

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM 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.

OCD Hobbs

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. NMNM114986
2. Name of Operator CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address 15 SMITH ROAD MIDLAND, TX 79705		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 432-687-7375		8. Well Name and No. BRININSTOOL 23 23 33 USA 1H
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 23 T23S R33E Mer NMP SWSE 149FNL 1568FEL		9. API Well No. 30-025-41330
10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory BELL LAKE; BONE SPRING, N		11. County or Parish, and State LEA COUNTY, NM

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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
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	Change to Original A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	PD

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 recomple 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 recomple 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.)

CHEVRON RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS TO CHANGE PLANS FOR BOP TESTING DUE TO THE UTILIZATION OF THE GE/VETCO SH-2 MULTIBOWL WELLHEAD. CHEVRON REQUESTS TO NIPPLE UP AND TEST BOPE ON THE SURFACE CASING TO 5,000 PSI AND 250 PSI LOW, AND TO PERFORM SUBSEQUENT TESTS AS NEEDED, NOT TO EXCEED 21 DAYS FROM THE PREVIOUS TEST. THE FIELD REPORT FROM THE GE/VETCO REPRESENTATIVE AND THE BOP TEST INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED IN A SUBSEQUENT REPORT AT THE END OF THE WELL. PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED WELLHEAD SCHEMATIC AND INSTALLATION MANUAL.

**SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.		Electronic Submission #222701 verified by the BLM Well Information System For CHEVRON U.S.A. INC., sent to the Hobbs Committed to AFMSS for processing by KURT SIMMONS on 10/17/2013 ()	
Name (Printed/Typed)	DENISE PINKERTON	Title	REGULATORY SPECIALIST
Signature	(Electronic Submission)	Date	10/11/2013
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE			
Approved By		Title	
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.		<div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> APPROVED OCT 18 2013 Date /s/ Chris Walls BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE </div>	

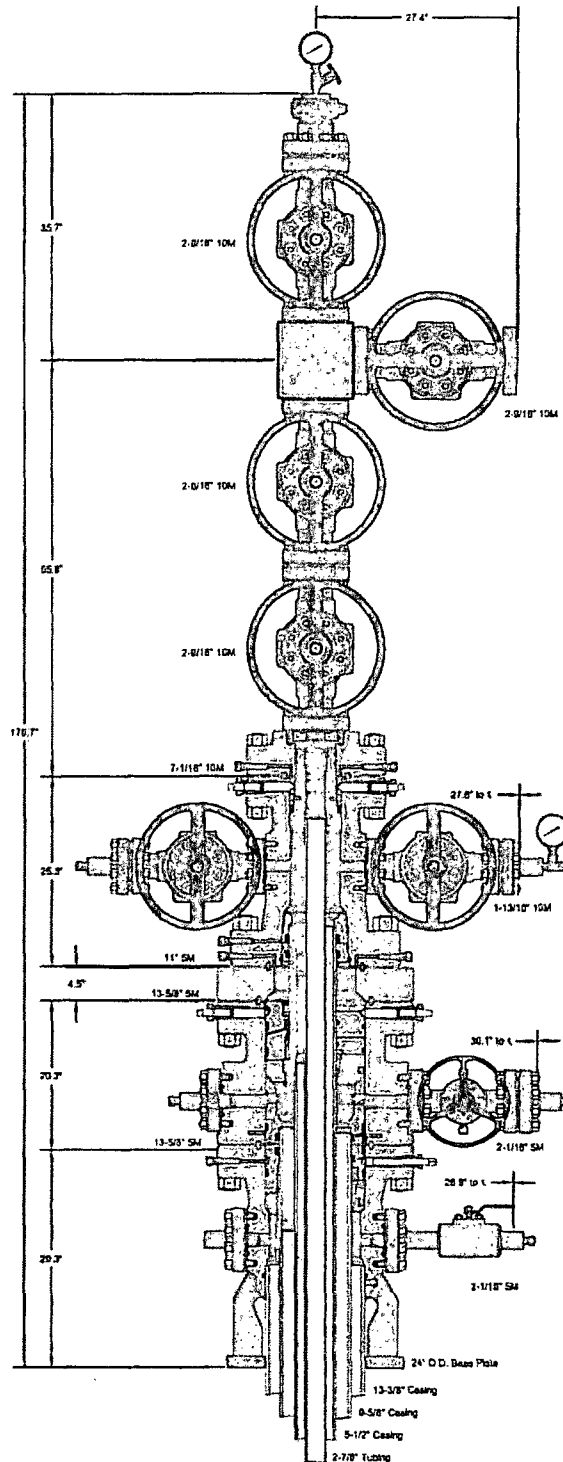
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CHEVRON USA, INC.
DELAWARE BASIN

13-3/8" x 9-5/8" x 5-1/2" x 2-7/8" 10M SH2/Conventional
Wellhead Assembly, With DSA, T-EBS-F Tubing Head,
T-EN Tubing Hanger and A5PEN Adapter Flange

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DRAWING NO.		AE23705

Multibowl Wellhead
Conditions of Approval
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A. PRESSURE CONTROL

1. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 and API RP 53 Sec. 17.
2. Variance approved to use flex line from BOP to choke manifold. Check condition of flexible line from BOP to choke manifold, replace if exterior is damaged or if line fails test. Line to be as straight as possible with no hard bends and is to be anchored according to Manufacturer's requirements. The flexible hose can be exchanged with a hose of equal size and equal or greater pressure rating. **Anchor requirements, specification sheet and hydrostatic pressure test certification matching the hose in service, to be onsite for review. These documents shall be posted in the company man's trailer and on the rig floor.** If the BLM inspector questions the straightness of the hose, a BLM engineer will be contacted and will review in the field or via picture supplied by inspector to determine if changes are required (operator shall expect delays if this occurs).
3. **Operator has proposed a multi-bowl wellhead assembly. This assembly will only be tested when installed on the surface casing. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be 5000 (5M) psi.**
 - a. Wellhead shall be installed by manufacturer's representatives, submit documentation with subsequent sundry.
 - b. If the welding is performed by a third party, the manufacturer's representative shall monitor the temperature to verify that it does not exceed the maximum temperature of the seal.
 - c. Manufacturer representative shall install the test plug for the initial BOP test.
 - d. Operator shall perform the intermediate casing integrity test to 70% of the casing burst. ~~This will test the multi-bowl seals.~~
 - e. If the cement does not circulate and one inch operations would have been possible with a standard wellhead, the well head shall be cut off, cementing operations performed and another wellhead installed.

5M/10M system requires an HCR valve, remote kill line and annular to match. The remote kill line is to be installed prior to testing the system and tested to stack pressure.

4. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.

- a. In a water basin, for all casing strings utilizing slips, these are to be set as soon as the crew and rig are ready and any fallback cement remediation has been done. The casing cut-off and BOP installation can be initiated four hours after installing the slips, which will be approximately six hours after bumping the plug. For those casing strings not using slips, the minimum wait time before cut-off is eight hours after bumping the plug. BOP/BOPE testing can begin after cut-off or once cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified), whichever is greater. However, if the float does not hold, cut-off cannot be initiated until cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified).
- b. The tests shall be done by an independent service company utilizing a test plug **not a cup or J-packer**. The operator also has the option of utilizing an independent tester to test without a plug (i.e. against the casing) pursuant to Onshore Order 2 with the pressure not to exceed 70% of the burst rating for the casing. Any test against the casing must meet the WOC time for water basin (18 hours) or potash (24 hours) or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater, prior to initiating the test (see casing segment as lead cement may be critical item).
- c. The test shall be run on a 5000 psi chart for a 2-3M BOP/BOP, on a 10000 psi chart for a 5M BOP/BOPE and on a 15000 psi chart for a 10M BOP/BOPE. If a linear chart is used, it shall be a one hour chart. A circular chart shall have a maximum 2 hour clock.
- d. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
- e. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. **A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.**
- f. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug. This test shall be performed prior to the test at full stack pressure.