

HOBBS OCD

Form 3160-3 (August 2007) **AUG 24 2012**

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD-HOBBS

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0137
Expires: July 31, 2010

RECEIVED 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.

5. Lease Serial No.
NMLC 0056011B

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2.

1. Type of Well Oil Well Gas Well Other

2. Name of Operator
Apache Corporation

3a. Address
303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite 3000
Midland, TX 79705

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
432/818-1062

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
660' FSL & 660' FWL UL M Sec 7 T21S R38E

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

8. Well Name and No.
Elliott 7 Federal #003 (38884)

9. API Well No.
30-025-40317

10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area
BliO&G(O)6660/TubbO&G(O)60240/Wantz; Abo62700 **Drinkard (K9190)**

11. Country or Parish, State
Lea County, NM

12 CHECK THE 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 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 checked="" 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 must 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 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Apache intends to set an RBP above the Abo, to produce only the B-T-D.

PLACE 35' CEMENT ON BP, NOTIFY BLM 24 Hrs Prior to Setting BP+Cement. Call Paul Swartz @ 234-5985

07/27/2012 [Signature]

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct Name (Printed/Typed)
Reesa Holland

Title Sr. Staff Engr Tech

Signature *Reesa Holland* Date 05/02/2012

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by */s/ JD Whitlock Jr* Title *LPE* Date *8/22/12*

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 *CFO* **Petroleum Engineer**
AUG 28 2012

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.

(Instructions on page 2)

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