

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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.

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0137
Expires: January 31, 2018

5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM0557256

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.
ELLIOTT EM 20 FEDERAL 4

9. API Well No.
30-025-41444

10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area
WANTZ; ABO (62700)

11. County or Parish, State
LEA COUNTY COUNTY, NM

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other Instructions on page 2

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator
APACHE CORPORATION

Contact: REESA FISHER
E-Mail: Reesa.Fisher@apachecorp.com

3a. Address
303 VETERANS AIRPARK LANE SUITE 3000
MIDLAND, TX 79705

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

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

Sec 20 T22S R37E SENW 2310FNL 2310FWL

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"/> Hydraulic Fracturing	<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 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 must 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 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 respectfully requests an extended TA status for this well, per the attached passing chart dated 1/31/2017.

Apache can not proceed with work on our Elliott EM 20 Federal wells until we are able to tie the wells into the battery. Our original surface commingle application was submitted 5/12/2016 and finally returned 11/1/2016 with no comment on its deficiency. We have not been successful making contact with BLM. Resubmission will occur in conjunction with this request.

TA renewal status is required to clear this well from the OCD Inactive Well List and until such time commingle approval is obtained.

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

Electronic Submission #366605 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For APACHE CORPORATION, sent to the Hobbs

Name (Printed/Typed) REESA FISHER

Title SR STAFF REGULATORY ANALYST

Signature (Electronic Submission)

Date 02/09/2017

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By _____
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 _____ Date _____

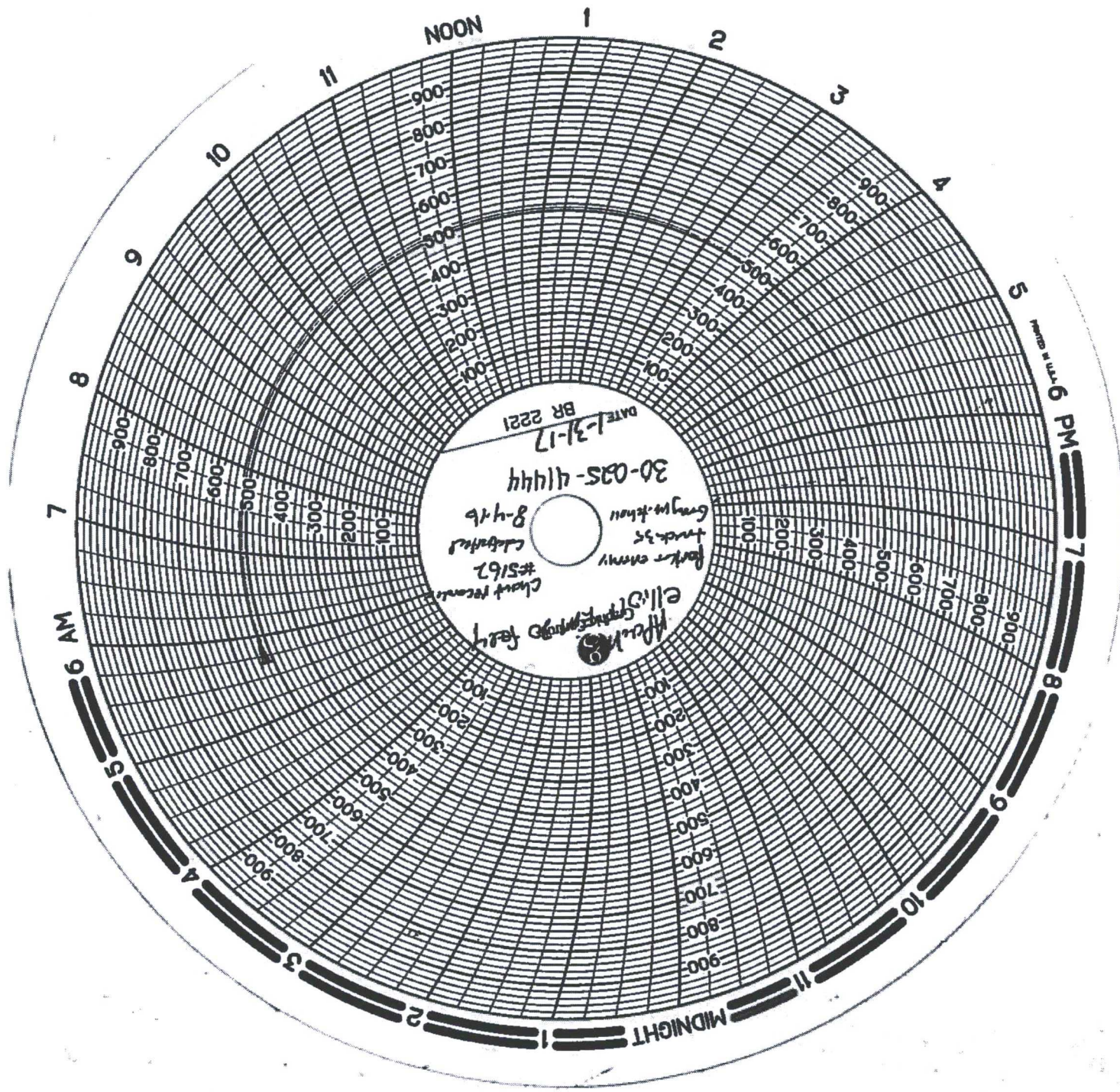
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(Instructions on page 2)

**** OPERATOR-SUBMITTED ** OPERATOR-SUBMITTED ** OPERATOR-SUBMITTED ****

Accepted for Record Only

MJB/ocd 2/21/2017



Martinez, Patricia L, EMNRD

From: Fisher, Reesa <Reesa.Fisher@apachecorp.com>
Sent: Thursday, February 9, 2017 2:32 PM
To: Kautz, Paul, EMNRD; Martinez, Patricia L, EMNRD; Brown, Maxey G, EMNRD
Subject: APACHE ELLIOTT EM 20 FEDERAL #4 (30-025-41444)
Attachments: Scanned from a Xerox Multifunction Printer.pdf

Good afternoon! Just letting you know by the attached that this well has hit our Inactive Well List and we are attempting to get BLM to approve a TA extension quickly to get it removed from the list. You will see from the verbiage in the body that we have been having issues with them approving in a timely manner and holding up well work. Just wanted you in the loop!

Thanks so much! – R ☺

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