

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE*
(Other instructions on reverse side)

Expires August 31, 1985

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

(Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or plug back to a different reservoir.
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" for such proposals.)

1. OIL WELL ☐ GAS WELL ☒ OTHER ☐ 92 AUG 31 PM 3:23
2. NAME OF OPERATOR Robert L. Bayless
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR P.O. Box 168, Farmington, NM 87499
4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.*
See also space 17 below.)
At surface 890' FNL & 990' FEL
14. PERMIT NO. 15. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)
6834'

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO. Jicarilla Contract 77
6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME Jicarilla Apache Tribe
7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME
8. FARM OR LEASE NAME AXI Apache A
9. WELL NO. 4
10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT Ballard Pictured Cliffs
11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND SURVEY OR AREA Section 16, T23N, R5W
12. COUNTY OR PARISH Rio Arriba
13. STATE NM

16. Check Appropriate Box To Indicate Nature of Notice, Report, or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

TEST WATER SHUT-OFF ☐

FRACTURE TREAT ☐

SHOOT OR ACIDIZE ☐

REPAIR WELL ☐

(Other) ☐

PULL OR ALTER CASING ☐

MULTIPLE COMPLETE ☐

ABANDON* ☒

CHANGE PLANS ☐

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

WATER SHUT-OFF ☐

FRACTURE TREATMENT ☐

SHOOTING OR ACIDIZING ☐

(Other) ☐

REPAIRING WELL ☐

ALTERING CASING ☐

ABANDONMENT* ☐

(NOTE: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

17. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*

We propose to plug and abandon this well as per the attached procedure.

SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

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

SIGNED

TITLE Petroleum Engineer

DATE 8-27-92

Kevin H. McGord
(This space for Federal or State office use)

APPROVED BY

TITLE

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED
AS AMENDED

SEP 03 1992

AREA MANAGER

*See Instructions on Reverse Side

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.

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SEP 04 1992
OIL CON. DIV.
DIST. 3

PLUG AND ABANDON PROGNOSIS
ROBERT L. BAYLESS
AXI APACHE A #4
NENE SEC 16, T23N R5W
RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

EXISTING TUBULARS

SURF CASING: 8-5/8" 28.0 #/FT H-40 SET @ 157' - CIRC TO SURFACE
PROD CASING: 5-1/2" 14.0 #/FT J-55 SET @ 2350' - CIRC TO SURFACE
PROD TUBING: 1-1/4" 2.4 #/FT J-55 SET @ 2214'

EXISTING PERFORATIONS

PICTURED CLIFFS: 2212 - 2260 @ 4SPF

FORMATION TOPS

OJO ALAMO: 1679
KIRTLAND: 1832
FRUITLAND COAL: 2025
PICTURED CLIFFS: 2207

PROCEDURE

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- 1 . MOVE IN AND RIG UP COMPLETION UNIT. SET ANCHORS IF NECESSARY.
- 2 . DIG AND FENCE RESERVE PIT. INSTALL 2" BLOWDOWN LINES.
- 3 . BLOW DOWN WELL. KILL WITH FRESH WATER IF NECESSARY. NIPPLE DOWN WELLHEAD AND NIPPLE UP BOP. CHECK AND REPLACE WELLHEAD VALVES IF NECESSARY.
- 4 . TRIP 1-1/4" TUBING OUT OF HOLE. TALLEY TUBING.
- 5 . TRIP TUBING IN HOLE TO 2257'. PUMP CEMENT PLUG #1 - 50 SACKS CLASS B CEMENT - FROM 2257' TO 1975' (PICTURED CLIFFS AND FRUITLAND COAL INTERVAL). PULL TUBING OUT OF CEMENT. WAIT 4 HOURS FOR CEMENT PLUG TO SET. TAG TOP OF CEMENT PLUG.
- 6 . MIX 50 BBLs OF 8.4 #/GAL MUD WITH SUFFICIENT VISCOSITY TO SUSPEND WEIGHTING MATERIAL. (8.4 #/GAL MUD IS SUFFICIENT TO CONTROL VIRGIN RESERVOIR PRESSURE FROM ANY PRODUCTIVE FORMATION IN THIS WELL). PUMP MUD ON TOP OF PLUG #1.
- 7 . MOVE TUBING TO 1729'. PUMP CEMENT PLUG #2 - 25 SACKS CLASS B CEMENT - FROM 1729' TO 1629' (OJO ALAMO INTERVAL).
- 8 . MOVE TUBING TO 209'. PUMP CEMENT PLUG #3 - 35 SACKS CLASS B CEMENT - FROM 209' TO SURFACE (ACROSS SURFACE CASING SHOE).
- 9 . REMOVE WELLHEAD. INSTALL DRY HOLE MARKER.
- 10 . REHABILITATE LOCATION AS PER SURFACE MANAGEMENT AGENCY REQUIREMENTS.

IN REPLY REFER TO
(019)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
FARMINGTON RESOURCE AREA
1235 LA PLATA HIGHWAY
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401

Attachment to Notice of

Re: Permanent Abandonment

Intention to Abandon

Well: 4 AXI Apache A

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. Plugging operations authorized are subject to the attached "General Requirements for Permanent Abandonment of Wells on Federal Leases."
2. Mark Kelly with the Farmington Office is to be notified at least 24 hours before the plugging operations commence (505) 599-8907.
3. Blowout prevention equipment is required.
4. The following modifications to your plugging program are to be made (when applicable):

- 1) Set surface plug from 344 to surface (water sand base @ 294)
- 2) Bring Ojo Alamo plug down to 1880 - 1629 to cover base of the Ojo Alamo.

Office Hours: 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR
PERMANENT ABANDONMENT OF WELLS ON FEDERAL AND INDIAN LEASES
FARMINGTON RESOURCE AREA

1. Secure prior approval either on a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) or verbally from the Fluids Drilling & Production Section at this office before changing the approved plugging program.
2. Plugging equipment used shall have separate mixing and displacement pumps and a calibrated tank to assure proper displacement of plugs. The Operator is responsible for providing all measuring devices needed to assure proper measurement of materials being used.
3. A proper tank or pit will be used to contain all fluids pumped from the well during plugging operations. Unattended pits are to be fenced.
4. All cement plugs are to be placed through tubing (or drillpipe) and shall be a minimum of 100 feet in length with 50% excess inside casing or 100% excess when plug is set in open hole or squeezed into perforations. 15.6#/gal slurry weight is to be used when using class B neat cement or when CaCl_2 is used. Use the recommended slurry weight of other type cements when they are used (Class C, Pozzolan etc.).
5. Any cement plugs placed when well is not full of fluid, or when well may be taking fluid, (i.e. across perfs-unless bridge plug or retainer is used, across bad csg., or fresh water formations) will be tagged (touched) after cement has set to verify proper location.
 - 5a. Testing The first plug below the surface plug shall generally be tested by either tagging the plug with the working pipe string, or pressuring to a minimum pump (surface) pressure of 1000 psig, with no more than a 10 percent drop during a 15-minute period (cased hole only). If the integrity of any other plug is questioned, it must be tested in the same manner. Also, any cement plug which is the only isolating medium for a fresh water interval or a zone containing a valuable mineral deposit should be tested by tagging with the drill string.
6. Mud must be placed between plugs. Plugging mud is to be made up with a minimum of 15 lbs/bbl of sodium bentonite, and a nonfermenting polymer. Minimum consistency of plugging mud must be 9 lbs/gal and with a minimum viscosity of 50 sec/qt. Fresh water is to be utilized for mixing mud.
7. Following the placement of a cement plug, the withdrawal rate for at least the length of the cement plug shall not exceed 30 ft/min, in order to minimize the contamination of the plug.

8. Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file a Sundry Notice (Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5), in quintuplicate with Area Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 1235 La Plata Highway, Farmington, NM 87401. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. Show date well was plugged.

9. All permanently abandoned wells are to be marked with a regulation marker (4" pipe extending 4' above the ground line) containing the information as specified in 43 CFR 3162.6(d). Unless otherwise approved.

10. After plugging work is completed the surface is to be rehabilitated in accord with instructions from the Fluids Surface Management Section of the Farmington Resource Area Office.

All above are minimum requirements. The period of liability under the bond of record will not be terminated until the lease is inspected and surface work approved.

Please advise this office when the well location is ready for final inspection.

Failure to comply with the above conditions of approval may result in an assessment for noncompliance and/or a Shut-in Order being issued pursuant to 43 CFR 3163.1.

You are further advised that any instructions, orders or decisions issued by the Bureau of Land Management are subject to administrative review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3 and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4 and 43 CFR 4.700.