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#### **UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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OMB No 1004-0137

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INDRY	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.				6 If Indian, Alfottee, or Tribe Name		
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other Instructions on page 2.				1	7 If Unit of CA. Agreement Name and/or No.	
1 Type of Well				<u> </u>	NMNM88525X	
X 3rt Well Gas Well	Other			8 Well Name a	nd No	
2 Name of Operator				Bu	rch Keely Unit #78	
	Marbob Energy Corpo	oration		9 API Well No		
3a Address		3b Phone No tuicl	ude area codej			
PO Box 227		(575)	(575) 748-3303		30-015-23852	
Artesia, NM 88211-0227		(373) 710 3303		10 Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area		
4 Location of Well (1 ootage, Sec., 7	, R , M , or Survey Description)				ckson; SR-Q-Grbg-SA	
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12. CHECK APPROF	PRIATE BOX(S) TO IND	ICATE NATURE OF	NOTICE, REPO	ORT, OR OTHE	R DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION		T	YPE OF ACTION			
Notice of Intent	Acidize	Deepen	Production	(Start/Resume)	Water Shut-off	
	Altering Casing	Fracture Treat	Reclamation	ı	Well Integrity	
Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	New Construction	Recomplete		Other	
	Change Plans	X Plug and Abandon	Y Temporanly	/ Abandon		
Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injection	Plug Back	Water Dispe	osal		

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 recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths or pertinent markers and sands Attach the Bond under which the work will performed or provide the Bond No on file with the 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 recompletion in a new interval, a form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notice shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamantion, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection )

Marbob Energy Corporation proposes to plug & abandon this well.

(See attached procedure & wellbore schematics)

RECLAMATION PROCEDURE **ATTACHED** 

## SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

14. Thereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct		
Name (Printed Typed)		
, Diana, J. Briggs	Fitle	Production Manager
Signature IIII	Date	SADDOWED
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Approved by	Little	OCT 12416 2009
Conditions of approval, if any ite attached. Approval of this notice does not wan certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations the		/s/ Dustin Winkler
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 AND Fifte 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it acris States any false. Excitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter.	me for any person ki	

## BKU 78 2310' fsl, 2310' fel Unit J, Sec. 23, T17S, R29E Eddy Co., NM LC-028793-C

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### Plug and Abandonment Procedure 14 Sept 09

#### Basic Data:

8-5/8" @ 385' 240 sx. Circ. Cmt. 5-1/2" @ 3300' 2250 sx. TOC 845' BHC Acoustic.

<u>Note:</u> Notify BLM inspectors in Carlsbad (887-6544) at least 24 hrs. before starting plugging operation. Class "C" cement will be used (14.8 ppg, 1.32 cfps, 6.3 gwps).

#### Procedure:

- 1. Pick up a work string and run bit and scraper to 2350'.
- 2. Install packoff, run gauge ring to 2350' if necessary and set CIBP + 35' cement at 2350'. Shoot 8 squeeze holes at 435' (50' below 8-5/8" shoe).
- 3. RIH with tubing to approx. 2300' and circulate 55 bbls of 9 ppg brine mixed with 25 sx per 100 bbls of salt gel into well.
- 4. Pull tubing up to 1900' and spot 25 sx. Class "C" with 2% CaCl2. Pull up to 1000', wait 2 hrs and tag plug. Plug must be 1800' or shallower. Respot if necessary.
- 5. Pull tubing up to 900' and spot 25 sx. Class "C" with 2% CaCl2. POOH, wait 2 hrs and tag plug. Plug must be 725' or shallower. Respot if necessary. This plug will cover the TOC behind the 5.5" casing (TOC 845') and the base of the salt section (BOS 772').
- 6. Set retainer at 385'. RIH with tubing and attempt to establish circulation to surface in the 8-5/8" x 5-1/2" annulus. If circulation can be established, pump 125 sx Class "C" with 2% CaCl2. If cement not circulated but still getting good returns when almost done pumping the original 125 sx, pump another 75 sx (or more) cement to fill annulus to surface. Sting out and spot 40 sx on top of retainer to fill inside of 5-1/2" from 385' to surface.
- 7. If circulation can't be established in Step 6, pump 75 sx. Class "C" with 2% CaCl2 below retainer. Sting out of retainer and spot 25 sx. Class "C" with 2% CaCl2 on top of retainer.
- 8. If Step 7 was done, run 1" and pump 20·sx. Class "C" cement + 2% CaCl2 to fill up top 60' of 5-1/2" and top 60' of 8-5/8" x 5-1/2" annulus. Top off with cement if necessary.
- 9. Cut wellhead and casings off 3' below ground level and remove. Weld plate onto 8-5/8" stub. Weld a 4" diameter dry hole marker onto plate such that 4' of it is above ground level. The following information needs to be placed on the marker:

Marbob Energy, BKU 78, 2310' fsl, 2310' fel, Unit J, Sec. 23, T17S, R29E, LC-028793-C Date well plugged

7. Cut off anchors, and reclaim location per BLM specs.

Kbc/bku 78 plug

Well: BKV 78 (Burch C-49) Zers: 10' AGL KB : 3605.7 Location: 23/0'864 23/0' FEL GL: 3595.7 J-23-175-290 Casing Program: Wt. Grade Com Sizel NBO HC TOS 388' 51/211 BOS 772' 405× .1336. CF/F 8%"E 385" R#W 385 . 1255 y. 2405x"C" (circ 109x) 8 shots @ 435 1655' · 255x TOC 715' BHC Acardic AFter PAA (Able to Circulate 898"x52" Annulus to SurFrice ±1650' 2554 1 WhoFlow 1940-50 1900 When Dry DV 2051' CIBP+35 tant Sibo 0 2393-2407' (15) 2350 2734-15, 1019-75 2753-51, 1019 3 (2182-33, 2783-14) (18) 5 Ardus 2182-83, 2783-14) 2 ( 14 ) 23 5 A fees 2. d 702, 5 - Mr. 11 1771. 11 与也点面 20 12.21

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Well: BKV 78 Zero: 10'166 KB: 3605.7 Location 23/0'55L 23/0' FEL GL: 3575.7 J-23-175-27e Casing Program: 5120 Wt. Grade Com 30-215 23752 878" 1180 LTC TOS 388' 5/211 H55 3300 15,5 1905 772 8% 2385 2409x "6" (coins 189x) 71/8 TOC PIS' BHC Acmatic Before P&A Who Flow 1719-50 Whom Dry DV 2051' 0 2573-2407' (15) 5,69 2754-5, 2004 2763-64, 2004 2 2782-83, 2003-74' (18) 5 Andres 2-21-13', 18, 19 of the state of the state of the 2 d 37 m 5 - 100 m 1 0 72 m A 512 8 25 033211

Marbob Energy Corperation

NMLC-028793C: Burch Keely Unit #78

API: 30-015-23852

Eddy County, New Mexico

### RE: Plugging and Abandonment Procedure, Conditions of Approval

- Ok
- 1a. Set CIBP at 2675' and bail 35' or pump 25 sx on top. (San Andres perfs)
- 2. CHANGE: Set CIBP at 2340' and bail 35' or pump 25 sx on top. (Grayburg perfs)
- OK
- 4. CHANGE: Spot a minimum 25 sx plug at 2100'. WOC and tag at 1800' or shallower. (DV Tool Lost Circulation)
- 5. CHANGE: Perf at 825' and squeeze a plug (minimum 25 sx) in and out to 715'. If injection cannot be established, spot plug 50' below the perfs. WOC and tag at 715' or shallower. (BOS)
- 6. CHANGE: Perf at 435' and squeeze cement in annulus to surface. If injection cannot be established, spot plug 50' below the perfs and refer to step 6a. Plug in casing must be 100' WOC and tag at 335' or shallower. (Casing shoe TOS)
- 6a. Contingency Plug If injection rate was no established on above plug, perf and squeeze 100' above the tagged depth. Plug is to be a minimum 100' and 25sx.
- 7. Removed No cement retainer used.
- 8. CHANGE: If injection rate could not be established, perf and squeeze at 60' to surface. Otherwise, spot plug 60' to surface.
- 9. OK Check all annuli to confirm cement to surface before welding.
- 10. OK
- 11. Submit subsequent report, with details.

See attached standard COA.

It is recommended that H2S monitoring and protection is available on site.

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## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Carlsbad Field Office 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 575-234-5972

# Permanent Abandonment of Federal Wells Conditions of Approval

Failure to comply with the following Conditions of Approval may result in a Notice of Incidents of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1.

1. Plugging operations shall commence within <u>ninety (90)</u> days from the approval date of this Notice of Intent to Abandon.

If you are unable to plug the well by the 90<sup>th</sup> day provide this office, prior to the 60<sup>th</sup> day, with the reason for not meeting the deadline and a date when we can expect the well to be plugged. Failure to do so will result in enforcement action.

- 2 <u>Notification:</u> Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Chaves and Roosevelt County, call 575-627-0272; Eddy County, call 575-361-2822; Lea County, call 575-393-3612.
- 3. <u>Blowout Preventers</u>: A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The BOP must be installed and maintained as per API and manufacturer recommendations. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9,090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13,636 feet; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22,727 feet.
- 4. <u>Mud Requirement:</u> Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at the rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of **brine** water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.
- 5. <u>Cement Requirement</u>: Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and are not final. Unless specific approval is received, no plug except the surface plug shall be less than 25 sacks of cement. In lieu of a cement plug in a cased hole, a bridge plug set within 50 feet to 100 feet above the perforations shall be capped with 25 sacks of cement. If a bailer is used to cap this plug, 35 feet of cement shall be sufficient.

Unless otherwise specified in the approved procedure, the cement plug shall consist of either Neat Class "C", for up to 7,500 feet of depth or Neat Class "H", for deeper than 7,500 feet plugs.

- 6. <u>Dry Hole Marker</u>: All casing shall be cut-off at the base of the cellar or 3 feet below final restored ground level (whichever is deeper). The well bore shall then be capped with a 4-inch pipe, 10-feet in length, 4 feet above ground and embedded in cement. The following information shall be permanently inscribed on the dry hole marker: well name and number, name of the operator, lease serial number, surveyed location (quarter-quarter section, section, township and range or other authorized survey designation acceptable to the authorized officer such as metes and bounds).
- 7. <u>Subsequent Plugging Reporting:</u> Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file one original and five copies of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 to BLM. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. **Show date well was plugged.**
- 8. <u>Trash:</u> All trash, junk and other waste material shall be contained in trash cages or bins to prevent scattering and will be removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. Burial on site is not permitted.

Following the submission and approval of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, surface restoration will be required. See attached reclamation procedure.

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## United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Carlsbad Field Office 620 E Greene St Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220-6292 www.blm.gov/nm



In Reply Refer To: 1310

#### **Interim Reclamation Procedures**

**Reclamation Objective:** Oil and gas development is one of many uses of the public lands and resources. While development may have a short- or long-term effect on the land, successful reclamation can ensure the effect is not permanent. During the life of the development, all disturbed areas not needed for active support of production operations should undergo "interim" reclamation in order to minimize the environmental impacts of development on other resources and uses.

Interim reclamation consists of minimizing the footprint of disturbance by reclaiming all portions of the well site not needed for production operations. The portions of the cleared well site not needed for operational and safety purposes are recontoured to a final or intermediate contour that blends with the surrounding topography as much as possible. Sufficient level area remains for setup of a workover rig and to park equipment. Topsoil is respread over areas not needed for all-weather operations. Production facilities should be clustered to maximize the opportunity for interim reclamation. In order to inspect and operate the well or complete workover operations, it may be necessary to drive, park, and operate on restored, interim vegetation within the previously disturbed area. This is generally acceptable provided damage is repaired and reclaimed following use.

To reduce final reclamation costs; maintain healthy, biologically active topsoil; and to minimize habitat, visual, and forage loss during the life of the well, all salvaged topsoil should be spread over the area of interim reclamation, rather than stockpiled.

- The Application for Permit to Drill or Reenter (APD, Form 3160-3), Surface Use Plan of
  Operations must include adequate measures for stabilization and reclamation of disturbed lands.
  Oil and Gas operators must plan for reclamation, both interim and final, up front in the APD
  process as per Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1.
- 2. For wells and/or access roads not having an approved plan, or an inadequate plan for surface reclamation (either interim or final reclamation), the operator must submit a proposal describing the procedures for reclamation. For interim reclamation, the appropriate time for submittal would be when filing the Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log (Form 3160-4). Interim reclamation is to be completed within 6 months of well completion.
- 3. If you have an approved Surface Use Plan of Operation and/or an approved Sundry Notice, you are free to proceed with interim reclamation as per approved APD or Sundry Notice. If you have issues or concerns, contact a BLM specialist to assist you. It would be in your interest to have a BLM specialist look at the location and access road prior to the removal of reclamation equipment to ensure that it meets BLM objectives. Upon conclusion submit a Form 3160-5, Subsequent Report of Reclamation. This will prompt a specialist to inspect the location to verify work was completed as per approved plans.
- 4. The approved Subsequent Report of Reclamation will be your notice that the native soils, contour and seedbed have been reestablished. If the BLM objectives have not been met the operator will be notified and corrective actions may be required.
- 5. It is the responsibility of the operator to monitor these locations and/or access roads until such time as the operator feels that the BLM objective has been met.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact any of the following specialists:

Jim Amos Supervisory Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5909, 575-361-2648 (Cell)

Terry Gregston Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5958

Bobby Ballard Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-2230

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