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HIGH CAVEKARST OCD-ARTESIA ATS-07-321

Form 3 160 -3 (April 2004

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Month - Year APR 1 6 2007 OCD - ARTESIA, NIM FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0137 Expires March 31, 2007

Lease Serial No.
NMNM 068430 LC 068430

6. If Indian, Allotee or Tribe Name

APPLICATION FOR PERIMIT TO	DHILL ON	HEENISE					
Ia. Type of work: ✓ DRILL REEN	7 If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No. NMNM 71016						
lb. Type of Well: ✓ Oil Well Gas Well Other	Single Zone Multiple Zone			8. Lease Name and Well No. Poker Lake Unit #292			
2. Name of Operator BEPCO, L. P.	801			9. API Well No.)/5	-35547	
3a. Address P. O. Box 2760 3b. Phone No. (include area code)				10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory			
Midland, TX 79702	432-68	3-2277		Nash Draw (Dela, BS, Avalon Sd)			
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with	any State requirem	ents.*)		11. Sec., T. R. M. or Bl	k.and Surv	ey or Area	
At surface NWSE, UL 3, 1720' FNL, 2140' F At proposed prod. zone Same	WL, Lat N32.2	205750, Lon W103.8	887972	Sec 21, T24S, F	R30E, ME	R NMP	
4. Distance in miles and direction from nearest fown or post office*	inched G	Man from	unce	12. County or Parish	7777	3. State	
14 Miles East of Malaga, NM				Eddy County		NM	
5. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft.	16. No. of a	cres in lease	17. Spacin	g Unit dedicated to this w	rell		
(Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	2480	;	40				
8. Distance from proposed location*	19. Proposed	19. Proposed Depth		BLM/BIA Bond No. on file			
to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. 1917'	7990' MI	7990' MD NM		2204			
Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 3331' GL	22. Approxir	22. Approximate date work will start*		23. Estimated duration 12 days			
3331 GL		04/01/2007		12 days		··	
	24. Attac						
he following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onsl	hore Oil and Gas	Order No.1, shall be at	tached to th	is form:			
Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. A Drilling Plan.		4. Bond to cover the ltem 20 above).	ne operatio	ns unless covered by an	existing bo	nd on file (see	
6. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System	m Lands, the	5. Operator certific					
SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).		6. Such other site authorized offic	specific info er.	ormation and/or plans as	may be req	uired by the	
25. Signature Quider	I.	(Printed Typed) Annette Childers	1 Date 2 - 16-07		e-07		
itle Administrative Assistant							
Approved by (Signature) //s/ Don Peterson	Name	(Printed Typed)		Date	APR 132		
FIELD MANAGER	Office			FIELD OFF			
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itle 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a tates any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations a	crime for any po as to any matter w	erson knowi ithin its juri	then p	its are used in		Jnited	

CARLSBAD CONTROLLED WATER BASIN

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS ATTACHED

*(Instructions on page 2)

SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

well, an OCD pit permit must be obtained prior to pit construction.

association with the drilling of this _____

see NOA

Surface casing to be set into the Rustler below all fresh water sands.

Production casing will be cemented using DS LiteCrete system with TOC 500' above all productive pay zones.

Drilling Procedure, BOP Diagram, Anticipated tops and surface plans attached.

This well is located outside the Secretary's Potash area and outside the R-111 Potash area. There are no potash leases within 1 mile of the location.

Form 3160-5 (April 2004)

OCD-ARTESIA

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED OM B No. 1004-0137 Expires: March 31, 2007

5. Lease Serial No.

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 Gas Well Other 2. Name of Operator BEPCO, L. P. NMLC 068430 6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe No. NMNM 71016 8. Well Name and No. Poker Lake Unit #292 9. API Well No.						
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4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Nash Draw (Dela, BS, Av	alon Sd)					
SESW, UL F, 1720' FNL & 2140' FWL, Sec 21, T24S R30E, Lat N32.205750, Lon W103.887972 11. County or Parish, State Eddy County, NM						
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA						
TYPE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION						
Acidize Deepen Production (Start/Resume) Water Shut-Off Alter Casing Fracture Treat Reclamation Well Integrity Casing Repair New Construction Final Abandonment Notice Plug and Abandon Convert to Injection Plug Back Water Disposal						
13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent ma 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 following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 sha testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the determined that the site is ready for final inspection.) The Poker Lake Unit #292 well plan calls for 11-3/4" surface casing to allow BEPCO, L.P. to drill an 11" hole to a depth of appro This 11" hole gives the option to install an 8-5/8" intermediate casing string if hole conditions so dictate. The conditions which we BEPCO, L.P. to run and cement this 8-5/8" string are: 1) lost circulation; 2) flowing sand which can only be controlled by high vi (80-90 funnel sec); or 3) other unforseen hole problems. The 8-5/8" casing will be cemented with lead cement of approx 500 sx Halco Interfill C or similiar (11.6 ppg, 2.76 cuft/sx yld) folke 200 sx Class C + 1% CaCl2 (14.8 ppg, 1.35 cuft/sx yld). Cement will be circulated to surface. BOPs installed on this casing will be working pressure and will be hydrostatically tested by independent testers. Notification to the BLM of the decision to run and cement this 8-5/8" casing would be given thru Sundry Notice prior to actually 8-5/8" casing. SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL	rkers and zones. within 30 days all be filed once e operator has eximately 3750'. uld cause scosity muds owed by approx 3000 psi					
14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct Name (Printed/Typed) Annette Childers Title Administrative Assistant						
Signature Connette Childre Date 4-11-07						
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE						
Approved by Approv						
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. CARLSBAD FIELD OFF	ICE					

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

Conditions of Approval for Contingency String Poker Lake Unit #292

- 1. As soon as hole conditions are encountered which will necessitate setting the 8-5/8" casing, the BLM engineer will be notified by phone (duty hours 505-234-5982 or 505-234-5938/after hours 505-706-2779).
- 2. A sundry notice should be prepared at that time for the engineer's approval.
- 3. In addition, the BLM will be notified a minimum of 12 hours prior to the setting of this casing.
- 4. If the 8-5/8" casing string is set, cement shall circulate to surface. If cement does not circulate see A.1 thru 4 of original COA.

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DISTRICT I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 85240
DISTRICT II

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102 Revised October 12, 2005

DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Submit to Appropriate District Office State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

East/West line

County

DISTRICT IV 1220 St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

UL or lot No.

Dedicated Acres

40

Section

Township

Joint or Infill

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☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number			Pool Code			Pool Name					
		47545 Nash Draw (Delaware, Bone Spring, A					valon Sand)				
Property (Code	Prope				y Name)	Well Nu	Well Number		
068430		POKER LAKE UNIT						292			
OGRID N	D.	Opera				ator Name			Elevation		
001801		BEPCO, L.P.							3331'		
Surface Location											
UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from	the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County	
F	21	24 S	30 E		1720	0	NORTH	2140	WEST	EDDY	
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Consolidation Code Order No.

North/South line

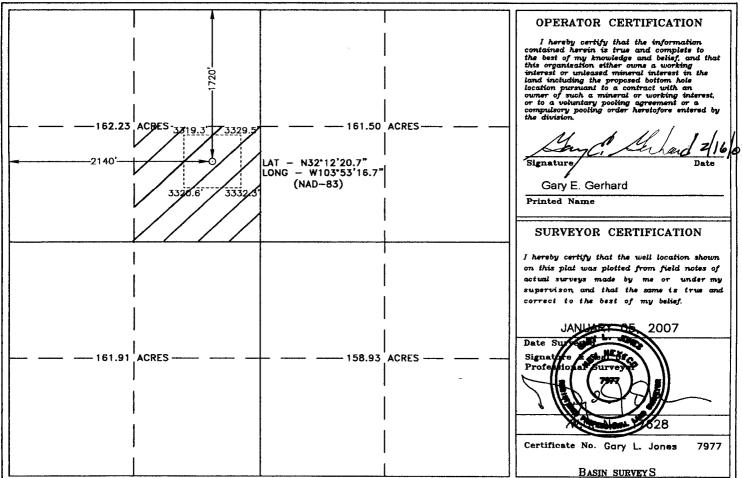
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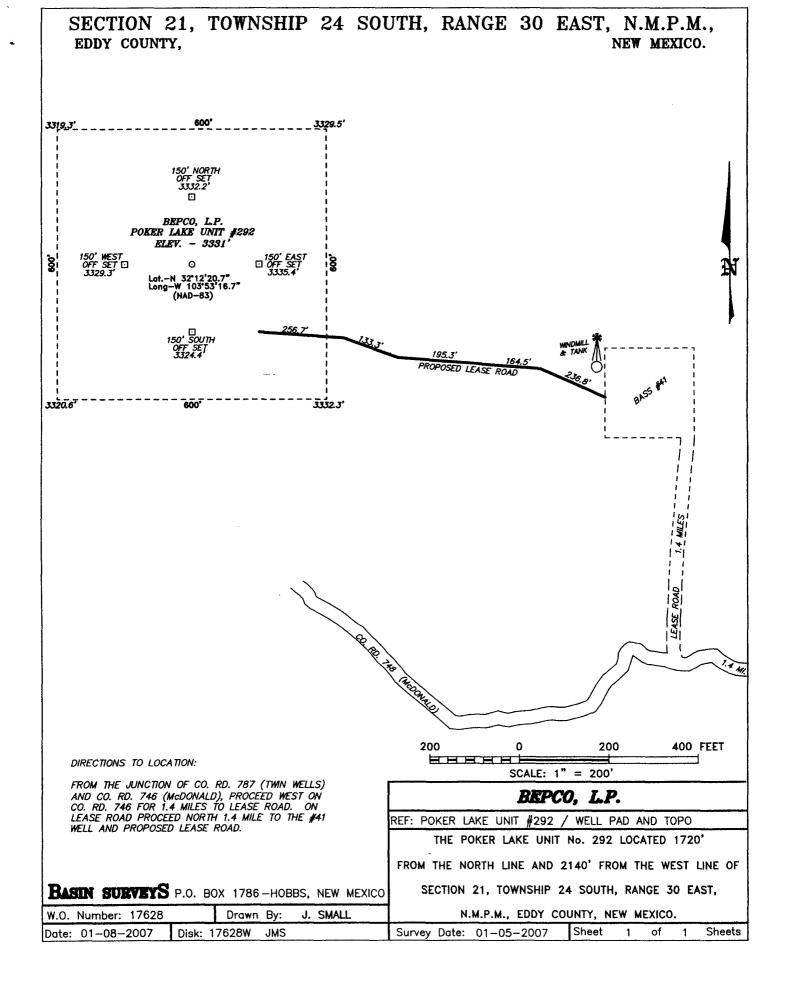
NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

Feet from the

Lot Idn

Range





EIGHT POINT DRILLING PROGRAM BEPCO, L.P.

NAME OF WELL: Poker Lake Unit #292

LEGAL DESCRIPTION - SURFACE: 1720' FNL & 2140' FWL, Section 21, T-24-S, R-30-E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

POINT 1: ESTIMATED FORMATION TOPS

(See No. 2 Below)

POINT 2: WATER, OIL, GAS AND/OR MINERAL BEARING FORMATIONS

Anticipated Formation Tops: KB 3348' (est.)

GL 3331'

FORMATION	ESTIMATED TOP FROM KB	ESTIMATED SUB-SEA TOP BEARING	
T/Rustler	63'	+ 3285' Barren	
T/Salt	464'	+ 2884' Barren	PM 1
B/Salt	3554'	- 206' Barren	8 10
T/Lamar Lime	3762'	- 414' Oil/Gas	(No MIN)
T/Ramsey	3798'	- 450' Oil/Gas	71, 3 6, 1
T/Lower Brushy Canyon (8A)	7338'	- 3990' Oil/Gas	ce of 10 m
T/"Y" Sand	7473'	- 4125' Oil/Gas	Co. VI M
T/Bone Spring Lime	7638'	- 4290' Oil/Gas	, \ ``
T/Avalon Sand	7723'	- 4375' Oil/Gas	
TD	7900'	- 4552' Oil/Gas	∀

POINT 3: CASING PROGRAM —

one how the contingency plan also **Hole Size** PURPOSE CONDITION **INTERVALS** 16" Conductor **Contractor Discretion** 0'- 80' 20" 11-3/4", 42#,H-40, ST&C 0'- 454' 14 3/4" Surface New 5-1/2", 15.5#, J-55, LT&C 7 7/8" Production New 0' -6400' 5-1/2", 17#, J-55, LT&C Production 6400' -7900' 7 7/8" New

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POINT 4: PRESSURE CONTROL EQUIPMENT (SEE ATTACHED DIAGRAM)

A BOPE equivalent to requirements of Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 2-3000 psi system (Diagram 2) will be nippled up on the surface casing head. The BOP stack, choke, kill lines, kelly cocks, inside BOP, etc. when installed on the surface casing head will be hydro-tested to 70% of internal yield pressure of casing or 1000 psig whichever is less with the rig pump.

These tests will be performed:

- a) Upon installation
- b) After any component changes
- c) Fifteen days after a previous test
- d) As required by well conditions

POINT 5: MUD PROGRAM

MUD TYPE 0' - 464' 464' - 5600' 10.0 FW Spud Mud 8.5 - 9.2 38-70 NC NC NC Brine Water 9.8 - 10.228-30 NC NC 9.5 ~ 10.5 <25 cc 5600' ~ TD BW/Diesel 8.8 - 9.032-40 2 9.5 - 10.0

NOTE: May increase vis for logging purposes only.

POINT 6: TECHNICAL STAGES OF OPERATION

A) TESTING

None anticipated.

B) LOGGING

GR-CNL-LDT-AIT from TD to base of Salt (+/- 3500'). GR-CNL-CAL from base of Salt to surface.

C) CONVENTIONAL CORING

None anticipated.

D) CEMENT

INTERVAL SURFACE: Lead 0 - 454' (100% excess circ t	AMOUNT SXS 295 o surface)	FT OF FILL 454	TYPE Class C + 2% CaCl ₂	GALS/SX 6.33	<u>PPG</u> 14.8	<u>FT³/SX</u>	<u>WL</u> NC
PRODUCTION: Lead 3262' – 6000' (50% excess)	300	2738	LiteCrete 39/61 (D961/ D124) + 2% bwob D153 + 0.05 gpsb D604AM + 0.03 gpsb M45 + 2 pps D24 + 0.04 gpsb D801	9.875	10.2	2.37	130
Tail 6000' – 7900' (50% excess)	245	1900	LiteCrete 39/61 (D961/ D124) + 2% bwob D153 + 0.05 gpsb D604AM + 0.03 gpsb M45 + 2 pps D24 + 0.04 gpsb D801	7.336	10.5	2.04	115

E) DIRECTIONAL DRILLING

No directional services anticipated.

POINT 7: ANTICIPATED RESERVOIR CONDITIONS

Normal pressures are anticipated throughout Delaware section. A BHP of 3615 psi (max) or MWE of 8.7 ppg is expected. Lost circulation may exist in the Delaware Section from 3762-7638'. No H_2S is anticipated.

POINT 8: OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION

A) Auxiliary Equipment

Upper and lower kelly cocks. Full opening stab in valve on the rig floor.

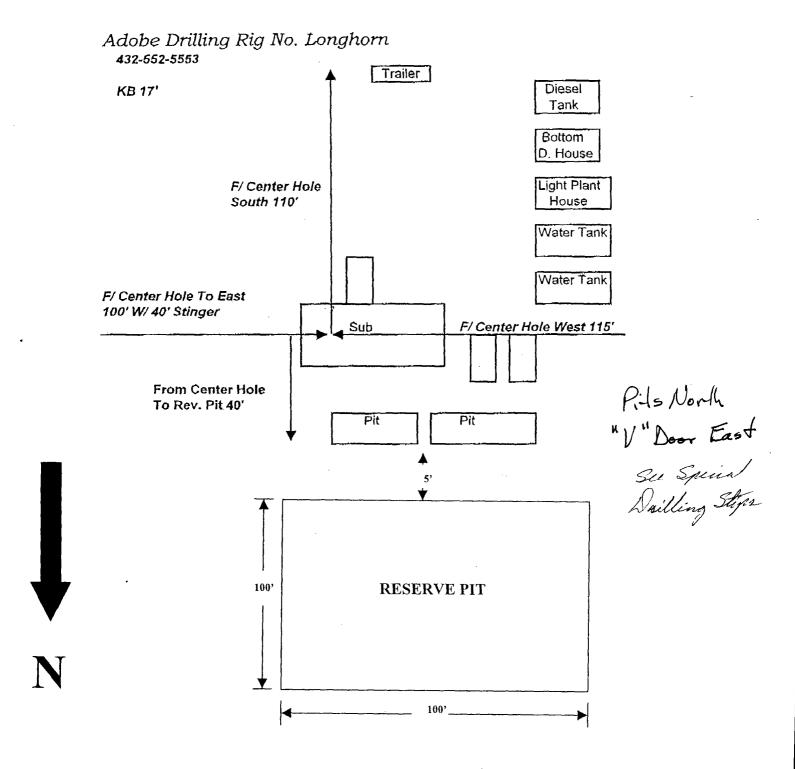
B) Anticipated Starting Date

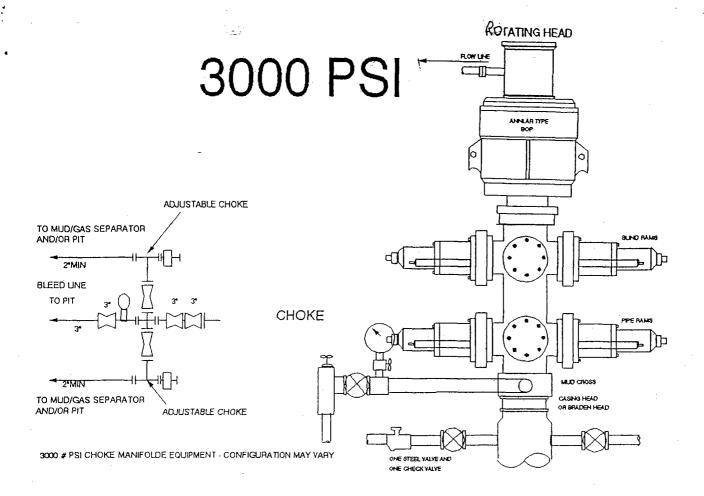
Upon approval

12 days drilling operations

14 days completion operations

GEG/cnt February 16, 2007





THE FOLLOWING CONSTITUTE MINIMUM BLOWOUT PREVENTER REQUIREMENTS

- A. One double gate blowout preventer with lower rams for pipe and upper rams blind, all hydraulically controlled.
- B. Opening on preventers between rams to be flanged, studded or clamped and at least two inches in diameter.
- C. All connections from operating manifold to preventers to be all steel hose or tube a minimum of one inch in diameter.
- D. The available closing pressure shall be at least 15% in excess of that required with sufficient volume to operate (close, open, and re-close) the preventers.
- E. All connections to and from preventers to have a pressure rating equivalent to that of the BOP's.
- F. Manual controls to be installed before drilling cement plug.
- G. Valve to control flow through drill pipe to be located on rig floor.
- H. All chokes will be adjustable. Choke spool may be used between rams.

MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE PLAN

NAME OF WELL: Poker Lake Unit #292

LEGAL DESCRIPTION - SURFACE: 1720' FNL & 2140' FWL, Section 21, T-24-S, R-30-E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

POINT 1: EXISTING ROADS

A) Proposed Well Site Location:

See Exhibit A and Survey Plats

B) Existing Roads:

From the junction of Co. Rd. 787 (Twin Wells) and Co. Rd. 746 (McDonald), proceed west on Co. Rd. 746 for 1.4 miles to lease road. On lease road proceed north 1.4 miles to PLU #41. At PLU #41 follow proposed lease road west approximately 1000' to PLU #292.

C) Existing Road Maintenance or Improvement Plan:

See Exhibit B and Survey Plats.

POINT 2: NEW PLANNED ACCESS ROUTE

A) Route Location:

Approximately 987' of new road will be built from PLU #41 west to PLU #292.

B) Width

12'

C) Maximum Grade

Grade to match existing topography or as per BLM requirements.

D) Turnout Ditches

Spaced per BLM requirements.

E) Culverts, Cattle Guards, and Surfacing Equipment

If required, culverts and cattle guards will be set per BLM Specs.

POINT 3: LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS

Exhibit A indicates existing wells within the surrounding area.

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A) Existing facilities are located within approximately 1 mile, which are owned or controlled by lessee/operator:

Closest Oil/Gas production facilities are located at Poker Lake Unit #261 wellsite. Poker Lake Unit #261 is located approximately 1 mile southeast of proposed well.

B) New Facilities in the Event of Production:

New production facilities will be constructed on Poker Lake Unit #261 location. Powerlines and flowlines will follow the existing and new roads. (Exhibit "C")

C) Rehabilitation of Disturbed Areas Unnecessary for Production:

Following flowline construction, those access areas required for continued production will be graded to provide drainage and minimize erosion. The areas unnecessary for use will be graded to blend in with the surrounding topography (see Point 10)

POINT 5: LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

A) Location and Type of Water Supply

Fresh water will be hauled from Johnson Station 50 miles east of Carlsbad, New Mexico or other commercial facilities. Brine water will be hauled from commercial facilities.

B) Water Transportation System

Water hauling to the location will be over the existing and proposed roads.

POINT 6: SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

A) Materials

Exhibit A shows location of caliche source.

B) Land Ownership

Federally Owned.

C) Materials Foreign to the Site

No construction materials foreign to this area are anticipated for this drill site.

D) Access Roads

See Exhibit B.

POINT 7: METHODS FOR HANDLING WASTE MATERIAL

A) Cuttings

Cuttings will be contained in the reserve pit.

B) Drilling Fluids

Drilling fluids will be contained in the reserve pit.

C) Produced Fluids

Water production will be contained in the reserve pit.

Hydrocarbon fluid or other fluids that may be produced during testing will be retained in test tanks. Prior to cleanup operations, any hydrocarbon material in the reserve pit will be removed by skimming or burning as the situation would dictate.

D) Sewage

Current laws and regulations pertaining to the disposal of human waste will be complied with.

E) Garbage

Portable containers will be utilized for garbage disposal during the drilling of this well.

F) Cleanup of Well Site

Upon release of the drilling rig, the surface of the drilling pad will be graded to accommodate a completion rig if electric log analysis indicates potential productive zones. The reserve pit will be fenced and bird netted. The fence will be maintained until the pit is backfilled. Reasonable cleanup will be performed prior to the final restoration of the site.

POINT 8: ANCILLARY FACILITIES

None required.

POINT 9: WELL SITE LAYOUT

A) Rig Orientation and Layout

Exhibit "D" shows the dimensions of the well pad and reserve pits, and the location of major rig components. Only minor leveling of the well site will be required. No significant cuts or fills will be necessary.

B) Locations of Pits and Access Road

See Exhibits "B", "C" & "D".

C) Lining of the Pits

The reserve pit will be lined with plastic.

POINT 10: PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF THE SURFACE

A) Reserve Pit Cleanup

The pits will be fenced immediately after construction and shall be maintained until they are backfilled. Previous to backfill operations, any hydrocarbon material on the pits' surfaces shall be removed. The fluids and solids contained in the pits shall be backfilled with soil excavated from the site and soil adjacent to the reserve pits. The restored surface of the pits shall be contoured to prevent impoundment of surface water flow. Water-bars will be constructed as needed to prevent excessive erosion. Topsoil, as available, shall be placed over the restored surface in a uniform layer. The area will be seeded according to the Bureau of Land Management stipulations during the appropriate season following restoration.

B) Restoration Plans - Production Developed

The reserve pits will be backfilled and restored as described above under Item A. In addition, those areas not required for production will be graded to blend with the surrounding topography. Topsoil, as available, will be placed upon those areas and seeded. The portion of the site required for production will be graded to minimize erosion and provide access during inclement conditions. Following depletion and abandonment of the site, restoration procedures will be those that follow under Item C.

C) Restoration Plans - No Production Developed

The reserve pits will be restored as described above. With no production developed, the entire surface disturbed by construction of the well site will be restored. The site will be contoured to blend with the surrounding topography and provide drainage of surface water. The topsoil, as available, shall be replaced in a uniform layer and seeded according to the Bureau of Land Management's stipulations.

D) Rehabilitation's Timetable

Upon completion of drilling operations, the initial cleanup of the site will be performed as soon as weather and site conditions allow economic execution of the work.

A) Terrain

Relatively flat with moderate sand dunes.

B) Soil

Caliche and sand.

C) Vegetation

Sparse, primarily grasses and mesquite with very little grass.

D) Surface Use

Primarily grazing.

E) Surface Water

There are no ponds, lakes, streams or rivers within 1-1/2 miles of the wellsite.

F) Water Wells

There are two water wells located within 1-1/2 miles of the proposed well. (See Exhibit A)

G) Residences and Buildings

None in the immediate vicinity.

H) Historical Sites

None observed.

I) Archeological Resources

An archeological survey will be obtained for this area. Before any construction begins, a full and complete archeological survey will be submitted to the Bureau of Land Management. Any location or construction conflicts will be resolved before construction begins.

J) Surface Ownership

The well site is on federally owned land.

- K) Well signs will be posted at the drilling site.
- L) Open Pits

All pits containing liquid or mud will be fenced and bird-netted.

POINT 12: OPERATOR'S FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

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(Field personnel responsible for compliance with development plan for surface use).

DRILLING

William R. Dannels

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PRODUCTION

Mike Waygood

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Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

(505) 887-7329

Michael L. Lyon

Box 2760

Midland, Texas 79702

(432) 683-2277

POINT 13: CERTIFICATION

2/16/07

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in the plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with operations proposed herein will be performed by Bass Enterprises Production Co. and it's contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Date

GEG/cnt

Sary E. Gerhard

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - DRILLING

Operator's Name:

BEPCO, L.P.

Well Name & No.

292-Poker Lake Unit

Location:

1720FNL, 2140FWL, Section 21, T-24-S, R-30-E

Lease:

NMLC 068430

I. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS:

- A. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is to be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness:
 - 1. Spudding well
 - 2. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings
 - 3. BOPE tests
 - Eddy County call the Carlsbad Field Office, 620 East Greene St., Carlsbad, NM 88220, (505) 361-2822
- B. Although no Hydrogen Sulfide has been reported in the area, it is always a possible hazard.
- C. Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval.

II. CASING:

- A. The 11-3/4 inch surface casing shall be set above the salt and a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite at approximately 520 feet and cemented to the surface. Fresh water mud to be used to setting of surface casing.
 - 1. If cement does not circulate to the surface, the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey utilizing an electronic type temperature survey with a surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement.
 - 2. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job will be a minimum of 12 hours for a non-water basin, 18 hours for a water basin, 24 hours in the potash area, or 500 pounds compression strength, whichever is greater. (This is to include the lead cement)
 - 3. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a remedial job will be a minimum of 4 hours after bringing cement to surface or 500 pounds compression strength, whichever is greater.
 - 4. If cement falls back, remedial action will be done prior to drilling out that string.

Possible lost circulation in the Delaware and Bone Spring formations. High cave/karst.

B. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5-1/2 inch production casing is cement shall extend a minimum of 200 feet inside the surface casing.

C. If hardband drill pipe is rotated inside casing; returns will be monitored for metal. If metal is found in samples, drill pipe will be pulled and rubber protectors which have a larger diameter than the tool I joints of the drill pipe will be installed prior to continuing drilling operations.

III. PRESSURE CONTROL:

- A. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2.
- **B.** Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be 2000 (2M) PSI.
- C. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
 - 1. The tests shall be done by an independent service company.
 - 2. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
 - 3. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.
 - 4. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi in accordance with API RP 53. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug.
 - 5. A variance to test the surface casing and BOP/BOPE to the reduced pressure of <u>1000</u> psi with the rig pumps is approved.

Engineer on call: 505-706-2779

WWI 022707