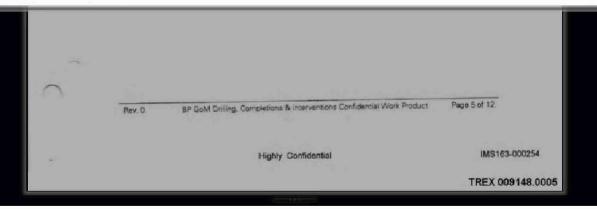


Current BOP analysis (pressure and ram location) suggests that Blind Shear Rams and/or the Casing Shear Rams are closed, but passing with a leak area of 0.4-in to 0.64-in equivalent throat diameter (based on 5,000-bpd total flow). The Bridging Platelets® are designed to collect at the 1-in x 8-in mud slot bypass area through the casing shear rams to reduce the calculated flow rate and increase the pressure drop across the casing shear rams.



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