

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1004-0137  
Expires: January 31, 2018

## 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.

5. Lease Serial No.  
NMLC060325

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.  
THUNDERBIRD A 5H9. API Well No.  
30-015-44436-00-X110. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area  
LOCO HILLS-GLORIETA-YESO11. County or Parish, State  
EDDY COUNTY, NM

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other2. Name of Operator  
APACHE CORPORATIONContact: ALICIA FULTON  
E-Mail: ALICIA.FULTON@APACHECORP.COM3a. Address  
303 VETERANS AIRPARK LANE SUITE 3000  
MIDLAND, TX 797053b. Phone No. (include area code)  
Ph: 432.818.1088

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

Sec 33 T16S R30E SWNE 2315FNL 1955FEL  
32.878929 N Lat, 103.974731 W Lon

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

## TYPE OF SUBMISSION

- ☒
- Notice of Intent
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- ☐
- Subsequent Report
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- ☐
- Final Abandonment Notice

## TYPE OF ACTION

- |   |   |  |   |
|---|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acidize              | <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen               | <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing         | <input type="checkbox"/> Hydraulic Fracturing | <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation               | <input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair        | <input type="checkbox"/> New Construction     | <input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans         | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon     | <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon       | Venting and/or Flaring                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back            | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal            |   |

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 recomple 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/BJA. Required subsequent reports must be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recomple in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.

APACHE WOULD LIKE APPROVAL TO FLARE FROM 8/4/2018-2/1/2019 on the Thunderbird A 5H

THE WELL WILL BE FRACED BEGINNING 8/4/2018 FLARING IS REQUIRED FOR FLOW BACK AND THIS WILL GIVE US TIME TO TEST THE WELL AND CONFIRM OPERATIONAL NEEDS TO CONTINUE DEVELOPMENT. AT THAT TIME WE WILL COMMENCE LAYING OF THE GAS LINE TO THE SALES POINT.

request is to flare at the battery 300 MCFD

attached is a schematic showing well and battery location.

Accepted for record  
RECEIVED  
NIMOC  
8/18/2018  
AUG 07 2018

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Electronic Submission #427756 verified by the BLM Well Information System  
For APACHE CORPORATION, sent to the Carlsbad DISTRICT II-ARTESIA O.C.D.  
Committed to AFMSS for processing by DEBORAH MCKINNEY on 07/23/2018 (18DLM0474SE)

Name (Printed/Typed) ALICIA FULTON

Title SR. REGULATORY ANALYST

Signature (Electronic Submission)

Date 07/18/2018

## THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By

/s/ Jonathon Shepard

Title

Petroleum Engineer  
Carlsbad Field Office

Date 8/24/2018

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.

Office

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on page 2)

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# THUNDERBIRD A

Tank Battery Location

Eddy County



**BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Carlsbad Field Office  
620 East Greene Street  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220  
575-234-5972

**Condition of Approval to Flare Gas**

1. Approval not to exceed 180 days from date of submission unless otherwise specified in Sundry Notice.
2. All flaring under this request is considered to be "avoidably lost":  
Volumes for avoidably lost gas shall be reported on OGOR "B" reports as disposition code "08".

Exceptions:

- a. The first 24 hours of a temporary emergency flare is considered "unavoidably lost" and is therefore royalty free. Flared volumes that are considered unavoidably lost are not to be included in Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). These Volumes are not royalty bearing and shall be reported on OGOR "B" as either disposition code "21" or "22".
- b. If the operator believes that the flared volumes were "unavoidably lost", the operator can submit a request via Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) with justification for an exception in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 3179.103 - 3179.105.