

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

RECEIVED  
MAIL ROOM

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. TYPE OF WORK

DRILL ☒

DEEPEN ☐

PLUG BACK ☐

b. TYPE OF WELL

OIL  
WELL ☐

GAS  
WELL ☒

OTHER ☐

2. NAME OF OPERATOR

Meridian Oil Inc.

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR

PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)\*

At surface 1450'N, 1850'E

At proposed prod. zone

14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE\*

6 miles to Aztec, NM

15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED\*

LOCATION TO NEAREST  
PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT.  
(Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)

1450'

16. NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE

2394.72

17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED  
TO THIS WELL

160.00 / 164.50

18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION\*  
TO NEAREST WELL, DRILLING, COMPLETED,  
OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT.

200'

19. PROPOSED DEPTH

2556'

20. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS

Rotary

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

5984' GL

DRILLING OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED ARE  
SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH ATTACHED

22. APPROX. DATE WORK WILL START\*

23.

PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM

This action is subject to technical and  
procedural review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3  
and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4.

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	
12 1/4"	9 5/8"	32.3#	200'	130 cf. circulated
8 3/4"	7"	20.0#	2470'	800 cf circ. surface
6 1/4"	5 1/2" liner	23.0#	2556'	do not cement

The Fruitland coal formation will be completed.

A 3000 psi WP and 6000 psi test double gate preventer equipped with  
blind and pipe rams will be used for blow out prevention on this well.

This gas is dedicated.

The NE/4 of Section 29 is dedicated to this well.

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OIL CON. DIV  
DIST. 3

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: If proposal is to deepen or plug back, give data on present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. If proposal is to drill or deepen directionally, give pertinent data on subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths. Give blowout preventer program, if any.

24.

SIGNED

*[Signature]*

TITLE

Regulatory Affairs

DATE

08-18-88

(This section for Federal or State office use)

Approval of this action does

PERMIT ~~not~~ warrant that the applicant

holds legal or equitable rights

APPROVED BY

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

"None to this lease."

APPROVAL DATE

APPROVED

AS AMENDED

AUG 29 1988

*[Signature]*  
AREA MANAGER

NMOCC

\*See Instructions On Reverse Side

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