

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

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OIL CON. DIV.
DIST. 2

OIL CONSERVATION DIV.
811 S. 1st ST.
ARTESIA, NM 88210-2834

FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135
Expires: March 31, 1993

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.

NM 62161

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

Diamondback Fed. No. 1

9. API Well No.

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Eddy, New Mexico

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Abandonment
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Recompletion
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Plugging Back
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altering Casing
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>BOP/SHOE</u>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Plans
	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction
	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Routine Fracturing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Conversion to Injection
	<input type="checkbox"/> 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.)

6/28/96 Depth: 2355 Progress: 105 DAY: 8
Present Operation: DRILLING
MUD: MW 8.4 PPG, VIS 28, pH 10
FORM: SAND
PUMP: 114 SPM, 1450 PSI
BIT: #5, M84CF, IN @ 2250, 105 FEET IN 6.5 HRS
SURVEY: 1 DEG @ 2320'
TIME: 6.5 DRILLING, 3.5 TRIP, 11.5 NU & TEST BOP, 2.5 OTHER
NU ROTATING HEAD AND BOP'S, TESTED TO 5000 psi. DRILLED OUT CEMENT PLUG AND SHOE JT, DRILLED 10' FORM, TESTED SHOE, OK.

Hard copies will be mailed 6/29/96.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed

James F. Obward

Title

Agent for GATES Energy Corp.

Date 6/28/96

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by

Conditions of approval, if any:

Title

Date

J. Lora
JUL - 8 1996

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*See Instruction on Reverse Side

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