

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT

- I. Purpose:  Secondary Recovery  Pressure Maintenance  Disposal  Storage  
Application qualifies for administrative approval?  yes  no
- II. Operator: BTA OIL PRODUCERS  
Address: 104 South Pecos Midland, Texas 79701  
Contact party: DOROTHY HOUGHTON Phone: 915/682-3753
- III. Well data: Complete the data required on the reverse side of this form for each well proposed for injection. Additional sheets may be attached if necessary.
- IV. Is this an expansion of an existing project?  yes  no  
If yes, give the Division order number authorizing the project \_\_\_\_\_.
- V. Attach a map that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well. This circle identifies the well's area of review.
- \* VI. Attach a tabulation of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. Such data shall include a description of each well's type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail.
- VII. Attach data on the proposed operation, including:
1. Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected;
  2. Whether the system is open or closed;
  3. Proposed average and maximum injection pressure;
  4. Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and
  5. If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.).
- \*VIII. Attach appropriate geological data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geological name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone as well as any such source known to be immediately underlying the injection interval.
- IX. Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any.
- \* X. Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division they need not be resubmitted.)
- \* XI. Attach a chemical analysis of fresh water from two or more fresh water wells (if available and producing) within one mile of any injection or disposal well showing location of wells and dates samples were taken.
- XII. Applicants for disposal wells must make an affirmative statement that they have examined available geologic and engineering data and find no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground source of drinking water.
- XIII. Applicants must complete the "Proof of Notice" section on the reverse side of this form.
- XIV. Certification
- I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- Name: DOROTHY HOUGHTON Title Regulatory Supervisor  
Signature: *Dorothy Houghton* Date: 6-4-86
- \* If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be duplicated and resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstance of the earlier submittal. \_\_\_\_\_

INJECTION WELL DATA SHEET

BTA OIL PRODUCERS		Buckeye, 8601 JV-P		
OPERATOR	LEASE			
1-SWD	2310' FNL & 990' FWL	29	17-S	36-E
WELL NO.	FOOTAGE LOCATION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE

Schematic

See Attached

Tabular Data

Surface Casing

Size 8-5/8" @ 437' " Cemented with 300 sx.  
 TOC Circ feet determined by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hole size 11"

Intermediate Casing

Size \_\_\_\_\_ " Cemented with \_\_\_\_\_ sx.  
 TOC \_\_\_\_\_ feet determined by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hole size \_\_\_\_\_

Long string

Size 4-1/2" @ 5159' " Cemented with 1175 sx.  
 TOC Circ. to surface feet determined by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hole size 7-7/8"  
 Total depth 5168'

Injection interval Perf @  
5082 feet to 5120 feet  
 (perforated or open-hole, indicate which)

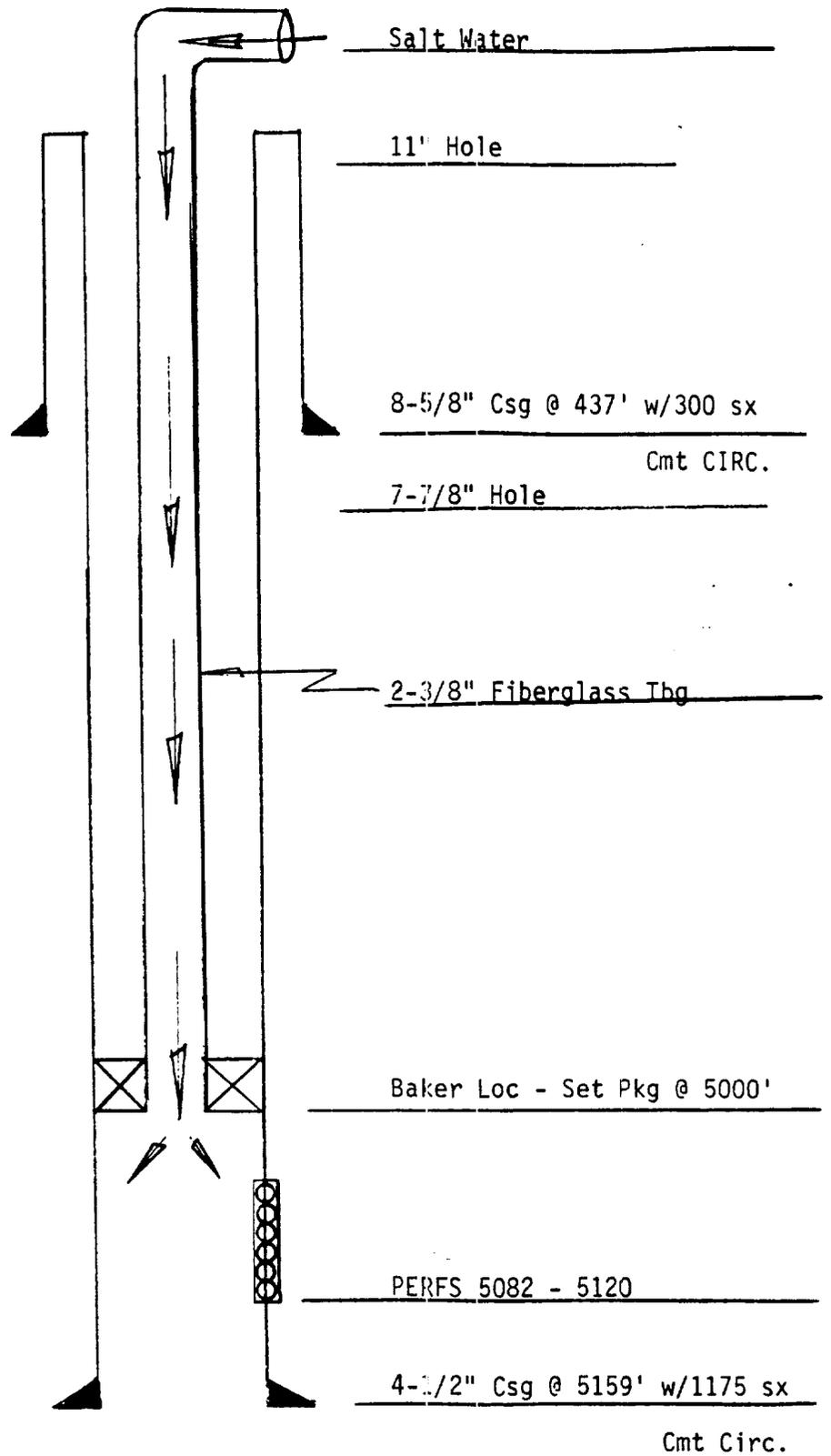
Tubing size 2-3/8" OD lined with Fiberglass set in a  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (material)  
Baker Loc-Set packer at 5000 feet  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (brand and model)

(or describe any other casing-tubing seal).

Other Data

- Name of the injection formation San Andres
- Name of Field or Pool (if applicable) Vacuum, Grayburg
- Is this a new well drilled for injection?  Yes  No  
 If no, for what purpose was the well originally drilled? Production - Drld by Calatex  
as New Mexico State #1 - Spud: 11-26-83 P&A 2-22-84
- Has the well ever been perforated in any other zone(s)? List all such perforated intervals and give plugging detail (sacks of cement or bridge plug(s) used) No- See Above Perf's
  - 10 sx plug from 4910' - 5019'
  - 20 sx plug from 3000' - 3200'
  - 20 sx plug from 1850' - 2050'
  - 10 sx @ Surface
- Give the depth to and name of any overlying and/or underlying oil or gas zones (pools) in this area. Abo Detrital 8800' - 9200'

BTA OIL PRODUCERS  
Buckeye, 8601 JV-P  
Well No. 1, SWD



BTA OIL PRODUCERS  
Buckeye, 8601 JV-P  
Well No. 1-SWD  
Form C-108 Attachment Data Sheet  
-E-, Sec. 29, T-17-S, R-36-E  
Lea County, New Mexico

- V. The attached map identifies all wells and leases within two miles of our proposed injection well. See Exhibit -A-.
- VI. Exhibit -B- is a tabulation on all wells of public record within the area of review (1/2 mile). Also attached are Exhibits -C- 1 through 6, a schematic of each of the six plugged wells within the area of review.
- VII. 1. Estimated average maximum daily rate will be 1,000 barrels per day.  
2. The system will be closed.  
3. The proposed average maximum injection pressure will be 750 psi.  
4. The source of produced water will be the Abo and San Andres formations.  
5. Exhibit -D- 1 through 3 are water analyses of produced water from wells in the area.
- VIII. Attached Exhibit -E- is a stratigraphic section of the "Permian San Andres" formation which we estimate to be a thickness of  $\pm 1,657'$  from the top of the San Andres to the base of the San Andres.
- The source of drinking water in this area is the Ogallala Aquifer located from 50 feet to 250 feet.
- IX. We propose to use 1,500 gal. of 15% HCl acid for a stimulation program.
- X. Logs were previously furnished by Calatex Exploration on this well.
- XI. We were not able to obtain chemical analysis of fresh water in this area.
- XII. After examining available geologic and engineering data, I find no evidence of open faults in the "Permian San Andres" formation or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground source of drinking water.

  
MARVIN ZOLLER  
Chief Geologist  
For BTA Oil Producers

XIII. We are having a legal notice published in the Lovington Daily Leader and will forward a copy of proof of publication as soon as available. A copy of our application has been furnished by certified mail to the surface leasee, State of New Mexico, Commission of Public Lands, and to each leasehold operator within one-half mile of the well location. See Exhibit -F-.



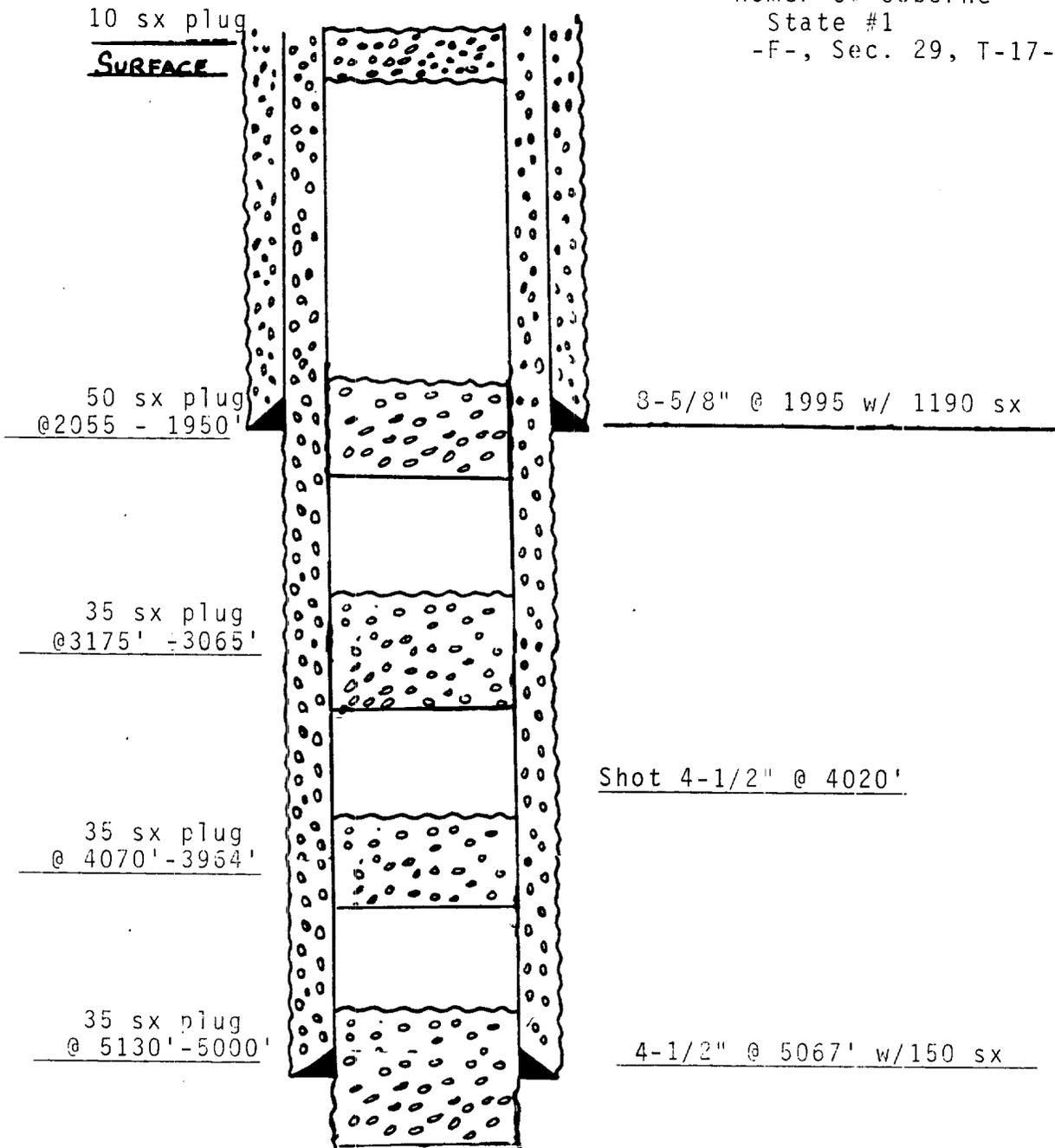
EXHIBIT -B-

BTA Oil Producers  
 Buckeye, 8601 JV-P  
 Well No. 1, SWD

Company Name Lease Name, Well #	Well Type	Construction	Spud Date Completion	Location	Depth	Record of Completion
Homer C. Osborne State #1 (Exhibit C-1)	Oil	8-5/8 @ 1995 4-1/2 @ 5067	4-29-80 2-16-81	Unt. Ltr. F, Sec. 29 T-17-S, R-36-E	5,152'	OH-5067-5152 IPP-15 B0 + 6 BW; P&A 3-23-84
Frank A. Schultz Schultz State #1 (Exhibit C-2)	Dry	8-5/8 @ 380 4-1/2 @ 5160	5-30-76 7-9-76	Unt. Ltr. F, Sec. 29 T-17-S, R-36-E	5,160'	Perf 5082-5138 Swb. 19 B0 P&A 7-9-76
O. D. Alsbrook Alsbrook #1 (Exhibit C-3)	Dry	4-1/2 @ 5297	11-26-71 2-9-72	Unt. Ltr. K, Sec. 29 T-17-S, R-36-E	5,300'	Perf. 5136-5203 Swb. 100% wtr. P&A 2-9-72
BTA Buckeye #1	Oil	13-3/8 @ 402 8-5/8 @ 4395 5-1/2 @ 9900	3-15-86	Unit. Ltr. D, Sec. 29 T-17-S, R-36-E	PB 5240 9,900'	Perf 5050-5163 IPP- (testing)
Joseph I. O'Neill State -K- #1 (Exhibit C-4)	Dry	13-3/8 @ 358 8-5/8 @ 3470	4-13-62 5-26-62	Unt. Ltr. N, Sec. 29 T-17-S, R-36-E	9,283'	2 DST's P&A 5-26-62
Lone Star Prod. Co. Atlantic State #1-B (Exhibit C-5)	Dry	10-3/4 @ 406 7-5/8 @ 3618	7-9-64 9-9-64	Unit. Ltr. H, Sec. 30 T-17-S, R-36-E	9,341'	Perf. 8705-9178 P&A 9-9-64
Lone Star Prod. Co. Gulf State #1 (Exhibit C-6)	Oil	10-3/4 @ 395 7-5/8 @ 3600 4-1/2 @ 9293	3-28-64 5-25-64	Unt. Ltr. M, Sec. 20 T-17-S, R-36-E	9,258' 9,322'	Perf. 9171-78; Flwd 123 B0; Perf. 8705-9083 P&A 7-25-68

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Homer C. Osborne  
State #1  
-F-, Sec. 29, T-17-S, R-36-E



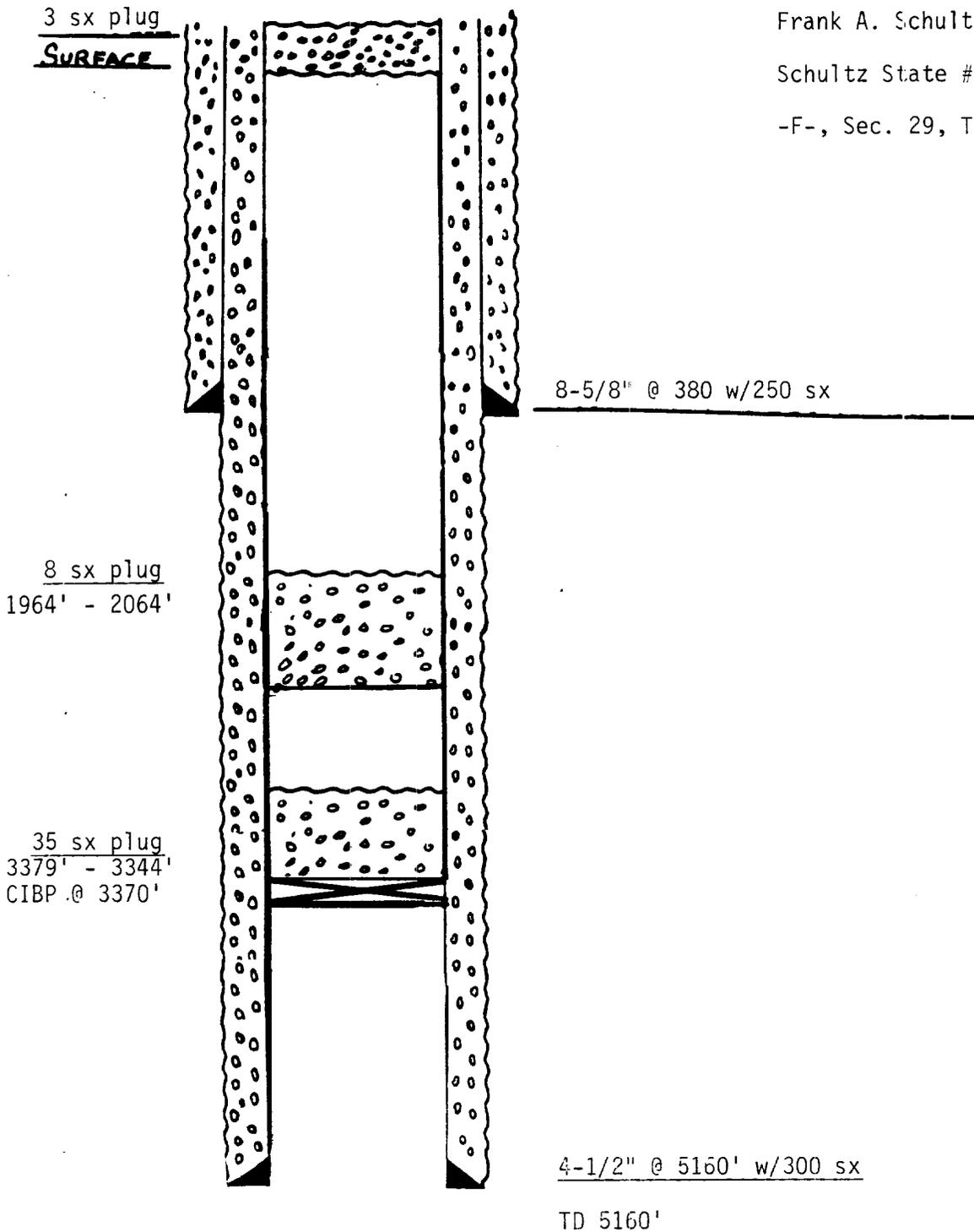
TD 5152'

Exhibit C-2

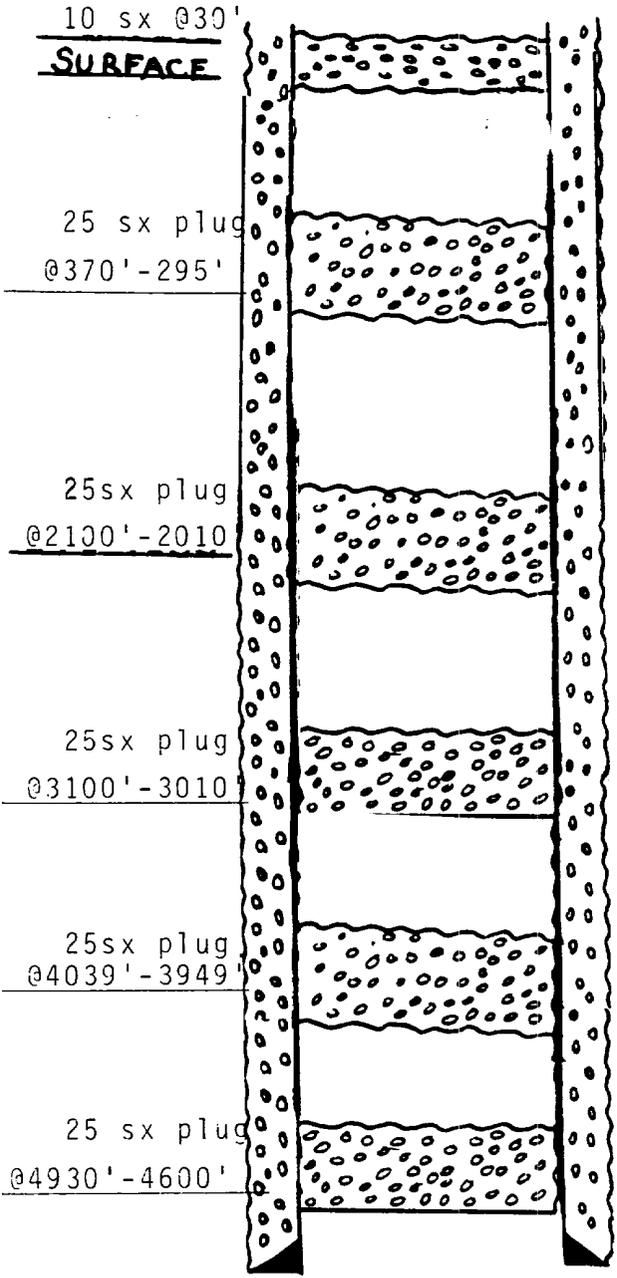
Frank A. Schultz

Schultz State #1

-F-, Sec. 29, T-17-S, R-36-E



O. D. ALSABROOK  
Alsabrook #1  
-K-, Sec. 29, 6-17-S, R-36-E



Left 1273' of 4-1/2" csg in hole.

Cut 4-1/2" csg @ 4024'

4-1/2" @ 5297'w/200 sx.

TD 5300'

JOSEPH I. O'NEILL, JR.

State -K- #1

-N-, Sec. 29, T-17-S, R-36-E

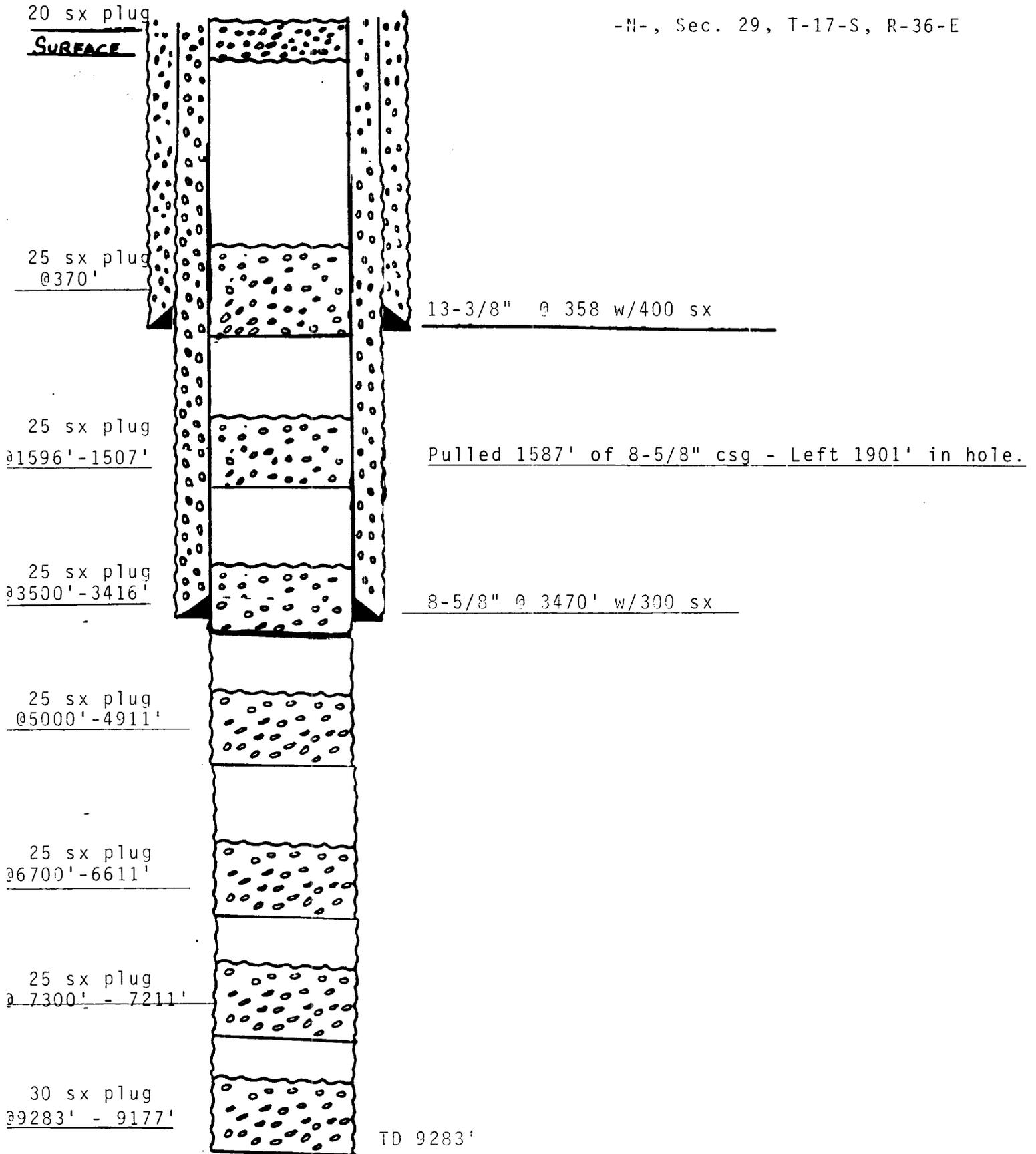


Exhibit -C- 5

Lone Star Producing Company

Atlantic State -B- #1

-H-, Sec. 30, T-17-S, R-36-E

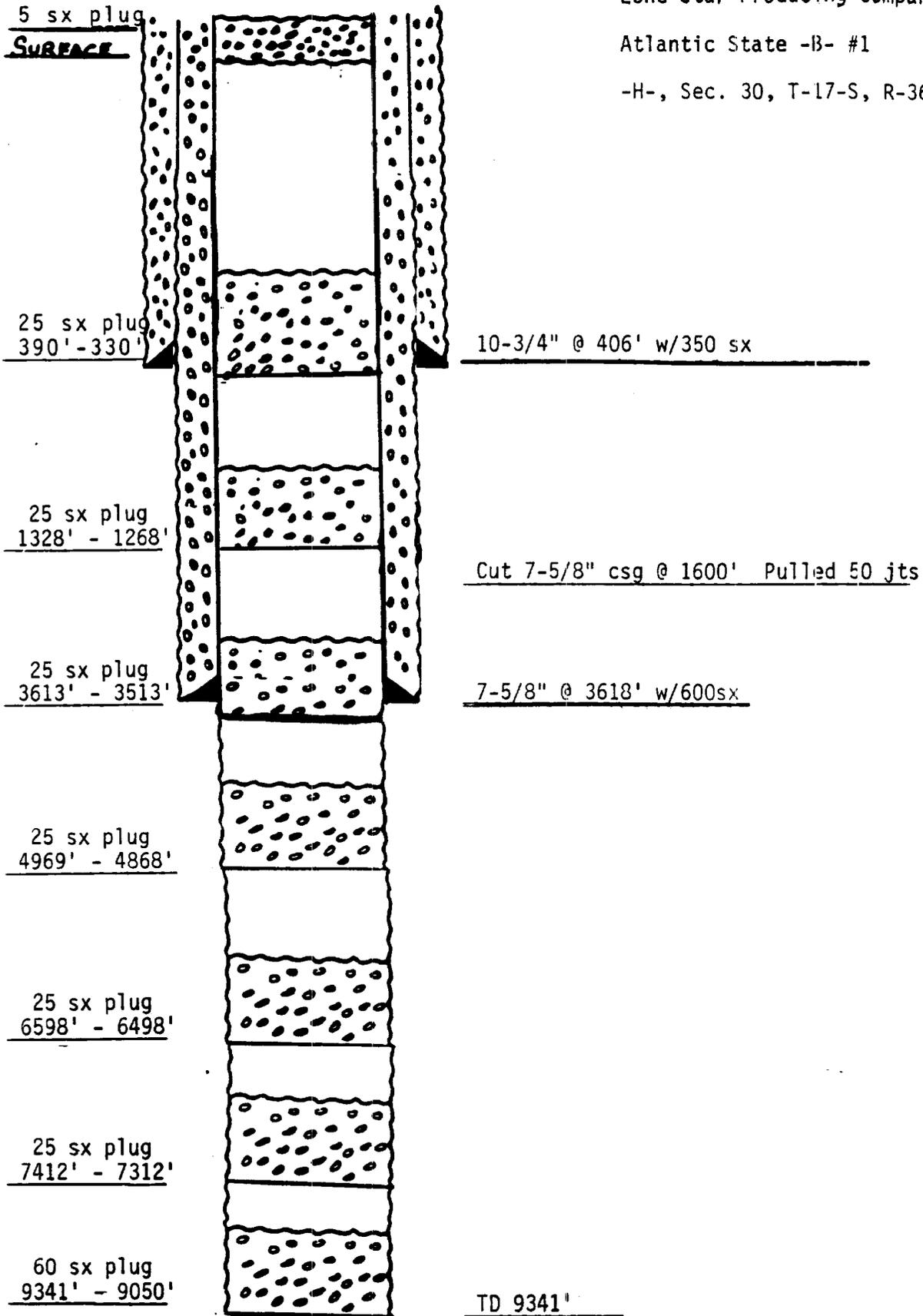
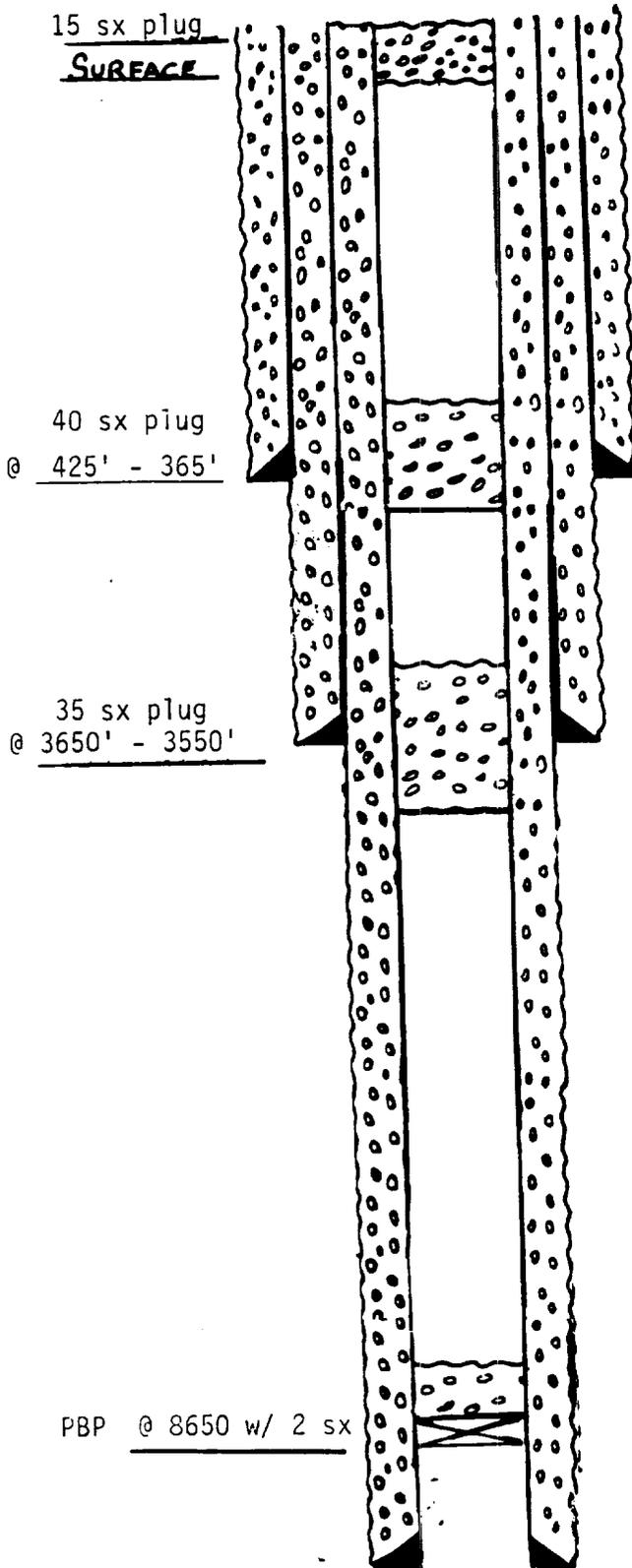


Exhibit C-6

Lone Star Prod. Company

Gulf State #1

-M-, Sec. 20, T-17-S, R-36-E



10-3/4" @ 395 w/325 sx  
(Left in well.)

7-5/8" @ 3600' w/1112 sx  
(7-5/8" 2500' - Left in well.)

Cut 4-1/2" @ 5050'  
Left:  
4243' of 4-1/2" csg in well

4-1/2" @ 9293 w/200 sx

TD 9322'

P. O. BOX 1468  
 MONAHAN, TEXAS 79756  
 PH 943-3234 OR 563-1040

Exhibit D-1  
 Martin Water Laboratories, Inc.

709 W. INDIANA  
 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701  
 PHONE 683-4521

RESULT OF WATER ANALYSES

TO: Mr. Steve Salmon LABORATORY NO. 1085221  
104 South Pecos, Midland, Texas SAMPLE RECEIVED 10-15-85  
 RESULTS REPORTED 10-18-85

COMPANY BTA Oil Producers LEASE 8408 JV-P Turner #1  
 FIELD OR POOL Wildcat Lower Abo - A - (Abo)  
 SECTION 21 BLOCK T-17-S SURVEY R-36-E COUNTY Lea STATE NM

SOURCE OF SAMPLE AND DATE TAKEN:  
 NO. 1 Pit sample. 10-13-85  
 NO. 2 Recovered water - middle. 10-13-85  
 NO. 3 Recovered water - bottom. 10-13-85  
 NO. 4 Recovered water - sampler. 10-13-85

REMARKS: DST #1 - Lower Abo - 9,220' - 9,240'

CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES				
	NO. 1	NO. 2	NO. 3	NO. 4
Specific Gravity at 60° F.	1.0734	1.0736	1.0745	1.0739
pH When Sampled				
pH When Received	8.83	8.17	7.86	7.84
Bicarbonate as HCO <sub>3</sub>	183	415	451	439
Supersaturation as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
Undersaturation as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	5,250	5,350	6,400	6,350
Calcium as Ca	1,780	1,760	2,060	2,020
Magnesium as Mg	194	231	304	316
Sodium and/or Potassium	36,996	36,101	36,008	35,929
Sulfate as SO <sub>4</sub>	6,114	6,063	5,962	5,760
Chloride as Cl	56,105	54,685	55,395	55,395
Iron as Fe	2.5	2.5	9.3	12.7
Barium as Ba				
Turbidity, Electric				
Color as Pt				
Total Solids, Calculated	101,408	99,303	100,180	99,859
Temperature °F.				
Carbon Dioxide, Calculated				
Dissolved Oxygen, Winkler				
Hydrogen Sulfide	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Resistivity, ohms/m at 77° F.	0.095	0.097	0.096	0.096
Suspended Oil				
Filtrable Solids as mg/l				
Volume Filtered, ml				
Carbonate, as CO <sub>3</sub>	36	48	0	0

Results Reported As Milligrams Per Liter

Additional Determinations And Remarks Sample from "top" - No water.  
The above recovered waters appear to be pit water with no evidence of any influence from Abo formation water.

Form No. 3

By [Signature]  
 Waylan C. Martin, M. A.

cc: Permian Testers, Inc @ Odessa

Exhibit D-2

Martin Water Laboratories, Inc.

P. O. BOX 1468  
MONAHAN, TEXAS 79756  
PH 943-3234 OR 583-1040

708 W INDIANA  
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701  
PHONE 683-4521

RESULT OF WATER ANALYSES

TO: Mr. Steve Salmon  
104 South Pecos, Midland, Texas 79701

LABORATORY NO. 386346  
SAMPLE RECEIVED 3-31-86  
RESULTS REPORTED 4-3-86

COMPANY BTA Oil Producers LEASE Turner #2  
FIELD OR POOL Lower Double-A - South Lexington (Abo)  
SECTION 21 BLOCK T-12-S SURVEY R-36-E COUNTY Lea STATE NM

SOURCE OF SAMPLE AND DATE TAKEN:

- NO. 1 Pit sample, 3-29-86
- NO. 2 Recovered water - top, 3-29-86
- NO. 3 Recovered water-bottom, 3-29-86
- NO. 4 \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS: DST #1 - Abo #2 (Lower) - 9,260' - 9,360'

CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES				
	NO. 1	NO. 2	NO. 3	NO. 4
Specific Gravity at 60° F.	1.0099	1.0091	1.0202	
pH When Sampled				
pH When Received	7.98	7.64	6.82	
Bicarbonate as HCO <sub>3</sub>	1,976	1,147	1,147	
Supersaturation as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
Undersaturation as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	2,900	2,000	7,200	
Calcium as Ca	1,060	700	2,200	
Magnesium as Mg	61	61	413	
Sodium and/or Potassium	1,530	1,882	6,211	
Sulfate as SO <sub>4</sub>	2,551	2,304	2,441	
Chloride as Cl	1,385	1,953	12,215	
Iron as Fe	12.7	2.0	0.04	
Barium as Ba				
Turbidity, Electric				
Color as Pt				
Total Solids, Calculated	8,563	8,046	24,628	
Temperature °F.				
Carbon Dioxide, Calculated				
Dissolved Oxygen, Winkler				
Hydrogen Sulfide				
Resistivity, ohms/m at 77° F.	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Suspended Oil	0.940	0.900	0.320	
Filtrable Solids as mg/l				
Volume Filtered, ml				

Results Reported As Milligrams Per Liter

Additional Determinations And Remarks When we compare the above with our records in the area, we find the possibility that the bottom sample could involve as much as one half Abo water. However, this is assuming that there is no other source of higher salts from waters that might have been lost in this interval. Also, we would expect the Abo to carry a substantial amount of hydrogen sulfide, therefore placing additional doubt on the probability of a significant amount of Abo being involved in the bottom sample.

Form No. 3

By \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Permian Testers, INC. @ Odessa

Waylan C. Martin, M. A.

Martin Water Laboratories, Inc.

P. O. BOX 1468  
 MONAHANS, TEXAS 79758  
 PH 843-3234 OR 563-1040

709 W INDIANA  
 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701  
 PHONE 683-4521

RESULT OF WATER ANALYSES

LABORATORY NO. 386276  
 TO: Mr. Steve Salmon SAMPLE RECEIVED 3-25-86  
104 South Pecos, Midland, Texas RESULTS REPORTED 3-27-86

COMPANY BTA Oil Producers LEASE 8601-JVP Buckeye #1  
 FIELD OR POOL Vacuum, Grayburg-SA Unit Letter -D-  
 SECTION 29 BLOCK 17-S SURVEY R-36-E COUNTY Lea STATE NM

SOURCE OF SAMPLE AND DATE TAKEN:

- NO. 1 Pit sample. 3-24-86
- NO. 2 Recovered water - middle. 3-24-86
- NO. 3 Recovered water- bottom. 3-24-86
- NO. 4 Recovered water - sampler. 3-24-86

REMARKS: DST #1 - San Andres - 5,050' - 5,090'

CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES				
	NO. 1	NO. 2	NO. 3	NO. 4
Specific Gravity at 60° F.	1.0088	1.0072	1.0091	1.0105
pH When Sampled				
pH When Received	10.34	6.98	6.77	6.96
Bicarbonate as HCO <sub>3</sub>	49	927	1,159	927
Supersaturation as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
Supersaturation as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	1,115	1,830	2,350	2,550
Calcium as Ca	440	656	850	870
Magnesium as Mg	4	46	55	91
Sodium and/or Potassium	2,313	1,099	2,193	3,139
Sulfate as SO <sub>4</sub>	1,027	1,280	1,453	1,493
Chloride as Cl	3,444	1,509	3,302	5,007
Iron as Fe	3.4	1	1.7	1.7
Barium as Ba				
Turbidity, Electric				
Color as Pt				
Total Solids, Calculated	7,385	5,518	9,013	11,527
Temperature °F.				
Carbon Dioxide, Calculated				
Dissolved Oxygen, Winkler				
Hydrogen Sulfide	0.6	1,125	1,950	1,050
Resistivity, ohms/m at 77° F.	0.500	1.13	0.750	0.570
Suspended Oil				
Filtrable Solids as mg/l				
Volume Filtered, ml				
Carbonate, as CO <sub>3</sub>	108	0	0	0

Results Reported As Milligrams Per Liter

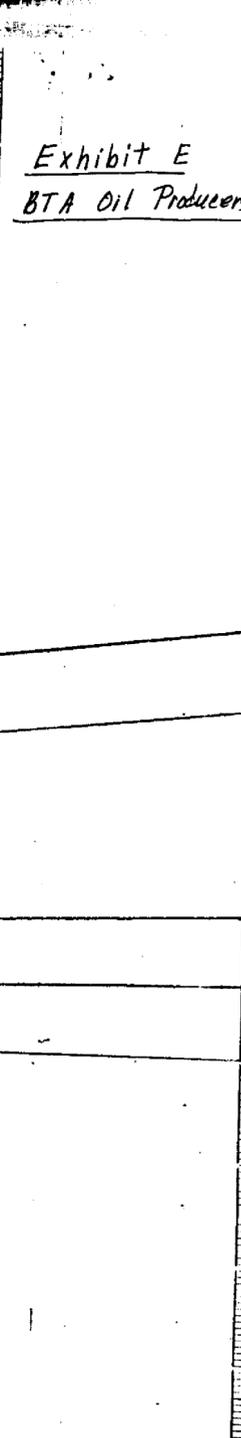
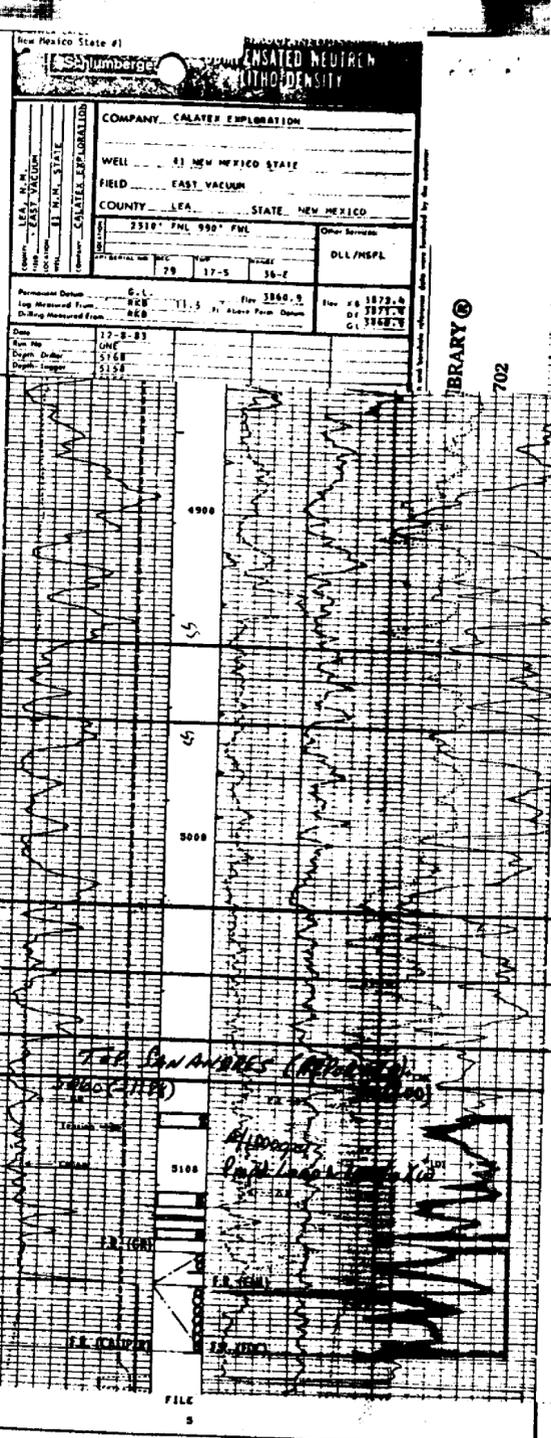
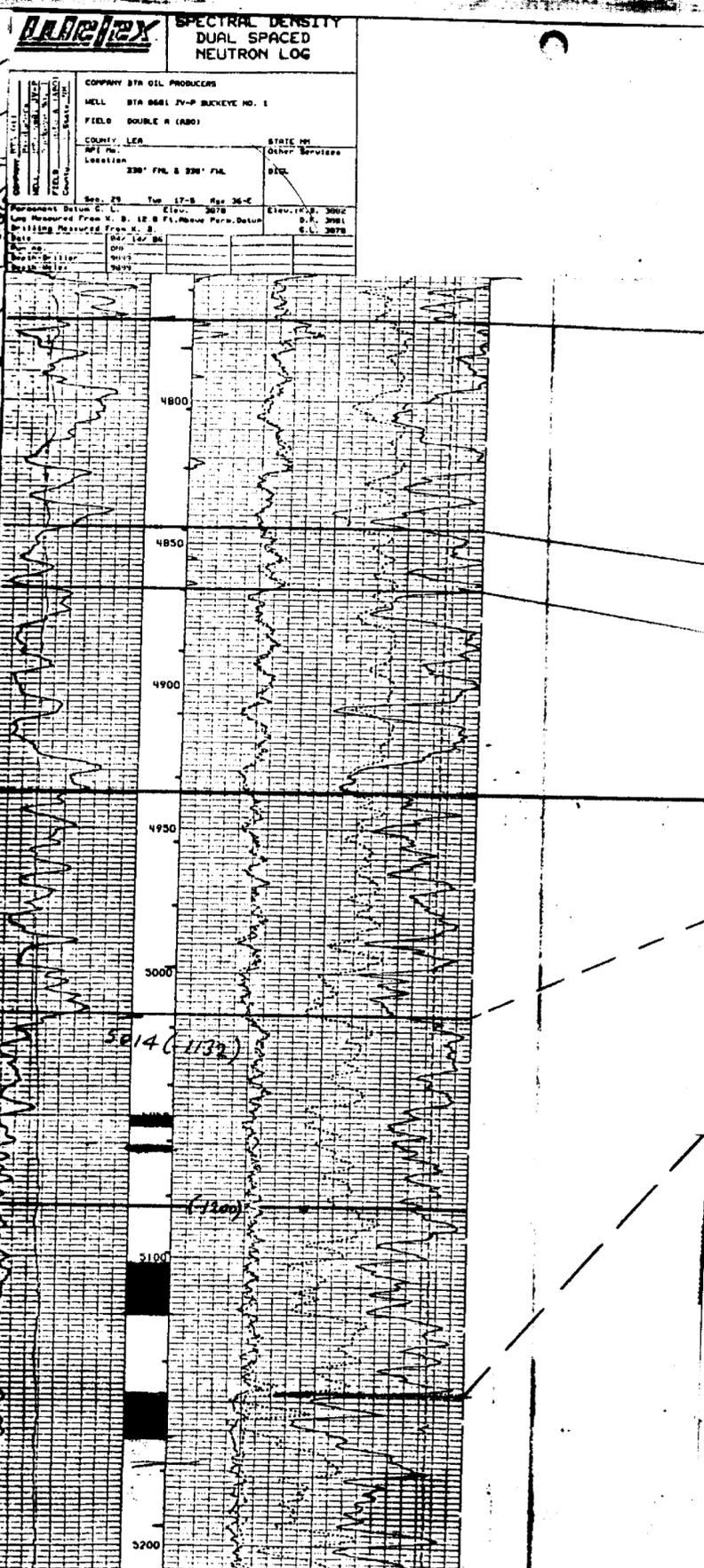
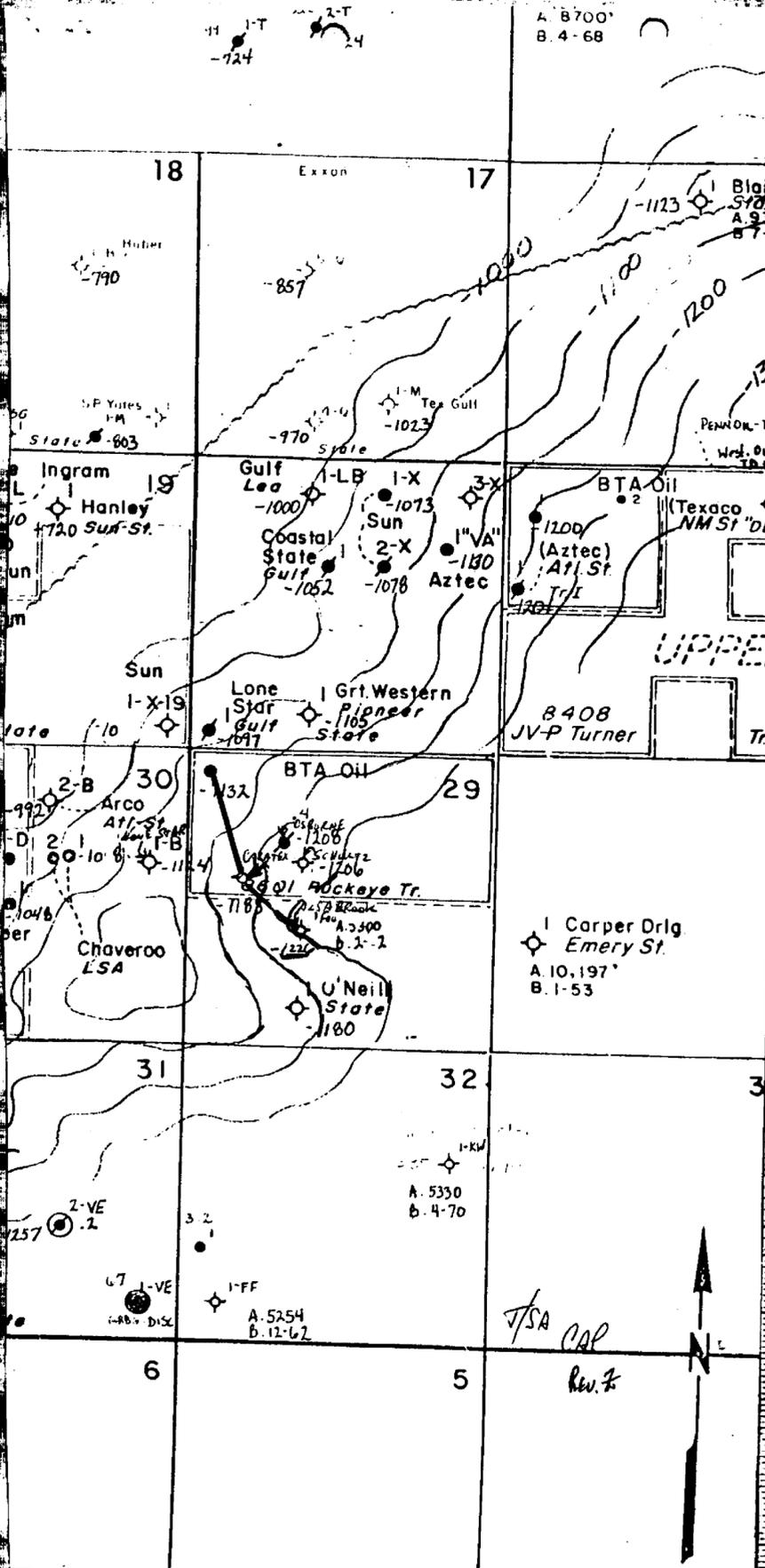
Additional Determinations And Remarks Sample from "top" - no water.

In comparing the above with our records in the immediate area, we find some concern in identifying the origin of the waters recovered in that there is only a relatively mild difference between the pit water and our San Andres water. Also, pit water can readily pick up hydrogen sulfide; therefore, we cannot rely on the high sulfide content. However, we do find some weak indicators herein that indicate the probability that the last water recovered is predominantly San Andres.

By \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Permian Testers, Inc. @ Odessa

Waylan C. Martin, M. A.



**Schlumberger GAMMA RAY-NEUTRON**

Exhibit E  
BTA Oil Producers

COUNTY LEA	FIELD or LOCATION	WELL STATE	COMPANY
LEA	WILDCAT	1980' FVL	D. D. ROGER ALSABROOK
LEA	STATE	NEW MEXICO	
Location: 1980' FVL 1980' FSL			Other Services:
Sec. 29 Twp. 17-S Rge. 36-E			NONE
JAN 30 1988			3870 KB

Sort of STRATIGRAPHIC SECTION

8601 Buckeye  
LEA Co., N.M.

8 EXISTING PERFORATIONS.  
8 Recommended Additional parts

data were furnished by the customer.

EXHIBIT -F-

List of Offset Operators  
and Surface Owners

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BTA Oil Producers  
Buckeye, 8601 JV-P  
Lea County, New Mexico

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Chevron U.S.A., Inc.  
P. O. Box 1150  
Midland, Texas 79702

Pioneer Production Corp.  
P. O. Box 2542  
Amarillo, Texas 79189

Arco Oil and Gas Company  
P. O. Box 1610  
Midland, Texas 79702

Sun Exploration and Production Co.  
P. O. Box 1861  
Midland, Texas 79702

Surface Owner:  
Giles M. Lee  
West Star Route, Box 478  
Lovington, New Mexico 88260

I hereby certify the above were mailed copies of our application  
on June 4, 1986.

  
DOROTHY HOUGHTON





BTA OIL PRODUCERS

PARTNERS  
CARLTON BEAL  
CARLTON BEAL, JR.  
BARRY BEAL  
SPENCER BEAL  
KELLY BEAL

104 SOUTH PECOS  
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701-9988  
AC 915-682-3753

June 4, 1986

Re: BTA - Application for Salt Water Disposal  
Buckeye, 8601 JV-P, Well No. 1-SWD  
New Mexico State Lease No. V-1688  
Section 29, T-17-S, R-36-E  
Lea County, New Mexico

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS  
P. O. Box 1148  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-1148

Gentlemen:

Attached please find a complete copy of our application for Salt Water Disposal.

Please advise if you have any questions concerning this application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Dorothy Houghton'.  
DOROTHY HOUGHTON  
For BTA Oil Producers

DH:ss

Attachments