

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires July 31, 1996

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
 Oil Well Gas Well Other

2. Name of Operator
 Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado

3a. Address
 PO Box 140907; Irving, TX 75014-0907

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
 972-401-3111

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
 1680' FSL & 2080' FEL
 J-7-19S-34E

5. Lease Serial No.
 NM-6870

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.
 Pipeline B7 Federal No. 1

9. API Well No.
 30-025-38046

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
 E-K; Bone Spring

11. County or Parish, State
 Lea County, NM

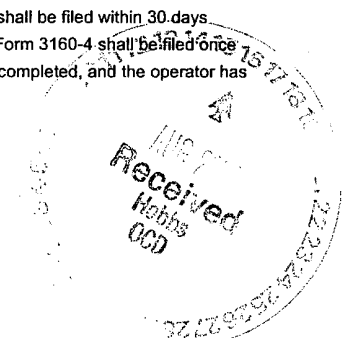
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input 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, included estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplate 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 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.)

Due to rig scheduling, Cimarex will drill this well using Patterson Rig 144.

Please see attached rig plat.



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

Name (Printed/Typed) Natalie Krueger	Title Reg Analyst 1
Signature <i>Natalie Krueger</i>	Date August 10, 2006

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by <i>/s/ Tony J. Herrell</i>	Title FIELD MANAGER	Date AUG 14 2006
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 CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes 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.

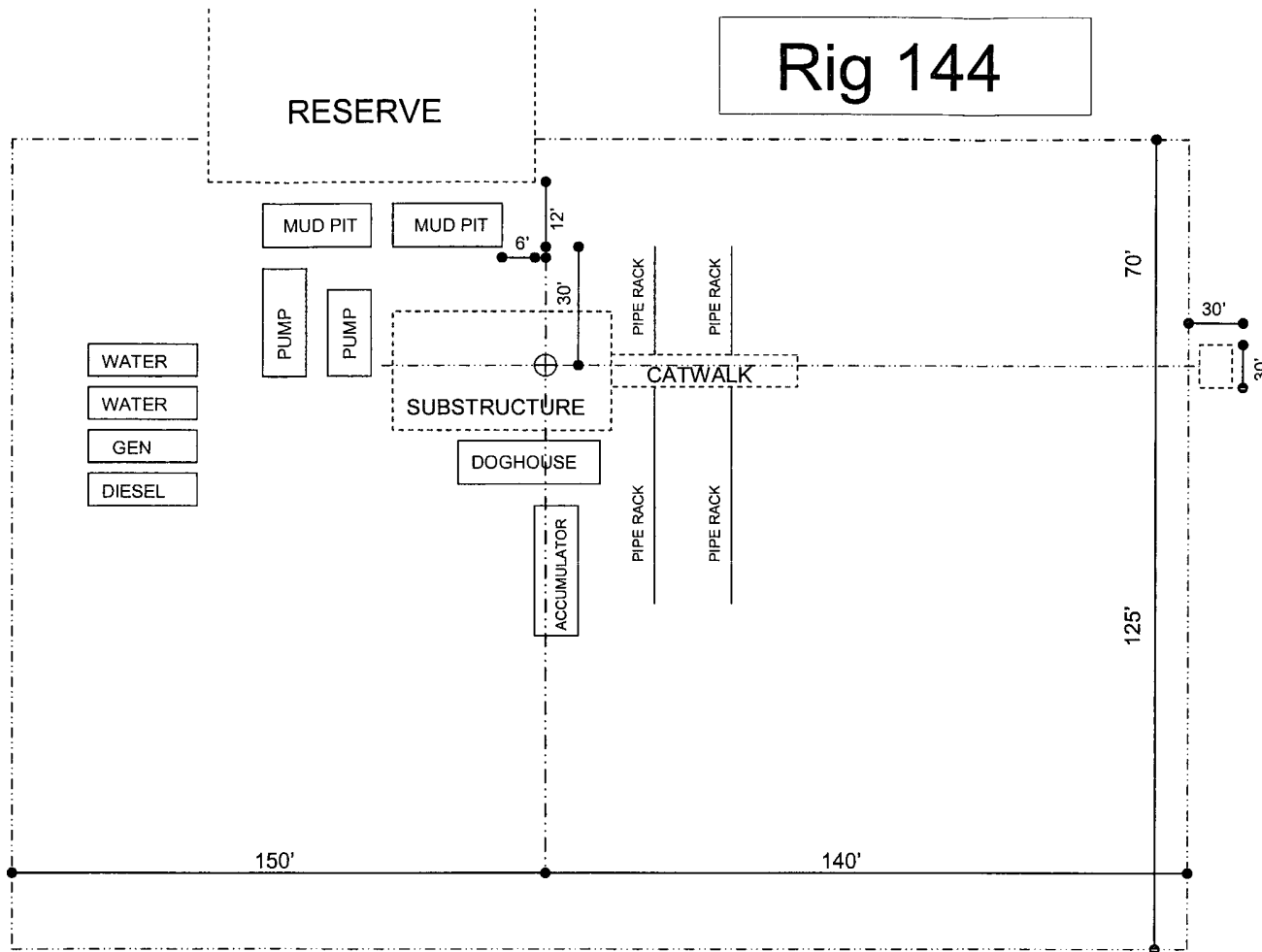


Exhibit D – Rig Layout
 Pipeline B7 Federal No. 1
 Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado
 J-7-19S-34E
 1680' FSL & 2080' FEL
 Lea County, NM