Form 3160-5 (April 2004)

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR OCD-ARTESIA

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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT				5. Lease Serial No.
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS			LC-029395-A	
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160 - 3 (APD) for such proposals.				6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE- Other instructions on reverse side.				7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
1. Type of Well Gas Well Other				8. Well Name and No. Turner "A" Well No. 34
2. Name of Operator Merit Energy Company				9. API Well No.
			No. (include area code)	30-015-05232
13727 Noel Road, Suite 500, Dallas, Texas 75240  4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)		972-628-1610		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Grayburg-Jackson
1650' FSL & 738' FWL Sec. 18, T-17-S, R-31-E		AUG	13 2007	11. County or Parish, State
		OCD-	ARTESIA	Eddy County, New Mexico
12. CHECK A	PPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO	INDICATE NA	TURE OF NOTIC	E, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION			
	Acidize	Deepen	Production	on (Start/Resume) Water Shut-Off
Notice of Intent	Alter Casing	Fracture Treat	Reclamat	` ' -
Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	New Construct	ion Recomple	
Final Abandonment Notice	Change Plans	Plug and Aband		
rmai Aoandonnent Nouce	Convert to Injection	Plug Back	Water Di	sposal
determined that the site is ready 07/09/2007 - Conduct MIT Request Tem	for final inspection.)  For well intergrity, well tester porarily Abandonment for 5 y	d OK, witnessed by		Original Chart to BLM.  ACCEPTED FOR RECORD
ASPICION	AUG 8 2008			
ans — and				AUG 1.8 2007
				Gerry Guye, Deputy Field Inspector NMOCD-District II ARTESIA
14. I hereby certify that the fore Name (Printed/Typed)	going is true and correct			
Larry M. Sanders		Title	Sr. Regulatory A	Analyst
Signature Wassy	m Sauch	Dat	e	07/20/2007
	THIS SPACE FOR I	FEDERAL OF	STATE OFF	ICE USE
				APPROVED
Approved by  Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.			Title Office	AUG 8 2007
			n knowingly and will in its jurisdiction.	lifully to make to any department or agency of the United
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and villfully States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.  (Instructions on page 2)				PETROLEUM ENGINEER

### 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, either are shown below or 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 top of any left in the hole; method of closing top of well and date well site conditioned for final inspection looking to approval of the abandonment.

#### NOTICE

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:

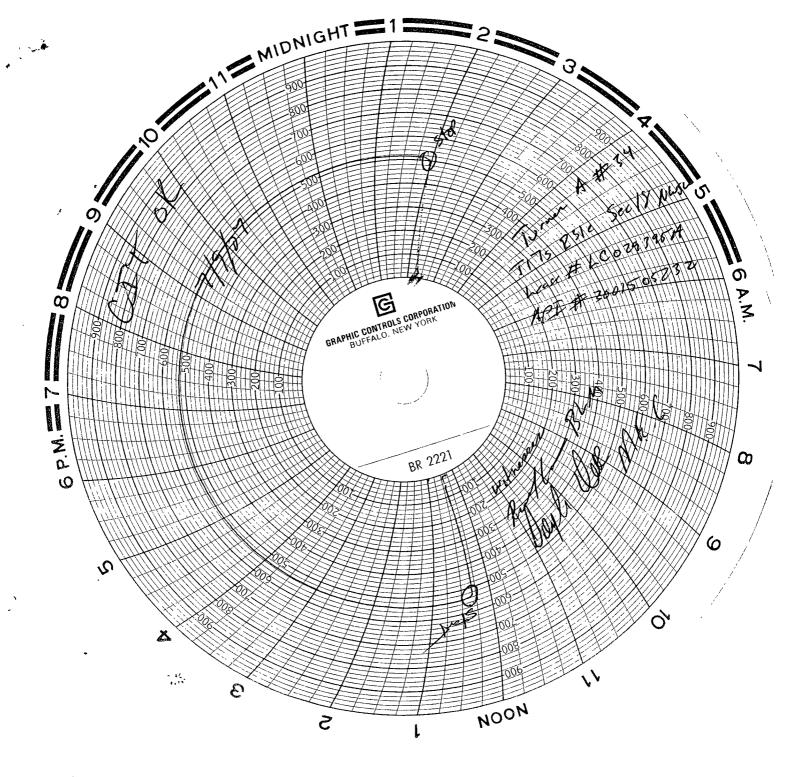
This information is being collected to evaluate proposed and/or completed subsequent well operations on Federal or Indian oil and gas leases.

Response to this request is mandatory.

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 25 minutes 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), Mail Stop 401 LS, 1849 C St., N.W., Washington D.C. 20240



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