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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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1220 S. St Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Form C-101  
May 27, 2004

Oil Conservation Division

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Santa Fe, NM 87505

☐ AMENDED REPORT

OCD-ARTESIA

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, RE-ENTER, DEEPEN, PLUGBACK, OR ADD A ZONE

<sup>1</sup> Operator Name and Address COG OPERATING LLC 550 W. Texas, Suite 1300 Midland, TX 79701		<sup>2</sup> OGRID Number 299137
		<sup>3</sup> API Number 30-015-30941
<sup>5</sup> Property Code 302527	<sup>3</sup> Property Name Mesquite State	<sup>6</sup> Well No 9
<sup>9</sup> Proposed Pool 1 Empire; Glorieta-Yeso, East		<sup>10</sup> Proposed Pool 2

<sup>7</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no D	Section 20	Township 17S	Range 29E	Lot Idn	Feet from the 890	North/South line North	Feet from the 480	East/West line West	County Eddy
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<sup>8</sup> Proposed Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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Additional Well Information

<sup>11</sup> Work Type Code D	<sup>12</sup> Well Type Code O	<sup>13</sup> Cable/Rotary Rotary	<sup>14</sup> Lease Type Code S	<sup>15</sup> Ground Level Elevation 3652
<sup>16</sup> Multiple N	<sup>17</sup> Proposed Depth 5425	<sup>18</sup> Formation Blinebry	<sup>19</sup> Contractor	<sup>20</sup> Spud Date As soon as approved
Depth to Groundwater		Distance from nearest fresh water well		Distance from nearest surface water
Pit: Liner Synthetic <input type="checkbox"/> _____ mils thick Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Pit Volume _____ bbls Drilling Method: _____				
Closed-Loop System <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fresh Water <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brine <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel/Oil-based <input type="checkbox"/> Gas/Air <input type="checkbox"/>				

<sup>21</sup> Proposed Casing and Cement Program

Hole Size	Casing Size	Casing weight/foot	Setting Depth	Sacks of Cement	Estimated TOC
17-1/2	13-3/8	48	362	350	
12-1/4	8-5/8	24	815	425	
7-7/8	5-1/2	17	4267	945	
4-3/4	4	11.3	5050	100	
	2-7/8 tbg		4650		

<sup>22</sup> Describe the proposed program If this application is to DEEPEN or PLUG BACK, give the data on the present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. Describe the blowout prevention program, if any Use additional sheets if necessary

See Attachment

<sup>23</sup> I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief I further certify that the drilling pit will be constructed according to NMOCD guidelines ☐, a general permit ☐, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Printed name Kanicia Carrillo  
Title Regulatory Analyst  
E-mail Address kcarrillo@conchoresources.com

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by *Tom W. Green*

Title: *District II Supervisor*  
Approval Date: *4/23/08* Expiration Date: *4/23/10*

Date 04/11/08

Phone. 432-685-4332

Conditions of Approval Attached ☐

**Mesquite State #9**  
**1650 FNL & 990 FWL, Sec 20, T17S, R29E**  
**Eddy County, New Mexico**  
**API: 30-015-30941**

**PROCEDURE**

1. MIRU pulling unit. POOH laying down rods and pump. Release TAC and NU BOP. Tag bottom and POOH laying down tubing (need 3-4 joints). Send rods and tubing to Artesia yard.
2. PU workstring and TIH w/ bit and scraper. PU cement retainer and TIH.
3. Pump through retainer and set @ 3800'. Pump 300 sx of Class C w/ 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 0.25 celloflake + 3 ppg LCM. Wash up lines and then hesitate down tubing. If no squeeze obtained, over displace 8-10 bbls and repeat.
4. Once squeeze is obtained sting out and reverse out tubing. POOH w/ setting tool.
5. Wait on cement at least 12 hours.
6. PU 4 3/4" workover bit, 20-3 1/2" DC's and 2 7/8" L80 workstring. Drill out squeeze and test to 500 psi. If squeeze does not hold, notify engineer. Drill out shoe and 10' of new hole to 4296' circulating w/ 2% KCl.
7. POOH w/ workover bit. PU 4 3/4" PDC, 14 additional 3 1/2" DC's and motor.
8. Drill using varying weights and RPM's to optimize drill rate. TD 4 3/4" hole @ 5425'.
9. Log well according to geology and utilize caliper log for cement volume determinations.
10. TIH and circulate clean. POOH laying down drill string.
11. Run 4" 11.3# ULTFJ casing w/ float shoe and float collar. Locate positive stand off centralizers @ shoe, 5050', 4650' and 4300'. Run DV tool and set no deeper than 4270'.
12. Cement casing w/ 50% excess volume. Batch mix cement to ensure good cement throughout job. Make sure field blends are tested prior to pumping.
13. Drop DV plug and open stage tool. Circulate cement from top of DV tool out of hole.
14. Pickup 3 5/16" bit and 2 3/8" workstring w/ turned down collars. Drill out DV tool and chase to PBTD. POOH laying down workstring.
15. Prep well for Blinbry frac.

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Revised June 10, 2003  
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**WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

<sup>1</sup> API Number <b>30-015-30941</b>		<sup>2</sup> Pool Code <b>96610</b>	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name <b>Empire; Glorieta-Yeso, East</b>
<sup>4</sup> Property Code <b>302527</b>	<sup>5</sup> Property Name <b>Mesquite State</b>		<sup>6</sup> Well Number <b>9</b>
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No. <b>229137</b>	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name <b>COG OPERATING LLC</b>		<sup>9</sup> Elevation <b>3652</b>

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<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres <b>40</b>	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code		<sup>15</sup> Order No.					

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

	<sup>17</sup> OPERATOR CERTIFICATION <i>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</i>			
	Signature			
	<b>Kanicia Carrillo</b> Printed Name Regulatory Analyst Title and E-mail Address 04/11/08 Date			
	<sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION <i>I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief</i>			
	Referred Original Plat			
	Date of Survey			
	Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor.			
	Referred Original Survey			
	Certificate Number			