

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1004-0135  
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## 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.

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.

1. Type of Well <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: COAL BED METHANE		5. Lease Serial No. NMSF-079968
2. Name of Operator RICHARDSON OPERATING COMPANY		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name 30-045-30364
3a. Address 1700 LINCOLN, SUITE 1700 DENVER, CO 80203		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 303.830.8000 Fx: 303.830.8009		8. Well Name and No. Multiple--See Attached Ropco
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Multiple--See Attached 8-29N-14W 1850/N + E		9. API Well No. Multiple--See Attached #1
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory TW. MO. PC & BA. FR. CO.
		11. County or Parish, and State SAN JUAN COUNTY, NM

## 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Well Spud
	<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 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 recompleat 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.)

## SPUD SUNDRY

7/18/01 SPUD w/8 3/4" bit and drill to 135'. Circulate clean and TOO. H.

LD drill collars and bit. RIH 3 jt 7" 20# K-55 CSG-Surface Pipe @

130'. Pump 4 BBL fresh H2O, pump 30 sk CMT, displace 3.5 BBL. SDFN.

7/19/01 NU BOP. Test 2000#. Test CSG to 600#. TIH w/ 6 1/4" bit. Tag and drill out cement. Drill to 700'. SDFN.

7/20/01 Drill to 900'. Circulate clean and POOH. RIH 20 jt 4 1/2" J-55

10.5# CSG. Shoe @ 883.59' KB, Float Collar @ 839.31. Circulate hole clean. Pump 10 sk 12.5# CMT, Pump 117 sk 15.6# CMT, displace with 13

BBL H2O. Bump plug. SDFN.

7/21/01 RDMO.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.  
Electronic Submission #9072 verified by the BLM Well Information System  
For RICHARDSON OPERATING COMPANY, sent to the Farmington  
Committed to AFMSS for processing by Lucy Bee on 11/19/2001 ()

Name (Printed/Typed) JOHN WHISLER

Title OPERATIONS

Signature (Electronic Submission)

Date 11/16/2001

## THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE 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 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.

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**Additional data for EC transaction #9072 that would not fit on the form**

**Wells/Facilities, continued**

Agreement	Lease	Well/Fac Name, Number	API Number	Location
	NMSF-079968	ROPCO 1	30-045-30346	Sec 8 T29N R14W NWNW 850FNL 1850FEL
	NMSF-079968	FAC ROPCO 8-1		Sec 8 T29N R14W NWNW 850FNL 1850FEL