

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. Jic 459
2. Name of Operator Mallon Oil Company, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Black Hills Exploration		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name Jicarilla Apache
3a. Address 350 Indiana St., #400, Golden, CO 80401		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. N/A
3b. Phone No. (include area code) 720-210-1300		8. Well Name and No. Jicarilla 459 #1
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T, R., M., or Survey Description) 1665' FSL and 940' FEL (NESE) Unit I		9. API Well No. 30-039-24087
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area East Blanco, Pictured Cliffs
		11. County or Parish, State Rio Arriba, NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input checked="" 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 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 checked="" 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	

3. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (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 recomplete 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.)

Mallon Oil Company, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Black Hills Exploration and Production, Inc. has recompleted this well to the Picture Cliffs formation. The well returned to production on 8/19/03.

MALLON OIL:
PLEASE SUBMIT
COMPLETION REPORT
WITHIN 30 DAYS.
THANKS

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2-13-04

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010 ALBUQUERQUE, N.M.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct Name (Printed/Typed) Allison Newcomb		Title Engineering Technician
Signature <i>Allison Newcomb</i>		Date 2/5/04

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by (Signature) <i>/s/ Adam M. Salameh</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) Division of Multi-Resources	Title
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	Date FEB 13 2004

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