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UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir.
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

1 Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2 Name of Operator

Mack Energy Corporation

3 Address and Telephone No

P.O. Box 960 Artesia, NM 88211-0960

(575)748-1288

4 Location of Well (Footage, Sec, T, R, M or Survey Description)

1675 FNL & 330 FWL, Sec. 9 T16S R29E

FORM APPROVED

Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135

Expires: March 31, 1993

5 Lease Designation and Serial No

NMLC-068677

6 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7 If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

Forty-Niners Federal #1

9 API Well No

30-015-36742

10 Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Ishee Lake; San Andres

11 County or Parish, State

Eddy, NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

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

TYPE OF ACTION

- ☐ Abandonment
- ☐ Recompletion
- ☐ Plugging Back
- ☐ Casing Repair
- ☐ Altering Casing
- ☒ Other

TA well

- ☐ Change of Plans
- ☐ New Construction
- ☐ Non-Routine Fracturing
- ☐ Water Shut-Off
- ☐ Conversion to Injection
- ☐ Dispose Water

(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

13 Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work)*

Mack Energy Corporation proposes to TA well as follows.

Set CIBP @ 2950' w/35' cement cap. Load hole with 2% KCL and test to 500#.

Note PBTD @ 3449'. Perfs 3020-3071'

SUBJECT TO LIKE
APPROVAL BY STATE

SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Accepted for record

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RF
6/10/10

14 I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Signed

James W. Shewell

Title

Production Clerk

Date

5/10/10

(This space for Federal or State office use)

/s/ JD Whitlock Jr

Approved by

Conditions of approval, if any

Title

LPET / CEO

Date

6/8/10

Title 18 U S C Section 1001, 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

•See Instruction on Reverse Side

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**Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands
Conditions of Approval**

A temporarily abandoned well is defined as a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities but which may have value as a service well. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3162.3-4 (c), no well may be temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days without the prior approval of the authorized officer.

Temporary Abandonment (TA) status approval requires a successful mechanical or casing integrity test as follows:

1. A Notice of Intent (NOI) Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting approval to run a mechanical integrity test (MIT) or casing integrity test (CIT).
2. A description of the temporary abandonment procedure.
 - a. A bridge plug or packer must be installed as close to 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole as possible. If a cement plug is used, the top of the cement must be verified by tagging.
 - b. The wellbore must be filled with corrosion inhibited fluid and pressure tested to 500 psi. The casing shall be capable of holding this pressure for at least 30 minutes. Any leakoff will be evaluated.
 - c. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
 - d. A bradenhead test must be conducted. If the test indicates a problem exists, a remedial plan and time frame for remediation shall be submitted within ninety (90) days of the test.
 - e. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County, 575-361-2822; Lea County 575-393-3612.
3. **Provides justification why the well should be temporarily abandoned rather than permanently plugged and abandoned and an estimated date that the well will be returned to beneficial use or plugged and abandoned.**

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test may be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status provided that the operator:

1. **Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice** (Form 3160-5) requesting TA approval **with well bore diagram** with all perforations and CIBP's and tops of cement on CIBP's.
2. Describes the temporary abandonment procedure.
3. Attaches a clear copy or the original of the pressure test chart.
4. Give justification to allow well to be place in TA status and plan for future use of well with time frame that well will be place back on line or plans to P&A well will be submitted.

If the well does not pass the casing integrity test, then the operator shall within 30 days submit to BLM for approval one of the following:

1. A procedure to repair the casing so that a TA approval can be granted.
2. A procedure to plug and abandon the well.

Forty-Niner Federal #1. Well may be approved to be TA/SI for a period of 90 days until September 8, 2010 after successful MIT and subsequent report with well bore diagram is submitted. This will be the last and only TA/SI approval. Well must be P&A or plans to return to beneficial use submitted by September 8, 2010.