

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

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF COLORADO

ATTN: ZENO FARRIS

3a. Address

600 N. MARIENFELD, SUITE 600, MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(432) 571-7800

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

UNIT LETTER G

1980' ENL & 1980' FEL

SEC. 09, T-21S, R-27E

5. Lease Serial No.

NM 18727

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.

FEDERAL 9 CCM. #001

9. API Well No.

30-015-21390

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

BURTON FLAT (DELAWARE)

11. County or Parish, State

EDDY COUNTY 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☐ 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

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 recompletable 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 recompletable 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.)

02/11-14/11: ATTEMPT TO WASHDOWN TO EXISTING CIBP + CMT. @ 5,165'; UNABLE TO GET DEEP THAN 4,787'.

02/15/11: SET 5-1/2" CIBP @ 4,787' PER BLM; PUMP A 25 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 4,787'-4,587' (CALC.); CIRC. WELL W/ FXA MUD; MIX X PUMP A 25 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 4,188'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 4,101'.

02/16/11: MIX X PUMP A 25 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 4,101'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 3,907'; MIX X PUMP A 50 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 3,095'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 2,876'.

02/17/11: MIX X PUMP A 50 SX. CMT. PLUG W/ 2% CACL @ 2,876'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 2,876'.

02/18/11: MIX X PUMP A 75 SX. CMT. PLUG W/ 2% CACL @ 2,876'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 2,772'; MIX X PUMP A 60 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 2,772'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 2,331'.

02/19/11: CUT X FULL 5-1/2" CASING @ 2,000'; MIX X PUMP A 40 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 2,050'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 1,950'; MIX X PUMP A 50 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 1,950'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 1,873'.

02/20/11: MIX X PUMP A 60 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 865'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 759'; MIX X PUMP A 75 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 759'; WOC X TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 625'; MIX X PUMP A 100 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 625'; WOC.

02/21/11: TAG TOP OF CMT. PLUG @ 529'; MIX X CIRCULATE TO SURFACE A 150 SX. CMT. PLUG @ 400'-3';

DIG OUT X CUT OFF WELLHEAD 3' B.G.L.; WELD ON STEEL PLATE TO CASINGS X INSTALL DRY HOLE MARKER.

WELL PLUGGED AND ABANDONED 02/21/11

RECLAMATION
DUE 8-20-11Accepted as to plugging of the well bore.
Liability under bond is retained until
Surface restoration is completed.

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

DAVID A. EYLER

Title

AGENT

Date 02/23/11

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

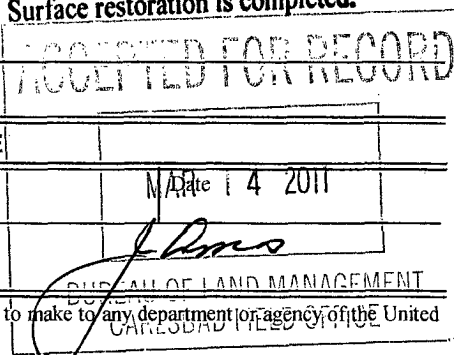
Title

Date 14 2011

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, makes 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 or to any officer or employee of the United States any such statement or representation.

Accepted for record
NMOC

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144 CLEZ
July 21, 2008

For closed-loop systems that only use above ground steel tanks or haul-off bins and propose to implement waste removal for closure, submit to the appropriate NMOC District Office.

Closed-Loop System Permit or Closure Plan Application

(that only use above ground steel tanks or haul-off bins and propose to implement waste removal for closure)

Type of action: ☐ Permit ☒ Closure

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144 CLEZ) per individual closed-loop system request. For any application request other than for a closed-loop system that only use above ground steel tanks or haul-off bins and propose to implement waste removal for closure, please submit a Form C-144.

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

1. Operator: CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF COLORADO OGRID #: _____
Address: 600 N. MARIENFELD, SUITE 600, MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701
Facility or well name: FEDERAL 9 COM. #001
API Number: 30-015-21390 OCD Permit Number: 211018
U/L or Qtr/Qtr G Section 09 Township 21S Range 27E County: EDDY
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude _____ Longitude _____ NAD: ☐ 1927 ☐ 1983
Surface Owner: ☒ Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☐ Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

2. ☒ **Closed-loop System:** Subsection H of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Operation: ☐ Drilling a new well ☐ Workover or Drilling (Applies to activities which require prior approval of a permit or notice of intent) ☒ P&A
☒ Above Ground Steel Tanks or ☐ Haul-off Bins

3. **Signs:** Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☒ 12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers
☐ Signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC

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4. **Closed-loop Systems Permit Application Attachment Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.
☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
☒ Closure Plan (Please complete Box 5) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: _____
☐ Previously Approved Operating and Maintenance Plan API Number: _____

NMOC DISTRICT ARTESIA

5. **Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only:** (19.15.17.13.D NMAC)
Instructions: Please identify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings. Use attachment if more than two facilities are required.
GANDY MARLEY NM 01-0019
Disposal Facility Name: CRI Disposal Facility Permit Number: NM 01-0006
Disposal Facility Name: SUNDANCE Disposal Facility Permit Number: NM 01-0003
Will any of the proposed closed-loop system operations and associated activities occur on or in areas that will not be used for future service and operations?
☐ Yes (If yes, please provide the information below) ☒ No
Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:
☐ Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

6. **Operator Application Certification:**
I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Name (Print): DAVID A. EYLER Title: AGENT
Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/16/10
e-mail address: deyler@milagro-res.com Telephone: (432) 687-3033

7.
OCD Approval: ☒ Permit Application (including closure plan) ☐ Closure Plan (only)
OCD Representative Signature: R Wade **Approval Date:** 12/29/2010
Title: DIST # Supervisor **OCD Permit Number:** 211018

8.
Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion): Subsection K of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan prior to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report. The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days of the completion of the closure activities. Please do not complete this section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and the closure activities have been completed.
KK Closure Completion Date: 02/21/11

9.
Closure Report Regarding Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only:
Instructions: Please identify the facility or facilities for where the liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings were disposed. Use attachment if more than two facilities were utilized.
Disposal Facility Name: GRI **Disposal Facility Permit Number:** NM 01-0019
Disposal Facility Name: SUNDANCE **Disposal Facility Permit Number:** NM 01-0003
Were the closed-loop system operations and associated activities performed on or in areas that will not be used for future service and operations?
☐ Yes (If yes, please demonstrate compliance to the items below) ☒ No
Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:
☐ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)
☐ Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
☐ Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique

10.
Operator Closure Certification:
I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure report is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.
Name (Print): DAVID A. EYLER **Title:** AGENT
Signature: David A. Eyley **Date:** 02/23/11
e-mail address: deyler@milagro-res.com **Telephone:** (432) 687-3033