

# ILLEGIBLE

DRILLING

Hat Mesa No. 1 - 14,500' - Maximum Casing Weight Permit 14,600'  
Sec. 10, T21S, R4E, San Juan County, New Mexico

Conductor Pipe: 16" conductor will be run 1,500' with a rat-hole machine and cemented to the salt at 3,300' with ready-mix.

Surface casting: 11 3/4" casing will be run at 4,700' in a 15" hole. The drilling fluid will be a 4% bentonite slurry at 40-50 vis 8.5#. LCM will be used for circulation so that it may be necessary to dry drill. The casing will be 11 3/4" 4.18#/ft H-40 ST&C run with a guide sleeve, invert flange and three centralizers. The casing is to be cemented to salt at 3,300' 20 sx class C + 28 CaCl<sub>2</sub> 14.8 ppg 1.32 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk 100# excess.

Ripple Up: The casing head will be a new AC-F 11 3/4" SW x 12" 3,000 WP. Minimum BOP is 2 hydraulically operated rams 10" 3,000 WP BEFCO II (attached). Pressure test stack, choke manifold, and surface casing to 1,000 psi before drilling out.

Intermediate Casting: 8 5/8" casing will be set at 5,800' in an 11" hole. The drilling fluid will be 10% bentone 9#vis. From 3,300' to 5,800' viscosity should be maintained 84-97 sec. with salt gel. Test circulation is expected to the Carter Reef T/3,350. Ground paper has been a successful LCM for seepage losses. Gross losses usually result in dry drilling. A California Survey should be run to determine the required cement return.

8 5/8" casing design for 5,800'

0-120'	100'	32 ft <sup>3</sup> /ft	4.18	ST&C
120-2660'	2540'	24 lb/ft	4.18	ST&C
2660-5800'	3140'	32 lb/ft	4.18	ST&C

The 8 5/8" casing will be run with a flat shoe, float collar, DV Tool, and 2 cement baskets. Centralizers should be run on the bottom three joints, the two joints with cement basket's, and one just above the DV tool. The float collar should be one joint above the shoe and the baskets should be on the 2 joints below the DV tool. The DV tool should be run at the base of the salt 3,300'. The first stage cement will be about 400 sx Halliburton light + 3 lb/sk gilsonite + 1/4 lb/sk flocele 12.9 ppg 1.9 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk tailed with 200 sx C + 28 CaCl<sub>2</sub> 14.8 ppg 1.32 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk. The second stage cement will be about 500 sx Halliburton 'Light' + 3 lb/sk gilsonite + 1/4 lb/sk flocele + 16 lbs/sk salt + 1% CaCl<sub>2</sub> 13.2 ppg 1.96 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk tailed with 100 sx C + 24 CaCl<sub>2</sub> 14.8 ppg 1.32 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk. Displace cement with fresh water. While running casing assure that casing is full at least every 400'.