

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

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Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

Bureau of Land Management  
Farmington Field Office

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1.

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

ELM RIDGE EXPLORATION CO LLC

3a. Address

PO BOX 156 BLOOMFIELD NM 87413

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505-632-3476 EXT 201

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

"I" - Sec. 20-T25N-R12W

1980' FSL X 660' FEL

5. Lease Serial No.

NMNM-25448

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No

8. Well Name and No

Bisti Gallup 20-9

9. API Well No.

30-045-34002

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Bisti Lower-Gallup

11. County or Parish, State

San Juan County

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing <input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation <input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair <input type="checkbox"/> New Construction <input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other TD, Production Casing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back <input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal

13 Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (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 recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. 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 within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once Testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Elm Ridge Exploration Co LLC has drilled a hole 7 7/8" TD of 5150' as of 9/26/2011. On 9/29/2011: We set 115 joint 15.5# J55 casing at 5146'. First stage: Pumped 20 bbls chemical wash, 150 sks of HOWCO light with 10# sks gilsonite, 125 sks of poly flake, 100 sks of 50/50 premium with 5# sks gilsonite, 15% CFR-3, 1% halas 9. Circulate 19 bbls of cement to surface. Second stage: 20 bbls, chemical wash, 550 sks of Howco light with 5 lbs sks gilsonite, 125# sks poly flake 50 DKC premium G cement. Circulate 90 bbls of cement to surface. Pressure test to 1500 PSI for 30 minutes. Rig down and release rig at 7pm on 9-29-11.

REVISED TO ADD HOLE SIZE AND RIG RELEASE DATE PER OCD

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

Name (Printed/Typed)

Amy Mackey

Title

Administrative Manager

Signature

Date

September 30, 2011

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by

Title

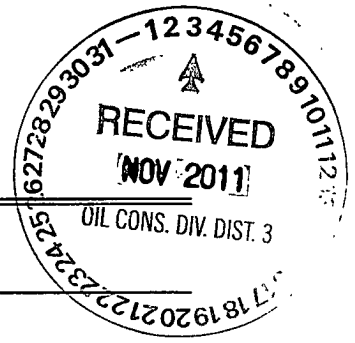
Date

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

Office

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.

(Instructions on reverse)



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