



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
P. O. BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

RE: Proposed:

- MC _____
- DHC _____
- NSL _____
- NSP _____
- SWD _____
- WFX _____
- PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application for the:

<u>Pogo Producing Co</u>	<u>Red Tank 35 Federal</u>	<u>#3-L</u>	<u>35-225-32e</u>
Operator	Lease & Well No.	Unit	S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

OK

Yours very truly,

Jerry Sexton
Supervisor, District 1

/ed



POGO PRODUCING COMPANY

OVERNIGHT MAIL

November 10, 1995

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505
Attention: Mr. David R. Catanach

Re: S.E. Red Tank Prospect NM-607
Lea County, New Mexico
Application for Administrative
Approval to Inject Saltwater
into the Red Tank "35" Federal #3 Well
located 2310' FSL & 990' FWL
Section 35, T-22-S, R-32-E, N.M.P.M.

Gentlemen:

Pogo hereby respectfully submits two (2) original Applications for Authorization to Inject (Form C-108) pertaining to the captioned well and requests that same be given Administrative Approval.

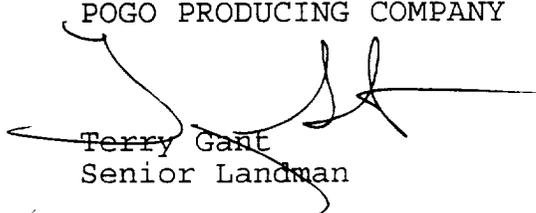
Pursuant thereto, please find enclosed the following:

- (1) Copy of Notification Letter sent to all Offset Leasehold Operators within a one-half (1/2) mile radius of the proposed injection well and to the surface owner upon which such well is located, along with copies of proof of mailing; and
- (2) Proof of Legal Publication.

If you should have any questions regarding the subject Application, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

POGO PRODUCING COMPANY


Terry Gant
Senior Landman

TG:lf/c:SWD35
Enclosures

cc w/encl. ✓ New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
District I Office
P. O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240
Attention: Mr. Jerry Sexton

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF LEA)

Joyce Clemens being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is **Adv. Director** of THE LOVINGTON DAILY LEADER, a daily newspaper of general paid circulation published in the English language at Lovington, Lea County, New Mexico; that said newspaper has been so published in such county continuously and uninterruptedly for a period in excess of Twenty-six (26) consecutive weeks next prior to the first publication of the notice hereto attached as hereinafter shown; and that said newspaper is in all things duly qualified to publish legal notices within the meaning of Chapter 167 of the 1937 Session Laws of the State of New Mexico.

That the notice which is hereto attached, entitled

Public Notice

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~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ was published in a regular and entire issue of THE LOVINGTON DAILY LEADER and not in any supplement thereof, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~, for **one (1) day**

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~, beginning with the issue of **November 8**, 19**95**

and ending with the issue of **November 8**, 19**95**

And that the cost of publishing said notice is the sum of \$ **19.53**

which sum has been (Paid) ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ as Court Costs

Joyce Clemens
Subscribed and sworn to before me this **8th**

day of **November**, 19**95**

Jean Senior
Notary Public, Lea County, New Mexico

My Commission Expires **Sept. 28**, 19**98**

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
Application for
Authorization to
Inject Saltwater
Pogo Producing Company,
P.O. Box 10340, Midland,
Texas 79702-7340 (Con-
tact-Richard L. Wright at
915/682-6822) has applied
to the New Mexico Oil Con-
servation Division for Ad-
ministrative Approval for
Authorization to inject salt-
water into its Red Tank "35"
Federal #3 Well, located
2310' FSL and 990' FWL of
Section 35, T-22-S, R-32-
E, N.M.P.M., Lea County,
New Mexico. The purpose
of such well will be to dis-
pose of saltwater produced
from Pogo's nearby wells.
The injection interval will be
in the Delaware (Bell Can-
yon and Upper Cherry Can-
yon) formation between
4,950'-6,252' beneath the
surface, with an expected
maximum injection rate of
approximately 3,000
BOWPD with an expected
maximum injection pressure
of approximately 990 psi.
Any interested parties must
file objections or requests
for a hearing with the New
Mexico Oil Conservation
Division, 2040 South
Pacheco Street, Santa Fe,
New Mexico 87505 within
fifteen (15) days from the
date of Pogo's Application.
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I. Purpose: Secondary Recovery Pressure Maintenance Disposal Storage
 Application qualifies for administrative approval? yes no

II. Operator: POGO PRODUCING COMPANY

Address: P. O. Box 10340, Midland, Texas 79702

Contact party: Richard L. Wright Phone: 915/682-6822

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: Bill F. Halapeska Title Agent

Signature: Bill Halapeska Date: 11/3/95

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.

A. The following well data must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. The data must be both in tabular and schematic form and shall include:

- (1) Lense name; Well No.; location by Section, Township, and Range; and footage location within the section.
- (2) Each casing string used with its size, setting depth, sacks of cement used, hole size, top of cement, and how such top was determined.
- (3) A description of the tubing to be used including its size, lining material, and setting depth.
- (4) The name, model, and setting depth of the packer used or a description of any other seal system or assembly used.

Division District offices have supplies of Well Data Sheets which may be used or which may be used as models for this purpose. Applicants for several identical wells may submit a "typical data sheet" rather than submitting the data for each well.

B. The following must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. All items must be addressed for the initial well. Responses for additional wells need be shown only when different. Information shown on schematics need not be repeated.

- (1) The name of the injection formation and, if applicable, the field or pool name.
- (2) The injection interval and whether it is perforated or open-hole.
- (3) State if the well was drilled for injection or, if not, the original purpose of the well.
- (4) Give the depths of any other perforated intervals and detail on the sacks of cement or bridge plugs used to seal off such perforations.
- (5) Give the depth to and name of the next higher and next lower oil or gas zone in the area of the well, if any.

(IV). PROOF OF NOTICE

All applicants must furnish proof that a copy of the application has been furnished, by certified or registered mail, to the owner of the surface of the land on which the well is to be located and to each lessehold operator within one-half mile of the well location.

Where an application is subject to administrative approval, a proof of publication must be submitted. Such proof shall consist of a copy of the legal advertisement which was published in the county in which the well is located. The contents of such advertisement must include:

- (1) The name, address, phone number, and contact party for the applicant;
- (2) the intended purpose of the injection well; with the exact location of single wells or the section, township, and range location of multiple wells;
- (3) the formation name and depth with expected maximum injection rates and pressures; and
- (4) a notation that interested parties must file objections or requests for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 within 15 days.

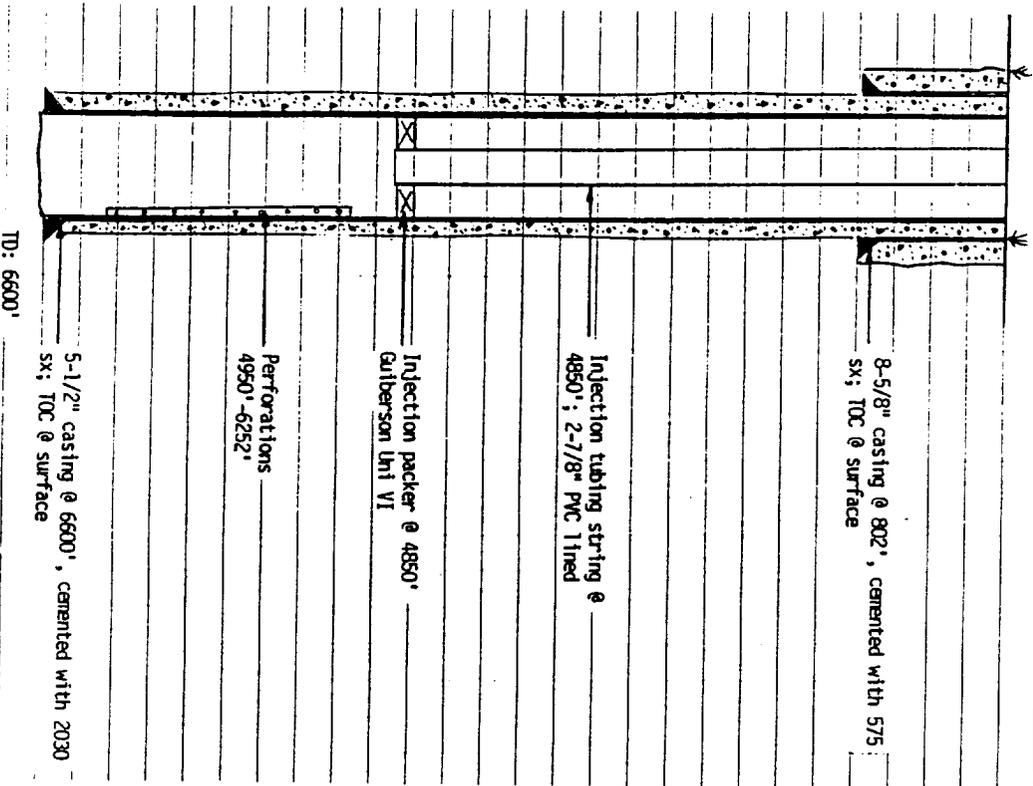
NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON THE APPLICATION UNTIL PROPER PROOF OF NOTICE HAS BEEN SUBMITTED.

NOTICE: Surface owners or offset operators must file any objections or requests for hearing of administrative applications within 15 days from the date this application was mailed to them.

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INJECTION WELL DATA SHEET

SCHEMATIC



TABULAR DATA

(1). LEASE: Red Tank "35" Federal WELL # 3
 LOCATION: Sec. 35 TWP 22S Range 32E
 Country Lea
 Footage 2310' FSL & 990' FML

(2). CASING STRINGS:
 Surface Casing
 Size 8-5/8" Depth 802' Cemented w/ 575 sx.
 TOC surf. Determined by circulated
 Hole size 12-1/4"

Intermediate Casing
 Size _____ Depth _____ Cemented w/ _____ sx.
 TOC _____ Determined by _____
 Hole size _____

Long String
 Size 5-1/2" Depth 6600' Cemented w/ 2030 sx.
 TOC surf. Determined by circulated
 Hole size 7-7/8"

(3). INJECTION TUBING STRING:
 Injection Interval, From 4950' to 6252' ft.

(4) INJECTION PACKER:
 Size 2-7/8 in., coated/lined with PVC
 Setting depth 4850 Ft.
 Size 5-1/2 in.; Make/Model Guiberson Uni VI
 Setting depth 4850 Ft.

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INJECTION WELL DATA

- (1). Injection formation: Delaware (Bell Canyon and Upper Cherry Canyon)
Field/Pool: West Red Tank Delaware
- (2). Injection interval; from 4950 Ft. to 6252 Ft.
Perforated XX Open Hole _____
- (3). Original purpose well drilled -- drilled as SWD well
- (4). Other perforated intervals; _____ Yes XX No
Squeezed with _____ sx., or isolated by _____

- (5). Oil or gas productive zone(s):
Next higher: None
Next lower: Delaware (Lower Cherry Canyon) @ 7200'

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WELL DATA - AREA OF REVIEW

(1). Location: 660' FNL & 330' FWL, Sec. 35, T-22S, R-32E, Lea County
 Operator: Pogo Producing Co. Lease: Red Tank "35" Federal Well # 1
 Well type: Oil XXX Gas _____ OSA _____ Total depth 8800 Ft.
 Date drilled: Spud 12/14/93; Completed 1/19/94; Re-complete 1995
 Completion Data: 13-3/8" @ 813' w/950 sx; 8-5/8" @ 4612' W/1800 sx, circ: 5-1/2"
@ 8800' w/1500 sx, TOC 3100'; perf 8568'-82'; A/1000 gal; F/ 46,000 gal GW and
21,000# sd; IPP 153 BOPD + 159 BW; Set CIBP @ 7750'; perf 7226'-48'; A/1000 gal;
F/36,000 gal GW + 57,000# 20/40 sd; test ppg 66 BOPD + 294 BW

Plugged _____ Date: _____ (Schematic attached)

(2). Location: 1980' FNL & 660' FEL Sec. 34, T-22S, R-32E, Lea County
 Operator: Pogo Producing Company Lease: Red Tank "34" Federal Well # 2
 Well Type: Oil XX Gas _____ OSA _____ Total Depth: 8900 Ft.
 Date Drilled: Spud 9/9/93; Complete 11/16/93; Re-complete 1995
 Completion Data: 13-3/8" @ 820' w/900 sx; 8-5/8" @ 4570', circ.; 5-1/2" @
8900' w/1530 sx; perf 8446'-68'; A/1000 gal 7-1/2%; F/48,500 gal GW + 67,500#;
IPP 133 BOPD +249 BW; RBP @ 8000'; perf 7200'-50'; A/1200 gal; F/ 42,000 gal +
151,000# sd; test ppg 189 BOPD + 237 BLW

Plugged _____ Date _____ (Schematic attached)

(). Location: _____
 Operator: _____ Lease: _____ Well # _____
 Well Type ; Oil _____ Gas _____ OSA _____ Total Depth: _____ Ft.
 Date Drilled: _____
 Completion Data: _____

Plugged _____ Date _____ (Schematic attached)

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OPERATIONAL DATA

(1). Average expected injection rate: 1000 BWPD; maximum anticipated rate: 3000 BWPD

(2). Closed system

(3). Estimated average injection pressure: 750 psi.

Estimated maximum pressure: 990 psi.

(4). Source of injection water: Bone Spring and Delaware Sand water production
from nearby Pogo operated wells

Analysis of waters attached. Exhibit I Exhibit II

(5). Analysis of injection zone water attached. Exhibit III

Data source: Mitchell Energy well Section 30, T-22S, R-33E, Lea Co.

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GEOLOGICAL DATA

INJECTION ZONE

Lithological description: sandstone, lt gray, fine - very fine
grained, poorly consolidated, silty, poor cal cementing

Geological name: Delaware (Bell Canyon and Upper Cherry Canyon)

Zone thickness: 1312 Ft.; Depth: 4950 Ft.

FRESH WATER SOURCES

Geological name: Santa Rosa

Depth to bottom of zone: +/-650 Ft.

ITEM IX

STIMULATION PROGRAM (Proposed)

ACIDIZE:

Volume: 3000 Type acid: 7-1/2% HCl/Pentol 100

Rate: 5 BPM; Misc. ball sealers

FRACTURE:

Fluid volume: 30,000 gal.; Type: Gelled Water

Prop type: 16/30 sand Volume (#): 250,000

Rate: 18-30 BPM; Conductor: 5-1/2 in.

Misc. _____

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ITEM X

LOGGING PROGRAM

Logging program included: Sp Den/GR

Copy of GR/D log included in attachments

ITEM XI

FRESH WATER ANALYSIS

Fresh water well within 1 mile radius; Yes No

Chemical analysis from well(s) located: Section 14, T-22S, R-31E

Date sampled: 5/24/78 Exhibit IV

Chemical analysis from well(s) located: _____

Date sampled: _____

ITEM XII

HYDROLOGY

Various engineering data and area well logs reveal no evidence that there might exist hydrologic connection between the intended injection zone (Bell Canyon) at 4950' and possible fresh water zone (Santa Rosa) above 650'.

ITEM XIII

COMMERCIAL INTENTION

Initially, only water from Pogo operated wells will be disposed into the system/well. Eventually, Pogo could take water from other leases in the area operated by someone else, but in which Pogo has a working interest. Only piped water will be taken into this system.

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EXHIBIT I

ANALYSIS - Bone Spring
Produced Water

ANALYSIS REPORT

POGO PRODUCING COMPANY
Red Tank "35" Federal No. 3
Section 35, T-22S, R-32E
Lea County, New Mexico

Date : 1-23-93
Date Sampled : 1-22-93
Analysis No. : 006

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ANALYSIS		mg/L		* meq/L	
1.	pH	5.9			
2.	H2S	0			
3.	Specific Gravity	1.155			
4.	Total Dissolved Solids		243572.9		
5.	Suspended Solids		NR		
6.	Dissolved Oxygen		NR		
7.	Dissolved CO2		NR		
8.	Oil In Water		NR		
9.	Phenolphthalein Alkalinity (CaCO3)				
10.	Methyl Orange Alkalinity (CaCO3)				
11.	Bicarbonate	HCO3	48.8	HCO3	0.8
12.	Chloride	Cl	151230.0	Cl	4266.0
13.	Sulfate	SO4	250.0	SO4	5.2
14.	Calcium	Ca	16840.0	Ca	840.3
15.	Magnesium	Mg	4140.2	Mg	340.6
16.	Sodium (calculated)	Na	71063.9	Na	3091.1
17.	Iron	Fe	0.0		
18.	Barium	Ba	0.0		
19.	Strontium	Sr	0.0		
20.	Total Hardness (CaCO3)		59100.0		

PROBABLE MINERAL COMPOSITION

*milli equivalents per Liter

840	*Ca <-----	*HCO3	1
341	*Mg ----->	*SO4	5
3091	*Na ----->	*Cl	4266

Compound Equiv wt X meq/L = mg/L

Ca(HCO3)2	81.0	0.8	65
CaSO4	68.1	5.2	354
CaCl2	55.5	834.3	46296
Mg(HCO3)2	73.2		
MgSO4	60.2		
MgCl2	47.6	340.6	16215
NaHCO3	84.0		
Na2SO4	71.0		
NaCl	58.4	3091.1	180643

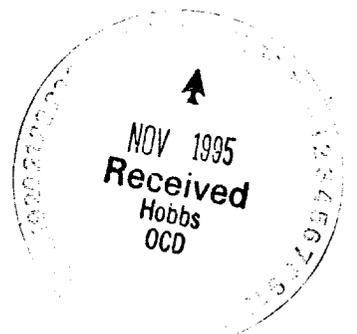
Saturation Values Dist. Water 20 C

CaCO3	13 mg/L
CaSO4 * 2H2O	2090 mg/L
BaSO4	2.4 mg/L

REMARKS: L. MALLETT -FILE

Petrolite Oilfield Chemicals Group

Respectfully submitted,
L. MALLETT



Nutro Products Co

P.O. Box 21187 Houston, Texas
Phone (713) 675-3421 * Fax (713)

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ANALYSIS - Lower Delaware
Produced Water

POGO PRODUCING COMPANY
Red Tank "35" Federal No. 3
Section 35, T-22S, R-32E
Lea County, New Mexico

WATER ANALYSIS

Date 06/08/95 Nutro Rep TERRY SOLANSKY

Sampling Point

Company POGO PRODUCING

Field

Lease COVINGTON "A"

County

Well 9

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

<u>CATIONS</u>	mg/l	me/l
Sodium, Na ⁺ (Calc.)	82,156	3,572
Total Hardness as Ca ^{**}	26,560	0
Calcium, Ca ^{**}	20,960	1,048
Magnesium, Mg ^{**}	3,415	285
Barium, Ba ^{**}	2	0
Iron (Total) Fe ^{***}	30	2

ANIONS

Chlorides, Cl ⁻	174,000	4,901
Sulfate, SO ₄ ⁻	225	5
Carbonate, CO ₃ ⁻	0	0
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃ ⁻	49	1
Sulfide, S ^{**}	0	0
Total Dissolved Solids (Calc.)	280,837	

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH [*]	5.200
Specific Gravity, 60°/60 F	1.179
TURBIDITY	>500

Remarks SAMPLE TAKEN ON 05/02/95

SCALING INDICIES

<u>TEMP, F</u>	<u>CA CO₃</u>	<u>CASO₄*2H₂O</u>	<u>CA SO₄</u>	<u>BA SO₄</u>
80	0.1101	-0.1998	-0.5770	0.0270
120	0.6873	-0.2122	-0.4089	-0.1128
160	1.5588	-0.2267	-0.2508	-0.3171

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ANALYSIS - Injection Zone
Produced Water

POGO PRODUCING COMPANY
Red Tank "35" Federal No. 3
Section 35, T-22S, R-32E
Lea County, New Mexico

MARTIN WATER LABORATORIES.

P.O. Box 1488 Phone 942-3234 or 582-1040
Monahans, Texas 79756

RESULT OF WATER ANALYSES

709 W. Indiana Phone 683-4821
Midland, Texas 79701

TO: Mr. Dan Tuffly
400 West Illinois, Suite 1000
Midland, TX 79701

LABORATORY NO. 3938
SAMPLE RECEIVED 3-3-93
RESULTS REPORTED 3-4-93

API WATER ANALYSIS REPORT FORM

Company <u>Mitchell Energy Corporation</u>		Sample No.	Date Sampled <u>2/26/93</u>	
Field <u>Bootleg Ridge</u>		Legal Description		County or Parish <u>Lea</u>
				State <u>NM</u>
Lease or Unit <u>Big Horn "30" State</u>	Well <u>#1</u>	Depth <u>4946-4963</u>	Formation <u>Delaware</u>	Water, B/D
Type of Water (Produced, Supply, etc.) <u>Produced</u>		Sampling Point		Sampled By

DISSOLVED SOLIDS

CATIONS

	mg/l	me/l
Sodium, Na (calc.)	<u>61,383</u>	<u>2,668.8</u>
Calcium, Ca	<u>20,000</u>	<u>1,000.0</u>
Magnesium, Mg	<u>2,795</u>	<u>230.0</u>
Barium, Ba	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0</u>

ANIONS

Chloride, Cl	<u>137,777</u>	<u>3,885.3</u>
Sulfate, SO ₄	<u>566</u>	<u>11.8</u>
Carbonate, CO ₃	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0</u>
Bicarbonate, HCO ₃	<u>105</u>	<u>1.7</u>

Total Dissolved Solids (calc.)

222,625

Iron, Fe (total)

18.0

0.7

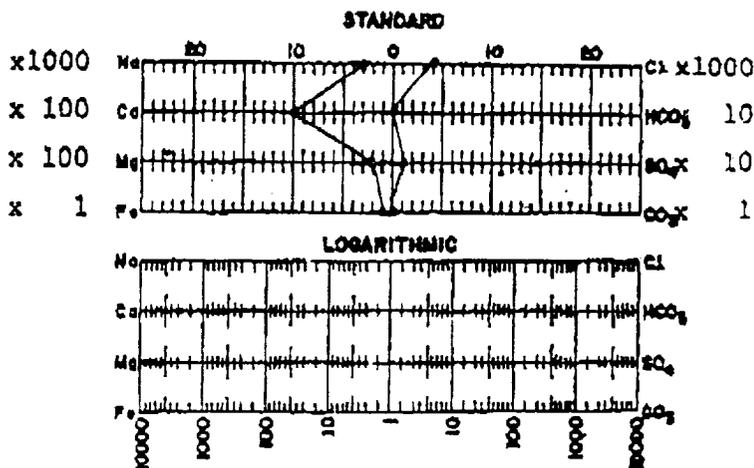
Sulfide, as H₂S

0.0

OTHER PROPERTIES

pH 5.91
Specific Gravity, 60/60 F. 1.1481
Resistivity (ohm-meters) 77° F.
0.053
Total Hardness, as CaCO₃ 61,500

WATER PATTERNS - me/l



REMARKS & RECOMMENDATIONS: The above results show this water to have a slightly lower level of sodium chloride than our predominant records in the area and also the water from Comanche State "17" #2. However, the characteristics are still those expected from natural Delaware; therefore, it is indicated to be all, or essentially all, natural Delaware.



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ITEM XI

ANALYSIS - Santa Rosa Water

EXHIBIT IV

POGO PRODUCING COMPANY

Red Tank "35" Federal No. 3

Section 35, T-22S, R-32E

Lea County, New Mexico

Chemical analyses of water from test hole H-5

Water produced from the Santa Rosa Sandstone, sample taken 5/24/78

Alkalinity Field (mg/l as HCO ₃)	200
Bicarbonate FET-FLD (mg/l as HCO ₃)	240
Nitrogen, NO ₂ + NO ₃ Dissolved (mg/l as N)	0.36
Hardness (mg/l as CaCO ₃)	150
Hardness, noncarbonate(mg/l as CaCO ₃)	150
Calcium Dissolved (mg/l as Ca)	56
Magnesium, Dissolved (mg/l as Mg)	51
Sodium, Dissolved (mg/l as Na)	280
Potassium, Dissolved (mg/l as K)	25
Chloride, Dissolved (mg/s as Cl)	120
Sulfate, Dissolved (mg/l as SO ₄)	530
Fluoride, Dissolved (mg/l as F)	1.2
Silica, Dissolved (mg/l as SiO ₂)	11.0
Boron, Dissoived (ug/l as B)	890
Solids Residue at 105 Deg C, Dissolved (mg/l)	1200

