

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

2005 NOV 2 25

1a. Type of Work  
DRILL

1b. Type of Well  
GAS

2. Operator  
**BURLINGTON**  
RESOURCES Oil & Gas Company

3. Address & Phone No. of Operator  
PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499  
(505) 326-9700

4. Location of Well  
Unit N (SESW), 125' FSL, 2255' FWL  
  
Latitude 36° 43.1435'N  
Longitude 107° 35.7016'W

5. Lease Number  
NMSF-078423  
Unit Reporting Number  
NMNM 784093-MV/NMNM 78409A DK

6. If Indian, All. or Tribe

7. Unit Agreement Name  
San Juan 29-7 Unit

8. Farm or Lease Name

9. Well Number  
#86M

10. Field, Pool, Wildcat  
Blanco Mesaverde/ Basin Dakota

11. Sec., Twn, Rge, Mer. (NMPM)  
Sec. 17, T29N, R07W  
API # 30-039-29696

12. County  
Rio Arriba

13. State  
NM

14. Distance in Miles from Nearest Town  
14.5 miles to Blanco, NM

15. Distance from Proposed Location to Nearest Property or Lease Line  
125'

16. Acres in Lease

17. Acres Assigned to Well  
320 W2 MV/DK

18. Distance from Proposed Location to Nearest Well, Drlg, Compl, or Applied for on this Lease  
1778' - San Juan 29-7 Unit #45A

19. Proposed Depth  
8123'

20. Rotary or Cable Tools  
Rotary

21. Elevations (DF, FT, GR, Etc.)  
6912' GL

22. Approx. Date Work will Start

23. Proposed Casing and Cementing Program  
See Operations Plan attached

24. Authorized by: Amanda Sanda  
Regulatory Compliance Assistant II

11-7-05  
Date

PERMIT NO.

APPROVAL DATE

APPROVED BY

TITLE

DATE

Archaeological Report attached

Threatened and Endangered Species Report attached

NOTE: This format is issued in lieu of U.S. BLM Form 3160-3

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 presentations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

DRILLING OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED ARE  
SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH ATTACHED  
"GENERAL REQUIREMENTS".

This action is subject to technical and  
procedural review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3  
and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4

NMOC

DISTRICT I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, N.M. 88240

DISTRICT II  
811 South First, Artesia, N.M. 88210

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, N.M. 87410

DISTRICT IV  
2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

Form C-102  
Revised August 15, 2000

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number 30-039 - 29696	<sup>2</sup> Pool Code 72319/71599	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name Blanco Mesaverde/Basin Dakota
<sup>4</sup> Property Code 7465	<sup>5</sup> Property Name SAN JUAN 29-7 UNIT	<sup>6</sup> Well Number 86M
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No. 14538	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL AND GAS COMPANY LP	<sup>9</sup> Elevation 8912'

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
N	17	29-N	7-W		125'	SOUTH	2255'	WEST	RIO ARriba

<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres 320 W/2					<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill		<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code		<sup>15</sup> Order No.

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED  
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

NM SF-078423

LAT: 36°43.1435' N.  
LONG: 107°35.7016' W.  
NAD 1927

S 89°-44'-13" E  
2639.09'

2255'

125'

<sup>17</sup> OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein  
is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and  
belief

Frances Bond  
Signature

Frances Bond  
Printed Name  
Regulatory Specialist

Title  
Date 11-7-05

<sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat  
was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by  
me or under my supervision, and that the same is true  
and correct to the best of my belief.

Date of Survey 9-19-05

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor:

GLEN RUSSELL  
NEW MEXICO  
15703  
Certificate Number 15703

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Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

1220 South St. Francis Dr.

Santa Fe, NM 87505

WELL API NO.

30-039-29696

5. Indicate Type of Lease

STATE ☐

FEE ☐

6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.

NMSF-078423

7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name

San Juan 29-7 Unit

8. Well Number

86M

9. OGRID Number

14538

10. Pool name or Wildcat

Blanco Mesaverde/Basin Dakota

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS  
(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well:

Oil Well ☐

Gas Well ☒

Other

2. Name of Operator

BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP

3. Address of Operator

3401 E. 30TH STREET, FARMINGTON, NM 87402

4. Well Location

Unit Letter N

: 125

feet from the

South

line and

2255

feet from the

West

line

Section 17

Township

29N

Range

7W

NMPM

County

Rio Arriba

11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)

6912'

Pit or Below-grade Tank Application

or Closure

Pit type

New Drill

Depth to Groundwater

>100'

Distance from nearest fresh water well

>1000'

Distance from nearest surface water

>1000'

Pit Liner Thickness:

n/a

mil

Below-Grade Tank:

Volume

bbls;

Construction Material

12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK

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PLUG AND ABANDON

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TEMPORARILY ABANDON

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CHANGE PLANS

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PULL OR ALTER CASING

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MULTIPLE COMPL

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OTHER:

New Drill

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SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

REMEDIAL WORK

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ALTERING CASING

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COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS.

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P AND A

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CASING/CEMENT JOB

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OTHER:

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13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 1103. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.

New Drill, Unlined:

Burlington Resources proposes to construct a new drilling pit and an associated vent/flare pit. Based on Burlington's interpretation of the Ecosphere's risk ranking criteria, the new drilling pit and vent/flare pit will be an unlined pit as detailed in Burlington's Revised Drilling / Workover Pit Construction / Operation Procedures dated November 11, 2004 on file at the NMOCD office. A portion of the vent/flare pit will be designed to manage fluids, and that portion will be unlined, as per the risk ranking criteria. Burlington Resources anticipates closing these pits according to the Drilling / Workover Pit Closure Procedure dated August 2, 2004 on file at the NMOCD office.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that any pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☐, a general permit ☒ or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

SIGNATURE

Amanda Sandoval

TITLE

Regulatory Assistant II

DATE

9/28/2005

Type or print name

Amanda Sandoval

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Telephone No.

505-326-9891

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[Signature]

TITLE

DEPUTY OIL & GAS INSPECTOR, DIST. 2

DATE

DEC 14 2005

Conditions of Approval (if any):



**BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP**  
**SAN JUAN 29-7 UNIT #86M, 125' FSL & 2255' FWL**  
**SECTION 17, T-29-N, R-7-W, NMPM, RIO ARriba COUNTY, NM**  
**GROUND ELEVATION: 6912', DATE: AUGUST 30, 2005**

ELEV. A'-A

6930									
6920									
6910									
6900									

CL

ELEV. B'-B

6930									
6920									
6910									
6900									

CL

ELEV. C'-C

6930									
6920									
6910									
6900									

CL

NOTE: VECTOR SURVEYS IS NOT LIABLE FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES OR PIPELINES.  
 CONTRACTOR SHOULD CALL ONE-CALL FOR LOCATION OF ANY MARKED OR UNMARKED BURIED  
 PIPELINES OR CABLES ON WELL PAD AND OR ACCESS ROAD AT LEAST TWO (2) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.

## OPERATIONS PLAN

**Well Name:** SAN JUAN 29-7 UNIT 86M  
**Location:** 125' FSL & 2255' FWL, Section 17 T29N R07W  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico  
**Formation:** Blanco Mesaverde/Basin Dakota  
**Elevation:** 6912' GL

<b><u>Formation Tops:</u></b>	<b><u>Top</u></b>	<b><u>Bottom</u></b>	<b><u>Contents</u></b>
Surface	San Jose	2719'	
Ojo Alamo	2719'	2839'	aquifer
Kirtland	2839'	3399'	gas
Fruitland Coal	3399'	3667'	gas
Pictured Cliffs	3667'	3827'	gas
Lewis	3827'	4296'	
Huerfanito Bentonite	4296'		
Chacra	4629'	5391'	gas
Massive Cliff House	5391'	5497'	gas
Menefee	5497'	5837'	gas
Massive Point Lookout	5837'	6269'	gas
Mancos Shale	6269'	7094'	
Upper Gallup	7094'	7824'	gas
Greenhorn	7824'	7877'	gas
Graneros	7877'	7923'	gas
Two Wells	7923'	8035'	gas
Upper Cubero	8035'	8059'	gas
Lower Cubero	8059'	8123'	gas
Encinal	8123'	8123'	gas
Total Depth:	8123'		gas

### **Logging Program:**

#### **Mud Logs/Coring/DST**

Mud logs - from 7625' to topset TD to final TD Morrison  
Coring - none  
DST - none  
Open hole - none  
Cased hole - Gamma Ray, CBL - surface to TD

### **Mud Program:**

<b><u>Interval</u></b>	<b><u>Type</u></b>	<b><u>Weight</u></b>	<b><u>Vis.</u></b>	<b><u>Fluid Loss</u></b>
0 - 200'	Spud MUD/Air/Air Mist	8.4 - 9.0	40 - 50	no control
200 - 3927'	LSND	8.4 - 9.0	30 - 60	no control
3927 - 8123'	Air/Air Mist/Nitrogen	n/a	n/a	n/a

Casing Program (as listed, the equivalent, or better):

<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>Depth Interval</u>	<u>Csg.Size</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
12 1/4"	0' - 200'	9 5/8"	32.3#	H-40
8 3/4"	0' - 3927'	7"	20/23#	J-55
6 1/4"	0' - 8123'	4 1/2"	10.5#	J-55

Tubing Program:

<u>Depth Interval</u>	<u>Csg.Size</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
0' - 8123'	2 3/8"	4.7#	J-55

BOP Specifications, Wellhead and Tests:

## Surface to Intermediate TD -

11" 2000 psi minimum double gate BOP stack (Reference Figure #1). After nipple-up prior to drilling out surface casing, ~~rams~~ and casing will be tested to 600 psi for 30 minutes.

BOP

## Intermediate TD to Total Depth -

11" 2000 psi minimum double gate BOP stack (Reference Figure #1). After nipple-up prior to drilling out intermediate casing, ~~rams~~ and casing will be tested to 1500 psi for 30 minutes.

BOP

## Surface to Total Depth -

2" nominal, 2000 psi minimum choke manifold (Reference Figure #3).

Completion Operations -

7 1/16" 2000 psi double gate BOP stack (Reference Figure #2). After nipple-up prior to completion, pipe rams, casing and liner top will be tested to 2000 psi for 15 minutes.

Wellhead -

9 5/8" x 7" x 4 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2000 psi tree assembly.

General -

- Pipe rams will be actuated once each day and blind rams will be actuated once each trip to test proper functioning.
- An upper kelly cock valve with handle available and drill string valves to fit each drill string will be available on the rig floors at all times.
- BOP pit level drill will be conducted weekly for each drill crew.
- All BOP tests & drills will be recorded in daily drilling reports.
- Blind and pipe rams will be equipped with extension hand wheels.

Cementing:

## 9 5/8" surface casing -

**Pre-Set Drilled** - Cement with 23 sx Type I, II cement with 20% flyash mixed at 14.5 ppg, 1.61 cu ft per sack yield. (38 cu ft of slurry, bring cement to surface) Wait on cement for 24 hours for pre-set holes before pressure testing or drilling out from under surface.

**Conventionally Drilled** - Cement with 147 sx Type III cement with 0.25 pps Celloflake, 2% CaCl. (188 cu ft of slurry, 200% excess, bring cement to surface) Wait on cement for 8 hrs for conventionally set holes before pressure testing or drilling out from under surface. Wait on cement appropriate time until cement achieves 250 psi compressive strength at 60 degrees F. prior to nipple up of BOPE. Wait on cement for 8 hrs for conventionally set holes before pressure testing or drilling out from under surface. Test casing to 600 psi for 30 minutes.

Saw tooth guide shoe on bottom. Bowspring centralizers will be run in accordance with Onshore Order #2.

## 7" intermediate casing -

Lead with 336 sacks Premium Lite cement with 3% calcium chloride, 0.25 pps Celloflake, 5 pps LCM-1, 0.4% fluid loss, 0.4% sodium metasilicate. Tail w/90 sacks Type III cmt w/1% calcium chloride, 0.25 pps Celloflake, 0.2% fluid loss (124 cu ft 50% excess to circulate to surface). WOC minimum of 8 hours before drilling out intermediate casing. If cement does not circulate to surface, a CBL or a temperature survey will be run to determine TOC. Test casing to 1500 psi for 30 minutes.

## 7" intermediate casing alternative two stage -

Stage collar set 300' above the top of the Fruitland. First stage: Lead w/29 sacks Premium Lite cement with 3% calcium chloride, .25 pps celloflake, 5 pps LCM-1, 0.4% fluid loss. Tail w/90 Type III cmt w/1% calcium chloride, 0.25 pps Celloflake, 0.2% fluid loss. Second stage: 307 sacks Premium Lite cement with 3% calcium chloride, .25 pps celloflake, 5 pps LCM-1, 0.4% fluid loss, 0.4% sodium metasilicate (840 cu ft - 50% excess to circulate to surface).

Cement nose guide shoe on bottom with float collar spaced on top of shoe joint. Bowspring centralizers spaced every third joint off bottom, to the base of the Ojo Alamo @ 2839'. Two turbolating centralizers at the base of the Ojo Alamo @ 2839'. Bowspring centralizers spaced every fourth joint from the base of the Ojo Alamo to the base of the surface casing.

## 4 1/2" Production Casing -

Pump 268 sxs Premium Lite HS FM w/0.25 pps celloflake, 0.3% CD-32, 6.25 pps LCM-1, 1% fluid loss, 6% gel, 7 pps CSE (571 cu.ft., 30% excess to achieve 100' overlap in 4-1/2" x 7" annulus). WOC a minimum of 18 hrs prior to completing.

Cementing: Continued

Cement float collar stacked on top of float shoe.

Note: If open hole logs are run, cement volumes will be based on 25% excess over caliper volumes.

Cement nose guide shoe on bottom with float collar spaced on top of shoe joint. The liner hanger will have a rubber packoff.

- If hole conditions permit, an adequate water spacer will be pumped ahead of each cement job to prevent cement/ mud contamination or cement hydration.

Special Drilling Operations (Air/Mist Drilling):

The following equipment will be operational while air/mist drilling:

- An anchored blooie line will be utilized to discharge all cuttings and circulating medium to the blow pit a minimum of 100' from the wellhead.
- The blooie line will be equipped with an automatic igniter or pilot light.
- Compressors will be located a minimum of 100' from the wellhead in the opposite direction from the blooie line.
- Engines will have spark arresters or water cooled exhaust.
- The rotating head will be properly lubricated and maintained.
- A float valve will be utilized above the bit.
- Mud circulating equipment, water, and mud materials will be sufficient to maintain control of the well.

Additional Information:

- The Mesa Verde and Dakota formations will be completed and commingled.
- No abnormal temperatures or hazards are anticipated.
- Anticipated pore pressures are as follows:

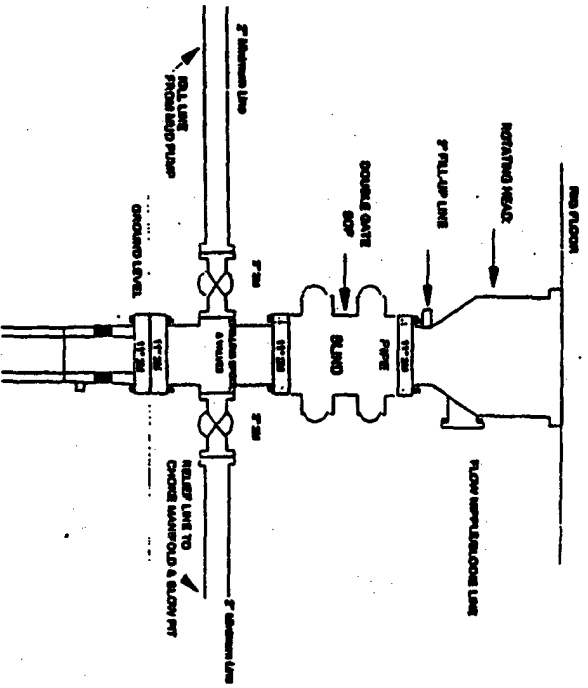
Fruitland Coal	300 psi
Pictured Cliffs	600 psi
Mesa Verde	700 psi
Dakota	2000 psi
- Sufficient LCM will be added to the mud system to maintain well control, if lost circulation is encountered below the top of the Pictured Cliffs.
- The west half of Section 17 is dedicated to the Mesa Verde formation and Dakota formation.
- This gas is dedicated.

  
Drilling Engineer

11/7/05  
Date

# Burlington Resources

## Drilling Rig 2000 psi System



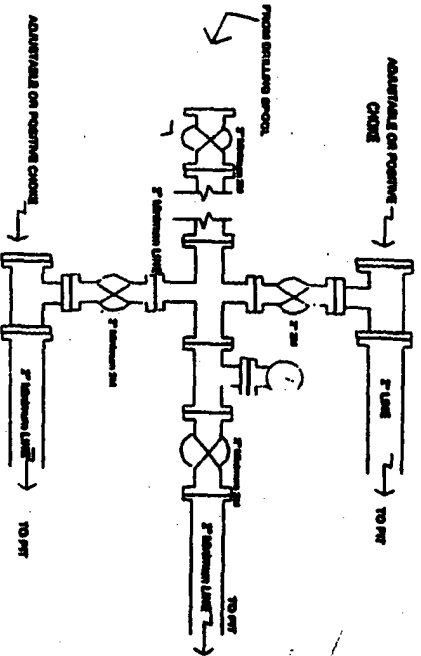
BCP Installation from Surface Casing Point to Total Depth, 11" Bore  
10" Minimum 2000 psi working pressure double gate BOP to be  
equipped with blind rams and pipe rams. A 500 psi working head on top of  
ram prevention. All BOP equipment is 2,000 psi working pressure.

Figure #1

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# BURLINGTON RESOURCES

## Drilling Rig Choice Manifold Configuration 2000 psi System



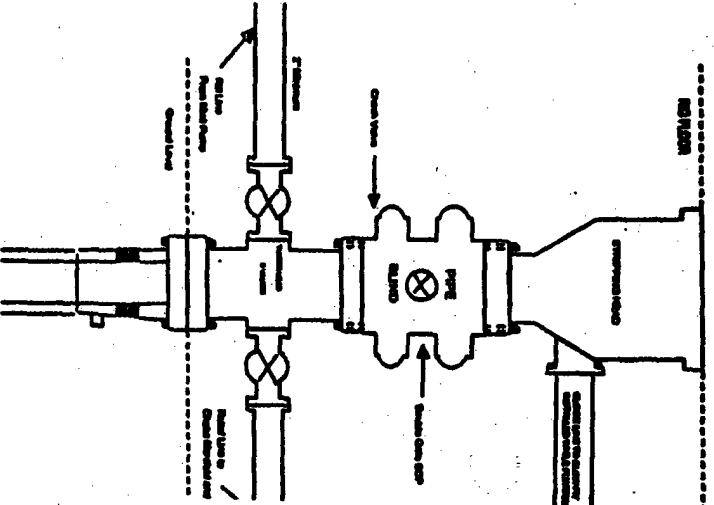
Choice manifold Installation from Surface Casing  
Point to Total Depth, 2,000psi working pressure  
equipment with two choices.

Figure #3

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# BURLINGTON RESOURCES

## Completion/Workover Rig BCP Configuration 2000 psi System



Minimum BCP Installation for all Completion  
Operations, 7-1/16" bore, 2000 psi minimum working  
pressure double gate BOP to be equipped with blind  
pipe rams. A working head to be installed on the top  
the BOP. All BOP equipment is 2000 psi working  
pressure or greater excluding 500 psi working head.

Figure #2