

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD-ARTESIA

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires January 31, 2004

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

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1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

BP America Production Company

3a. Address

P.O. Box 1089 Emice NM 88231

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505.394.1649

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

UL B, NWNE, 200' FNL & 1925' FEL
SECTION 11, T18S, R27E

5. Lease Serial No.

~~NM-70945~~ LC-047858

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.

EMPIRE ABO UNIT 153
'M'

9. API Well No.

30.015.22838

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

EMPIRE ABO

11. County or Parish, State

EDDY NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

☐ Notice of Intent

☒ Subsequent Report

☐ Final Abandonment Notice

TYPE OF ACTION

☐ Acidize

☐ Alter Casing

☐ Casing Repair

☐ Change Plans

☐ Convert to Injection

☐ Deepen

☐ Fracture Treat

☐ New Construction

☐ Plug and Abandon

☐ Plug Back

☐ Production (Start/Resume)

☐ Reclamation

☐ Recomplete

☒ Temporarily Abandon

☐ Water Disposal

☐ Water Shut-Off

☐ Well Integrity

☐ Other RETAIN TA

STATUS

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the final site is ready for final inspection.)

TD: 6225' PED: 6171' PERFS: 6060-6132'

The last MIT was performed on 11.12.03 and was witnessed by Clark Bennett, BLM CFO. A xerox copy is attached for your records.

Since that period, BP America Production Company has not developed a prioritized well package for Interest Owner approval and additional funding for exploration potential in the Empire Abo Unit field. Therefore, BP requests permission to retain TA status until another wellwork program can be established and put in progress.

* By ending date, either put well on production or submit plugging procedure.

TA APPROVED FOR 1/2 MONTH PERIOD
ENDING 11/12/05

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

Kellie D. Murrish

Title

Scheduler

Date

11.10.04

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

/s/ Joe G. Lara

Title

Pet. Eng.

Date

12/9/05

* Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

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