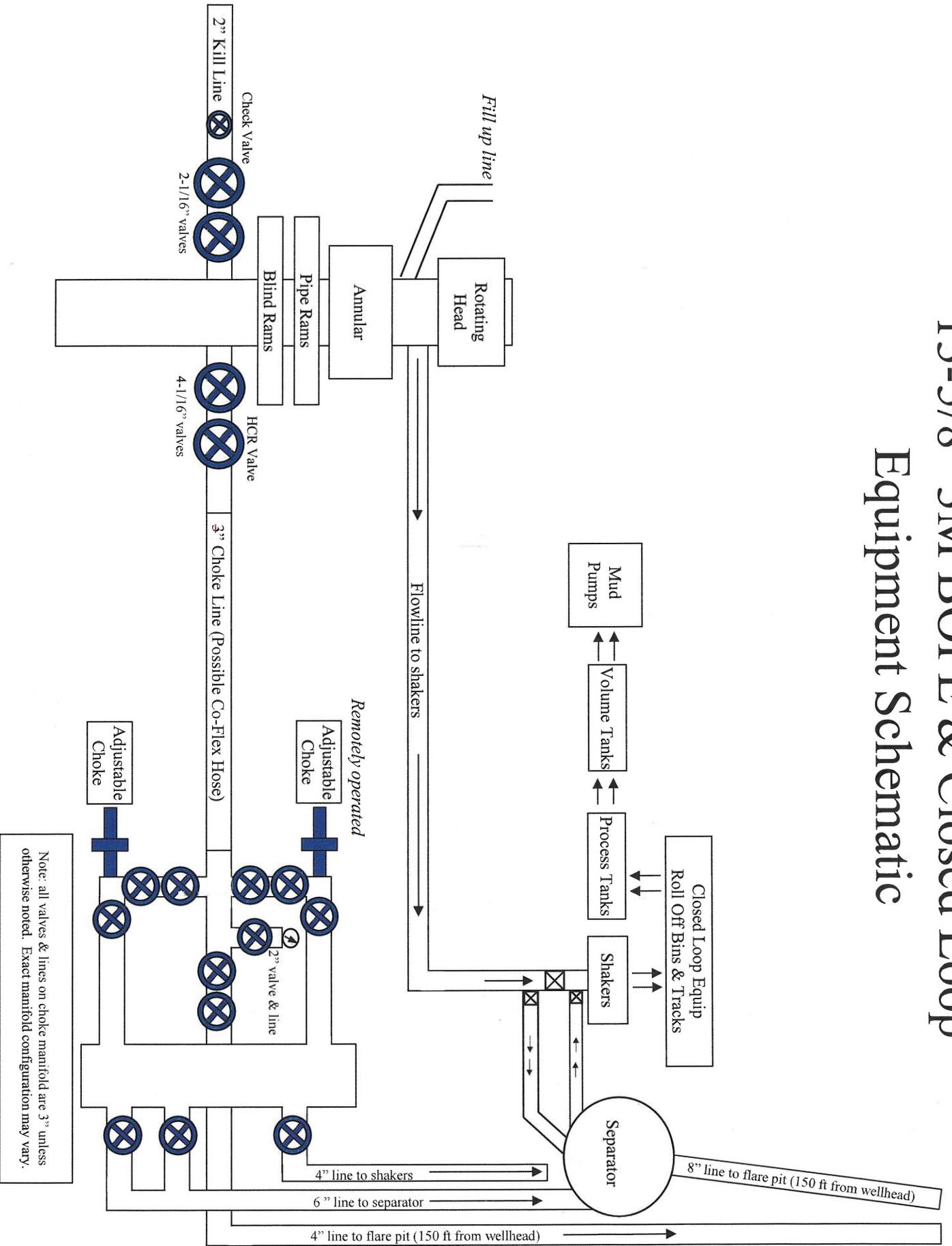
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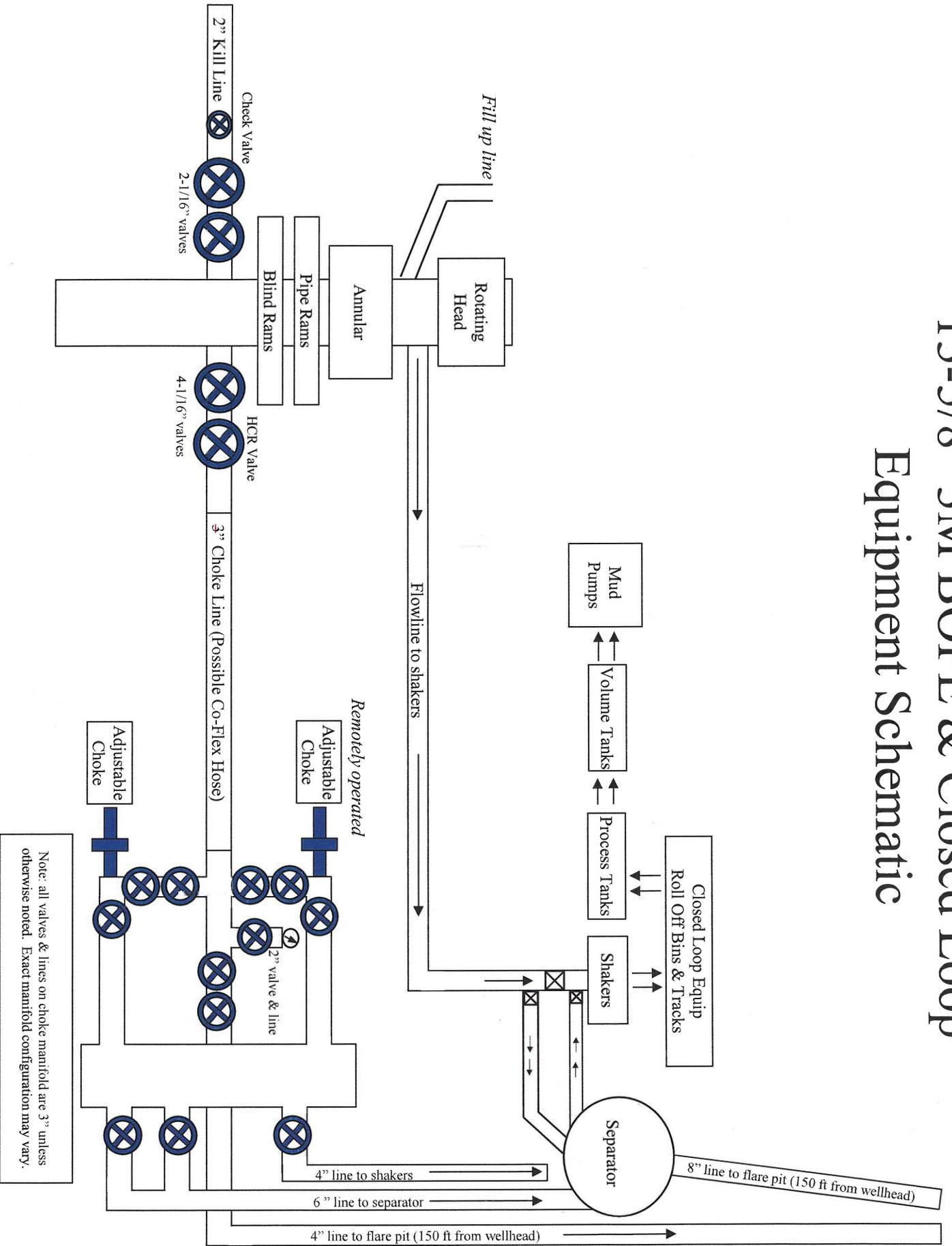
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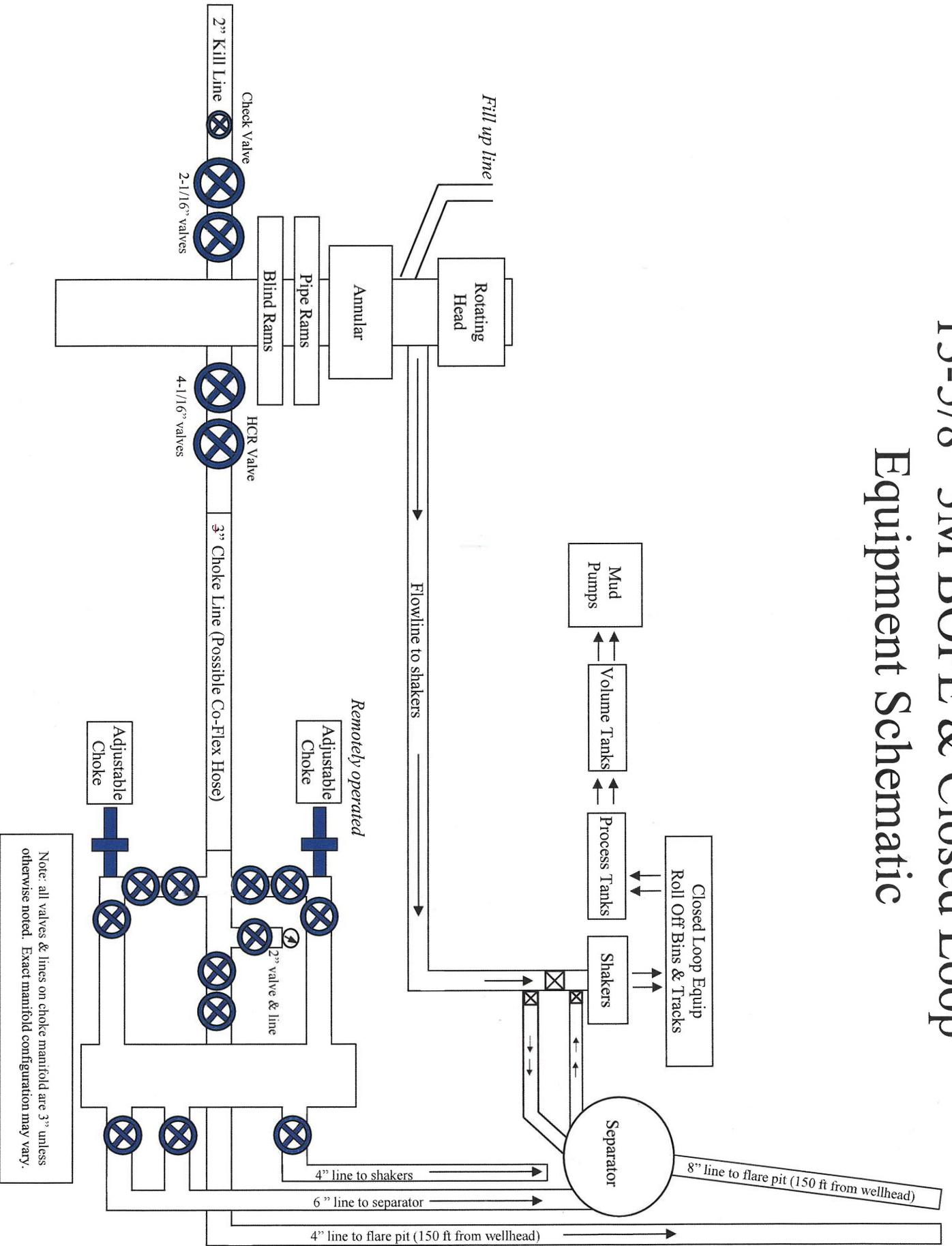
13-5/8" 3M BOPE & Closed Loop Equipment Schematic



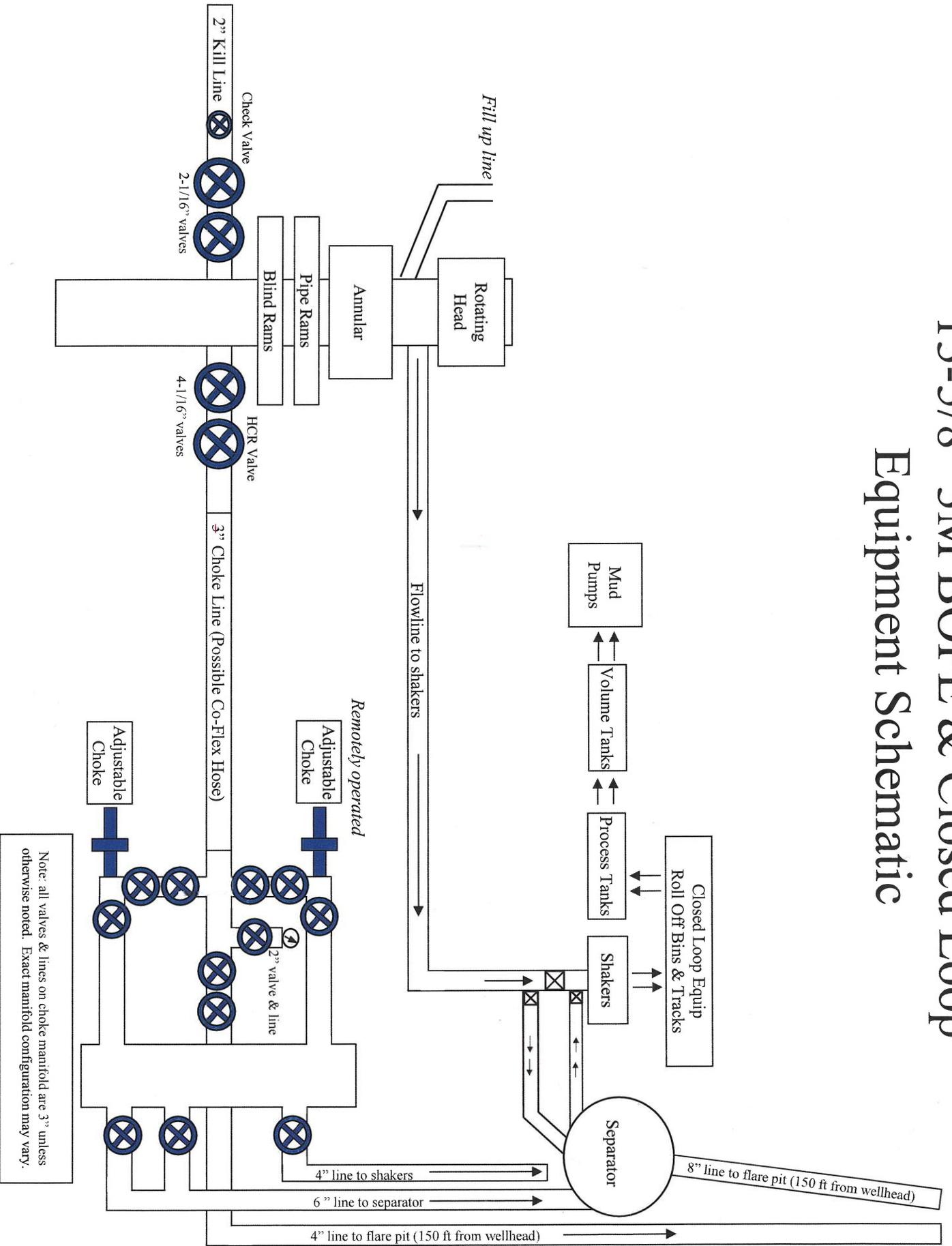
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1. Geologic Formations

TVD of target	9,375	Pilot hole depth	N/A
MD at TD:	13,700'	Deepest expected fresh water:	

Basin

Formation	Depth (TVD) from KB	Water/Mineral Bearing/ Target Zone?	Hazards*
RUSTLER	1145		
TOP SALT	1508		
BASE OF SALT	5000		
BELL CANYON	5000		
CHERRY CANYON	6040		
BRUSHY CANYON	7690		
BONE SPRING	9110		
BONE SPRING 1ST	10016		
BONE SPRING 2ND	10610		

*H2S, water flows, loss of circulation, abnormal pressures, etc.

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2. Casing Program

Hole Size	Casing Interval		Csg. Size	Weight (lbs)	Grade	Conn.	SF Collapse	SF Burst	SF Tension
	From	To							
17.5"	0	1,150'	13.375"	48	H40	STC	1.125	1	1.6
12.25"	0	5,000'	9.625"	40	J55	LTC	1.125	1	1.6
8.75"	0	13,700'	5.5"	17	P110	BTC	1.125	1	1.6
BLM Minimum Safety Factor							1.125	1	1.6 Dry 1.8 Wet

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

Must have table for contingency casing

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

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3. Cementing Program

Casing	# Skis	Wt. lb/gal	Yld ft ³ /sack	H ₂ O gal/sk	500# Comp. Strength (hours)	Slurry Description
Surf.	901	14.8	1.33	6.32	6	Lead: Class C Cement + 0.125 lbs/sack Poly-F-Flake
Inter.	511	10.3	3.65	22.06	24	Lead: (50:50) Poz (Silica) 3 lbm/sk Kol-Seal, .125 lbm/sk Poly-E-Flake
	306	14.8	1.33	6.32	6	Tail: Class C Cement + 0.125 lbs/sack Poly-F-Flake
Prod.	426	9	3.27	13.5	21	Lead: Tuned Light Cement
	1222	14.5	1.2	5.31	25	Tail: (50:50) Clas H Cement: Poz (Fly Ash) + 0.5% bwoc HALAD-344 + 0.4% bwoc CFR-3 + 0.2% BWOC HR-601 + 2% bwoc Bentonite

Casing String	TOC	% Excess
13-3/8" Surface	0'	50%
9-5/8" Intermediate	0'	30%
5-1/2" Production	4800'	25%

4. Pressure Control Equipment

N	A variance is requested for the use of a diverter on the surface casing. See attached for schematic.
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BOP installed and tested before drilling which hole?	Size?	Min. Required WP	Type	✓	Tested to:
12-1/4"	13-5/8"	3M	Annular	x	50% of working pressure
			Blind Ram		
			Pipe Ram		
			Double Ram	x	
			Other*		
8-3/4"	13-5/8"	3M	Annular	x	50% of working pressure
			Blind Ram		
			Pipe Ram		
			Double Ram	x	
			Other*		
			Annular		
			Blind Ram		

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			Pipe Ram		
			Double Ram		
			Other *		

*Specify if additional ram is utilized.

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.

Y	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.
Y	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.
Y	Are anchors required by manufacturer?
Y	<p>A multibowl wellhead is being used. The BOP will be tested per Onshore Order #2 after installation on the surface casing which will cover testing requirements for a maximum of 30 days. If any seal subject to test pressure is broken the system must be tested.</p> <p>Devon proposes using a multi-bowl wellhead assembly. This assembly will only be tested when installed on the surface 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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Wellhead will be installed by wellhead representatives. o If the welding is performed by a third party, the wellhead representative will monitor the temperature to verify that it does not exceed the maximum temperature of the seal. o Wellhead representative will install the test plug for the initial BOP test. o Wellhead company will install a solid steel body pack-off to completely isolate the lower head after cementing intermediate casing. After installation of the packoff, the pack-off and the lower flange will be tested to 3M, as shown on the attached schematic. Everything above the pack-off will not have been altered whatsoever from the initial nipple up. Therefore the BOP components will not be retested at that time.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ If the cement does not circulate and one inch operations would have been possible with a standard wellhead, the well head will be cut and top out operations will be conducted. ○ Devon will pressure test all seals above and below the mandrel (but still above the casing) to full working pressure rating. ○ Devon will test the casing to 0.22 psi/ft or 1500 psi, whichever is greater, as per Onshore Order #2. <p>After running the 13-3/8" surface casing, a 13-5/8" BOP/BOPE system with a minimum rating of 3M will be installed on the wellhead system and will undergo a 250 psi low pressure test followed by a 3,000 psi high pressure test. The 3,000 psi high and 250 psi. Low test will cover testing requirements a maximum of 30 days, as per Onshore Order #2. If the well is not complete within 30 days of this BOP test, another full BOP test will be conducted, as per Onshore Order #2.</p> <p>After running the 9-5/8' intermediate casing with a mandrel hanger, the 13-5/8" BOP/BOPE system with a minimum rating of 3M will already be installed on the wellhead.</p> <p>The pipe rams will be operated and checked each 24 hour period and each time the drill pipe is out of the hole. These tests will be logged in the daily driller's log. A 2" kill line and 3" choke line will be incorporated into the drilling spool below the ram BOP. In addition to the rams and annular preventer, additional BOP accessories include a Kelly cock, floor safety valve, choke lines, and choke manifold rated at 3,000 psi WP.</p> <p>Devon's proposed wellhead manufactures will be EMC Technologies, Cactus Wellhead, or Cameron.</p> <p>The pipe rams will be operated and checked each 24 hour period and each time the drill pipe is out of the hole. These tests will be logged in the daily driller's log. A 2" kill line and 3" choke line will be incorporated into the drilling spool below the ram BOP. In addition to the rams and annular preventer, additional BOP accessories include a kelly cock, floor safety valve, choke lines, and choke manifold rated at 3,000 psi WP.</p>
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5. Mud Program

Depth		Type	Weight (ppg)	Viscosity	Water Loss
From	To				
0	1150	FW Gel	8.5-9.0	28-34	N/C
1150	5,000	Saturated Brine	10.0-11.0	28-34	N/C
5,000	13,700	Cut Brine	8.5-9.3	28-34	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

Logging, Coring and Testing.	
X	Will run GR/CNL from TD 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? If yes, explain
	Coring? If yes, explain

Additional logs planned	Interval
	Resistivity
	Density
X	CBL
X	Mud log
	PEX

7. Drilling Conditions

Condition	Specify what type and where?
BH Pressure at deepest TVD	4720 psi
Abnormal Temperature	No

Mitigation measure for abnormal conditions. Describe. Lost circulation material/sweeps/mud scavengers.

Hydrogen Sulfide (H ₂ S) monitors will be installed prior to drilling out the surface shoe. If H ₂ S 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.	
N	H ₂ S is present
Y	H ₂ S Plan attached

8. Other facets of operation

Is this a walking operation? Yes

1. In the event the spudder rig is unable to drill the surface holes the drilling rig will batch drill the surface holes and run/cement surface casing; walking the rig to next wells on the pad.
2. The drilling rig will then batch drill the intermediate sections with either OBM or cut brine and run/cement intermediate casing; the wellbore will be isolated with a blind flange and pressure gauge installed for monitoring the well before walking to the next well.
3. The drilling rig will then batch drill the production hole sections on the wells with OBM, run/cement production casing, and install TA caps or tubing heads for completions.

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NOTE: During batch operations the drilling rig will be moved from well to well however, it will not be removed from the pad until all wells have production casing run/cemented.

Will be pre-setting casing? Yes

1. Spudder rig will move in and drill surface hole.
 - a. Rig will utilize fresh water based mud to drill 17½” surface hole to TD. Solids control will be handled entirely on a closed loop basis.
2. After drilling the surface hole section, the spudder rig will run casing and cement following all of the applicable rules and regulations (OnShore Order 2, all COAs and NMOCD regulations).
3. The wellhead will be installed and tested once the 13-3/8” surface casing is cut off and the WOC time has been reached.
4. A blind flange with the same pressure rating as the wellhead will be installed to seal the wellbore. Pressure will be monitored with a pressure gauge installed on the wellhead.
5. Spudder rig operations is expected to take 4-5 days per well on a multi well pad.
6. The NMOCD will be contacted and notified 24 hours prior to commencing spudder rig operations.
7. Drilling operations will be performed with the drilling rig. At that time an approved BOP stack will be nipped up and tested on the wellhead before drilling operations commences on each well.
 - a. The NMOCD will be contacted / notified 24 hours before the drilling rig moves back on to the pad with the pre-set surface casing.

Attachments

Directional Plan

Other, describe

Devon Energy

APD VARIANCE DATA

OPERATOR NAME: Devon Energy

1. SUMMARY OF Variance:

Devon Energy respectfully requests approval for the following additions to the drilling plan:

1. Potential utilization of a spudder rig to pre-set surface casing.

2. Description of Operations

1. A spudder rig contractor may move in their rig to drill the surface hole section and pre-set surface casing on this well.
 - a. After drilling the surface hole section, the rig will run casing and cement following all of the applicable rules and regulations (OnShore Order 2, all COAs and NMOCD regulations).
 - b. Rig will utilize fresh water based mud to drill surface hole to TD.
2. The wellhead will be installed and tested once the surface casing is cut off and the WOC time has been reached.
3. A blind flange with the same pressure rating as the wellhead will be installed to seal the wellbore. Pressure will be monitored with needle valves installed on two wingvalves.
 - a. A means for intervention will be maintained while the drilling rig is not over the well.
4. The BLM will be contacted and notified 24 hours prior to commencing spudder rig operations.
5. Drilling operation will be performed with the big rig. At that time an approved BOP stack will be nipped up and tested on the wellhead before drilling operations commences on each well.
 - a. The BLM will be contacted / notified 24 hours before the big rig moves back on to the pad with the pre-set surface casing.
6. Devon Energy will have supervision on the rig to ensure compliance with all BLM and NMOCD regulations and to oversee operations.
7. Once the rig is removed, Devon Energy will secure the wellhead area by placing a guard rail around the cellar area.