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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires July 31, 1996

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

5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM 9534
6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
RCVD JUN 19 '08
7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or N
OIL CONS. DIV.
N/A
DIST. 3
8. Well Name and No.
West Bisti Coal 14 COM 1T
9. API Well No.
30-045-33371
10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
Basin Fruitland Coal
11. County or Parish, State
San Juan County, NM

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well
☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other
2. Name of Operator
Elm Ridge Exploration CO LLC
3a. Address
PO Box 156, Bloomfield, NM 87413
3b. Phone No. (include area code)
505-632-3476 x201
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
690' FNL X 2280' FWL

"C"- Sec. 14-T25N-R13W

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing <input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation <input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair <input type="checkbox"/> New Construction <input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete <input type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change Plans <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back <input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (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 recompleat 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 recompletion 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 site is ready for final inspection.)

Elm Ridge Exploration Co, LLC would like to change the surface casing size that was approved on the APD from 7" 20# K-55 to 8 5/8" 24# J-55 casing for the surface and from 4 1/2" J-55 10.5# to 5 1/2" J-55 15.5# for production. This will require the hole size to change from 8 5/8" to 12 1/4" and from 6 3/4" to 7 7/8".

Adjust cement volumes accordingly

APD will expire 9-11-2008

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

Name (Printed/Typed)

Amy Mackey

Title

Administrative Manager

Signature

Date

June 13, 2008

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by

Title

Date

Troy L. Salyers

PE

6-17-2008

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.

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Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, 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 as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on reverse)

NMOCD

PIT, CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM, BELOW
GRADE TANK, PROPOSED
ALTERNATIVE METHOD OR CLOSURE
PLAN TO BE DESIGNED, CONSTRUCTED
& OPERATED PURSUANT TO NMOCD
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