

U.S. Department of the Interior BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Sundry Print Reports
04/16/2025

Well Name: SALADO DRAW 29 26 33

FED COM

Well Number: 8H

Well Location: T26S / R33E / SEC 29 /

NWNE / 32.021261 / -103.589737

County or Parish/State: LEA /

NM

Allottee or Tribe Name:

Lease Number: NMNM125653

Unit or CA Name: SD EA 29 32 FED

STATE COM AREA

Unit or CA Number:

NMNM139732

**US Well Number:** 3002542443

Operator: CHEVRON USA

Type of Well: OIL WELL

INCORPORATED

# **Subsequent Report**

**Sundry ID: 2845973** 

Type of Submission: Subsequent Report

Type of Action: Temporary Abandonment

**Date Sundry Submitted:** 04/08/2025

**Time Sundry Submitted: 12:15** 

**Date Operation Actually Began:** 04/04/2025

Actual Procedure: CHEVRON USA, INC. REQUESTS THE FOLLOWING: CHEVRON USA, INC. HAS TEMPORARILY ABANDONED THE WELL SALADO DRAW 29 26 33 FED COM 8H (API# 30-025-42443) PLEASE SEE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE, EMAIL CORRESPONDENCE ON CIBP AND ATTACHED DOCUMENTS. Procedure: 1 Rig up pulling unit and prepare to pull out of hole with tbg. Found tbg unable to be pulled 2 Rig up slickline and RIH and found tbg plugged below 5931'. RIH w/Chemical cutter make cut at 5880' 3 RIH and attempt to latch onto fish and pull tbg. Packer unset but unable to pull up or set back down. 4 Rig up power swivel - unsuccessful. 5 Pump chemical down tbg and found tbg appeared to be clear of debris. 6 Rig up slickline and RIH tag at 8675'. Make chemical cut at ~ 8675'. 7 POOH with tbg leaving packer and tbg fish @ 8675' 8 RIH w/CIBP set @ 8675' w/slickline & top with 35' of class H cement with dump bailer 9 Release slickline unit. 10 Rig up pump truck and chart recorder and pressure test plug and cement as required by regulatory body 11 Run Cement bond log 12 Rig down and release slickline and pulling unit.

#### **SR Attachments**

#### **Actual Procedure**

SALADO\_DRAW\_29\_26\_33\_FED\_COM\_8H\_SUB\_TA\_PKT\_20250408121449.pdf

# **SR Conditions of Approval**

#### **Specialist Review**

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Signed on: APR 08, 2025 12:15 PM **Operator Electronic Signature: NICOLE TAYLOR** 

Name: CHEVRON USA INCORPORATED

Title: Regulatory Coordinator

Street Address: 6301 DEAUVILLE BLVD

City: MIDLAND State: TX

Phone: (432) 687-7328

Email address: NICOLE.TAYLOR@CHEVRON.COM

**Field** 

**Representative Name:** 

**Street Address:** 

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

**Email address:** 

**BLM Point of Contact** 

**BLM POC Name: JONATHON W SHEPARD** 

**BLM POC Phone:** 5752345972

**Disposition:** Approved

Signature: Jonathon Shepard

**BLM POC Title:** Petroleum Engineer

BLM POC Email Address: jshepard@blm.gov

**Disposition Date:** 04/15/2025

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Form 3160-5 (June 2019)

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0137
Expires: October 31, 2021

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Lease Serial No.	

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT			5. Lease Serial No.	NMNM125653	
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SUBMIT IN	TRIPLICATE - Other instru	ıctions on page 2		7. If Unit of CA/Agreement	
1. Type of Well  ✓ Oil Well  Gas V	Well Other			8. Well Name and No. SALADO DRAW 29 26 33 FED COM/8	
2. Name of Operator CHEVRON USA	A INCORPORATED			9. API Well No. 30025424	43
3a. Address PO BOX 1392, BAKER		3b. Phone No. (inc	clude area code)		
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T.,F	D. M. on Suman Description	(661) 633-4000		WC025G06S263319P-BONE SF	PRING/WC025G06S263319P-BONE SPRING
SEC 29/T26S/R33E/NMP	x.,M., or survey Description)			LEA/NM	
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Signature (Electronic Submission			ate	04/08	5/2025
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Approved by					
JONATHON W SHEPARD / Ph: (5	575) 234-5972 / Approved		Petrol Title	eum Engineer	04/16/2025 Date
Conditions of approval, if any, are attackertify that the applicant holds legal or which would entitle the applicant to con	equitable title to those rights		Office CAF	RLSBAD	
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(Instructions on page 2)

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

This form is designed for submitting proposals to perform certain well operations and reports of such operations when completed as indicated on Federal and Indian lands pursuant to applicable Federal law and regulations. Any necessary special instructions concerning the use of this form and the number of copies to be submitted, particularly with regard to local area or regional procedures and practices, are either shown below, will be issued by or may be obtained from the local Federal office.

#### SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

*Item 4* - Locations on Federal or Indian land should be described in accordance with Federal requirements. Consult the local Federal office for specific instructions.

Item 13: Proposals to abandon a well and subsequent reports of abandonment should include such special information as is required by the local Federal office. In addition, such proposals and reports should include reasons for the abandonment; data on any former or present productive zones or other zones with present significant fluid contents not sealed off by cement or otherwise; depths (top and bottom) and method of placement of cement plugs; mud or other material placed below, between and above plugs; amount, size, method of parting of any casing, liner or tubing pulled and the depth to the top of any tubing left in the hole; method of closing top of well and date well site conditioned for final inspection looking for approval of the abandonment. If the proposal will involve **hydraulic fracturing operations**, you must comply with 43 CFR 3162.3-3, including providing information about the protection of usable water. Operators should provide the best available information about all formations containing water and their depths. This information could include data and interpretation of resistivity logs run on nearby wells. Information may also be obtained from state or tribal regulatory agencies and from local BLM offices.

#### **NOTICES**

The privacy Act of 1974 and the regulation in 43 CFR 2.48(d) provide that you be furnished the following information in connection with information required by this application.

AUTHORITY: 30 U.S.C. 181 et seq., 351 et seq., 25 U.S.C. 396; 43 CFR 3160.

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: The information is used to: (1) Evaluate, when appropriate, approve applications, and report completion of subsequent well operations, on a Federal or Indian lease; and (2) document for administrative use, information for the management, disposal and use of National Resource lands and resources, such as: (a) evaluating the equipment and procedures to be used during a proposed subsequent well operation and reviewing the completed well operations for compliance with the approved plan; (b) requesting and granting approval to perform those actions covered by 43 CFR 3162.3-2, 3162.3-3, and 3162.3-4; (c) reporting the beginning or resumption of production, as required by 43 CFR 3162.4-1(c)and (d) analyzing future applications to drill or modify operations in light of data obtained and methods used.

ROUTINE USES: Information from the record and/or the record will be transferred to appropriate Federal, State, local or foreign agencies, when relevant to civil, criminal or regulatory investigations or prosecutions in connection with congressional inquiries or to consumer reporting agencies to facilitate collection of debts owed the Government.

EFFECT OF NOT PROVIDING THE INFORMATION: Filing of this notice and report and disclosure of the information is mandatory for those subsequent well operations specified in 43 CFR 3162.3-2, 3162.3-3, 3162.3-4.

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 requires us to inform you that:

The BLM collects this information to evaluate proposed and/or completed subsequent well operations on Federal or Indian oil and gas leases.

Response to this request is mandatory.

The BLM would like you to know that you do not have to respond to this or any other Federal agency-sponsored information collection unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

**BURDEN HOURS STATEMENT:** Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 8 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form to U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (1004-0137), Bureau Information Collection Clearance Officer (WO-630), 1849 C St., N.W., Mail Stop 401 LS, Washington, D.C. 20240

(Form 3160-5, page 2)

#### **Additional Information**

#### **Additional Remarks**

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#### **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Carlsbad Field Office 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 575-234-5972

## **Conditions of Approval for Temporary Abandonment of Wells**

**Definition:** A temporarily abandoned well is a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities, but which may have future value. 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.

- 1. TA status will be effective for a period of up to one year from the date of sundry approval and can be renewed annually thereafter per IM NM-2016-017.
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- 4. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County, 575-361-2822; Lea County 575-393-3612.
- 5. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if it is not isolated by a packer.
- 6. A bradenhead test must be conducted. If the test indicates a problem, a remedial plan and time frame for remediation shall be submitted within ninety (90) days of the test.
- 7. Submit a subsequent Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) with the following information:
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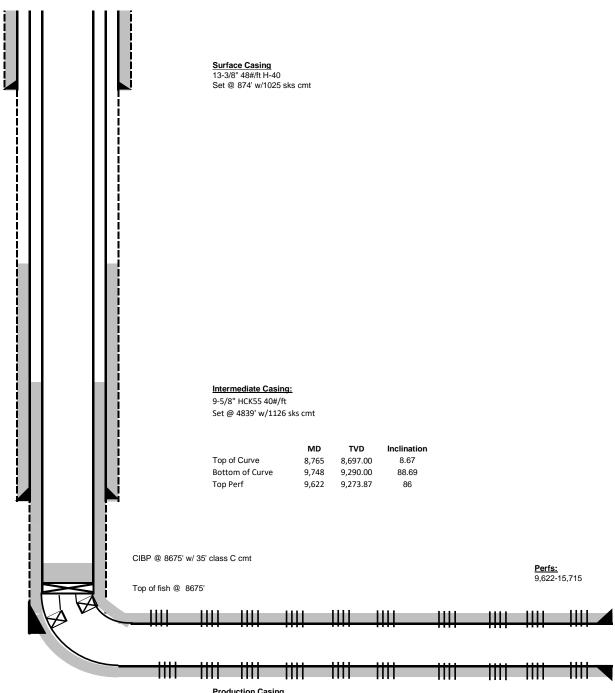
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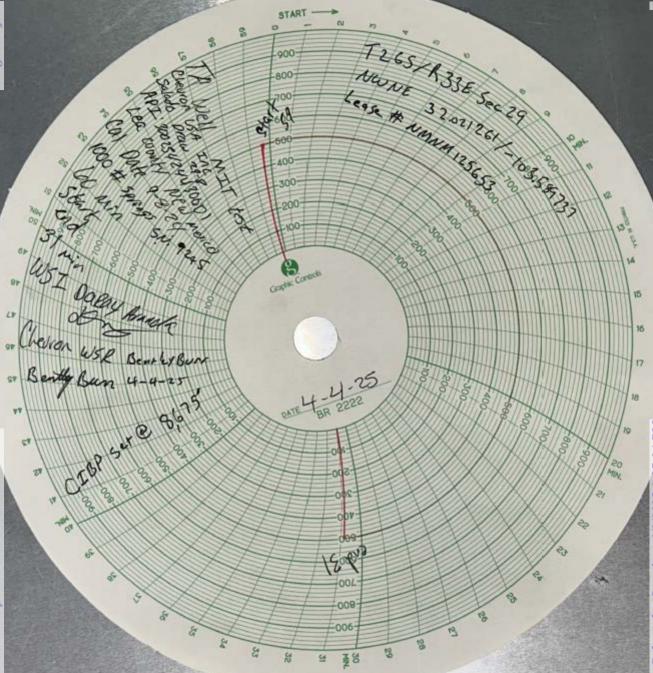
### Salado Draw 29-8

API#: 30-025-42443 Spud 4/28/2015 Chevno: PE1705 Complete 7/17/2015 Field: Jennings Elevation 3246 County Lea County, NM KΒ 33



Production Casing 5-1/2" 20#/ft P-110 Set @ 16,122' w/2280 sks cmt





From: Shepard, Jonathon W < ishepard@blm.gov>

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 2, 2025 4:49:51 PM

 $\textbf{To: Kovatch, Jim} < \underline{\text{juliosanchez@blm.gov}} > \\ \textbf{Sanchez, Julio A} < \underline{\text{juliosanchez@blm.gov}} > \\ \textbf{A} < \underline{\text{juliosanchez.gov}} > \\ \textbf{A} < \underline{\text{juliosanchez.gov}$ 

Cc: Burr, Bentley [VendorPass] <Bentley.Burr@chevron.com>; Felix, Ryan <nyanfelix@chevron.com>; Graham, Mackenzie <M.Graham@chevron.com>

Subject: [\*\*EXTERNAL\*\*] Re: [EXTERNAL] Variance Request: Salado Draw 29 26 33 FED COM 8H

You have approval to place the CIBP at 8,675'. All other COAs still apply.

Please include a copy of this email chain when you submit your TA SR sundry.

Jonathon Shepard

Petroleum Engineer

Carlsbad Field Office

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Phone: 575-234-2237

From: Kovatch, Jim < jameskovatch@chevron.com>

Sent: Wednesday, April 2, 2025 3:01 PM

To: Sanchez, Julio A < juliosanchez@blm.gov>; Shepard, Jonathon W < jshepard@blm.gov>

Cc: Burr, Bentley [VendorPass] <Bentley.Burr@chevron.com>; Felix, Ryan <nyanfelix@chevron.com>; Graham, Mackenzie <M.Graham@chevron.com>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Variance Request: Salado Draw 29 26 33 FED COM 8H

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Hello Julio and Jonathon, we have been attempting to pull the Saldo Draw 29-8H and have been having issues with the packer. The initial set depth was 8,852' and we were able to unset the packer but there must be a seized slip because we were able to drag it up to 8,832' and now the packer will not move up or down. It took us several hours to pull it up 30' and I think we got wedged into a collar. This packer is now an over-pull shearable design. We worked the packer almost an entire day to try to unset the packer or use the on-off tool and then the next day we tried the same thing with a power swivel and have not been able to get the packer moving in either direction. Initially we were not able to get WL down to the tubing due to restrictions but after allowing some chemical to soak over the weekend we are able to get a cutter down to 8,675'. 8,675' is within 100' of our Top of Curve at 8,765'. Would you be willing to approve a variance to set the CIBP on top of the fish and continue with our NO!? Thank you for reviewing this request.

Jim Kovatch G/

Wells Services Planning Coordinator

Mid-Continent Business Unit

Chevron Americas Exploration & Production

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"All great changes are preceded by chaos."

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# State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

CONDITIONS

Action 452540

#### **CONDITIONS**

Operator:	OGRID:
CHEVRON U S A INC	4323
6301 Deauville Blvd	Action Number:
Midland, TX 79706	452540
	Action Type:
	[C-103] Sub. Temporary Abandonment (C-103U)

#### CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
gcordero	None	6/3/2025