# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

5. Lease Serial No.

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DIA #11

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0136

Expires November 30, 2000

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name  JICARILLA APACHE	
ia. Type of Work: DRILL REE	NTET - 1 PM 3: 38	7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.
Jb. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	☐ Single Zone 🗹 Mu	8. Lease Name and Well No.  JICARILLA APACHE B 15 E
2. Name of Operator ELM RIDGE RESOURCES, INC	S.	9. API Well No. 27724
3a. Address P. O. BOX 189 FARMINGTON, NM 87499	3b. Phone No. (include area code (505) 632-3476	OTERO GALLUP & BASIN DAKOTA
Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance     At surface		30-24n-5w NMPM
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office 6 AIR MILES NORTHEAST OF COU		12. County or Parish RIO ARRIBA NM
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)  1,135'	16. No. of Acres in lease <b>2,560</b>	17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well / (*)  **Spacing Unit dedi
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.  161'	19. Proposed Depth <b>6,900'</b>	20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file #886441C (BIA - NATION WIDE)
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)	22. Approximate date work will	start* 23. Estimated duration

24. Attachments

**UPON APPROVAL** 

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No.1, shall be attached to this form:

- 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
- 2. A Drilling Plan.
- A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).
- Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).

4 WEEKS

- 5. Operator certification.
- Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer.

#### Comments

Only other well in quarter-quarter is an Elm Ridge PC well.

6.530' GL



<b>\</b>			cc: BIA, BLM (&OCD), Elm (D & F), Nation				
25. Signatu	ure Blurl		Name (Printed/Typed)	BRIAN WOOD	Date 8-1	4-03	
Title	CONSULTANT	PHONE: 50	5 466-8120	FAX: 505 466-9682			
Approved b	oy (Signature) /s/ David R. Sitzler		Name (Printed/Typed)		Date	5 20 <b>04</b>	
Assistant Field Manager		ager	Office		· ·		
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Application approval does not warrant or certify the the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

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.

# State of New Mexico Energy. Minerals & Mining Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe. NM 87505

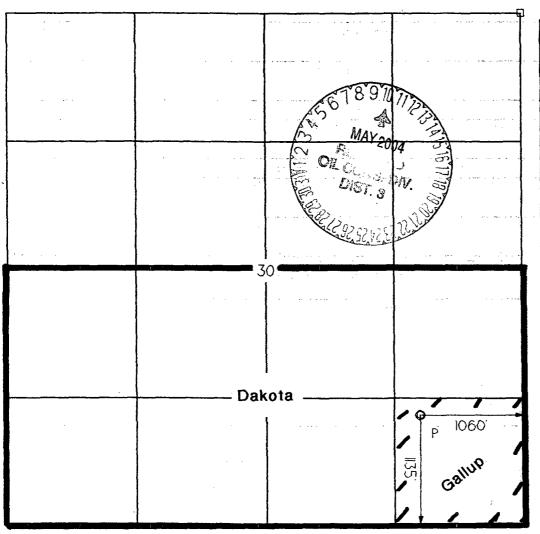
MENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

APA Number 30-039-277	724 97132 Pool Code WC Basin Maneas Pool Name 724 48450 & 71599 OTERO GALLUP & BAS	SIN DAKOTA
Property Code	Property Name	Well Number
19026	Jicarilla Apache B	15E
OGRID No.	Operator Name	Bevotion
149052	ELM RIDGE RESOURCES	6530
	Surface Location	

UL or Lot Sec Rge. Lot lan. Feet from> North/South Feet from> East/West County 5 W. 30 24 N 1135 SOUTH 1060 EAST RIO ARRIBA Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface Feet from> North/South | Feet from> UL or Lot Sec. Rge. County Twp. East/West Dedication Joint ? Order No. Consolidation **(48)** & 320

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



## OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Signature Printed Name **BRIAN WOOD** Title CONSULTANT Date AUG. 14, 2003 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location 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. Date of Surve EREO LAND

Elm Ridge Resources, Inc. Jicarilla Apache B 15 E 1135' FSL & 1060' FWL Sec. 30, T. 24 N., R. 5 W. Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

#### **Drilling Program**

#### 1. ESTIMATED FORMATION TOPS

Formation Name	GL Depth	KB Depth	<u>Elevation</u>
San Jose	000'	12'	+6,530'
Kirtland-Fruitland	1,700'	1,712'	+4,830'
Pictured Cliffs Ss	2,075'	2,087'	+4,455'
Lewis Shale	2,150'	2,162'	+4,380'
Pt. Lookout Ss	4,265'	4,277'	+2,265'
Mancos Shale	4,455'	4,467'	+2,075'
Gallup Ss	5,345'	5,357'	+1,185'
Greenhorn	6,280'	6,292'	+250'
Graneros	6,355'	6,367'	+175'
Dakota	6,515'	6,527'	+15'
Total Depth (TD)*	6,900'	6,912'	-370'

<sup>\*</sup> all elevations reflect the ungraded ground level of 6,530'

#### 2. NOTABLE ZONES

Dakota

Oil & Gas Zones	Water Zones	<u>Coal Zones</u>
Ojo Alamo	San Jose	Fruitland
Pictured Cliffs	Ojo Alamo	
Gallup		

Water zones will be protected with casing, cement, and weighted mud. Fresh water encountered during drilling will be recorded by depth, cased, and cemented. Oil and gas shows will be tested for commercial potential based on the well site geologist's recommendations.



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#### 3. PRESSURE CONTROL

The drilling contract has not yet been awarded, thus the exact BOP model to be used is not yet known. A typical 3,000 psi model is on PAGE 3. A  $\geq$ 3,000 psi BOP and choke manifold system will be installed and tested to 2,000 psi before drilling surface casing plug. It will remain in use until the well is completed or abandoned. A safety valve and sub with a full opening valve to fit the drill pipe and collars will be available on the rig floor in the open position at all times for use when kelly is not in use.

All BOP mechanical and pressure tests will be recorded on the driller's log. BOPs will be inspected and opened and closed at least daily to assure good mechanical working order. Inspections will be recorded on the daily drilling report. Pressure tests will be conducted before drilling out from under all casing strings which are set and cemented in place.

#### 4. CASING & CEMENT

<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>O. D.</u>	Weight (lb/ft)	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Age</u>	<b>GL Setting Depth</b>
12-1/4"	8-5/8"	24	K-55	ST&C	New	350'
7-7/8"	4-1/2"	10.5	J-55	LT&C	New	6,900'

Surface casing will be cemented to the surface with  $\approx\!290$  cubic feet ( $\approx\!246$  sacks) Class B with 1/4#/sk Flocele + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>. Yield = 1.18 cubic feet per sack. Weight = 15.2 pounds per gallon. Volume = 100% excess. Centralizers will be installed on the middle of the shoe joint and every other centralizer thereafter. Thread lock the guide shoe and bottom of float collar only. Use API casing dope.

Production casing will be cemented to surface in 2 stages. Set stage tool @  $\approx 4,750$ '. Volume  $\geq 75\%$  excess, but caliper log will be used to determine actual volume needed. Centralizers will be installed on middle of the shoe joint and on every joint thereafter (total of  $\approx 30$  centralizers). Thread lock the guide shoe, bottom of float collar, and bottom of stage tool only. Use API casing dope.



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First stage volume will be  $\approx 1,337$  cubic feet. First stage will consist of  $\approx 330$  sacks Halliburton Lite with 65/35 poz mix + 1/4 pound per sack Flocele + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> (yield = 1.87 cubic feet per sack & weight = 12.7 pounds per gallon) followed by  $\approx 610$  sacks Class B + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> (yield = 1.18 cubic feet per sack & weight = 15.2 pounds per gallon).

Second stage volume will be  $\approx 2,004$  cubic feet. Second stage will consist of  $\approx 1,040$  sacks of Halliburton Lite with 65/35 poz mix + 1/4 pound per sack Flocele + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> (yield = 1.87 cubic feet per sack & weight = 12.7 pounds per gallon) followed by  $\approx 50$  sacks Class B + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> (yield = 1.18 cubic feet per sack & weight = 15.2 pounds per gallon).

#### 5. MUD PROGRAM

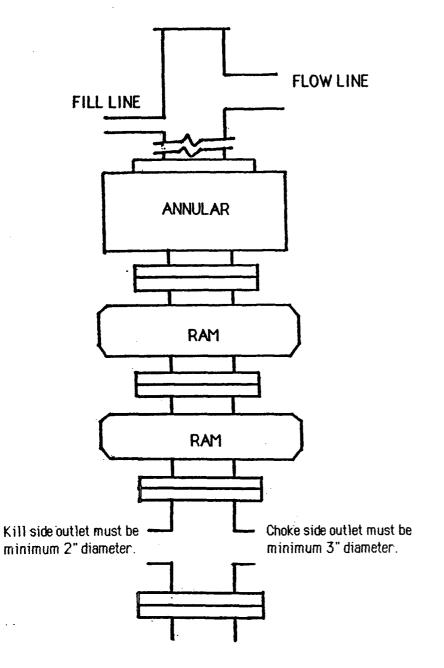
<u>Depth</u>	<u>Type</u>	ppg	<u>Viscosity</u>	Fluid Loss	<u>H</u> q
0' - 350'	Fresh water gel	9.0	50	NC	9
350' - TD'	Fresh water gel	9.0	38-50	6.0	9

Sufficient material to maintain mud properties, control lost circulation, and contain a blowout will be available at the well site while drilling. Mud will be checked hourly by rig personnel. Material to soak up possible oil or fuel spills will be on site.

#### 6. CORING, TESTING, & LOGGING

No cores or drill stem tests are planned. DIL/GR logs will be run from TD to surface. CNL/FDC logs may be run over selected segments. Samples will be collected every 10' from  $\approx$ 4,000' to TD. Samples will be collected every 30' elsewhere.

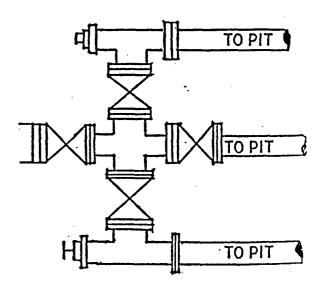




Kill line will be minimum 2" diameter and have 2 valves, one of which shall be a minimum 2" check valve.

## TYPICAL BOP STACK & CHOKE MANIFOLD

There will be at least 2 chokes and 2 choke line valves (3" minimum). The choke line will be 3" in diameter. There will be a pressure gauge on the choke manifold.



Upper kelly cock will have handle available.

Safety valve and subs will fit all drill string connections in use.

All BOPE connections subjected to well pressure will be flanged, welded, or clamped.



## <u>Jicarilla Apache B # 15 E</u> well pod & section

