

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
NMOC-ARTESIA

FORM APPROVED
OMB No 1004-0137
Expires March 31, 2007

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 type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other SWD		5 Lease Serial No. NM-26105
2. Name of Operator Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address 600 N. Marienfeld St., Ste. 600; Midland, TX 79701	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 432-571-7800	7 If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No NM-112716
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 1650 FNL & 1200 FWL 24-25S-26E		8 Well Name and No. Liberty 24 Federal Com No. 1
		9. API Well No. 30-015-33094
		10 Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Cottonwood Draw; Upper Penn & Morrow
		11. County or Parish, State Eddy County, NM

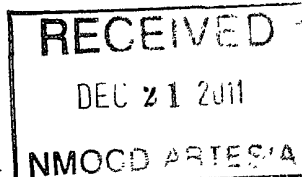
CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

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 checked="" 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	

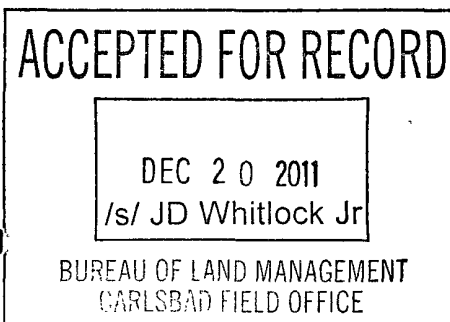
13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, included estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleate horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths 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 recompleation 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.)

- 11.16.11 SITP: vac; SICP 0 psi. Pkr fluid @ surface. MI & RU WSU. Bled off Casing and Tubing. Function Test BOPs. Release pkr. POOH w/ Tubing (409 jts) & LD. Secure WH.
- 11.17.11 MIRU. TIH w/ pkr, O/O tool & tbg (311 jts) - EOT 12948'. Circ 250 bbls pkr fluid. Close pipe rams
- 11.18.11 Cont reverse circ pkr fluid. Latched onto pkr. Loaded csg w/ 18 bbls pkr fluid. & tested to 500 psi for 30 mins. Bled csg off. NU BOP. RU pump truck & chart recorder - Paul Swartz, BLM on location - MIT test for 30 mins @ 500 psi - held steady/good test. Return well to disposal. Chart attached.

SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL



Accepted for record
NMOC
2/9/12



must be submitted on separate Sunday

Request 90 day TA of well until deepening rig can be secured. NOI to deepen well to Devonian to be sent under separate cover.

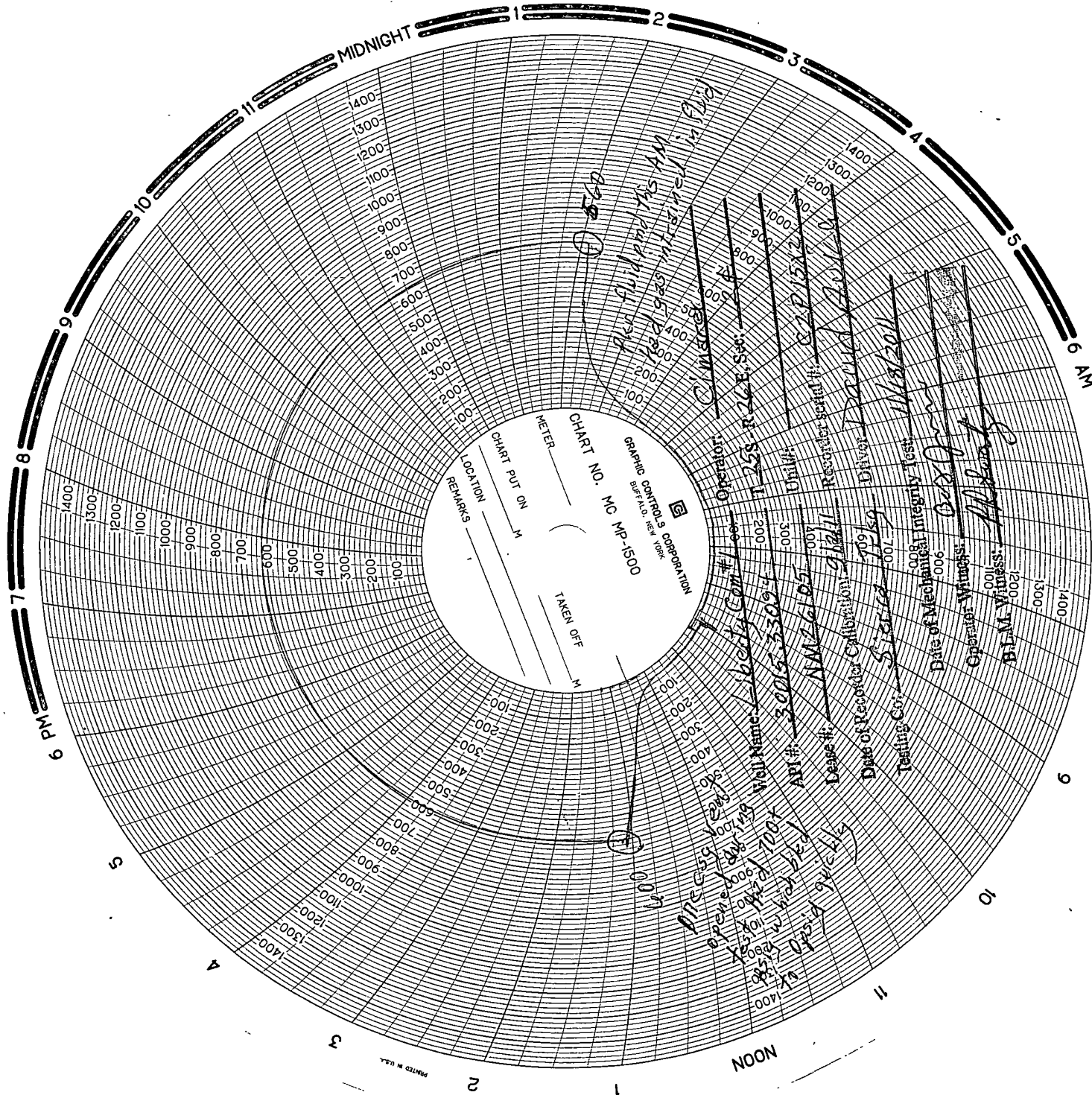
14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed) Terri Stathem	Title Regulatory
Signature <i>[Signature]</i>	Date 11.23.11

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by 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.	Title	Date
	Office	

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. 1212, make 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.



Conditions of Approval

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado

Liberty 24 Federal Com No. 1

API 3001533094

December 08, 2011

- 1) Conduct a Mechanical Integrity Test of the tubing/casing annulus after a tubing, packer or casing seal is established. Repair that seal any time more than five barrels of packer fluid is replaced within 30 days.
 - a) The minimum test pressure should be 500 psig for 30 minutes or 300 psig for 60 minutes, with 200 psig differentials between tubing and casing pressure (at test time) but no more than 70% of casing burst pressure as described by Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.h. (The tubing or reservoir pressure may need to be reduced). An alternate method for a BLM approved MIT is to have the fluid filled system open to atmospheric pressure and have a loss of less than five barrels in 30 days witnessed by a BLM authorized officer.
 - b) Document the pressure test on a calibrated recorder chart registering within 25 to 85 per cent of its full range. Greater than 10% pressure leakoff will be viewed as a failed MIT. Less than 10% pressure leakoff will be evaluated site specifically and may restrict injection approval.
 - c) At least 24 hours before the test: In Eddy County email Paul R. Swartz paul_swartz@blm.gov, (phone 575-200-7902). If there is no response phone 575-361-2822. Note the contact notification method, time, & date in your subsequent report.
 - d) Submit a subsequent Sundry Form 3160-5 relating the MIT activity. Include a copy of the recorded MIT pressure chart. List the name of the BLM witness, or the notified person and date of notification. NMOCD is to retain the original recorded MIT chart.
 - e) Use of tubing internal protection, on/off tubing equipment just above the packer, and a profile nipple installation is required. The setting depths and descriptions of each are to be included in the subsequent sundry. List (by date) descriptions of daily activity of any previously unreported wellbore workover.
 - f) **Submit the original subsequent sundry with three copies to BLM Carlsbad.**
- 2) Compliance with a NMOCD Administrative Order is required, submit documentation of that authorization.
 - a) Approved injection pressure compliance is required.
 - b) If injection pressure exceeds the approved pressure you are required to reduce that pressure and notify the BLM within 24 hours.
 - c) When injection pressure is within 50 psig of the maximum pressure, install automation equipment that will prevent exceeding that maximum.
 - i) Submit a subsequent report (Sundry Form 3160-5) describing the installed automation equipment within 30 days.
- 3) Other unexplained significant variations of rate or pressure to be reported within 5 days of notice.
- 4) The casing/tubing annulus is required to be monitored for communication with injection fluid or loss of casing integrity.
- 5) The annulus is to be maintained full of packer fluid at atmospheric pressure. Installation of equipment that will display on site, continuous open to the air fluid level is required. A BLM inspector may request verification of this fluid level at any time.

- 6) **Submit a subsequent report (Sundry Form 3160-5)** describing the installation of packer fluid level monitoring equipment within 30 days of beginning injection.
- 7) The operator shall keep monthly records documenting that the casing annulus is fluid filled. A suggested format for these records is available from the BLM Carlsbad Field Office. Copies of those records shall be furnished at the request of a BLM authorized officer.
- 8) Loss of packer fluid above five barrels per month requires notification of the BLM authorized officer within 5 days.
- 9) Gain of annular fluid requires notification within 24 hours. Cease injection and maintain a production casing pressure of Opsia. Notify the BLM's authorized officer (Paul R. Swartz paul.swartz@blm.gov phone 575-200-7902). If there is no response phone 575-361-2822.
- 10) Also submit to this office a (Sundry Form 3160-5) Notice of Intent (NOI) for planned well work involving a formation change, casing repair/replacement, and injection well fracture treatment for approval by BLM and NMOCD. Verbal approval for the plan may be given by a BLM authorized officer, with the NOI filed within five business days. Packer and tubing repair (normal maintenance procedures) do not require a NOI, but a subsequent sundry needs to be filed. http://www.blm.gov/nm/st/en/prog/energy/oil_and_gas.html (see CFR § 3162.3-2 43 & CFR § 3160.0-9 (c)(1)).
- 11) Submit a (Sundry Form 3160-5) subsequent report (daily reports) describing all wellbore activity and Mechanical Integrity Test as per item 1) above. Include the date(s) of the well work, and the setting depths of required equipment: tubing, one on/off tool, one profile nipple, and a single packer.

PRS 120811

Use of Form 3160-5 "Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells"

§ 43 CFR 3162.3-2 Subsequent Well Operations.

(a) A proposal for further well operations shall be submitted by the operator on Form 3160-5 for approval by the authorized officer prior to commencing operations to redrill, deepen, perform casing repairs, plug-back, alter casing, perform fracturing jobs, recompleting in a different interval, perform water shut off, commingling production between intervals and/or conversion to injection. If there is additional surface disturbance, the proposal shall include a surface use plan of operations. A subsequent report on these operations also will be filed on Form 3160-5. The authorized officer may prescribe that each proposal contain all or a portion of the information set forth in §3162.3-1 of this title.

(b) Unless additional surface disturbance is involved and if the operations conform to the standard of prudent operating practice, prior approval is not required for routine fracturing or acidizing jobs, or recompleting in the same interval; however, a subsequent report on these operations must be filed on Form 3160-5.

(c) No prior approval or a subsequent report is required for well cleanout work, routine well maintenance, or bottom hole pressure surveys.

[47 FR 47765, Oct. 27, 1982. Redesignated and amended at 48 FR 36583-36586, Aug. 12, 1983, further amended at 52 FR 5391, Feb. 20, 1987; 53 FR 17363, May 16, 1988; 53 FR 22847, June 17, 1988]

§ 43 CFR 3160.0-9 (c)(1) Information collection.

(c)(1) The information collection requirements contained in part 3160 have been approved by the Office of Management and Budget under 44 U.S.C. 3507 and assigned the following Clearance Numbers:

Operating Forms

Form No.	Name and filing date	OMB No.
3160-3	Application for Permit to Drill, Deepen, Plug Back, or Fracture—Filed 30 days prior	1004-0136
3160-4	With Completion of Recompletion Report and Log—Due 30 days after well completion	1004-0137
3160-5	Sundry Notice and Reports on Wells—Subsequent report due 30 days after operations completed	1004-0135

The information will be used to manage Federal and Indian oil and gas leases. It will be used to allow evaluation of the technical, safety, and environmental factors involved with drilling and producing oil and gas on Federal and Indian oil and gas leases. Response is mandatory only if the operator elects to initiate drilling, completion, or subsequent operations on an oil and gas well, in accordance with 30 U.S.C. 181 *et seq.*

§ 3162.4-1 (c) Well records and reports.

Not later than the 5th business day after any well begins production on which royalty is due anywhere on a lease site or allocated to a lease site, or resumes production in the case of a well which has been off production for more than 90 days, the operator shall notify the authorized officer by letter or sundry notice, Form 3160-5, or orally to be followed by a letter or sundry notice, of the date on which such production has begun or resumed.

NM Fed Regs & Forms - http://www.blm.gov/nm/st/en/prog/energy/oil_and_gas.html