

#### 4. DRILLING RESULTS

##### a. Introduction: (General)

The only significant drilling problem was tight hole between 1237 and 1480 metres. While pulling out of the hole to change bits at 1481 metres up to 125,000 lbs overpull was experienced through this section. A wiper trip was made and consequently only minor drag was experienced through this section.

Bridges were encountered at 105, 129 and 226 metres while running the 20" casing but were only a minor problem.

Deviation was not a problem and remained at less than one degree throughout the well.

Drill rates ranged from 600 metres per hour in the sandstone at 880 metres to two metres per hour in the dolerite near Total Depth.