

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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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.
NM25446

6. Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or N

8. Well Name and No.
South Bisti 18H-1

9. API Well No.
30-045-28381

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
Bisti Lower Gallup

11. County or Parish, State
San Juan County, NM

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. ☒ 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 EXT 212

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec, T, R, M, or Survey Description)
2310 FNL x 990 FEL
"H" Sec. 18-T25N-R12W

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
<input 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 checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Tbg Changed Out.
	<input 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 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/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, has changed out 156 joints of 2 3/8" TBG on the above well as follows:
Tuesday, January 19, 2010: MIRU Triple P 5, inspect rig and closed loop system hold safety meeting, change out 156 joints of 2 3/8" TBG due to paraffin build up. TBG depth changed from 5037' to 5047'.
Wednesday, January 20, 2010: Inspect rig and closed loop system, hold safety meeting, pressure test to 1500 PSI for 30 plus minutes, tested good. Rig down and move off of location.

wt & grade of tbg?

RCVD FEB 2 '10
OIL CONS. DIV.
DIST. 3

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

Name (Printed/Typed) Sharla Duggins Title Production Assistant

Signature Sharla Duggins Date January 26, 2010

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by _____ Title _____ Date _____

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, 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)

ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

JAN 29 2010

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FARMINGTON FIELD OFFICE