

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires November 30, 2000

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM 04229C
2. Name of Operator Chesapeake Operating, Inc.		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address P. O. Box 11050 Midland TX 79702-8050	3b. Phone No. (include area code) (432)687-2992	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. Little Eddy Unit
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 1800' FNL & 1650' FEL, Section 5, T21S, R32E		8. Well Name and No. Little Eddy Unit #7
		9. API Well No. 30-025-32602
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Hat Mesa; Delaware
		11. County or Parish, State Lea New Mexico

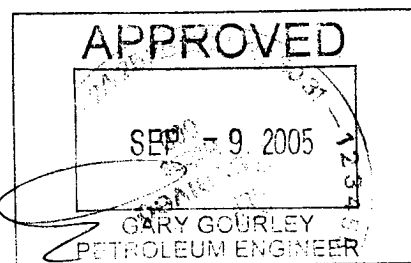
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

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 type="checkbox"/> Other _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input checked="" 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 recomplate horizontally, give subsurface locations 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 recompletion 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.)

This well was approved to be plugged and abandoned on March 11, 2005; However, Chesapeake Operating, Inc. acquired this well through our acquisition of Rubicon the end of April 2005. Please, consider this Chesapeake's request that the temporarily abandoned status be extended for a period of six months in order that we might have time to evaluate the well for ourselves. Your consideration is appreciated.

APPROVED FOR 4 MONTH PERIOD
ENDING 3/9/2006



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

Name (Printed/Typed) **Brenda Coffman** Title **Regulatory Analyst**

Signature *Brenda Coffman* Date **09/06/2005**

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THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICIAL USE

Approved by

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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.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any officer or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on reverse)

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Last Production : 1998. Rubicon failed to commence with approved plugging procedure. TA extension given 6 months until March 9, 2005. Wellbores remaining unutilized will be recommended for adequate Bond coverage