

ALPINE OIL & GAS CORPORATION

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May 18, 2001

Mr. Frank T. Chavez, District Supervisor
Oil Conservation Division
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, NM 87410

0-14-24-5

RE: Jicarilla 37B#1R - API #3003921737 - Status Update

Dear Mr. Chavez:

1H This well was drilled and completed in the Pictured Cliffs formation in 1978 and first produced in 1979. It has always been a marginal producer, with a cumulative production of 25,644 MCF. In recent years production has ranged from 2 to 5 MCF/D. The well is no longer capable of producing against line pressure.

Alpine Oil & Gas Corporation is interested in salvaging this well by plugging back and recompleting in the Fruitland coal. Alpine Oil & Gas Corporation believes that the Fruitland coal section is covered with cement, and that the Fruitland coal is capable of production.

Alpine Oil & Gas Corporation has leasehold rights to the NW ¼ and the SE ¼ of Section 14. Alpine Oil & Gas Corporation will need to exchange or acquire leasehold rights in order to put together a 320 acre Fruitland coal unit.

The BLM has granted Alpine Oil & Gas Corporation an extension until April 27, 2002 to put together a 320 acre Fruitland coal unit, and to submit a detailed proposal regarding said proposed Fruitland coal recompletion. A copy of the Sundry Notice is attached.

Please advise if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas B. Grandin, Jr.

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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.

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires November 30, 2000

5. Lease Serial No.
Jicarilla 37-B

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
Jicarilla

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

8. Well Name and No.
Jicarilla 37-B #1R

9. API Well No.
3003921737

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
Ballard PC

11. County or Parish, State
Rio Arriba, New Mexico

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well
☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator
Alpine Oil & Gas Corporation

3a. Address
P. O. Box 2567

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
970-247-5386

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
990 fsl & 1850 fel
Section 14, T24N, R5W, NMPM

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
	<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 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 recomplete 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.)

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Operator is interested in salvaging this well by plugging back and recompleting in the Fruitland coal. Operator believes that the Fruitland coal section is covered with cement, and that the Fruitland coal is capable of production.

Operator has leasehold rights to the NW 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of Section 14. Operator will need to exchange or acquire leasehold rights in order to put together a 320 acre Fruitland coal unit.

Operator therefore requests an extension until May 1, 2002 to put together a 320 acre Fruitland coal unit, and to submit a detailed proposal regarding said proposed Fruitland coal recompletion.

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

Name (Printed/Typed)
Thomas B. Grandin, Jr.

Title President

Signature *Thomas B. Grandin Jr.*

Date April 20, 2001

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

[Signature]

Land and Mineral Resources

Date

4/22/01

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, 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.

Note Approval expires 1 yr from approval date