

submitted in lieu of Form 3160-5

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells 070 FARMINGTON, NM

1. Type of Well  
GAS

2. Name of Operator  
MERIDIAN OIL

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

4. Location of Well, Footage, Sec., T, R, M  
1663'FSL, 1850'FWL, Sec.21, T-32-N, R-10-W, NMPM

5. Lease Number  
SF-080517  
6. If Indian, All. or  
Tribe Name  
7. Unit Agreement Name  
8. Well Name & Number  
Payne Federal #8  
9. API Well No.  
30-045-25958  
10. Field and Pool  
Cedar Hill Frt Coal  
11. County and State  
San Juan Co, NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OTHER DATA

Type of Submission	Type of Action
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Abandonment
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Recompletion
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment	<input type="checkbox"/> Plugging Back
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altering Casing
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other -
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Plans
	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction
	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Routine Fracturing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Conversion to Injection

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations

It is intended to close this salt water evaporation pit according to the following procedure:

The existing perimeter fence will be removed. Fluids remaining in the evaporation pit will be removed using a vacuum truck. The inside of pit liner will be rinsed using fresh water. Once the liner has been rinsed, the rinsate will be removed using a vacuum truck. The rinsate will be disposed of in an injection well. The pit liner will be removed and salvaged for beneficial use. After the pit liner has been removed, the excavation will be backfilled. The area will be shaped and seeded with an approved seed mixture to minimize future erosion.

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

Signed [Signature] (CB) Title Regulatory Affairs

Date 10/13/94

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APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Date NOV 16 1994

CONDITION OF APPROVAL, if any:

APPROVED

DISTRICT MANAGER