

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires July 31, 1996

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.

5. Lease Serial No.

NM-12233

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or N

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1.

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

Amended

2. Name of Operator

Elm Ridge Exploration Company, LLC

3a. Address

PO Box 156 Bloomfield, NM 87413

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505-632-3476

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

Sec. 26-T24N-R8W

820' FNL X 1700' FEL

8. Well Name and No.

S. Blanco Federal 26-5

9. API Well No.

30-045-25218

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Lybrook Gallup Ext.

11. County or Parish, State

San Juan County, NM

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 type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans <input checked="" 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 recompletion 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 has plugged the above well as follows: July 26, 2010 to August 2, 2010; Plug 1: Set 4 1/2" cementretainer at 5287', squeeze 8 sks of class G neat cement, cement under retianer and 12 sks on top of retainer, plug from 5287' to 5130'. Plug # 2: Spot balance plug with 12 sks of cement, from 2764' to 2690'. Plug # 3: Pump 16 sks of cement from 2690' - 2532'. Plug # 4: Spot balance with 98 sks of cement from 2390' to 1050'. Plug # 5: Pump 35 sks of cement from surface to 356' top off well with cement. BLM witness, Joe Ruynalid on location.

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OIL CONS. DIV.

Amended Copy sent in 9-1-10 Original sent in 8-6-10

DIST. 3

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

Name (Printed/Typed)

Sharla Duggins

Title

Production Assistant

Signature

Date

August 6, 2010

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.

ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

(Instructions on reverse)

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