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Form 3160-3 (March 2012)

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FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0137 Expires October 31, 2014

5. Lease Serial No.

NMNM120908

RECOMPARYMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT T	O DRILL (	OR REENTER
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**UNITED STATES** 

6. If Indian, Allotee or Tribe Name

a.	Type of Work:   DRILL	REENTER			7. If Unit or CA Agreeme	ent, Name and No.	
b.	Type of Well:	Other	✓ Single Zone Multiple	Zone	8. Lease Name and We Azores Fe	\ / 100	
	Name of Operator  COG Proc	luction LLC.	217955		9. API Well No. 30-025-	41534	
a.	Address	3b. Phone No. (includ	le area code)		10. Field and Pool, or Ex	ploratory 9789	
	2208 West Main Street Artesia, NM 88210		575-748-6940		WC-025-G06 S253206M; Bone Spring		
٠.	Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance wit	h any State requirements.	*)		11. Sec., T.R.M. or Blk ar	nd Survey or Area	
	At surface 190' FSL & 1650' FEL	Unit Letter O (SWSE)	SHL Sec 29-T24S-R32E (O)				
	At proposed prod. Zone 330' FNL & 1840' FEL	Unit Letter B (NWNE)	BHL Sec 29-T24S-R32E		Sec. 29 - T	24S - R32E	
4.	Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or pos	it office*	**)		12. County or Parish	13. State	
	Approximately 22	miles from Malaga			Lea County	NM	
5.	Distance from proposed*	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	16. No. of acres in lease	17. Spac	ing Unit dedicated to this	well	
	property or lease line, ft.	100	1891.72		450		
_	(Also to nearest drig. Unit line, if any) 190'		10.0	160			
.8.			19. Proposed Depth	ZO. BLM,	/BIA Bond No. on file		
	to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. SHL: 165	0' BHL: 3233'	TVD: 10,560' MD: 15,100'		NMB000860 &NM	B000845	
1.	Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)		22. Approximate date work will s	tart*	23. Estimated	duration	

#### 24. Attachments

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

- Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
- A Drilling Plan
- A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).

3498.1' GL

- 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
- 5. Operator certification

11/1/2013

6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer

Name (Printed/Typed) Date 8/27/2013 Approved by (Signa) Name (Printed/Typed) Date DEC

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30 days

Title

Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legan or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations theron.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

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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Carlsbad Controlled Water Basin

SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

APPROVAL SUBJECTUTIONS ON PAGE 2) GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS DEC 1 0 2013

# COG Production LLC DRILLING AND OPERATIONS PROGRAM

Azores Federal #2H SHL: 190' FSL & 1650' FEL BHL: 330' FNL & 1840' FEL Section 29 T24S R32E Lea County, New Mexico

In conjunction with Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill subject well, COG Production LLC submits the following eleven items of pertinent information in accordance with BLM requirements.

1. Geological surface formation: Permian

**2.** The estimated tops of geologic markers & estimated depths at which anticipated water, oil or gas formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

Fresh Water	~200′	
Rustler	782'	•
Top of Salt	1,114′	
Base of Salt	4,509'	
Delaware	4,629'	Oil
Bone Springs	8,520'	Oil
TD TVD	10,560'	
TD MD	15,100'	

No other formations are expected to give up oil, gas or fresh water in measurable quantities. The surface fresh water sands will be protected by setting 13-3/8" casing at 810' and circulating cement back to surface. All intervals will be isolated by setting 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " casing to total depth and tying back cement to a minimum of 500' into the 9-5/8" casing.

## 3. Proposed Casing Program: All casing is new and API approved

Hole Size	Depths	Section	OD Casing	New/ Used	Wt	Collar	Grade	Collapse Design Factor	Burst Design Factor	Tension Design Factor
17 1/2"	0' - 810'	Surface	13 3/8"	New	54.5#	STC	J-55	1.125	1.125	1.6
12 1/4"	0' - 3,500'	Intrmd	9 5/8"	New	36#	LTC	J-55	1.125	1.125	1.6
12 1/4"	3,500′ – 4,550′	Intrmd	9 5/8"	New	40#	LTC	J-55	1.125	1.125	1.6
7 7/8"	0' - 15,100'	Production Curve & Lateral	5 ½"	New	17#	LTC	P-110	1.125	1.125	1.6



While running all casing strings, the pipe will be kept a minimum of 1/3 full at all times to avoid approaching the collapse pressure of casing.

### 4. Proposed Cement Program

a. 13-3/8" Surface

Lead: 300 sx Class C + 4% Gel + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>

(13.5 ppg /1.75 cuft/sx / 9.2 gal/sk)

Tail: 250 sx Class C + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>

(14.8 ppg / 1.35 cuft/sx / 6.3 gal/sk)

\*\*Calculated w/50% excess on OH volumes

b. 9 5/8" Intermediate:

Lead: 825 sx 35:65:6 C Blend

(12.7 ppg /1.89 cuft/sx / 10.6 gal/sk)

Tail: 250 sx Class C

(14.8 ppg / 1.35 cuft/sx / 6.3 gal/sk)

\*\*Calculated w/35% excess on OH volumes

c. 5 1/2" Production:

Lead: 600 sx 50:50:10 H +Salt+Gilsonite+CFR-3+ HR601

(11.9 ppg / 2.5 cuft/sx / 14.11 gal/sk)

Tail: 950 sx 50:50:2 H +Salt+GasStop +CFR-3+HR601

(14.4 ppg /1.25 cuft/sx/ 5.66 gal/sk )

\*\*Calculated w/35% excess on OH volumes

- The above cement volumes could be revised pending the caliper measurement.
- The 9-5/8" intermediate string is designed to circulate cement to surface.
- The production string will tie back a minimum of 500' into the 9-5/8" casing.

#### 5. Pressure Control:

Nipple up on 13 3/8 with annular preventer tested to 50% of rated working pressure by independent tester and the rest of the 2M system tested to 2000 psi.

Nipple up on 9 5/8 with 3M system tested to 3000 psi by independent tester.

Pipe rams will be operationally checked each 24 hour period. Blind rams will be operationally checked on each trip out of the hole. These checks will be noted on the daily tour sheets. A 2" kill line and a minimum 3" choke line will be included in the drilling spool located below the ram-type BOP. Other accessories to the BOP equipment will include a Kelly cock and floor safety valve (inside BOP) and choke lines and choke manifold with 3000 psi WP rating. A remotely operated choke will be installed before drilling out intermediate shoe. If H2S is monitored with 100 ppm in the gas stream while drilling intermediate, we will shut in and install a remote operated choke.

#### 6. Estimated BHP & BHT:

Lateral TD = 5,050 psi Lateral TD= 160°F

## **7. Mud Program:** The applicable depths and properties of this system are as follows:

		Mud	Viscosity	Waterloss
Depth	Type System	Weight	(sec)	(cc)
0' - 810'	Fresh Water	8.4	29	N.C.
810′ – 4,550′	Brine	10	29	N.C.
4,550' – 15,100' (Lateral)	Cut Brine	8.8 - 9.2	29	N.C.

- The necessary mud products for weight addition and fluid loss control will be on location at all times.
- A visual and electronic mud monitoring system will be rigged up prior to spud to detect changes in the volume of mud system. The electronic system consists of a pit volume total, stroke counter and flow sensor at flow line.
- If weight and/or viscosity are introduced to the mud system a daily mud check will be performed by mud contractor, along with tourly check by rig personnel.
- After setting intermediate casing, a third party gas unit detection system will be installed at the flow line.

## 8. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment:

- a. A Kelly cock will be in the drill string at all times.
- b. A full opening drill pipe stabbing valve having the appropriate connections will be on the riq floor at all times.
- c. Hydrogen Sulfide detection equipment will be in operation after drilling out the 13 3/8" casing shoe until the 5 ½" casing is cemented. Breathing equipment will be on location upon drilling the 13 3/8" shoe until total depth is reached.

### 9. Testing, Logging and Coring Program:

- a. Drill stem tests will be based on geological sample shows.
- b. If open hole electrical logging is performed, the program will be:
  - Total Depth to Intermediate Casing: Dual Laterolog-Micro Laterolog and Gamma Ray. Compensated Neutron – Z Density log with Gamma Ray and Caliper.
  - ii. Total Depth to Surface: Compensated Neutron with Gamma Ray
  - iii. No coring program is planned
  - iv. Additional testing will be initiated subsequent to setting the 5 ½" production casing. Specific intervals will be targeted based on log evaluation, geological sample shows and drill stem tests.

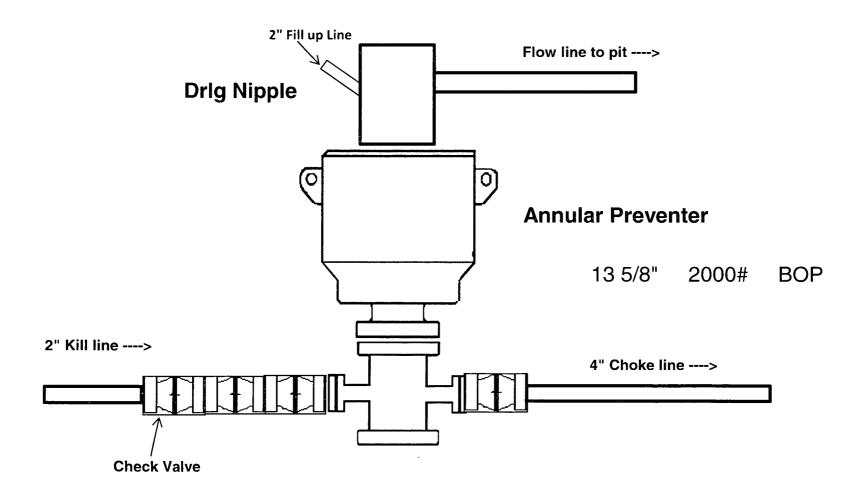
#### 10. Potential Hazards:

a. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are expected. There is no known presence of H2S in this area. If H2S is encountered the operator will comply with the provisions of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 6. All personnel will be familiar with all aspects of safe operation of equipment being used to drill this well. No H2S is anticipated to be encountered.

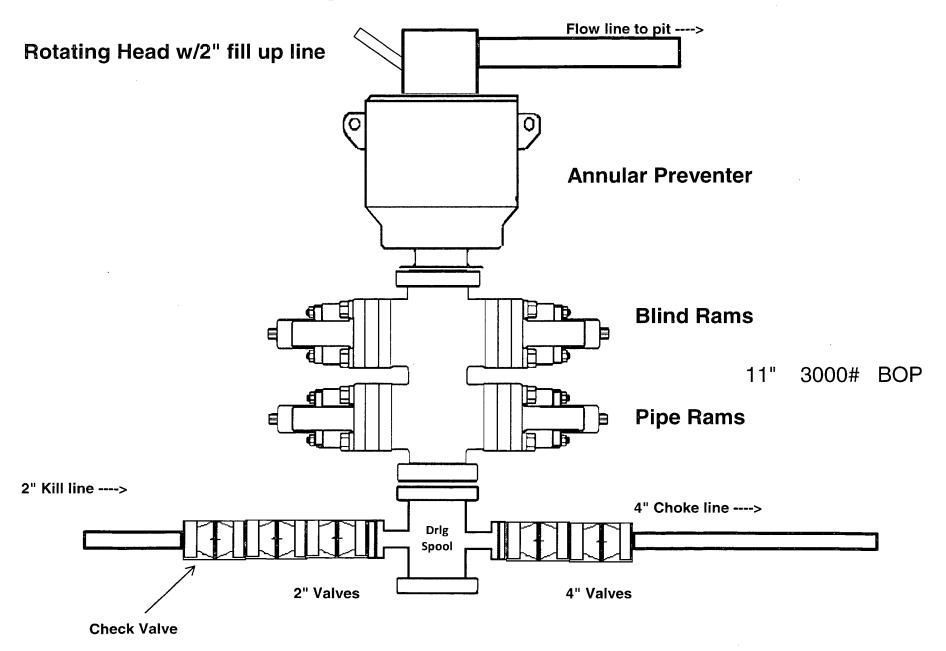
#### 11. Anticipated starting date and Duration of Operations:

a. Road and location construction will begin after the BLM has approved the APD. Anticipated spud date will be as soon as possible after BLM approval and as soon as a rig will be available. Move in operations and drilling is expected to take 30 days.

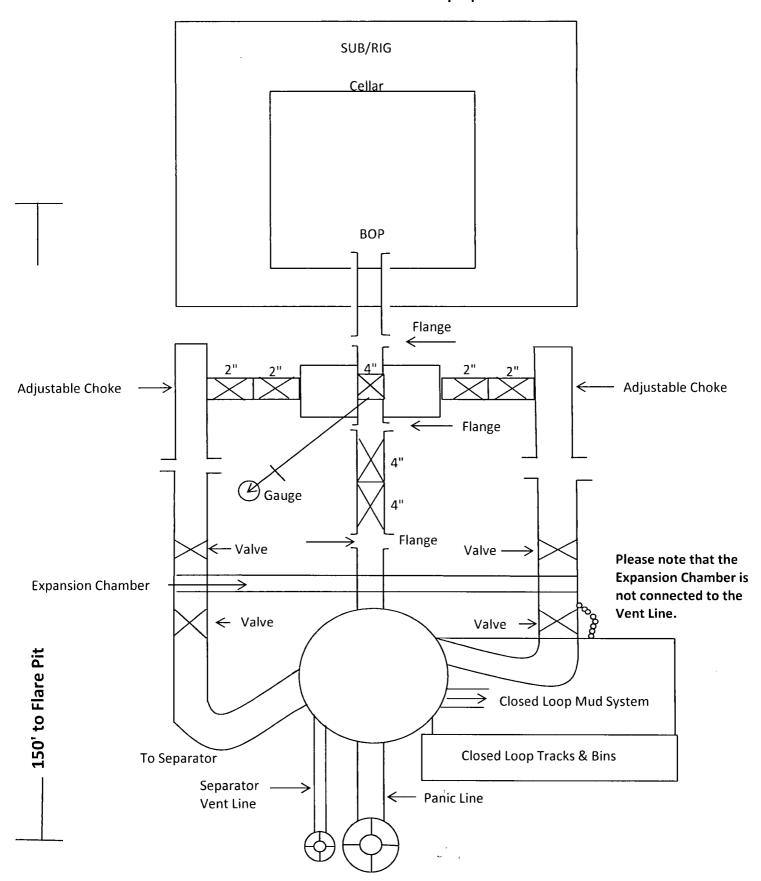
# 2,000 psi BOP Schematic



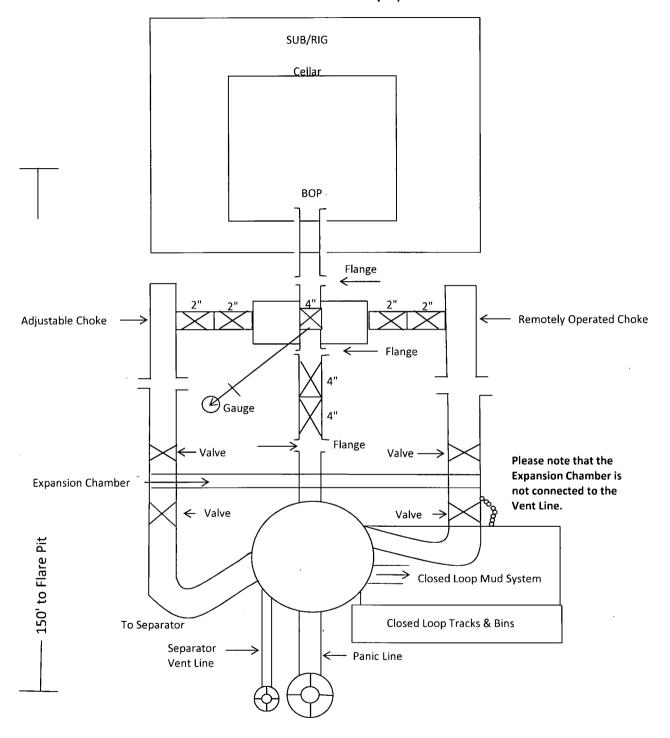
# 3,000 psi BOP Schematic

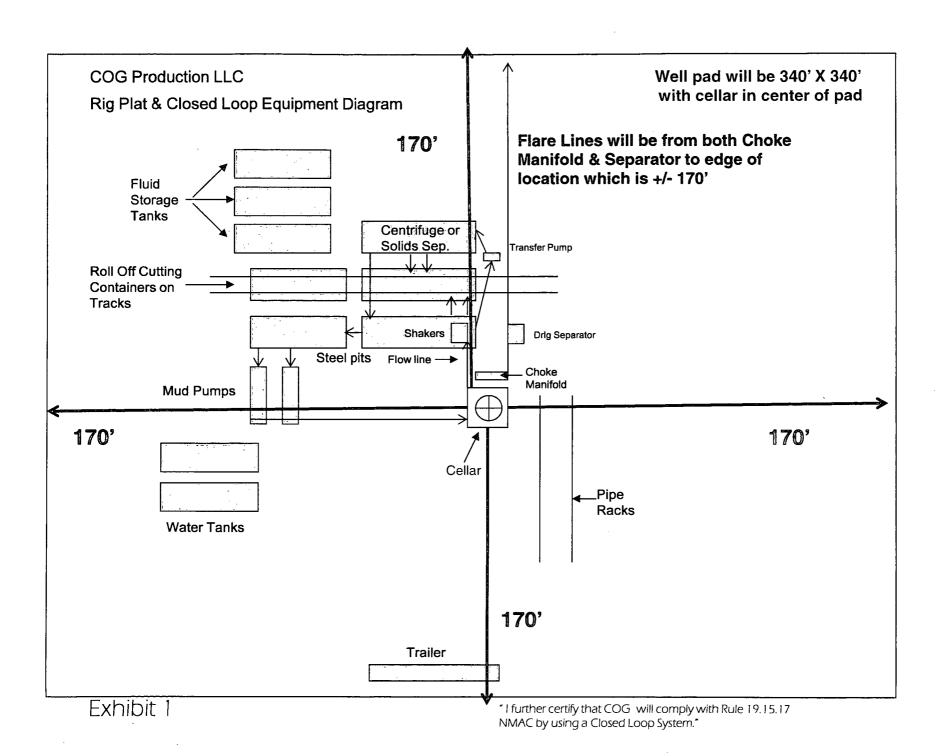


## 2M Choke Manifold Equipment



## 3M Choke Manifold Equipment







# **EXHIBIT 3**

# **Production Facility Layout**

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