



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

POST OFFICE BOX 1980
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88241-1980
(505) 393-6161

March 16, 1998

Altura Energy LTD
ATT: Mark Stephens
P O Box 4294
Houston TX 77210

RE: Northeast Drinkard Unit
#116-E, Sec.2, T-21s, R-37e

Gentlemen:

The subsequent c-103 is being returned to you unapproved. Per the chart that was attached to this form the pressure test dropped greater than 10% in 30 minutes. This requires you to retest before approval can be given for a TA status.

Please resubmit the original chart on the retest with form c-103 to the District I Hobbs office. If you have any questions on this matter, please call (505) 393-6161.

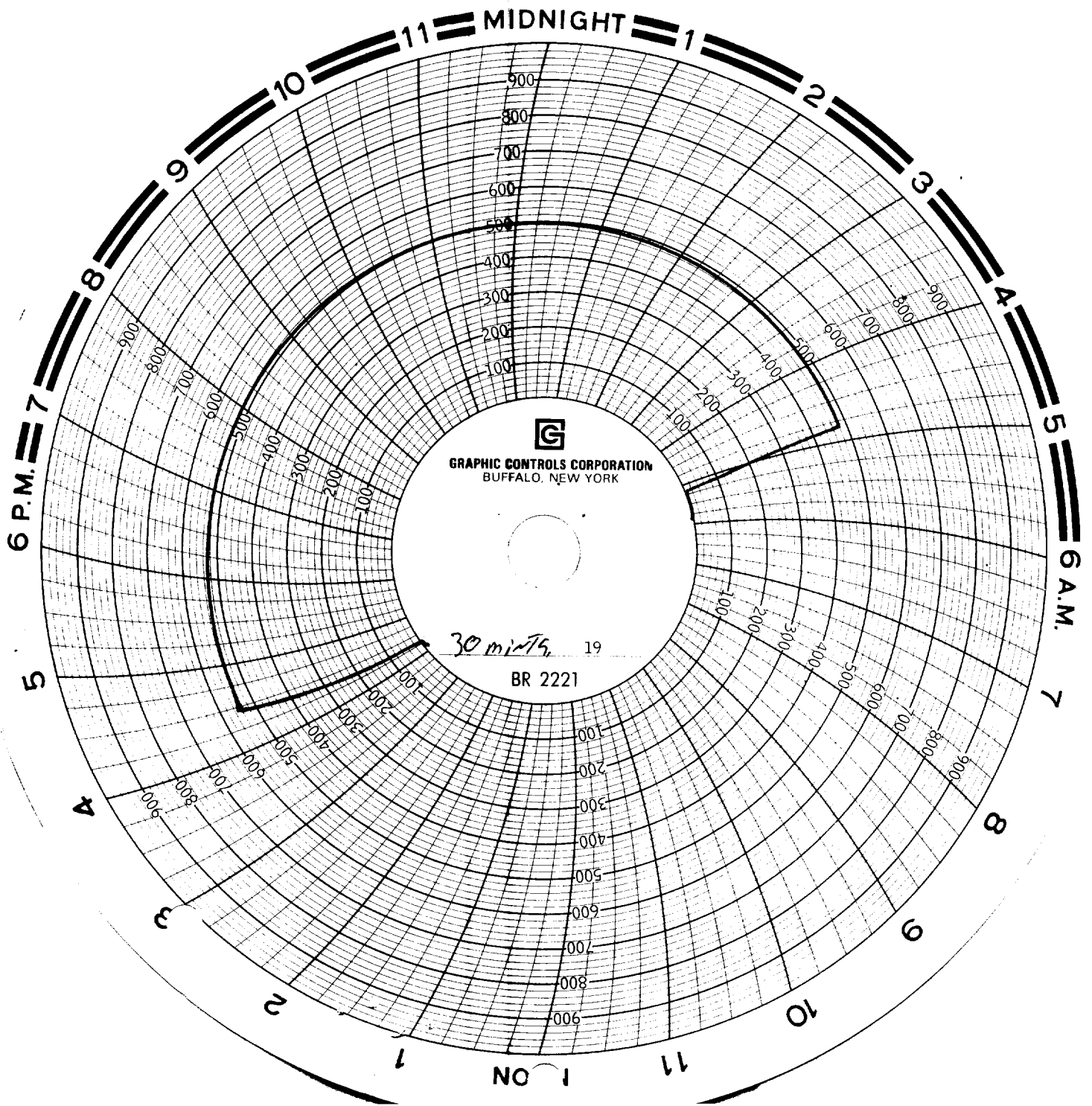
Yours very truly,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Chris Williams
by dp

Chris Williams
District I, Supervisor

CW:dp
cc: file



GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

30 min 19

BR 2221

Received

JERRY Davis
Jerry for
10-16-97
at IVA Energy
with # ~~111~~ 111
JERRY DP.

Mud to test -
Pressure drops > 100%
in 30 minutes.
Chris

DISTRICT I
P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II
P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

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

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

WELL API NO.	30-025- 06346
5. Indicate Type of Lease	STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>
6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.	

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well: OIL WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/>	7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name Northeast Drinkard Unit
2. Name of Operator Altura Energy LTD	8. Well No. 116
3. Address of Operator P.O. Box 4294, Houston, Texas 77210-4294	9. Pool name or Wildcat Eunice Blinbry-Tubb-Drinkard-North
4. Well Location Unit Letter <u>E</u> : <u>5790</u> Feet From The <u>South</u> Line and <u>660</u> Feet From The <u>West</u> Line Section <u>2</u> Township <u>21-S</u> Range <u>37-E</u> NMPM Lea County	
10. Elevation (Show whether DF, RKB, RT, GR, etc.) 3490' GR	

11. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report, or Other Data	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:	SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:
PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>
TEMPORARILY ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/>	ALTERING CASING <input type="checkbox"/>
PULL OR ALTER CASING <input type="checkbox"/>	COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. <input type="checkbox"/>
OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/>	PLUG AND ABANDONMENT <input type="checkbox"/>
	CASING TEST AND CEMENT JOB <input type="checkbox"/>
	OTHER: 'TxA Status' <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

12. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work) SEE RULE 1103.

Test Date: 10/16/97

Pressure Reading: Initial: 540 psi.; 15 Min.: 500 psi.; 30 Min.: 480 psi.

Length of time pressure held: 30 Min.

Test Witnessed: No

*This Approval of Temporary
Abandonment Expires*

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE Mark Stephens TITLE Business Analyst (SG) DATE 11/17/97
TYPE OR PRINT NAME Mark Stephens TELEPHONE NO. (281) 552-1158

(This space for State Use)

APPROVED BY _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: