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This study was carried out by the D^t.G.C. - Laboratory at the ELF R.E. Research Center of Boussens.

You have already been sent the following documents relating to the same order:

- R. CUSSEY - Report No. 4/942 R - 3/7-1 Well - Sedimentological study of the Paleocene - Eocene series.

This well displays an upper Cretaceous section limited to the Turonian and lying directly upon the basement without lower Cretaceous and Jurassic.

The reflectance study, carried out from 1500 m (Miocene) to the bottom, 3225 m, by means of 20 samples drill cuttings and the core no 1, provides a fairly good diagram, save only from 2000 to 2500 m (Eocene - Oligocene) devoid of organic particles.

The whole section encloses typical and constant lignits from the top to the bottom; the reflectance of these lignits (huminite or vitrinite) remains the same at 0.30 % from 1500 to 3200 m.

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The crystalline mole, which remained in relief until the Middle Cretaceous and was buried only during the basin subsidence i.e. for the late Cretaceous - Tertiary, stands apart the EKOFISK area by its relative stability and its low geothermy (the reflectance of 0.30 % at 3000 m is obviously lower than the world average in the quiet basins: 0.50 %).



