

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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(Other instructions on re-  
verse side)

Form approved.  
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135  
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.)

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO.

NM-012735

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME

7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME

San Juan 31-6 Unit

8. FARM OR LEASE NAME

San Juan 31-6 Unit

9. WELL NO.

#3

10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT

Blanco Mesa Verde

11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND  
SURVEY OR ARMA

Sec 6, T30N, R6W

12. COUNTY OR PARISH 13. STATE

Rio Arriba New Mexico

OIL WELL ☐ GAS WELL ☒ OTHER

2. NAME OF OPERATOR

Northwest Pipeline Corporation

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR

P.O. Box 90, Farmington, New Mexico 87499

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.\*  
See also space 17 below.)  
At surface

990' FNL 790' FEL NE/NE

14. PERMIT NO.

15. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.)

6425' GR

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)

PCLL 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.)\*

1) Remove steel plate w/ 4' x 4" dry hole marker from casing flange.

2) Cut off casing below casing head.

3) Fill 7" casing w/ water.

4) TIH w/ 1-1/4" tubing to 50'.

5) Spot 10 sx (11.8 cu.ft.) plug Class "B" cement from 0' to 50' (See diagram).

6) Install permanent dry hole marker and clean up location.

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OIL CON. DIV.  
DIST. 3

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

SIGNED

Linda S. Marques

TITLE Prod. & Drlg. Clerk

APPROVED

DATE 10/10/84

AS AMENDED

(This space for Federal or State office use)

APPROVED BY

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

TITLE

OCT 17 1984

M. J. Stan McKee  
M. MILLENBACH  
AREA MANAGER

SEE ATTACHED FOR  
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

NMOCC

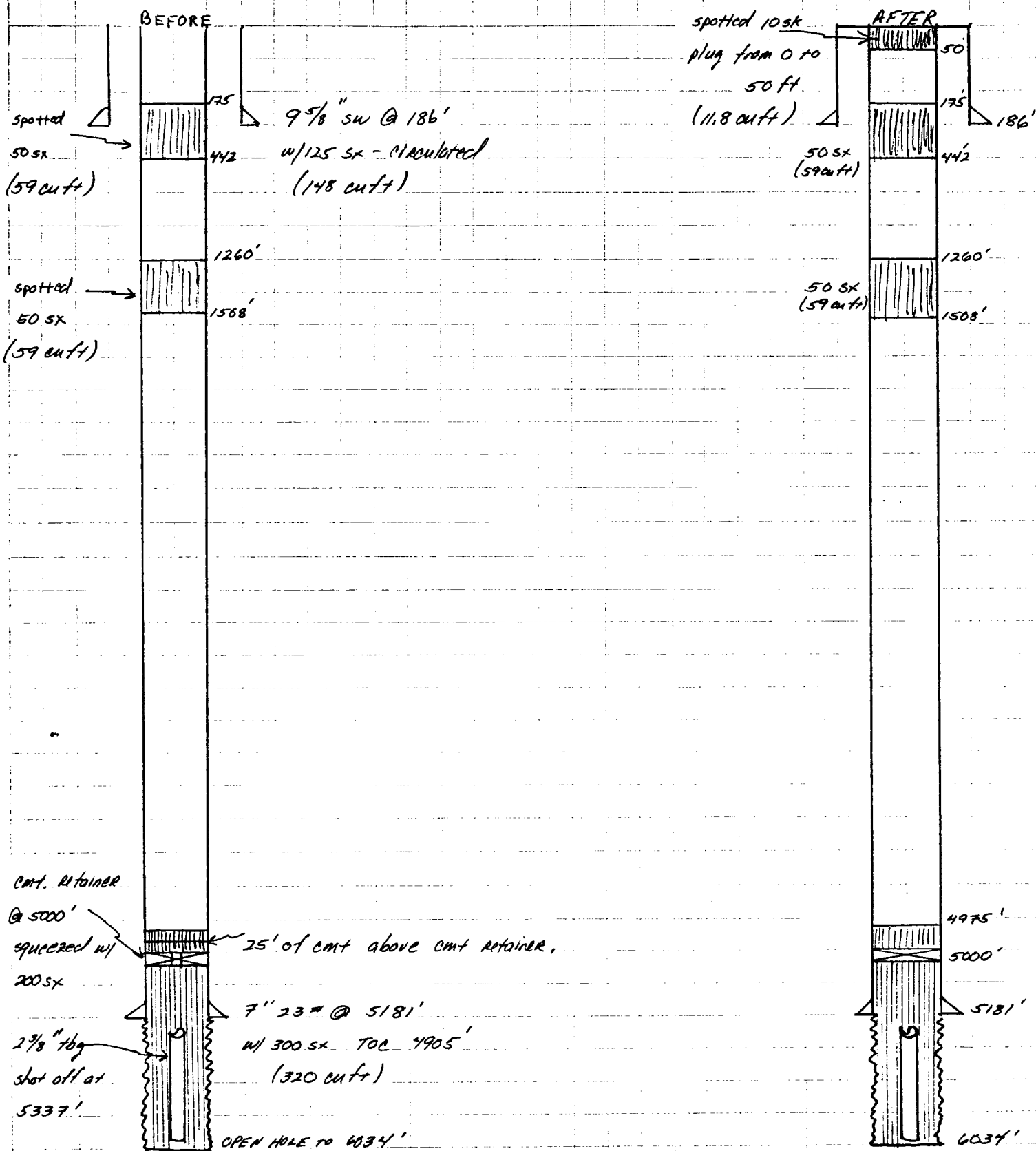
\*See Instructions on Reverse Side

SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_

# Northwest Pipeline Corporation

PAGE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
Caller Service 4104  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Attachment to Notice of

Re: Permanent Abandonment

Intention to Abandon

Well: 3 San Juan 31-6 Unit.

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. Plugging operations authorized are subject to the attached "General Requirements for Permanent Abandonment of Wells on Federal Leases."
2. The Farmington office (telephone (505) 325-4572) is to be notified in sufficient time for a representative to witness all plugging operations.
3. Blowout prevention equipment is required.
4. In addition to normal filling of pits and cleanup of location, additional surface restoration work may be required, i.e. ripping of pad and/or access road, reseeding, etc. We have asked the Surface Management Agency for the surface restoration requirements for this well and we should be able to furnish you these requirements within 30 days. After plugging the well and before making final clean-up, you should contact this office unless you have already been advised as to what additional surface restoration work is required.
5. The following modifications to your plugging program are to be made (when applicable):

*Place cement outside the 7" casing from  
275' to 175' (by pumping down the annulus  
between the 7" and 9 5/8" casing).*

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

Office Hours: 7:45 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

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

1. Secure prior approval 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.
3. A proper tank or pit will be used to contain all fluids pumped from the well during plugging operations.
4. All cement plugs are to be placed through tubing (or drillpipe) and shall be a minimum of 15 sacks or 100 feet in length, whichever is greater.
5. Any cement plug placed when well is not full of fluid, or when well may be taking fluid, will be touched after cement has set to verify proper location.
6. Mud must be placed between plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud must be 9.2 lbs/gal. Brine is to be utilized for mixing mud where possible.
7. Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 (formerly 9-331), in quintuplicate with Area Manager, Bureau of Land Management, Caller Service 4104, Farmington, New Mexico 87499. 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.
8. All permanently abandoned wells are to be marked with a permanent monument, on which has been stenciled or beaded the well name, well number, and well location by quarter-quarter, section, township and range. The monument is to be of steel pipe, not less than four inches in diameter, cemented permanently in the ground, and extending four feet above general ground level. The top should be closed with a screw cap, welding, or a cement plug.
9. After plugging work is completed:
  - a. Fill all pits, rat hole and cellar.
  - b. Clean well location of all equipment, concrete bases, pipe, junk and
  - c. Cut or remove tie downs.
  - d. If last well on lease, and no additional drilling is contemplated, fill tank battery pits, remove battery equipment, and clean and level battery location.
  - e. Accomplish surface restoration as specified by the surface management agency or land owner.

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

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

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