(Augi	ust 1999)	DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT			OMB No. 1004-0135 Expires November 30, 2000
		BUREAU OF LAND MAN RY NOTICES AND REP			
	Do not use ti abandoned w	his form for proposals t vell. Use Form 3160-3 (Al	o drill or to re-enter PD) for such proposel	#NM 88210	6. If Indian Allottee or Tribe Name
		RIPLICATE - Other inst	ructions on reverse	SHECEIVED	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
1. Type of Well Gas Well Other Other					8. Well Name and No. STERLING
2. Name of Operator POGO PRODUCING COMPANY (RICHARD WRIGHT 432-685-8140)					SILVER "33" FED. DEEP # 9 9. API Well No.
3a. Address P.O. BOX 10340 MIDLAND, TEXAS 432-685-8100					
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)					10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area SAND DUNES DELAWARE-WEST
]	1980' FSL & 1980' FWL SECTION 33 T23S-R31E EDDY CO.			co.	11. County or Parish, State
					EDDY CO. NEW MEXICO
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA					
T	TYPE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION				
	Notice of Intent	Acidize Alter Casing	Deepen Fracture Treat	Production (Start	Resume)
	Subsequent Report	Casing Repair Change Plans	New Construction Plug and Abandon	Recomplete Temporarily Abs	Other
	Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injection	Plug Back	Water Disposal	
13. 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 day 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 had determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)					
 Pogo Producing Company requests the approval to alter their original proposal to their Sterling Silver "33" Federal # 9 to include the following changes. A. Reduce the total depth temporarily from 15,400' to 8500'. B. Drill to 8500' and core the Delaware pay interval. C. Pogo Producing Company will then temporarily abandon the well till a large drilling rig will be available to continue to drill to the original total depth of 15,400'. D. While drilling the 8500' portion of the hole a 2000 PSI B.O.P. will be used in place of the originally planned pressure control system. 					
N	lame (Printed/Typed)		mat.		
Jo	e T. Janica /	J	Title	Agent	

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 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.

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(ORIG. SGD.) ALEXIS C. SWOBODA

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.

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Signature

Approved by