

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 reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires July 31, 1996**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side**

5. Lease Serial No.

Contract 38

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

Jicarilla Apache

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

8. Well Name and No.

AXI Apache H #16

9. API Well No.

30-039-22907

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Ballard Pictured Cliffs

11. County or Parish, State

Rio Arriba, NM

RCVD FEB 21 11
OIL CONS. DIV.

DIST. 3

1. ☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

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2. Name of Operator

Elm Ridge Exploration Co., LLC

Farmington Field Office
Bureau of Land Management

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)

"F" - 800' FNL X 1580' FWL

Sec. 6-T23N-R5W

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 checked="" 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 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 recomple 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.)

This well is capable of commercial production. The 8" pipeline to which this well is connected has experienced several small leaks. As a result, this well has been shut in. The pipeline company is currently evaluating either replacement of the 8" line, or installation of a smaller poly liner inside the existing 8" line. This pipeline also connects with several other existing wells, as well as a number of wells planned for the future. This well was produced for one day, June 21, 2010, to show that it was still capable of commercial production. R&L Chart Services failed to pick up the one day of production. They have subsequently re-integrated the chart in question, and the corrected data have been resubmitted to the NMOCD. Since the Go-Tech site runs about 90 days behind, we expect the production will show up in the April update.

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

Name (Printed/Typed)

Amy Mackey

Title

Administrative Manager

Signature

Date

January 26, 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

ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

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.

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(Instructions on reverse)

NMOCD

FARMINGTON FIELD OFFICE