

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD-ARTESIA

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: November 30, 2000

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

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5. Lease Serial No.

NM1C063621A

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

NM94532

8. Well Name and No.

Ranger 7 Fed 1

9. API Well No.

30-015-28690

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Sand Tank; Bone Spring

11. County or Parish, State

Eddy NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

- ☒ Notice of Intent
☐ Subsequent Report
☐ Final Abandonment Notice

TYPE OF ACTION

- | | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Acidize | <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen | <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing | <input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat | <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation | <input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity |
| <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 recompleat 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 recompleat 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 final site is ready for final inspection.)

EOG Resources requests permission to keep a shut-in status for this well pending a geological evaluation for recompleat possibilities in this area.
EOG Resources is asking for a 9-month evaluation period.

SI APPROVED FOR 3 MONTH PERIOD
ENDING 7/7/04

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

Stan Wagner

Title

Regulatory Analyst

Date 1/26/04

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

/s/ Joe G. Lara

Title

Pet Eng

Date

4/7/04

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

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Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, 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.

☒ Certified Mail - Return
Receipt Requested
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NOTICE OF WRITTEN ORDER

IDENTIFICATION	
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Lease	NMLC063621A
CA	NMNM94532
Unit	
PA	

Bureau of Land Management Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE				Operator EOG RESOURCES, INC.			
Address 620 E GREENE STREET CARLSBAD NM 88220				Address P O BOX 2267 MIDLAND TX 79701			
Telephone 505-234-5911				Attention			
Inspector EARLY				Attn Addr			
Site Name RANGER 7 FED	Well or Facility 1	1/4 1/4 Section SWNE 7	Township 18S	Range 30E	Meridian NMP	County EDDY	State NM
Site Name RANGER 7 FED	Well or Facility A	1/4 1/4 Section SWNE 7	Township 18S	Range 30E	Meridian NMP	County EDDY	State NM
Site Name	Well or Facility	1/4 1/4 Section	Township	Range	Meridian	County	State

The following condition(s) were found by Bureau of Land Management Inspectors on the date and at the site(s) listed above.

Date	Time (24-hour clock)	Corrective Action to be Completed by	Date Corrected	Authority Reference
01/13/2004	09:30	2/17/04		43 CFR 3162.1 & 43CFR3162.3-4

Remarks:
ON THE EOG RESOURCES ON THE RANGER "7" FEDERAL COM. WELL IS IN TA/SI STATUS WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION, EITHER PLACE WELL ON PRODUCTION AND NOTIFY THIS OFFICE WITHIN (5) DAYS BY LETTER OR SUNDRY (FORM 3160-5) THAT WELL IS BACK ON PRODUCTION AS PER 43 CFR 3162.4-1 (c) OR SUBMIT PLANS FOR PERMANENT ABANDONMENT OF WELL, AND COMMENCE PLUGGING OPERATION WITHIN (30) DAYS OF APPROVAL.

When the Written Order is complied with, sign this notice and return to above address.

Company Representative Title ENGINEER TECH Signature M. J. Ruck Date 1/26/2004
Company Comments Will file BLM form 3160-5 asking BLM for a 9 month Geological evaluation period.

Warning

The Authorized Officer has authority to issue a Written Order in accordance with 43 CFR 3161.2. Written Order correction and reporting time frames begin upon receipt of this Notice or 7 business days after the date it is mailed, whichever is earlier. Each stipulation must be corrected within the prescribed time from receipt of this Notice and reported to the Bureau of Land Management Office at the address shown above. If you do not comply as noted above under "Corrective Action to be Completed By", you shall be issued an Incident of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1(a). Failure to comply with the INC may result in assessments as outlined in 43 CFR 3163.1 and may also incur civil penalties (43 CFR 3163.2). All self-certified corrections must be postmarked no later than the next business day after the prescribed time frame for correction.

Section 109(d)(1) of the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982, as implemented by the applicable provisions of the operating regulations at Title 43 CFR 3163.2(f)(1), provides that any person who "knowingly or willfully" prepares, maintains, or submits false, inaccurate, or misleading reports, notices, affidavits, records, data, or other written information required by this part shall be liable for a civil penalty of up to \$25,000 per violation for each day such violation continues, not to exceed a maximum of 20 days.

Review and Appeal Rights

A person contesting a decision shall request a State Director review of the Written Order. This request must be filed within 20 working days of receipt of the Notice with the appropriate State Director (see 43 CFR 3165.3). The State Director review decision may be appealed to the Interior Board of Land Appeals, 801 North Quincy Street, Suite 300, Arlington, VA 22203 (see 43 CFR 3165.4). Contact the above listed Bureau of Land Management office for further information.

Signature of Bureau of Land Management Authorized Officer

Date

Time

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Number 53	Date	Type of Inspection WS
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