Form 3160-5 (March 2012)

**UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

**BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT** 

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5. Lease Serial No.

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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 process as			6. If Indian, Allottee of	or Tribe Name		
SUBMI	T IN TRIPLICATE - Other	-	7. If Unit of CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.			
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other instructions on page 2.  1. Type of Well  SEP 2 6 2014			DRICKEY QUEEN			
✓ Oil Well Gas W	/ell Other			8. Well Name and No. DRICKEY QUEEN SAND UNIT #14		
2. Name of Operator LEGACY RESERVES OPERATING LP			9. API Well No. 30-005-00897	9. API Weil No. 30-005-00897		
PO BOX 10848		3b. Phone No. (include area code) 432-689-5200	!	10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area CAPROCK; QUEEN		
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T.,R.,M., or Survey Description)			1	11. County or Parish, State		
660' FSL & 1980' FEL, UNIT LETTER O, SEC. 33, T13S, R31E			CHAVES CO., N	CHAVES CO., NM		
12. CHEC	K THE APPROPRIATE BO	X(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NO	OTICE, REPORT OR OTH	ER DATA		
TYPE OF SUBMISSION						
Notice of Intent	Acidize Alter Casing		Production (Start/Resume) Water Shut-Off Reclamation Well Integrity			
,	Casing Repair		Recomplete	Well Integrity Other		
Subsequent Report	Change Plans		emporarily Abandon	C Odici		
Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injection		Vater Disposal			
determined that the site is ready for Legacy Reserves Operating LP	final inspection.) respectfully requests TA e		Queen Sand Unit #14. S	ubject well has future use as an the east be expanded.		
4. I hereby certify that the foregoing is tr	ue and correct. Name (Printea	Typed)				
LAURA PINA Title REGULATORY TEC			TECH			
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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.

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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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## Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands Conditions of Approval

A temporary abandoned well is defined as a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities but may have value as a service well. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3162.3-4(c), no well may be temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days without the prior approval of the authorized officer.

Temporary Abandonment (TA) status approval requires a successful casing integrity test as follows:

- 1. A Notice of Intent (NOI) Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting approval to run a mechanical integrity test (MIT) or casing integrity test (CIT).
- 2. A description of the temporary abandonment procedure.
- A. A bridge plug or packer must be installed as close to 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole as possible. If a cement plug is used, the top of the cement must be verified by tagging.
- B. The wellbore must be filled with corrosion inhibited fluid and pressure tested to 500 psi. The casing shall be capable of holding this pressure for at least 30 minutes with a 10% allowable leakoff.
- C. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
- D. A bradenhead test must be conducted. If the test indicates a problem exists, a remedial plan and time frame for remediation shall be submitted within ninety (90) days of the test.
- E. Contact the BLM Roswell Field Office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Chaves and Roosevelt County, during office hours or after office hours call (575) 627-0205. Engineer on call during office hours phone (575) 627-0275 or phone (after hours) call (575) 626-5749.

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test may be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status up to 12 months.

- 1. Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting TA approval.
- 2. Attaches a clear copy of the original pressure test chart.
- 3. Provided justification why the well should be temporarily abandoned rather than permanently plugged and abandoned and an estimated date that the well will be returned to beneficial use or plugged and abandoned.
- 4. Describes the temporary abandonment procedure.

The TA status could be extended without another casing integrity test provided there was no leak-off during the test and the test was witnesses by a BLM representative.

If the well does not pass the casing integrity test, then the operator shall within 30 days submit to BLM for approval one of the following:

- 1. A procedure to repair the casing so that a TA approval can be granted.
- 2. A procedure to plug and abandon the well.

Ref: IM: NM-95-022 (12/16/1994)