Form 3160-5 (March 2012)

N.M. OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

811 S. FIRST STREET

FORM APPROVED

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

ARTESIA, NM 88210 Expires: October 31, 2014

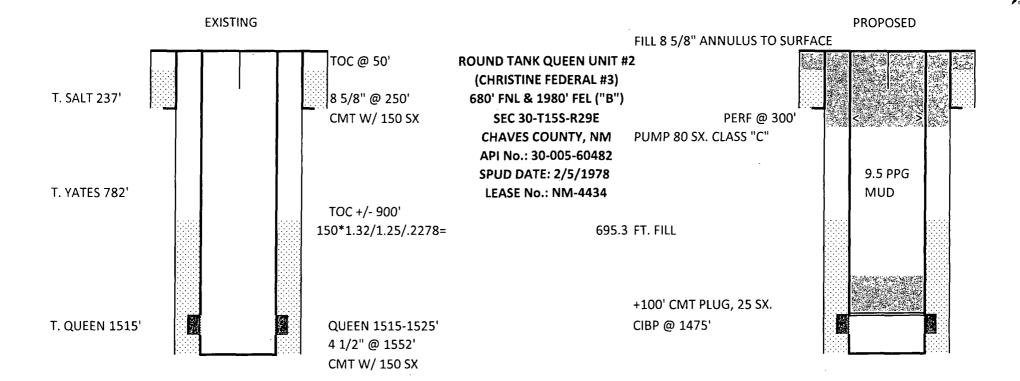
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS	
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an	
abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.	

NM-4434 6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2.					7. If Unit of CA/Agree	ement, Name and/or No.	
1. Type of Well					<u> </u>		
Oil Well Gas Well Other					8. Well Name and No. Round Tank Queen Unit #2		
2. Name of Operator Armstrong Energy Corporation					9. API Well No. 30-005-60482		
3a. Address 3b. Phone No. (include area code)					10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area		
P.O. Box 1973, Roswell, NM 88202 575-625-2222					Round Tank Queen		
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T.,R.,M., or Survey Description) 680' FNL & 1980' FEL Section 30, Township 15 South, Range 29 East					11. County or Parish, State Chaves County, NM		
12. CHEC	CK THE APPROPRIATE BO	OX(ES) TO INDI	CATE NATURI	E OF NOTI	CE, REPORT OR OTH	IER DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACT				FION		
Notice of Intent	Acidize Alter Casing	Deepe	n re Treat		duction (Start/Resume)	Water Shut-Off Well Integrity	
	Casing Repair	=	Construction	=	omplete	Other	
Subsequent Report	Change Plans	=	nd Abandon		porarily Abandon		
Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injection	Plug E			ter Disposal		
determined that the site is ready for (Formerly Christine Federal #3) Notify BLM 24 hrs prior to start 1. Set CIBP @ 1475', spot +10 2. Perf 4-1/2" casing @ 300' we leave 4-1/2" casing full of ce	of operations. O' Class "C" cement from 4 4 shots, 90 deg phasing.						
3. Cut off wellhead, fill 8-5/8" a	annulus w/ cement, 10 sx.	Install dry hole	marker. 661	10			
Clean location, cut off ancho	ors remove caliche rin lo	cation and resea	ed.	-		DECE	
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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is	true and correct. Name (Print		1	<u> </u>	/''	CHARLESIA	
Bruce A. Stubbs			Title Vic	e Presider	nt - Operations	٠,	
Signature B A Stutis Date 12/17/2013							
	THIS SPACE	FOR FEDE	RAL OR S	TATE O	FFICE USE		
Approved by S/ DAVID	R. GLASS	3	PET	ROLEU	M ENGIN EER	JAN 1 7 2014	
Conditions of approval, if any, are attach that the applicant holds legal or equitable entitle the applicant to conduct operation	ied. Approval of this notice do	oes not warrant or o	certify	ROS	WELL FIELD CI	FICE	
	13 U.S.C. Section 1212, make i		~ .	and willfull	y to make to any departm	nent or agency of the United States any false	

(Instructions on page 2)
SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

APPROVED FOR 3 MONTH PERIOD **ENDING**



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Roswell Field Office 2909 West Second Street Roswell, New Mexico 88201 (575) 627-0272

Permanent Abandonment of Federal Wells Conditions of Approval

Failure to comply with the following Conditions of Approval may result in a Notice of Incidents of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1.

- 1. Plugging operations shall commence within ninety (90) days from the approval date of this Notice of Intent to Abandon. If you are unable to plug the well by the 90th day provide the BLM Roswell Field Office (RFO), prior to the 90th day, with the reason for not meeting the deadline and a date when the BLM Roswell Field Office can expect the well to be plugged. Failure to do so will result in enforcement action. Unless the well has been properly plugged, the rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval.
- 2. <u>Notification</u>: Contact the BLM Roswell Field Office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Chaves and Roosevelt County, during office hours or after office hours call (575) 627-0205. Engineer on call during office hours phone (575) 627-0275 or phone (after hours) call (575) 626-5749.
- 3. <u>Blowout Preventers:</u> A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13636 feet; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22727 feet.
- 4. <u>Mud Requirement:</u> Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at a rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.
- 5. <u>Cement Requirement:</u> Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and not final. Unless specific approval is received, no plug except the surface plug shall be less than 25 sacks of cement. In lieu of a cement plug in cased hole, a bridge plug set within 50 feet to 100 feet above the perforations shall be capped with 50 feet of cement. If a bailer is used to cap this plug, 35 feet of cement shall be sufficient.

Unless otherwise specified in the approved procedure, the cement plug shall consist of either class "C" for up to 7500 feet of depth, mixed at 14.8 lbs./gal with 6.3 gallons of fresh water per sack or class "H" for deeper than 7500 feet plugs, mixed at 16.4 lbs./gal with 4.3 gallons of fresh water per sack.

- 6. Monument: Upon abandonment of the well, all casing shall be cut-off at the base of the cellar or 3-feet below final restored ground level (whichever is deeper). The well bore shall then be covered with a metal plate at least ¼ inch thick and welded in place. The following information shall be permanently inscribed on the dry hole marker: Well name and number, the name of the operator, the lease serial number, the surveyed location (the quarter-quarter section, township and range or other authorized survey designation acceptable to the authorized officer; such as metes and bounds).
- 7. Timing Limitation Lease Stipulation / Condition of Approval For Lesser Prairie-Chicken: Oil and gas activities including 3-D geophysical exploration, and drilling will not be allowed in lesser prairie-chicken habitat during the period from March 1 through June 15 annually. During that period, other activities that produce noise or involve human activity, such as the maintenance of oil and gas facilities, geophysical exploration other than 3-D seismic operations, and pipeline, road, and well pad construction, will be allowed except between 3:00 am and 9:00 am. The 3:00 am to 9:00 am restriction will not apply to normal, around-the-clock operations, such as venting, flaring, or pumping, which do not require a human presence during this period. Additionally, no new drilling will be allowed within up to 200 meters of leks known at the time of permitting. Normal vehicle use on existing roads will not be restricted. Exhaust noise from pump jack engines must be muffled or otherwise controlled so as not to exceed 75 db measured at 30 feet from the source of the noise.
- 8. <u>Subsequent Plugging Reporting:</u> Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file one original and five copies of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 to the BLM Roswell Field Office. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. **Show date well was plugged.**

Following the submittal and approval of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, a Notice of Intent for Final Abandonment with the proposed surface restoration procedure must be submitted for approval.