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☐ AMENDED REPORT

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, RE-ENTER, DEEPEN, PLUGBACK, OR ADD A ZONE

<sup>1</sup> Operator Name and Address <b>Sonat Raton, L.L.C</b> <b>P.O. Box 190; Raton New Mexico 87740</b>		<sup>2</sup> OGRID Number <b>180514</b>
		<sup>3</sup> API Number <b>30 - 007- 20117</b>
<sup>3</sup> Property Code <b>24648</b>	<sup>5</sup> Property Name <b>Vermejo Park Ranch</b>	<sup>6</sup> Well No. <b>VPR A-08</b>

## <sup>7</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<b>D</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>31N</b>	<b>19E</b>		<b>949.87 ft.</b>	<b>FNL</b>	<b>1195.20 ft.</b>	<b>FWL</b>	<b>Colfax</b>

## <sup>8</sup> Proposed Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<sup>9</sup> Proposed Pool 1 <b>Vermejo Coals</b>					<sup>10</sup> Proposed Pool 2 <b>Raton Coals</b>				

<sup>11</sup> Work Type Code <b>N</b>	<sup>12</sup> Well Type Code <b>MG</b>	<sup>13</sup> Cable/Rotary <b>air / rotary</b>	<sup>14</sup> Lease Type Code <b>P</b>	<sup>15</sup> Ground Level Elevation <b>8274'(GL)</b>
<sup>16</sup> Multiple <b>yes</b>	<sup>17</sup> Proposed Depth <b>2600'</b>	<sup>18</sup> Formation <b>Trinidad</b>	<sup>19</sup> Contractor <b>Thornton</b>	<sup>20</sup> Spud Date <b>July 10, 1999</b>

## <sup>21</sup> Proposed Casing and Cement Program

Hole Size	Casing Size	Casing weight/foot	Setting Depth	Sacks of Cement	Estimated TOC
<b>11"</b>	<b>8 5/8"</b>	<b>23#</b>	<b>350'</b>	<b>135 sx.</b>	<b>Surface</b>
<b>7 7/8"</b>	<b>5 1/2"</b>	<b>15.5#</b>	<b>2600</b>	<b>416 sx.</b>	<b>Surface</b>

22 Describe the proposed program. If this application is to DEEPEN or PLUG BACK, give the data on the present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. Describe the blowout prevention program, if any. Use additional sheets if necessary.

1. Drill 11" surface hole to 350'. Cement to surf. with 135 sx. Class 'G'.
2. Drill 7 7/8" hole to through the Raton and Vermejo coals to penetrate the top of the Trinidad. Set 5 1/2" production csg. Cement with 270 sx. 12.5 ppg Mid-Con 2 cement (30% excess).
3. Open hole logs to include caliper, density, and gamma ray. Cement bond log will be run if unable to circulate cement to surface.
4. Perforate coal zones and perform sand frac job.
5. Run 2 7/8" tubing and pumping equipment and place on test.

<sup>23</sup> I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: *DR Lankford*

Printed name: **Donald R. Lankford**

Title: **Senior Petroleum Engineer**

Date: **6/23/99**

Phone: (713)546-4621  
(505)447-1379

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by:

Title: **DISTRICT SUPERVISOR**

Approval Date: **6/25/99**

Expiration Date: **6/25/00**

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number 30-007-20117		<sup>2</sup> Pool Code	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name
<sup>4</sup> Property Code 24648	<sup>5</sup> Property Name Vermejo Park Ranch		<sup>6</sup> Well Number VPR'A' 8
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No. 180514	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name Sonat Raton, L.L.C.		<sup>9</sup> Elevation 8274.37

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

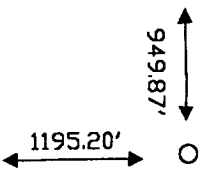
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D	01	T31N	R19E	D	949.87	NORTH	1195.20	WEST	Colfax

<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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									Colfax

<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres 160 acres	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

<sup>16</sup> 				<sup>17</sup> OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief  Signature <i>DR Lankford</i> Printed Name Donald R. Lankford Title Senior Petroleum Engineer Date  <sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.  Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyer: <i>Just Shuler</i> L.S. NO. 5103 Certificate Number

